

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

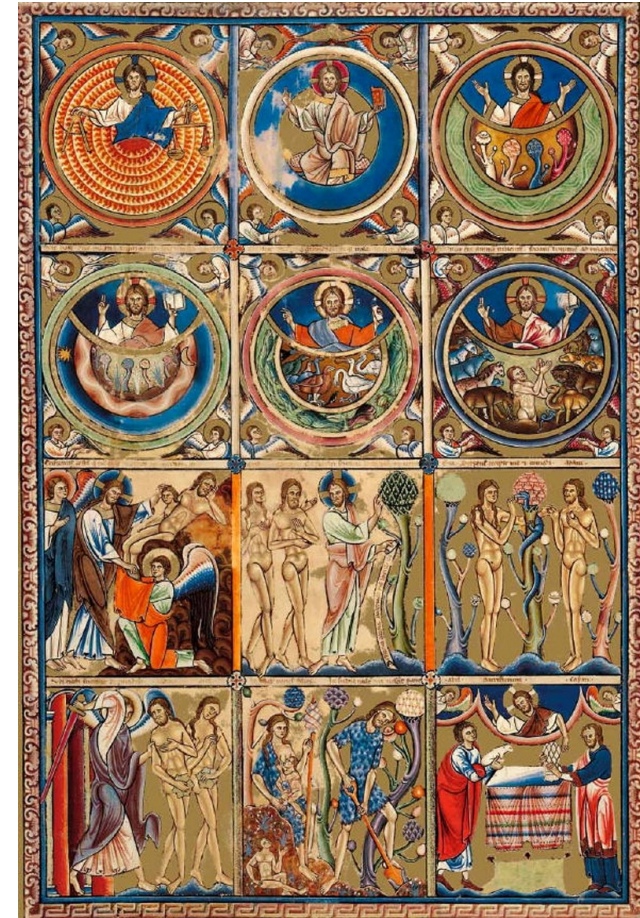


Winter Park

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

MARCH 5, 2017 • 8:15 & 10:30 A.M.

FIRST SUNDAY IN LENT



Anglo-Catalan Psalter or The Great Canterbury Psalter, folio 1 recto: Genesis

WINTER PARK PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
400 SOUTH LAKEMONT AVENUE
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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 the First Sunday in Lent.

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

	8:15am – 9:00am	Worship Service - <i>Chapel</i>
	9:15am – 10:15am	Sunday School
	10:30am – 11:30am	Worship Service - <i>Sanctuary</i>
Sun Mar 5	11:30am – 12:30pm	Trustees Meeting - <i>Room 303</i>
	11:45am – 12:30pm	WPPC Ringers - <i>Room 514</i>
	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
Mon Mar 6	11:30am – 12:30pm	Tai Chi - <i>Fellowship Hall</i>
	7:00pm – 9:00pm	Boy Scouts - <i>Room 204</i>
	7:00pm – 9:00pm	Book Club - <i>Room 303</i>
	11:30am – 1:00pm	Health Cabinet - <i>Church Public, Room 303</i>
	4:00pm – 5:00pm	History Committee Work Groups - <i>Room 315</i>
Tue Mar 7	5:30pm – 6:30pm	TNT Supper - <i>Fellowship Hall</i>
	5:30pm – 8:00pm	Children's/Youth Choir Rehearsal - <i>Sanctuary</i>
	6:30pm – 7:30pm	TNT Classes
	10:00am – 11:00am	Preschool Board Meeting - <i>Room 301</i>
	12:00pm – 12:30pm	Bulletin Materials Due
Wed Mar 8	4:00pm – 5:00pm	Worship Planning - <i>Room 303</i>
	6:00pm – 7:30pm	Westminster Ringers - <i>Bell Room</i>
	7:15pm – 8:45pm	Chancel Choir - <i>Choir Room</i>
	9:00am – 12:00pm	Library Open
	11:00am – 12:00pm	Communion Service at Westminster Winter Park - <i>Westminster Winter Park</i>
Thu Mar 9	6:30pm – 7:00pm	Committee Chair Meeting - <i>Room 301</i>
	7:00pm – 7:30pm	Committee Night Worship - <i>Chapel</i>
	7:30pm – 9:00pm	Committee Meetings - <i>Room 301, Room 303</i>
	11:30am – 12:30pm	Tai Chi - <i>Fellowship Hall</i>
Fri Mar 10	4:15pm – 6:00pm	Stephen Ministry Meeting - <i>Room 303</i>
	6:00pm – 7:00pm	Wedding Rehearsal - <i>Sanctuary</i>
Sat Mar 11	11:00am – 1:00pm	Kay Ackerman Service - <i>Chapel</i>
	2:30pm – 6:00pm	Wedding - <i>Sanctuary, Parlor</i>
	8:15am – 9:00am	Worship Service - <i>Chapel</i>
	9:00am – 10:00am	Blood Pressure Screenings - <i>Parish Nurse's Office</i>
	9:15am – 10:15am	Sunday School
Sun Mar 12	10:30am – 11:30am	Worship Service - <i>Sanctuary</i>
	11:45am – 12:30pm	WPPC Ringers - <i>Room 514</i>
	2:00pm – 4:00pm	Girl Scout Meeting - <i>Room 102</i>
	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>

