

Pastoral Care

If you (or someone you know) are going through a difficult time, please contact us. Our Deacons and pastoral care staff are available for support, home and hospital visits, and prayer. Please contact Rev. Emily Wasser at emilyw@winppc.org or 407-647-1467 x 122. 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/>.

Transportation for Church Events

If you are in need of transportation to a church event, please contact the church office at least 24 hours in advance, and every effort will be made to accommodate your need.

The Session			The Diaconate		
2019	2020	2021	2019	2020	2021
Will Lawrence	Doris Anguish	Phillip Anderson III	Nancy Appich	Ardyth Austin	Mike Galyean
Will McCurdy	Marilyn Bryant	Lisa Dreasher	Barbara Edwards	Caroline James	Reta Jackson
Rachel Myers	Rick Davis	Jayne Leach	Bonnie Gaughan	Jim McKinney	Julie Kent
Dail Pribil	Steve House	Shaheed Mohammed	Fran Morrissey	Ellenorr Osterhaus	Curtis Koon
Doug Reece	Larry Seel	Peter Rice	Cynthia Nants	Dennis Schmalstig	Sara Van Arsdel
Debbly Tallungan	Bob White	Nelson Roe	Eileen Silvers	Matt Straub	Jeanne Vinci

Missions Supported by WPPC

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

PC(USA) World Missions

Rev. Gordon & Dorothy Gartrell, Brazil; Jenny Bent, Dominican Republic;
Mark Hare, Haiti; Dan & Elizabeth Turk, Madagascar

Staff

The Rev. Dr. Robert Eckard, Interim Pastor
The Rev. Emily Wasser, Associate Pastor
Justin Chase, Director of Music
Penny Walsh, Organist
Susan Davis, Director of Handbells & Children's Music
Carolyn Achenbach, Director of Operations/Accountant

Cindy Mitchum, Executive Assistant
Barbara Hordern, Administrative Assistant
Kenny Lovelace, Sexton
Jorge Barrios, Sunday Assistant Sexton
Tricia Wilson, Director of Preschool Programs

WINTER PARK PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
400 SOUTH LAKEMONT AVENUE
WINTER PARK, FLORIDA 32792



www.winppc.org
PH: (407) 647-1467
FAX: (407) 647-1778

All bulletins and inserts left in the baskets by the doors are recycled.



Winter Park

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

NOVEMBER 17, 2019 • 8:15 & 10:30 A.M.
TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST



WELCOME TO WINTER PARK PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Welcome! We are glad you are worshipping with us today. If you are new to our church or community, we would very much like to offer you our friendship.

We strive to be a caring group of people seeking to grow in our commitment to Christ and the service of others. Our church offers a variety of education, fellowship, worship, and mission opportunities with something for most everyone. You will find information on current events at the end of this bulletin.

If you would like to learn more about the church, or if we can assist you in some way, please speak to an elder in the front of the sanctuary following the service, or to one of the pastors. May God bless you!

If You Are New Here

We invite you to write your name(s) in the red registration pad when it is passed down the pew. If you would like information on the ministries of this church, please include your contact information. Also, greeters and ushers at the entrances can provide you with information about our programs and volunteer opportunities. Please join us for refreshments and conversation in fellowship hall following the service.

Worship Aids

Assistive hearing devices are available from an audio/visual technician at the rear of the sanctuary. Large print hymnals and bulletins are available from the ushers.

Worshipping with Children

Children are welcome to stay in the sanctuary for the entire worship service. They are invited to come forward for the Children's Moment, following which they may return to sit with their families, or (Pre-K—3rd grade) leave for Children's Church on non-communion Sundays. In addition, childcare for preschool-age children is available in our nursery, room 608, during all services.

If You Are in Need of Prayer

Elders are available to pray with you after the service, at the front of the sanctuary. Your prayers are confidential unless you request they be shared with our Pastoral Care staff. You may also complete a prayer request card (available in the pews and at the back of the sanctuary) and give it to an usher.

