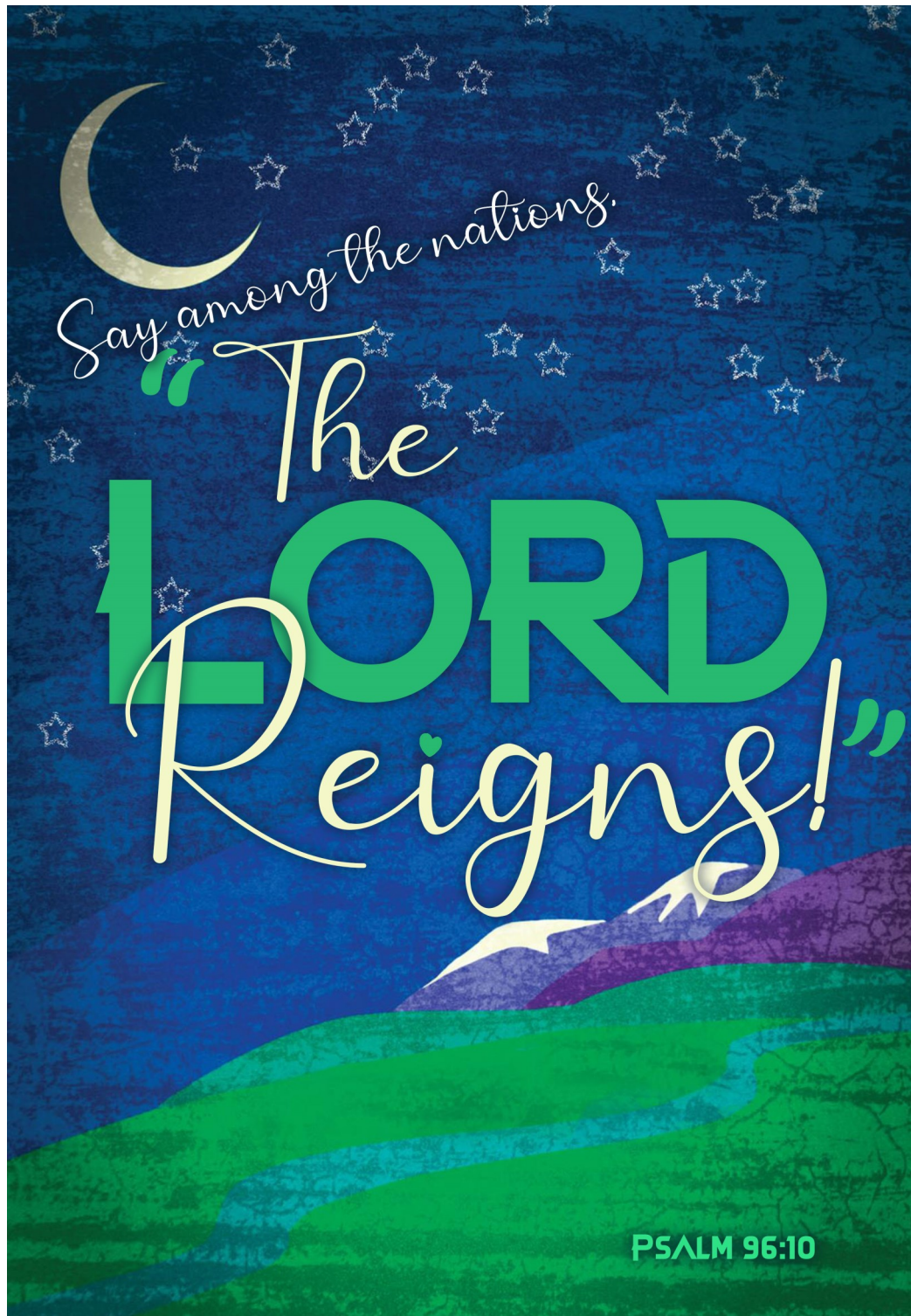




Winter Park  
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

NOVEMBER 22, 2020



## ORDER OF WORSHIP

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### WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE • Come, Ye Thankful People, Come - arr. Raney

### TO PREPARE OUR HEARTS

*When the Son of Man comes in his glory, and all the angels with him,  
he will sit on his glorious throne. -Matthew 25:31 (NIV)*

### CALL TO WORSHIP

Lord, save us!

**Lord, grant us success!**

Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord.

**From the house of the Lord we bless You.**

The Lord is God, and God has made His light shine on us.

