

## ORDER OF WORSHIP

\* Please stand as you are able

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WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

SHARING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

STEWARDSHIP MOMENT

\* CALL TO WORSHIP

God is in the midst of the city, and it shall not be moved.

**Come, beyond the works of the Lord;**

**see what desolations God has brought on the earth.**

Through the joy and challenge of daily living, God is faithful to us still.

**We gather in thanksgiving, with open hearts and open minds,  
seeking to offer God or worship and praise.**

\* PROCESSION HYMN 649 • *Amazing Grace, How Sweet the Sound*

\* BLESSING OF THE TARTANS

CALL TO CONFESSION

Since all have sinned and fallen short of the glory of God, we all are called to confess our shortcomings, trusting in God's grace.

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

**God of transformation, we confess that we are stuck in our ways, resistant to change that would draw us closer to You and to be the beloved community You intend. We refuse to hear Your Spirit who calls out to us in truth. We seek freedom for ourselves, ignoring the oppression of others. Have mercy on us, O God. Forgive our waywardness, our negligence, and our apathy. Holy Spirit, guide us that we may live our lives through the faith following Jesus. Amen.**

*(Continue with silent confession and reflection.)*

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Beloved, we are justified by grace through faith. In all things, our gracious God offers us salvation. Believe the good news:

**In Jesus Christ we are forgiven!**

\* RESPONSE • *Gloria Patri* (Hymnal 581)

PASTORAL PRAYER

RESPONSE • *You Are the Lord, Giver of Mercy!* (Hymnal 437)

**You are the Lord, giver of mercy!**

**You are the Christ, giver of mercy!**

**You are the Lord, giver of mercy!**

OLD TESTAMENT READING

Psalm 8

The word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

NEW TESTAMENT READING

Mathew 7:1-6

The word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

SERMON

“JESUS AND OUR DIGITAL LIFE - PART 4” • The Rev. Dr. W. Darren Bess

\* THE REAFFIRMATION OF FAITH - *Adapted from the Presbyterian Church Brief Statement of Faith*

**In life and in death we belong to God. Through the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit, we trust in the One triune God, the Holy One of Israel, whom alone we worship and serve. We trust in Jesus Christ, fully human, fully God. We trust in God, whom Jesus called Abba, Father. We trust in God the Holy Spirit, every where the giver and renewer of life. With believers in every time and place, we rejoice that nothing in life or in death can separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord. Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit. Amen.**

OFFERING OF OUR TITHES AND GIFTS

INVITATION TO OFFERING

OFFERTORY MUSIC *How Can I Keep from Singing?* - arr. Nestor

\* OFFERTORY RESPONSE *Doxology* (GTG Hymnal 606)

PRAYER OF DEDICATION AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.**

\* HYMN 275 • *A Mighty Fortress Is Our God*

THE CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE • Bagpipers

## ☞ SERVING TODAY ☞

**OFFICIATING MINISTER:** The Rev. Dr. W. Darren Bess, Senior Pastor

**ASSISTING MINISTER:** The Rev. Dr. James A. Capps

**LITURGIST:** Jeanne Vinci

**MUSICIANS:** Justin Chase, Director of Music

Penny Walsh, Organ

Kevin Rowe & Christina Khan, Bagpipers

**TARTAN BEARERS:** Syd Davis, Nancy Galyean, Wendy Jamison, Julie Kent, Lynne McKnight, Phyllis Woods; Beadle-Cynthia Nants

**AUDIO/VISUAL:** Carole Reece, Doug Reece, Nelson Roe, Carissa Taylor

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## ☞ WORSHIP MATTERS ☞

### ANTHEM TEXT

My Life flows on in endless song, above earth's lamentation. I hear the real though far-off hymn that hails a new creation. No storm can shake my inmost calm while to that Rock I'm clinging. Since love is Lord of heav'n and earth, how can I keep from singing? Through all the tumult and the strife, I hear that music ringing. It finds an echo in my soul. How can I keep from singing? No storm can shake my inmost calm while to that Rock I'm clinging. Since love is Lord of heav'n and earth, how can I keep from singing? What though my joys and comforts die? I know my Savior liveth. What though the darkness gather round? Songs in the night he giveth. No storm can shake my inmost calm while to that Rock I'm clinging. Since love is Lord of heav'n and earth, how can I keep from singing? The peace of Christ makes fresh my heart, a fountain ever springing! All things are mine though I am his! How can I keep from singing? No storm can shake my inmost calm while to that Rock I'm clinging. Since love is Lord of heav'n and earth, how can I keep from singing?

### MUSIC

Our CCLI License number is 11184426; OneLicense.net number is 725233; Our CVLI License number is 505405959.

### WORSHIP AIDS

Assistive hearing devices are available from an audio/visual technician at the rear of the sanctuary.

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## ☞ COMMUNICATION INFORMATION ☞

### PASTORAL CARE

If you (or someone you know) are going through a difficult time, please reach out to us. Our Deacons and pastoral care staff are available for support, home and hospital visits, and prayer. Please contact Dr. Darren Bess at 407-647-1467 or [darrenb@winppc.org](mailto:darrenb@winppc.org). For pastoral emergencies when the church office is closed, call 407-647-1467 x 112.