ANNOUNCEMENTS

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

The Making of the New Testament Canon: The Other Gospels. Lesson 7 in this series will explore Gospels beyond the familiar Matthew, Mark, Luke and John. These writings, representing works by early Christians, were not included in the New Testament. Focus will be on their authorship, date of publication and their value as historical documents. Join us Sunday, March 12th as Gene Pickler leads the discussion.

AIR Service Mission Trip

Dr. Jason Micheli will be leading a service mission trip to work with AIR-Guatemala June 25-July 2. 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 March 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:	Fred Kittinger (8:15) Sean Tallungan (10:30)
MUSICIANS:	Dr. Esther Kim, Keyboardist (8:15) Chancel Choir - Justin Chase, Director; Dr. Esther Kim, Organist; WPPC Ringers - Dana Irwin, Director (10:30)
CHILDREN'S MOMENT:	Pastor Emily
GREETERS:	Cameron White (8:15) Doris Anguish, Gary Henderson, Reta Peterson, Debby Roberts, Ann Tebbetts (10:30)
USHERS:	Margie Meliza, Kim Vogt (8:15) Wade Edwards, Allen Shaw, Hilda Shaw, Robert White, Tracey White (10:30)
ELDERS:	Will Lawrence, Debby Tallungan (10:30)
COMMUNION SERVERS:	Donna Ettinger, Dail Pribil (8:15) Mike Galyean, Curtis Harrison, Terry Irwin, Fran Morrissey, Will McCurdy, Julie Rankin, Eileen Silvers, Jyme Smith, Debby Tallungan, 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 Carlos Figueroa in memory of Lucy Register, mother of Eddie Register.

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.

Bulletin Cover Image

Anglo-Catalan Psalter or The Great Canterbury Psalter, folio 1 recto: Genesis, from **Art in the Christian Tradition**, a project of the Vanderbilt Divinity Library, Nashville, TN. <http://diglib.library.vanderbilt.edu/act-image/act-image-link.pl?RC=55259> [retrieved February 28, 2017]. Original source: http://commons.wikimedia.org/wiki/File:Saltiri_anglocatal%3%A0_f1r.jpg.

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 What Wondrous Love • Jordan (8:15)
 Meditation on *Rock of Ages* • Davis (10:30)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

INTROIT *I'm Gonna Let It Shine* • arr. Angerman (10:30)

* CALL TO WORSHIP Just as God spoke to Moses and the people of the Exodus in the early days of their desert wanderings, so too, as we begin our own journey into the wilderness, God speaks to us, saying:

I am the LORD your God, who brought you out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of slavery; you shall have no other gods before me.

You alone are our God. There is none other.

You shall not make for yourself an idol, whether in the form of anything that is in heaven above, or that is on the earth beneath, or that is in the water under the earth

Nothing else can take your place, our God and Redeemer.

You shall not make wrongful use of the name of the LORD your God, for the LORD will not acquit anyone who misuses his name.

Your name, O Lord, is holy and precious.

Remember the sabbath day, and keep it holy. Six days you shall labor and do all your work. But the seventh day is a sabbath to the LORD your God.

This is the day you have made and we rejoice in it.

Honor your father and your mother, so that your days may be long in the land that the LORD your God is giving you.

We praise you for your faithfulness from generation to generation.

You shall not murder. You shall not commit adultery. You shall not steal.

You shall not bear false witness against your neighbor.

