



# Winter Park

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

FEBRUARY 6, 2022

HOLY COMMUNION



## ORDER OF WORSHIP

\* Please stand as you are able.

---

---

### WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE • *Take Time to Be Holy* - Rodriguez (8:15)  
*Largo* - Handel/Holstein (10:30)

### \* CALL TO WORSHIP

God asks, "Whom shall I send?"

**Here I am.**

Jesus says, "Follow Me and share in My work."

**Here I am.**

The Holy Spirit gathers each one of us for worship.

**Here we are to worship God.**

### \* PEACE PRAYER OF ST. FRANCIS

Lord, make me an instrument of Your peace: where there is hatred, let me sow love;  
where there is injury, pardon; where there is doubt, faith; where there is despair, hope;  
where there is darkness, light; where there is sadness, joy. O divine Master, grant that I  
may not so much seek to be consoled as to console, to be understood as to understand,  
to be loved as to love. For it is in giving that we receive, it is in pardoning that we are  
pardoned, and it is in dying that we are born to eternal life. Amen.

### \* HYMN 150 • *Come, Christians, Join to Sing*

#### CALL OF CONFESSION

I am handing on to you as of first importance what I in turn have received: that Christ died for  
our sins. Trusting in the promise of the gospel, let us make our confession.

#### PRAYER OF CONFESSION

**Merciful God, You call, but we seldom hear. You beckon, yet we turn away. Sin keeps us from  
responding to You, thwarting even our best efforts. Forgive our lack of attention to things that  
matter and restore our sense of Your priorities. Focus us on Your call to worship and service as  
we seek to follow after Jesus Christ. Amen.**

*(Continue with silent confession and reflection.)*

#### ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Jesus Christ is risen from the dead. Not even death can separate us from God's love. This is  
good news!

**In Jesus Christ we are forgiven!**

### \* RESPONSE • *Gloria Patri*

#### PASTORAL PRAYER

RESPONSE • *Seek Ye First* (Hymnal 333, Verse 1)

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

OLD TESTAMENT READING

Psalm 121

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

NEW TESTAMENT LESSON

Matthew 14:28-33

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

SERMON

"THE DREADED SIX LETTER WORD": PART IV • The Rev. Dr. W. Darren Bess

OFFERING OF OUR TITHES AND GIFTS

INVITATION TO OFFERING

OFFERTORY MUSIC *God Is Our Refuge* - Allen Pote (10:30)

\* OFFERTORY RESPONSE **Doxology**

\* PRAYER OF DEDICATION

\* AFFIRMATION 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, 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.**

THE LORD'S SUPPER

THE INVITATION

THE PRAYER OF BLESSING

THE WORDS OF SACRAMENT

SERVING GOD'S PEOPLE

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING 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 419 • *How Clear Is Our Vocation, Lord*

CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE • *Rondeau* - Mouret (10:30)

**☞ SERVING TODAY ☜**

**OFFICIATING MINISTER**

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

**ASSISTING MINISTER**

The Rev. Emily Wasser

**LITURGIST**

Rusty Baldwin (10:30)

**MUSICIANS**

Justin Chase, Director of Music (10:30)  
Penny Walsh, Piano (8:15) / Organ (10:30)  
Meg Ball Thomas, Flute (10:30)  
Ben Cendan and Jeremiah Gonzalez, Trumpet (10:30)

**AUDIO/VISUAL**

Carole Reece, Doug Reece, and Nelson Roe (10:30)

---

**☞ WORSHIP MATTERS ☜**

**ANTHEM TEXT**

God is our refuge and strength; a present help in time of trouble, though the mountains shake in the heart of the sea, though the waters roar and foam, we will not fear. Come and behold the work of the Lord, the awesome acts of God. He is in the midst of His people, in all the earth. He is the Word, we are His hands, He will lead us. He is the air, we are His song, we will celebrate His presence all the day long. He is the rain, we are the stones, He will cleanse us.

**Music**

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

---

**☞ NOTES ☜**

## **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).

### **Annual Congregational Meeting—February 13th**

Our annual congregational meeting will be held immediately following the 10:30 AM service next Sunday. The purpose of the meeting is to receive the 2022 budget and approve the Terms of Call for our pastors.