WEEK AT A GLANCE

Sunday, November 17

8:15 – 9am	Worship Service, Chapel
9:15 – 10:15am	Sunday School
9:30am – 12pm	Library Open
10:30 – 11:30am	Worship Service, Sanctuary
11:35am – 12:35pm	WPPC Ringers, Room 102
12 – 1pm	PNC Meeting, Room 317
5 – 7pm	Youth Group (Grades 6-12), Room 204

Monday, November 18

9:30am – 12:30pm	Library Open
11:30am – 12:30pm	Tai Chi, Fellowship Hall
6 – 9pm	Ladies' Game Night, Room 317

Tuesday, November 19

10:30 – 11:30am	Staff Meeting, Room 303
6:30 – 7:15pm	Children/Youth Choir, Room 102

Wednesday, November 20

9am – 12pm	Cooking for the Coalition for the Homeless, Kitchen
Noon	Bulletin Materials Due
4 – 5pm	Worship Planning, Room 303
6 – 7pm	Westminster Ringers, Room 102
7:15 – 8:45pm	Chancel Choir, Sanctuary

Thursday, November 21

9:30am – 12:30pm	Library Open
9:30 – 11:30am	Coalition for the Homeless – Cooking, Kitchen
7 – 9pm	Joint Diaconate/Session Meeting

Friday, November 22

9 – 10am	Coalition for the Homeless-Sandwich Prep, Kitchen
10 – 11am	Coalition for the Homeless-Sort Toiletries, Kitchen
11:30am – 12:30pm	Tai Chi, Fellowship Hall
5:30pm	Coalition for the Homeless-Transport Meal

Saturday, November 23

All Day	No Scheduled Activities
---------	-------------------------

Sunday, November 24

8:15 – 9am	Worship Service, Chapel
9:15 – 10:15am	Sunday School
9:30am – 12pm	Library Open
10:30 – 11:30am	Worship Service, Sanctuary
11:35am – 12:35pm	WPPC Ringers, Room 102
12 – 1pm	PNC Meeting, Room 317

☞ ANNOUNCEMENTS ☜

Advent Booklet

We need your contributions for our 2019 Advent Booklet. This year we are asking people to write about one of the most valuable lessons they have learned in life, and how it became important to them. Please write a paragraph or two about a lesson that has become valuable to you. We will surround your writing with art or graphics and print it in the booklet. (Or if you're an artist yourself, you can send in your art also.) Please send your writing and art to Phyllis Woods at phylliswoods379@gmail.com or give it to her at Church. The deadline for submissions is November 22nd, but it helps us greatly if you can get your submission in as early as possible. This way we can spend more time on page design. Thanks so much for thinking about adding your contribution to our booklet. Each person's thoughts and experiences add so much to the booklet and help to make it a meaningful keepsake each year. Blessings to all as we enter the Holiday season.

Relationships in Action - Sunday Mornings at 9:15 AM in Room 301

November 24—No Class—Thanksgiving

A Diaconate Call For Help

Starting in 2020, the Diaconate will be establishing a “Memorial Service Augmentation Team” from within the congregation to lend a helping hand to the Deacons for Memorial Services and Receptions if needed. Please consider joining this “Augmentation Team” in 2020, no special training is required, just a willingness to lend a hand as an usher or as a member of the kitchen crew. Please just approach Jim McKinney or any one of the Deacons and we will thankfully put your name on the “Memorial Service Augmentation Team” list. Your helping hand will be most welcomed and appreciated.

Apopka Community Toy Drive - December 8

We will be collecting new toys on Sunday, December 8 at the 8:15 and 10:30 services. Please leave the price tag on the unwrapped gift. They will be made available at discounted prices for parents to purchase gifts with dignity. We will deliver the Toys on Tuesday, December 10th. This is a delightful experience, and includes lunch at a Cuban Café with the staff that runs this wonderful program. Contact Rachel Myers at 407-484-7290 or myers.rachel58@gmail.com if you are interested. Come join the Fun! Suggested items that will bring joy to the children: Bicycles, Skateboards, Scooters, Helmets, Tricycles, Wagons, Balls (Soccer, Volleyball, Football, Basketball, Baseball), Gloves & Bats, Arts & Crafts Kits, Colorful Reading Books, Electronic Games, Ethnic Dolls, MP3 Players, iPods, Headphones, Radios, Watches, Cameras, Perfume, Make-up, Jewelry, Gifts & Games for Young Girls, Educational Games & Books in English & Spanish, Children’s Socks, Underwear, Play Clothing, Cars & Trucks of all kinds (especially large ones), Board Games for Middle School Children, Toys, Clothing & Blankets for Babies & Toddlers, and Disposable Diapers (sizes newborn to 3 yrs old).