**Join in the procession to worship God.**

You are my God, and I will praise You;

**You are my God, and I will exalt You. I will live for You.**

### PRAYER OF ADORATION—ADAPTED FROM PSALM 33

**Lord, You form the hearts of all. We wait in hope for the Lord; God is our help and our shield. In Him our hearts rejoice, for we trust in the Lord's holy name. May Your unfailing love be with us as we put our hope in You, and as the Holy Spirit prepares our hearts for worship. Amen.**

HYMN • *Now Thank We All Our God*

### CALL TO CONFESSION

### PRAYER OF CONFESSION

**O Holy One, we call to You and name You as eternal, ever-present, and boundless in love. Yet there are times, O God, when we fail to recognize You in the day to day of life. Sometimes shame clenches tightly around our hearts, and we hide our true feelings. Sometimes fear makes us small, and we miss the opportunity to share Your love with others. Sometimes doubt invades our hopefulness, so we also confess our unbelief and ask that You would help us overcome our unbelief.**

**Holy God, in the daily round from sunrise to sunset, remind us again of Your holy presence hovering near us and in us. Free us from shame and self-doubt. Help us to see You in the moment-by-moment possibilities to live honestly, to act courageously, and to speak words of love, of peace and of life. Amen.**

*(Continue with silent confession and reflection.)*

### ASSURANCE OF PARDON

RESPONSE • *Gloria Patri*

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

RESPONSE • *Lord Jesus, Think on Me* (verse 1)

CHILDREN'S SERMON

*(Children, parents, and other adults may remain seated in their pews.)*

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON

Psalm 96

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

NEW TESTAMENT LESSON

Matthew 25:31-46

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

SERMON

"Bridesmaids, Servants, Sheep and Goats – Oh My!" • The Rev. Dr. W. Darren Bess

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH • *Apostles' Creed*

**I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth,  
and in Jesus Christ His only Son our Lord;**

**who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary,  
suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried;  
He descended into hell; the third day He rose again from the dead;  
He ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand  
of God the Father Almighty; from thence He shall come  
to judge the quick and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic Church;  
the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins;  
the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.**

OFFERING OF OUR TITHES AND GIFTS

INVITATION TO OFFERING

OFFERTORY MUSIC *Many and Great* • arr. Moglebust

OFFERTORY RESPONSE • Doxology

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 • ***Crown Him with Many Crowns***

Crown him with many crowns,  
the Lamb upon his throne;  
hark, how the heavenly anthem drowns  
all music but its own!

Awake, my soul, and sing  
of him who died for thee,  
and hail him as thy matchless King  
through all eternity.

Crown him the Lord of love;  
behold his hands and side,  
rich wounds, yet visible above,  
in beauty glorified:  
no angel in the sky  
can fully bear that sight,  
but downward bends his burning eye  
at mysteries so bright.

Crown him the Lord of peace,  
whose power a scepter sways  
from pole to pole, that wars may cease,  
absorbed in prayer and praise.  
His reign shall know no end;  
and round his pierced feet  
fair flowers of paradise extend  
their fragrance ever sweet.

Crown him the Lord of years,  
the potentate of time;  
creator of the rolling spheres,  
ineffably sublime.  
All hail, Redeemer, hail!  
For thou hast died for me;  
thy praise shall never, never fail  
throughout eternity.

CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE • *Now Thank We All Our God*, Karg-Elert



**✠ SERVING TODAY ✠**

**OFFICIATING MINISTER**

The Rev. Dr. W. Darren Bess, Senior Pastor

**ASSISTING MINISTER**

The Rev. Emily Wasser, Associate Pastor

**MUSICIANS**

Director of Music: Justin Chase

Organist: Penny Walsh

Westminster Ringers: Meg Baldwin, Janet Barnes, Alan Davis, Dana Irwin,  
Jayne Leach, Sevilla Morse, Doug Reece, Jan Reker, Holly Small, Dawn Sumrall,

George Sumrall, Sarah Thomas, Susan Davis-Director

Percussion: Justin Chase and Emily Wasser

**AUDIO/VISUAL**

Carole Reece

Doug Reece

Nelson Roe

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**MUSIC NOTES**

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



**✠ ANNOUNCEMENTS ✠**

**Welcome**

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

**Poinsettias**

Our church will once again be graced with poinsettias as we celebrate Christmas. A form for purchasing a poinsettia to serve as a memorial or as a tribute of honor is attached to this bulletin. Forms are also available in the narthex and the front office. The cost for each poinsettia is \$15. Order forms must be completed and returned by December 11<sup>th</sup>.

