

Pastoral Care

If you (or someone you know) are going through a difficult time, please contact us. Our Deacons, Stephen Ministers, and pastoral care staff are available for support, home and hospital visits, and prayer. Contact: jasonm@winppc.org; 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		
2017	2018	2019	2017	2018	2019
Mike Galyean	Hal Eastburn	Will Lawrence	Howard Evans	Peggy Bargar	Nancy Appich
Terry Irwin	Reta Jackson	Will McCurdy	Curtis Harrison	Almeda Dean	Barbara Edwards
Jayne Leach	Don McCarter	Rachel Myers	Gary Henderson	Carol Howell	Bonnie Gaughan
Max Reed	Debby Roberts	Dail Pribil	Allen Shaw	Betty Johnston	Fran Morrissey
Meg Ball Thomas	Sara Van Arsdal	Doug Reece	Jyme Smith	Sevilla Morse	Cynthia Nants
Mary Van Hook	Phyllis Woods	Debby Tallungan	Jeanne Vinci	Ginny Seel	Eileen Silvers

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. Jason T. Micheli, Senior Pastor
The Rev. Emily Wasser, Associate Pastor for Family Discipleship
Justin Chase, Director of Music
Dr. Esther Kim, 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, Interim Director of Preschool Programs



Winter Park

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

FEBRUARY 26, 2017 • 8:15 & 10:30 A.M.

TRANSFIGURATION SUNDAY



TRANSFIGURATION

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



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WELCOME TO WINTER PARK PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Whether you're a guest or a long-time member, we're glad you joined us in worship this morning to celebrate Transfiguration Sunday.

Winter Park Presbyterian Church strives to be a community where we find new life by the grace of God in Jesus Christ, through the Holy Spirit. We seek to be a people who live out of God's redeeming grace, witnessing to the new life given by God by engaging in ministries of compassion and justice.

There are many opportunities here to connect with others. It is our hope that you find this church to be a place where you feel welcomed and equipped to grow in your Christian faith.



Jason T. Micheli
Senior Pastor

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 are available from the ushers.

Worshiping 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

Sun Feb 26	8:15am – 9:00am	Worship Service - <i>Chapel</i>
	9:15am – 10:15am	Sunday School
	10:30am – 11:30am	Worship Service - <i>Sanctuary</i>
	11:45am – 12:30pm	WPPC Ringers - <i>Room 514</i>
	11:45am – 1:15pm	Inquirer/New Member Lunch - <i>Parlor</i>
Mon Feb 27	3:00pm – 4:30pm	Salt of the Earth Young Adult Group - <i>Panera Bread, 2516 Aloma Ave, WP</i>
	5:00pm – 7:00pm	Youth Group (Grades 6-12) - <i>Room 202</i>
	9:00am – 12:00pm	Library Open
Tue Feb 28	11:30am – 12:30pm	Tai Chi - <i>Fellowship Hall</i>
	7:00pm – 9:00pm	Boy Scouts - <i>Room 204</i>
	10:30am – 11:30am	Staff Meeting - <i>Room 301</i>
Wed Mar 1	4:00pm – 5:00pm	History Committee Work Groups - <i>Room 315</i>
	5:30pm – 6:30pm	TNT Supper - <i>Fellowship Hall</i>
	6:30pm – 7:30pm	Children's Choir/Youth Ensemble - <i>Room 514</i>
	6:30pm – 7:30pm	TNT Classes
Thu Mar 2	12:00pm – 12:30pm	Bulletin Materials Due
	4:00pm – 5:00pm	Worship Planning - <i>Room 303</i>
	6:00pm – 7:30pm	Westminster Ringers - <i>Bell Room</i>
	7:00pm – 8:00pm	Ash Wednesday Service - <i>Sanctuary</i>
Fri Mar 3	9:00am – 12:00pm	Library Open
	10:00am – 11:30am	Caregiver Support/Networking Group - <i>303</i>
	12:30pm – 1:30pm	Sustainment Visioning Team - <i>Room 303</i>
Sun Mar 5	7:00pm – 8:00pm	Sustainment Finance Team - <i>Room 303</i>
	11:30am – 12:30pm	NO Tai Chi
	11:30am – 1:30pm	Friendship Club - <i>Fellowship Hall</i>
	8:15am – 9:00am	Worship Service - <i>Chapel</i>
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☞ ANNOUNCEMENTS ☜

Friendship Club

The program this month is a mini trip to Israel with Pat Morgan and Matt Straub, who just returned from a tour there. Come for lunch and the program at 11:30 a.m. this Friday, March 3rd in fellowship hall. Dana and Margie have a great ham and potato casserole for us. Product of the month is canned meat or fish. Please make reservations by noon on Wednesday, March 1st. Lunch is \$5. See you there.