SERVING TODAY

OFFICIATING MINISTER:	The Rev. Dr. Robert Eckard, Interim Pastor
ASSISTING MINISTER:	The Rev. Emily Wasser, Associate Pastor
LITURGISTS:	Sara Van Arsdel (8:15) Fiona Harper (10:30)
MUSICIANS:	Penny Walsh, Pianist (8:15) Penny Walsh, Organist; Chancel Choir - Justin Chase, Director; Children’s Choir - Susan Davis, Director; Penny Walsh, Piano (10:30)
CHILDREN'S MOMENT:	The Rev. Emily Wasser (10:30)
CHILDREN’S CHURCH:	Nancy Appich, Ali Frazier, Ivan Smith (10:30)
GREETERS:	Crystal Fern and Fred Kittinger (8:15) Doris Anguish, Fern Barnard, Jan Hall, Reta Peterson (10:30)
USHERS:	Crystal Fern and Fred Kittinger (8:15) Mitch Bargar, Peggy Bargar, Curtis Harrison, Steve House, Barbara McKnight, Shaheed Mohammed, Susan Price, Michelle Trahan (10:30)
ELDERS:	Doris Anguish and Marilyn Bryant (10:30)
AUDIO/VISUAL:	Carole Reece, Doug Reece, Nelson Roe, Stephen Smith (10:30)

Thank you to the children who participated in today's service:

Bianca Anderson, Stella Angov, Emma Baldwin, Sarah Johnson, Lauren Lapchick, Molly Lapchick,
Matthew Leslie, Connie Joy Tallungan, Esther Grace Tallungan, Jackson Thomas.

☞ WORSHIP MATTERS ☜

Flowers

The flowers today are given to the Glory of God by Thom & Penny Walsh and Ryan & Ava Manning in memory of son and brother Gregory E. Manning.

Worship Resources Online

You will find bulletins for upcoming and past worship services at winppc.org/bulletins.

Music Notes

Our CCLI License number is 11184426, and our OneLicense.net number is 725233.

ORDER OF WORSHIP

When the prelude begins, all are invited to enter a period of quiet reflection so that those wishing to prepare for worship through prayer and meditation may so do. Please silence all electronic devices.

* Please stand as you are able

† GATHERING AROUND THE WORD †

PRELUDE *Andante* • Mozart (8:15)
Sing to the Lord of Harvest • arr. Eliot (10:30)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

MOMENT FOR MISSION

* CALL TO WORSHIP Worship the Lord with gladness!
We come into God's presence with singing.
For the Lord our God is good.
God's steadfast love endures forever.
Let us worship God!

* HYMN 483 *Sing Praise to God, Who Reigns Above*

* OPENING PRAYER

CALL TO CONFESSION

PRAYER OF
CONFESSION **O God of mercy, hear our prayers.**
Your spirit calls us to movement and change,
but we are stubborn, hesitant, and fearful.
We choose the familiar over the faithful,
the comfortable over the courageous,
selfishness over service,
diatribe over dialogue.
O God of mercy, hear our prayers.
Forgive us of our sins,
and move us to live as people transformed. Amen.
(Continue with silent confession and reflection until response is introduced.)

† FOLLOWING THE WORD INTO THE WORLD †

* HYMN 356 *Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing*

BENEDICTION

* CONGREGATIONAL *In My Life, Lord*
RESPONSE (8:15) **In my Life, Lord, be glorified;**
In my life, Lord, be glorified today.