**Chrismon Tree Booklet**

The Worship & Music Committee has reissued the Chrismon Tree Booklet. This booklet was originally done in 1989. The committee is asking for a minimum donation of \$2 and they will be available on Sunday mornings and in the front office.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### **Toys for Apopka**

Seasons Greetings! We will be collecting NEW, UNWRAPPED toys for the 46th Annual Christmas Toy Store for the Hope Community Center in Apopka again this year. The challenges during 2020 are continuing and they have added the ability to donate via Amazon. Our collection process will change as well. Please leave your gifts in Room 301. Contact Rachel Myers at 407-484-7290 if you would like to help sort and box on Sunday, December 6, and/or assist in loading and delivering the toys to Apopka on Tuesday, December 8. Pastor Emily will bless the toys on Sunday, December 6. A list of recommended toy store donations is in this bulletin. Also included on the list is information on how you can order through Amazon.

### **Living Nativity Needs Volunteers!**

On December 19th, Winter Park Presbyterian hopes to host Living Nativity...but with a twist. In order to accommodate CDC guidelines, Community Life has crafted a plan that will still allow our Living Nativity to take place this year. There is just one thing, it's going to need volunteers. Lots and lots and lots of volunteers. Actors, narrators, and guides are all needed to make sure that Living Nativity goes off without a hitch this year. It will look different, there is no doubt about that, but we are confident that with your help we can come together as a Church and host a Living Nativity that allows us to keep our beloved tradition alive through 2020. If you are available on December 19, if you have family in town, friends or neighbors who are free and looking for something to do, please contact Emily Wasser immediately! We can do this WPPC! All we need is you!

### **Global Market**

The Compassion Committee regrets the cancellation of the Global Market due to the virus. The market has been an important source of funding for many organizations that make a critical difference in the lives of people. We have arranged for you to continue to support several of these organizations: *Heifer International*, *Society of Saint Andrews*, *Transitions Ukraine Orphan Foundation*, and *Alliance for Reforestation (AIR)*. You can write a check to Winter Park Presbyterian Church and place the name of the organization on the memo line. These checks can be submitted to either Carolyn Achenbach or given to the church office.

# Happy Thanksgiving!



## SUGGESTED TOYS

HCC requests that only new, unwrapped items be donated with price tags left on each toy.

- ✓ BICYCLES/SKATEBOARDS/SCOOTERS/HELMETS/TRICYCLES
- ✓ DOLLS OF ALL COLORS
- ✓ ARTS & CRAFTS KITS
- ✓ PLAY 'PRETEND' KITS/JEWELRY/MAKE-UP, ETC. FOR YOUNG GIRLS
- ✓ SPORTS BALLS OF ALL KINDS
- ✓ EDUCATIONAL GAMES & BOOKS
- ✓ NEW SOCKS/PAJAMAS/PLAY CLOTHES/UNDERWEAR FOR BOYS/GIRLS
- ✓ HOUSEHOLD ITEMS
- ✓ CARS & TRUCKS (ESPECIALLY MEDIUM/LARGE VEHICLES)
- ✓ BOARD GAMES FOR CHILDREN OF ALL AGES
- ✓ TOYS/CLOTHING/BLANKETS FOR INFANTS & TODDLERS
- ✓ BABY DIAPERS (NEWBORN TO SIZE 5)