### PUBLICITY

If you have a church event that needs to be publicized in the church bulletin, newsletter, etc., please fill out the form located at <http://winppc.org/publicity-request/>.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**WELCOME**

We are so glad you are here to worship with us today! Worship services are also available online. Sermons can be found at [www.winppc.org/sermons](http://www.winppc.org/sermons).

**BIBLE RECAP GROUP**

Don't forget we're meeting TODAY after worship to discuss the conclusion of our Old Testament reading (with some helpful notes), and look forward to beginning the New Testament on November 1st.

**GLOBAL CHRISTMAS MARKET**

**SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 4: 9AM-1PM & SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 5: 11:30AM-12:30PM**

Make the Global Christmas Market an event. Come with friends, shop 'til you drop, and then go and have lunch at one of Winter Park's fine eateries! The Global Christmas Market features various non-profit vendors offering unique gifts for you and your family and friends. All funds collected go directly to the non-profit organizations.

**PRESCHOOL CLEAN UP—SATURDAY MORNING, NOVEMBER 4**

The Preschool Parent Advisory Committee invites you to come and help with the preschool clean up. Any donation for the purchase of mulch/sand would be very much appreciated.

**ANNUAL TOY DRIVE**

Our annual Toy Drive will be Sunday, December 10 during both services. We will deliver them to Apopka on Tuesday, December 12 after we load the bus starting at 9am. If you would like to participate in any portion of this wonderful event, please contact Rachel Myers at 407-484-7290. Suggested gifts are: bicycles; skateboards; scooters; helmets; tricycles; dolls of all colors; arts and crafts kits; play 'pretend' kits, jewelry & makeup; sports balls of all kinds; educational games & books; NEW socks, pajamas, play clothes, underwear for boys & girls; cars & trucks (especially medium/large vehicles); board games for children of all ages; toys, clothing & blankets for infants & toddlers; baby diapers (NB to size 5). You can also help by ordering through Amazon. Send your order to Hope Community Center, Christmas Toy Sale, 1016 N Park Ave., Apopka, FL 32712.

**HANNAH CIRCLE**

The Hannah Circle will meet on Monday, November 13 at 6pm in room 301 Please join us.

**CUBA PARTNERSHIP ANNOUNCES NEXT TRIP**

The next Cuba Partnership trip to Cuba will be March 11-19, 2024. They will fly into Santa Clara and visit Presbyterian churches in El Centro Presbytery, in the provinces of Villa Clara and Sancti Spiritus. Go to [www.cfpresbytery.org/cuba](http://www.cfpresbytery.org/cuba) for more information and to get a copy of the application. Applications must be received by December 15th to allow sufficient time to obtain the required religious visas.

**RELATIONSHIPS IN ACTION—SUNDAY MORNINGS AT 9:15 AM IN ROOM 301**

**November 5th - Planning Session**

The Relationships in Action (RinA) class planning session for January and February, 2024. All are welcome.

**BULLETIN/COVENANTER ANNOUNCEMENTS**

If your committee is hosting an event, or if there is something going on that you would like the congregation to know, be sure to submit an article so that we can get the word out. Please include all the details so that everyone will know exactly what is happening. You can email your info to [cindym@winppc.org](mailto:cindym@winppc.org).

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**



**Winter Park**  
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

OCTOBER 29, 2023  
TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST  
KIRKIN' O' THE TARTANS



The Session		
2023	2024	2025
Syd Davis	Mike Galyean	Theresa Coker
Fred Kittinger	John Gehrig	Mary Ferguson
Malcolm MacDiarmid	Jayne Leach	Cathy House
Jim McKinney	Audrey Santiago	Glenn Riccio
Dawn Sumrall	Sara Van Arsdel	Ron Thompson

The Diaconate		
2023	2024	2025
Ron Ellman	Lisa Dreasher	Meg Baldwin
Betty Johnston	Jerry Fitzgerald	Anna Caparis
Sevilla Morse	Nancy Galyean	Lynne McKnight
Cynthia Nants	Andy Riccio	Debbie Pauzar
Jyme Smith		Debby Roberts

**Missions Supported by WPPC**

Audrey Santiago, *Transitions Orphan Assistance Foundation*, Ukraine  
Dr. Robert Gamble, *This Child Here*, Ukraine  
Dennis & Susan Walters, *SL*, Asia  
Steve & Sonia Dettweiler, *Wycliffe*, Nigeria  
Dr. Anne Hallum, *A.I.R. (Alliance for Reforestation)*, Guatemala

**PC(USA) World Missions**

Mark Hare & Jenny Bent, Costa Rica  
Dan & Elizabeth Turk, Madagascar

**Staff**

The Rev. Dr. W. Darren Bess, Senior Pastor  
The Rev. Dr. James A. Capps, Senior Adult Ministry Coordinator  
Justin Chase, Director of Music  
Penny Walsh, Organist  
Sandra Shafer, Pianist  
Scott Beck, Director of Handbells  
Carolyn Achenbach, Director of Operations/Accountant  
Cindy Mitchum, Executive Assistant  
Barbara Hordern, Administrative Assistant  
Wendy Stafford, Health Care Coordinator  
Nicole Fye, Director of Preschool Programs  
Adam Davies, Sexton