### **VBS Volunteers Needed**

It's that time of the year again! Time to start thinking about Vacation Bible School! This year Vacation Bible School will be a four day event held from Tuesday, July 5 to Friday, July 8 and we need everyone to do their part. Can you make crafts? Can you play music? Can you lead games or teach Bible Studies? Or is sitting on the floor and helping a child put on their shoes more your speed? There's a role for everyone to play and we can't do it without you. If you're available in the morning July 5-8 (even if you only have one day free), please contact Emily Wasser immediately to get added to the volunteer list and help us make this VBS one of the best ones ever!

### **Christian Service Center Needs**

Thanks to everyone who has been donating food and clothing items to the Christian Service Center. They are greatly appreciated as well as needed. With Super (Souper) Bowl Sunday coming up we are encouraging people to donate canned soup or other items to help the Christian Service Center respond to important community needs. They can be placed in the basket located by the stairs in the front office, or in the bin in Fellowship Hall. Their "Biggest Needs List" is: Canned Proteins & Pasta (pop-top preferred; Hearty Soups, Vienna Sausage), Individually-wrapped Snacks (Granola Bars, Boxed Crackers), Peanut Butter (small and large), Jelly (small and large), Fruit cups, Blue Jeans (smaller sizes needed, 34 & below), Men's White Dress Shirts, Men's Black Slacks, Men's Belts, Men's Black Non-Slip Shoes (Work shoes), Men's Socks & Underwear (Must be New; All sizes).

### **TNT Continues!**

Through the month of February our *Armchair Traveling Series* continues. We invite you to the church every Tuesday Night starting at 5:00 PM to explore the world through several of our members who were there to experience it. Join us this Tuesday, February 8, as Reta Jackson presents her trip to Spain and Portugal. On February 15th Wendy and Frank Jamison will take us to Iceland, before showing us their trip to France on February 22nd.

On March 1st, after our trip around the world concludes, Pastor Darren will bring us back home as we spend the month of March with a book study titled "Why Jesus". This will be a discussion based class featuring the book "Why Jesus" written by David Nasser dealing with faith, culture, and the uniqueness found in Jesus Christ.

Dinner will not be served this semester, however brown bagging your supper is encouraged for some fellowship time before the class. (There will be an option for pizza at the end of each month.)

Please be sure to mark these dates in your calendar and join us in Fellowship Hall at 5:00 PM!

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

February 13 - *Planning Session*

Relationships in Action (R in A) class planning session for March and April. All are welcome.

### Worship Aids

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

### 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/>.

#### The Session

2022	2023	2024
Theresa Coker	Syd Davis	Mike Galyean
Bonnie Gaughan	Fred Kittinger	John Gehrig
Fran Morrissey	Malcolm MacDiarmid	Jayne Leach
Michele Trahan	Jim McKinney	Audrey Santiago
Jay Van Hook	Dawn Sumrall	Sara Van Arsdel

#### The Diaconate

2022	2023	2024
Susan Davis	Ron Ellman	Ardyth Austin
Jane Munns	Betty Johnston	Lisa Dreasher
Rachel Myers	Sevilla Morse	Jerry Fitzgerald
Christine Rich	Cynthia Nants	Nancy Galyean
Dennis Schmalstig	Jyme Smith	Andy Riccio
Meg Ball Thomas		
Jeanne Vinci		

#### Staff

The Rev. Dr. W. Darren Bess, Senior Pastor	Carolyn Achenbach, Director of Operations/Accountant
The Rev. Emily Wasser, Associate Pastor	Cindy Mitchum, Executive Assistant
Justin Chase, Director of Music	Barbara Hordern, Administrative Assistant
Penny Walsh, Organist	Tricia Wilson, Director of Preschool Programs
Susan Davis, Director of Handbells & Children's Music	Kenny Lovelace, Sexton

#### Missions Supported by WPPC

Audrey Santiago, *Transitions Orphan Assistance Foundation*, Ukraine  
Dr. Robert Gamble, *This Child Here*, Ukraine  
Dennis & Susan Walters, *SIL*, 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

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



[WWW.WINPPC.ORG](http://WWW.WINPPC.ORG)  
PH: (407) 647-1467  
FAX: (407) 647-1778