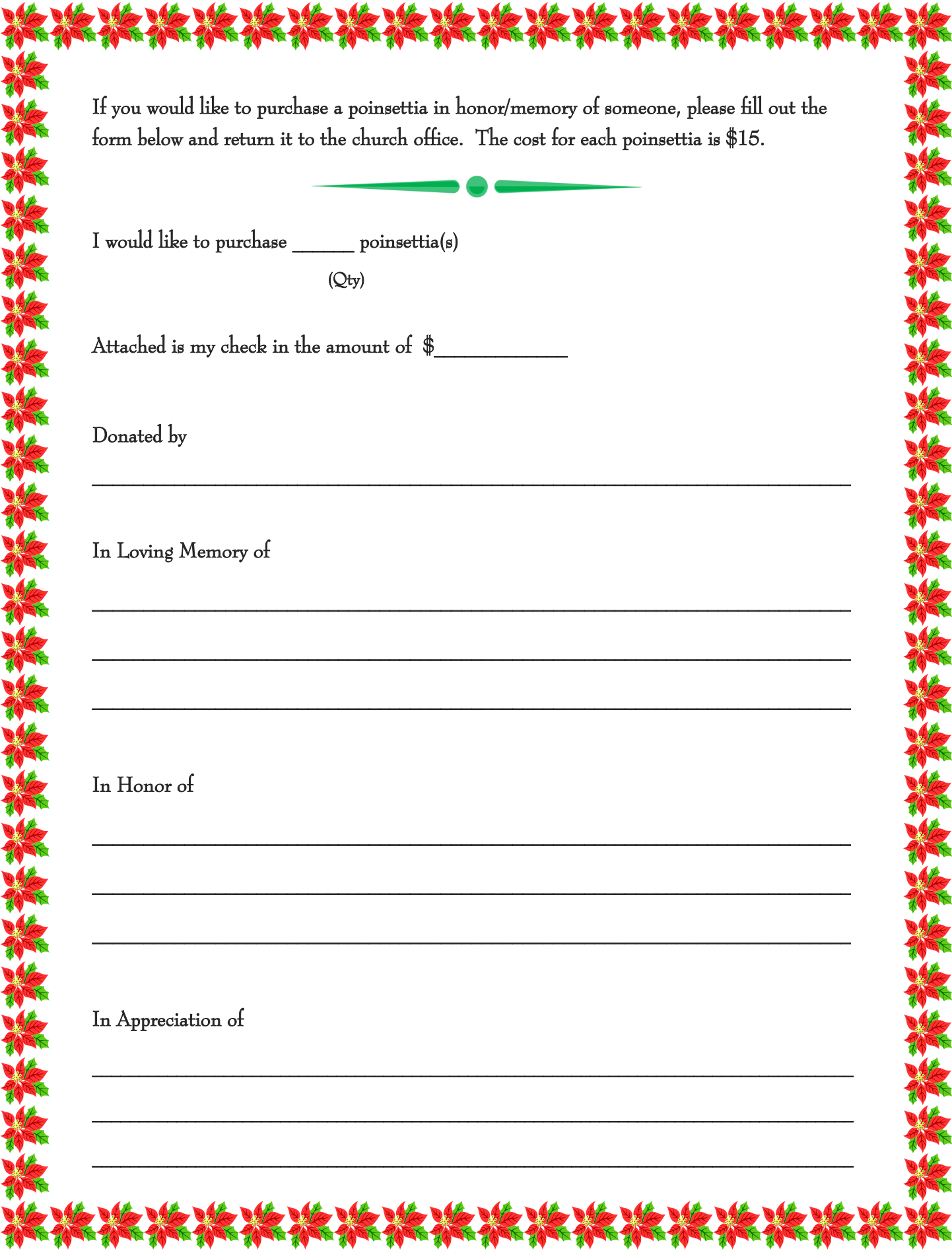


YOU CAN ALSO HELP BY ORDERING  
THROUGH AMAZON & SENDING  
YOUR ORDER TO:


HOPE COMMUNITY CENTER  
CHRISTMAS TOY SALE  
1016 NORTH PARK AVE.  
APOPKA, FL 32712





A decorative border of red poinsettias with green leaves surrounds the entire page.

If you would like to purchase a poinsettia in honor/memory of someone, please fill out the form below and return it to the church office. The cost for each poinsettia is \$15.

A green horizontal separator consisting of a central circle with two pointed ends.

I would like to purchase \_\_\_\_\_ poinsettia(s)  
(Qty)

Attached is my check in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_

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In Loving Memory of

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In Honor of

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In Appreciation of

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## 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 Dr. Darren Bess at [darrenb@winppc.org](mailto:darrenb@winppc.org) or 407-647-1467 x 103. 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		
2020	2021	2022	2020	2021	2022
Doris Anguish	Phillip Anderson III	Theresa Coker	Ardyth Austin	Mike Galyean	Susan Davis
Marilyn Bryant	Lisa Dreasher	Bonnie Gaughan	Cathy House	Reta Jackson	Jane Munns
Rick Davis	Jayne Leach	Fran Morrissey	Caroline James	Julie Kent	Rachel Myers
Steve House	Shaheed Mohammed	Sean Tallungan	Jim McKinney	Curtis Koon	Christine Rich
Larry Seel	Peter Rice	Michelle Trahan	Dennis Schmalstig	Sara Van Arsdel	Meg Ball Thomas
Bob White	Nelson Roe	Jay Van Hook	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

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Penny Walsh, Organist  
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Carolyn Achenbach, Director of Operations/Accountant  
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