You provide us a guide for right living with family and neighbor.

Congregational Sympathy

Our sympathies are extended to the family and friends of:

Karly Ellard who died February 12th. No service has been planned at this time.

Stephen and Travis Smith, whose grandmother, Virginia "Genni" Nixon, died February 26th.

Kay Ackerman who died February 28th. Kay's service will be held in the WPPC Chapel on March 11th at 11:00 a.m. A reception will follow in fellowship hall.

Please keep these families in your prayers.

The Alleluia Trunk

Lent is a special season in the church, during which we prepare ourselves for the glory of Easter by taking time to think about ourselves and our relationship with—and devotion to—God. During this time our songs and confessions change and we refrain from singing and saying “Alleluia” and “Gloria” so that we can joyfully greet Easter day with these words we long to hear. We look forward to Easter and to the return of our “Alleluias”, but until that day they have symbolically been packed away in the trunk in the chancel for safe keeping as a reminder of the season of Lent. On Easter morning the box will be opened again, and, oh, what a wonderful sound it will be.

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. Tomorrow evening, 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!

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 “Education: Real Learning, Common Core, & Tests.” 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,” Sara Van Arsdel will tell us about her trip to Egypt. 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.

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 this Friday, March 10th at 4:15 in room 301.

† FOLLOWING THE WORD INTO THE WORLD †

* HYMN 363 *I Want Jesus to Walk With Me*

* BENEDICTION

* CONGREGATIONAL *In My Life, Lord* (8:15)

RESPONSE *Bless the Lord* (10:30)

* POSTLUDE *Lead Me, Lord* • Thygerson (8:15)

Fanfare in *Austrian Hymn* • Young (10:30)

* HYMN 81 *Lord, Who Throughout These Forty Days*

* OPENING PRAYER

CALL TO CONFESSION

PRAYER OF **God of Great mercy, we confess**
CONFESSION **that we have sinned against you.**

You provide our daily bread;
still we hunger for other things.
You give your word to guide us;
still we surrender to temptation.

Forgive us, God of grace.

Create a clean heart within us,
teach us your holy way,
and restore the joy of salvation;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

(Continue with silent confession and reflection until response is introduced)

RESPONSE **Lord Have Mercy** - Hymnal 574

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

* RESPONSE **I've Got Peace Like a River** (Hymnal 368, Stanza 1)

I've got peace like a river, I've got peace like a river,
I've got peace like a river in-a my soul. *Repeat*

* 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 • **All Things Come of Thee, Oh Lord**



All things come of thee, O Lord, and of thine own have we giv-en thee.

Text: 1st Chronicles 29:14; Tune: Chant • attr. to Beethoven; Public Domain

OFFERTORY ANTHEM *My Jesus, I Love Thee* • Thygerson

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

10:30 INVITATION TO OFFERING

OFFERTORY ANTHEM "The Call" from *A New Creation* • Clausen

* OFFERTORY RESPONSE • **All Things Come of Thee, Oh Lord**
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 Genesis 2:15-17; 3:1-7
The word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

SECOND READING Matthew 4:1-11
The word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

SERMON FORGIVE US
The Rev. Dr. Jason T. Micheli

* AFFIRMATION OF FAITH • *Adapted from the Presbyterian Church (USA) Study Catechism, Question 45*

**Why did Jesus have to suffer as he did?
Because grace is more abundant—
and sin more serious—than we suppose.
However cruelly we may treat one another,
all sin is primarily against God.
God condemns sin, yet never judges apart from grace.
In giving Jesus Christ to die for us,
God took the burden of our sin
into God's own self to remove it once and for all.
The cross in all its severity
reveals an abyss of sin swallowed up
by the suffering of divine love.**

* HYMN 384 *O Love That Wilt Not Let Me Go* (verses 1 and 4)

† SEALING THE WORD • SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER †

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING 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.**

COMMUNION OF THE PEOPLE

You may partake of the bread as you are served or with the minister after all are served. Please partake of the cup as you are served. For gluten-free bread, please notify the server in the center aisle.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

**God of grace, you invite us to your table
and welcome us as part of your family.
You feed us with your body and satisfy our deepest hunger.
We thank you for these gifts.
Now send us out into the world
by the power of your Spirit
that we may be your witnesses,
sharing the life-giving news of the gospel. Amen.**