Save Friday, March 17th for a Friendship Club field trip!

Book Club

Join the Abibliophobes (those afraid of running out of reading material) the first Monday of each month at 7:00 p.m. in room 303. Next Monday, March 6, we will be discussing *Anne of Green Gables* by Lucy M. Montgomery. Future book discussions are: April 3, *Lilac Girls: A Novel* by Martha Hall Kelly; May 1, *Georgia: A Novel of Georgia O'Keefe* by Dawn Tripp. The group discussion is open to everyone who likes to read!

Stephen Ministry

Please join the discussion with the Stephen Ministers as we define, identify and reflect upon the impact of crisis in our lives while also focusing upon the opportunity which can be difficult to discern as we find ourselves immersed in turmoil. The group will meet Friday, March 10th at 4:15 in room 301.

AIR Service Mission Trip

Dr. Jason Micheli will be leading a service mission trip to work with AIR-Guatemala in June. This is an opportunity to work with our mission partners to make an important difference in the lives of people. For more information see the February Covenanter.

Flowers for 2017

If you would like to donate flowers for the weekly worship service in honor/memory of someone special or of a special occasion, please pick a date and put your name on the sign-up chart located in the hallway of the front office. When you sign up, please take a form and turn it into the front office with all the information filled in.

Ushers Needed

Our usher teams are in dire need of help. There are three teams that serve on a rotating basis, every three months. The three teams are led by Lloyd McGuire, Steve House, and Robert White. If you could help one of these three teams, even on an occasional basis, contact Mike Galyean at 321-276-7515 or email: koolade@embarqmail.com. We need you... please let Mike know you can help, and he will put you on the team of your choice.

Greeters Needed

We need greeters for the 10:30 service. All the greeters enjoy speaking with our members and visitors as they arrive. If you would like to welcome those attending church on Sundays before the 10:30 a.m. worship service, please call the church office at 407-647-1467. If you can't be a regular greeter, we'd love to have you as a sub! Greeters rotate every three months.

SERVING TODAY

OFFICIATING MINISTER: The Rev. Dr. Jason T. Micheli, Senior Pastor

ASSISTING MINISTER: The Rev. Emily Wasser, Associate Pastor of Family Discipleship

LITURGISTS: Margie Meliza (8:15)
Debby Tallungan (10:30)

MUSICIANS: Dr. Esther Kim, Keyboardist (8:15)
Chancel Choir - Justin Chase, Director; Dr. Esther Kim, Organist;
Westminster Ringers - Susan Davis, Director (10:30)

CHILDREN'S MOMENT: Pastor Emily

CHILDREN'S CHURCH: Judy Graham, Jennifer Fields, Tasha Lampe

GREETERS: Denise Riccio, Glenn Riccio (8:15)
Doris Anguish, Fern Barnard, Wade Edwards, Wendy Jamison, Joann Robertson,
Dona Stepp (10:30)

USHERS: Crystal Fern, Fred Kittinger (8:15)
Peggy Bargar, Curtis Harrison, Steve House, Barbara McKnight,
Shaheed Mohammed, Michelle Trahan (10:30)

ELDERS: Terry Irwin, Phyllis Woods (10:30)

AUDIO/VISUAL: Carole Reece, Doug Reece, Nelson Roe, Stephen Smith, Ethan Thomas (10:30)

☞ WORSHIP MATTERS ☜

The flowers today are given to the glory of God by Marianna LaRue in loving memory of Virginia Exley McAllister.

Worship Resources Online

You will find bulletins for upcoming and past worship services at winppc.org/bulletins. An archive of recent sermons is available at winppc.org/sermons.

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Music Notes

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

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 Sonatine in C *Allegro* • Kuhlau (8:15)
 Allegro Maestoso • Thayer (10:30)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

INTROIT *He Leadeth Me* • Dobrinski (10:30)

* CALL TO WORSHIP Sing to the Lord a new song;
 sing to the Lord, all the earth.
 On a high mountain, Jesus was transfigured,
 and God said: This is my Beloved Son.
 Let us worship God.