* CHORAL
RESPONSE (10:30) *Amen*

* POSTLUDE *Trumpet Gigue* • Young

⌘ ANNOUNCEMENTS ⌘

Global Christmas Market

Thank you to the WPPC village who helped make it possible for the Global Christmas market to make a difference in the lives of many people throughout this world. Your donations and purchases of \$9,700 are a way of demonstrating God's love to others. Following the 10:30 service there will be a brief market in the fellowship hall to purchase coffee, tea, chocolate, olive oil, and several gift items from SERV. All donations and purchase funds will go directly to support these causes.
~Compassion Committee

Journey to Christmas

The CE Committee has planned a wonderful event for all ages on Sunday December 1, to prepare our hearts and homes for the Advent season. All ages are invited to create graham cracker Crèche scenes, clove pomanders, small Christmas wreaths and sign cards for children of the Ukraine. Pizza will be included. The journey begins in the Fellowship Hall following the 10:30 worship service. If you would like to help with the Journey to Christmas, we would love to have you! No experience necessary. All you need to do is be able to assist with crafts at various tables. And guess what?! The crafts will be provided for you. If you have any questions please contact Pastor Emily or Will Lawrence.

Christmas Tree and Sanctuary Decorations

On Tuesday, November 26, at 2:00 PM, the Worship and Music Committee will be putting up the Christmas Tree and decorating the sanctuary. If you have always wanted to help, or if you just want to get in the Holiday spirit, we invite you to join us.

RESPONSE ***Lord, Have Mercy Upon Us*** - Hymnal 574

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

* RESPONSE ***Gloria Patri*** - Hymnal 579

* PEACE The peace of our Lord be with you.
And also with you.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE CONCLUDING WITH 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.**

OFFERING OF OUR TITHES AND GIFTS

INVITATION TO OFFERING

OFFERTORY ANTHEM (10:30) *There Will Be A New Day* • Gilpin

* OFFERTORY RESPONSE • **Doxology** - Hymnal 592

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
praise God, all creatures here below;
praise God above, ye heavenly host;
praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.**

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

RESPONSE ***Lord, Have Mercy Upon Us*** - Hymnal 574

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

* RESPONSE ***Gloria Patri*** - Hymnal 579

* PEACE The peace of our Lord be with you.
And also with you.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE CONCLUDING WITH 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.**

OFFERING OF OUR TITHES AND GIFTS

INVITATION TO OFFERING

OFFERTORY ANTHEM (10:30) *There Will Be A New Day* • Gilpin

* OFFERTORY RESPONSE • **Doxology** - Hymnal 592

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
praise God, all creatures here below;
praise God above, ye heavenly host;
praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.**

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

† LISTENING FOR THE WORD †

MINISTRY OF MUSIC *Thankful* • Burrows
(10:30)

CHILDREN'S MOMENT (10:30) Pre-K to 5th grade children are invited to the chancel steps for a special message. Afterward, they will rejoin their families, or Pre-K - 3rd grade may go to Children's Church in the Library.

HYMN 357 ***O Master, Let Me Walk with Thee (verse 1)***

1ST READING Psalm 100
The word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

2ND READING Philippians 4:4-9
The word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

SERMON REJOICE ALWAYS! • The Rev. Dr. Robert Eckard

* AFFIRMATION OF FAITH • *Adapted from the Presbyterian Church 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,
everywhere 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.**

† LISTENING FOR THE WORD †

MINISTRY OF MUSIC *Thankful* • Burrows
(10:30)

CHILDREN'S MOMENT (10:30) Pre-K to 5th grade children are invited to the chancel steps for a special message. Afterward, they will rejoin their families, or Pre-K - 3rd grade may go to Children's Church in the Library.

HYMN 357 ***O Master, Let Me Walk with Thee (verse 1)***

1ST READING Psalm 100
The word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

2ND READING Philippians 4:4-9
The word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

SERMON REJOICE ALWAYS! • The Rev. Dr. Robert Eckard

* AFFIRMATION OF FAITH • *Adapted from the Presbyterian Church 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,
everywhere 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.**