* HYMN 142 *All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name*

* OPENING PRAYER

CALL TO CONFESSION

PRAYER OF **God of glory, we confess**
 CONFESSION **that we have not sought your face.**
 We adore the high and mighty
 and ignore your humble servant.
 We act with prejudice and partiality
 and fail to share your love for all.
 Forgive us, God of grace.
 Pour out the power of your Spirit
 and renew us in our calling:
 to show the wonder of your love
 through Jesus Christ our Lord.
 (Continue with silent confession and reflection until response is introduced)

Transfiguration of the Lord

“Transfiguration” refers to a change in form or appearance. At the Transfiguration of the Lord, we celebrate the revelation of divine glory in the human life of Jesus Christ. Jesus’ radiant appearance on the mountaintop evokes the consuming fire of the glory of the Lord at Mount Sinai. Standing with Moses and Elijah, Jesus represents the fulfillment of the law and the prophets. The transfiguration looks back to Jesus’ incarnation and baptism, as God again claims him as a beloved child. It also looks forward to his death and resurrection, as the one who is lifted up on the cross will reveal the glorious victory of God. Because of the tradition that Jesus’ transfiguration took place 40 days before his crucifixion, the Revised Common Lectionary provides for this festival to be observed on the Sunday before Lent or the second Sunday in Lent (forty days before Good Friday). Some also commemorate the transfiguration on August 6, forty days before Holy Cross day (September 14) (from the *Book of Common Worship*).

Inquirer/New Member Lunch - Today!

Whether you're a new member or you've been visiting and would like to learn more about our church, you're invited to our inquirer/new member lunch, immediately following the 10:30 service today. The lunch will be in the church parlor in the Christian Education building.

TNT Continues This Tuesday!

Meet with us every Tuesday night at 5:30 for a wonderful meal and fellowship together in Fellowship Hall, then at 6:30 join in one of the interesting classes offered. This week Ann Bensinger’s class will discuss “Equal Opportunity Parenting: Parenting and Teaching Teamwork.” Rene Cuthill’s class will continue their discussion of the second volume of the book, “Listening for God.” In “Around the World in 8 Days,” Dana & Terry Irwin will share stories about Viking River Cruises. Choir (K-Grade 5) and Youth Ensemble (grades 6-12) will meet with Susan Davis. Please RSVP (407-647-1467) for dinner by Monday noon.

Relationships in Action - Sunday Mornings at 9:15 a.m. in Room 301

Our preschool has begun a new ministry with the Clarke Schools for Hearing and Speech, working with hearing impaired children. The program runs like a typical preschool program but the focus is on developing listening and spoken language skills. Some students in this classroom on the campus of the Winter Park Presbyterian Church listen with cochlear implants, while others listen with hearing aids. But they all have one thing in common, despite their deafness, they are listening and talking. Join us Sunday, March 5th as Nancy Koch, a Listening and Spoken Language certified educator shares about this exciting program for Pre-K children of parents who have chosen the communication option of listening and talking for their children with hearing loss! In addition, Virgi Mills, of MED-EL will share about the cochlear implant journey from an adult's perspective. Come learn about this new ministry at WPPC.

Ash Wednesday

WPPC will mark the beginning of Lent this Wednesday, March 1st with an Ash Wednesday worship service at 7:00 p.m. Imposition of the ashes will be offered as a part of the service for those who care to receive them.

RESPONSE **Seek Ye First** - Hymnal 333

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

8:15 INVITATION TO OFFERING

* 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. Amen.**

OFFERTORY ANTHEM *Andante* • Kuhlau

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

10:30 INVITATION TO OFFERING

OFFERTORY ANTHEM *Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing* • Nestor

* OFFERTORY RESPONSE • **Doxology** - Hymnal 592
See text at 8:15

* PRAYER OF DEDICATION

† LISTENING FOR THE WORD †

CHILDREN'S MOMENT (10:30) Pre-K to 5th grade children are invited to the chancel steps for a special message. Thereafter, they may rejoin their families for the remainder of the worship service.

FIRST READING Exodus 24:12-18
The word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

SECOND READING Matthew 17:1-9
The word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

* HYMN 73 *Swiftly Pass the Clouds of Glory* (verses 1 and 3)

SERMON THE TRANSFIGURATION
The Rev. Dr. Jason T. Micheli

* 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.**

† FOLLOWING THE WORD INTO THE WORLD †

* HYMN 485 *To God Be the Glory*

* BENEDICTION

* CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE **In My Life, Lord** (8:15)
Hallelujah! We Sing Your Praises (10:30)

* POSTLUDE *Rondo* • Kuhlau (8:15)
Psalm 19 • Marcello (10:30)