

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**WELCOME**

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

**HOLY WEEK 2025**

Please join us for services during Holy Week. Our Maundy Thursday (April 17th) service will be at 7pm in the Sanctuary. On Easter Sunday (April 20th we'll have two services—7am (outside on front lawn) and 10:30am (in the Sanctuary).

**NEIGHBORS & FRIENDS**

Please join us this Thursday, April 17th, for the monthly Neighbors and Friends Luncheon. Our program will be a presentation by the mayor of Winter Park, Sheila DeCiccio, followed by a short question and answer time. Join us at 11:30am in Fellowship Hall for a Chef Scott catered lunch. The cost is \$15, and reservations must be received by tomorrow, April 14th. Please call the church office or sign up on the bulletin board in the hallway. We look forward to having this distinguished speaker as we at WPPC seek to be a vital part of our community. We hope to see you there for a time of fellowship and outreach, in fact, this might be a good time to invite a neighbor or friend to join us!

**EASTER EGG HUNT**

The annual Easter Egg Hunt will be held on Saturday morning, April 19th from 10:00 - 11:30am. **We are still in need of small colorful erasers, springtime stickers, and small wrapped candies (no chocolate, please).** The event will include a light brunch for all, craft activities for the children, a special performance of the Easter Story, and the Easter egg hunt. Sincere appreciation for the heartwarming collection of colorful plastic eggs that have been generously donated.

**EASTER LILIES**

You may purchase Easter lilies, which will grace our sanctuary on Easter Sunday morning, in memory, in honor, or in appreciation of beloved family members or of people/events special to you. Cost is \$15 per lily, and the deadline for purchasing is April 14th. Forms are available both in the front office and in the narthex. The lilies will be yours to take after the 10:30am Easter service.

**ONE GREAT HOUR OF SHARING—EASTER SUNDAY**

OGHS is one of four Special Offerings of the PC(USA) each year. When we give to this offering we are assisting in the empowerment of others as they move past emotional, physical and spiritual misfortune. We are giving people an opportunity to be resilient. Our gifts show others that through Christ's love all things are possible. PC(USA) distributes 32% of these gifts to Presbyterian Disaster Assistance, 36% to the Presbyterian Hunger Program, and 32% to support Self-Development of People. Please prayerfully consider the gift you are able to share next week on Easter Sunday, April 20th. Thank you.

~The Compassion Committee

**UP NEXT . . .**

- Mon, 4/14 6pm Hannah Circle, Rm 301
- Thurs, 4/17 11:30am Neighbors & Friends, Fellowship Hall
- Thurs, 4/17 7pm Maundy Thursday, Sanctuary
- Sat, 4/19 10am Easter Egg Hunt
- Sun, 4/20 7am Sunrise Easter Service, Front Lawn
- Sun, 4/20 10:30am Easter Service, Sanctuary
- Sat, 4/26 10am Jerry Fitzgerald Memorial Service/Reception

**NOTES**



**Winter Park**  
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

APRIL 13, 2025



The Session			The Diaconate		
2025	2026	2027	2025	2026	2027
Theresa Coker	Syd Davis	Maria Garton	Meg Baldwin	Ernestine Beattie	Cynthia Nants
Mary Ferguson	Betty Johnston	Brandon St. John	Anna Caparis	Sue Howard	Robert Nevill
Cathy House	Shaheed Mohammed	Carel Thompson	Lynne McKnight		
Glenn Riccio	Nelson Roe	Phyllis Woods	Debbie Pauzar		
Ron Thompson			Debbie Roberts		
			Paula Smathers		

**Local Outreach Supported by WPPC**

Center for Women & Families, Coalition for Homeless of Central FL  
 Christian Service Center | Health Care Center for Homeless  
 Coalition for Homeless of Central FL—General (food prepared & served)  
 IDignity | Parramore Kidz Zone  
 SALT Outreach, Inc. (Serving and Love Together)

**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  
 Iglesia de Santa Clara Presbyterian, Santa Clara, Cuba

**PC(USA) World Missions**

Mark Hare & Jenny Bent, Costa Rica | Dan & Elizabeth Turk, Madagascar

**Staff**

The Rev. Dr. James A. Capps, Adult Ministry Coordinator  
 Justin Chase, Director of Music  
 Penny Walsh, Organist  
 Sandra Shafer, Pianist  
 Scott Beck, Director of Handbells  
 Carolyn Achenbach, Director of Operations/Accountant  
 Cindy Mitchum, Executive Assistant  
 Barbara Hordern, Administrative Assistant  
 Valerie Beltrán, Children's Ministry Coordinator  
 Nicole Fye, Director of Preschool Programs  
 Adam Davies, Sexton

PALM  
SUNDAY

## ORDER OF WORSHIP

\* Please stand as you are able

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WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

SHARING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

PRELUDE • *Hosanna, Loud Hosanna* - Burkhardt (10:30)

\* CALL TO WORSHIP • PSALM 24:7-10

Lift up your heads, O you gates;

**Be lifted up, you ancient doors, that the King of glory may come in.**

Who is the King of glory?

**The Lord strong and mighty, the Lord mighty in battle.**

Lift up your heads, O you gates;

**Lift them up, you ancient doors, that the King of glory may come in.**

Who is the King of glory?

**The Lord Almighty—He is the King of glory.**

\* PRAYER OF ADORATION

**Great God of power: you sent the Lord Jesus to enter our world and save us from our sins. We thank you for glad followers who greeted you with praise and spread branches in his pathway. We thank you that he comes once again to enter our lives by faith, and that, as his new followers, we too may shout Hosanna, and welcome him, the King of Kings, Jesus Christ our Savior. Amen**

\* HYMN 196 • *All Glory, Laud, and Honor*

CALL TO CONFESSION

**John writes in his first letter, “If we claim to be without sin, we deceive ourselves and the truth is not in us.” Most of us are very aware of our sins and so it is so important that we bring them to God, asking for His mercy and forgiveness. Let us confess our sins.**

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

**Eternal God: in Jesus Christ you entered Jerusalem to die for our sins. We confess we have not hailed you as king, or gone before you in the world with praise. For brief faith that fades in trouble, for enthusiasms that fizzle out, for hopes we parade but due not pursue, have mercy on us. Forgive us, God, and give us such trust in your power that, in every city, we may live for justice and live out your loving-kindness; for the sake of our Savior, the Lord Jesus Christ. Amen.**  
*(Continue with silent confession and reflection.)*

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Who is in a position to condemn? Only Christ, and Christ died for us, rose for us, reigns in power for us, Christ prays for us.

**If a person is in Christ, that person becomes new altogether---the past is finished and gone, everything has become fresh and new. Praise God we are forgiven!**

\* RESPONSE • *Hear the Good News of Salvation* (Hymnal 441, verse 1)

**Hear the good news of salvation: Jesus died to show God’s love.**

**Such great kindness! Such great mercy! Come to us from heaven above.**

**Jesus Christ, how much I love you! Jesus Christ, You save from sin!**

**How I love You! Look upon me. Love me still and cleanse within.**

CHILDREN’S DISMISSAL

PASTORAL PRAYER

RESPONSE • *Son of God, Whose Heart Is Peace* (Hymnal 425, verse 3)

**Warm our hearts to love You,**

**Lord, You who died to save us;**

**gather us within Your arms,**

**Jesus, on this day.**

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON

Zechariah 9:9-13

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

NEW TESTAMENT READING

John 12:12-19

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

SERMON

“TWO PARADES” • The Rev. Dr. James A. Capps

\* THE REAFFIRMATION 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.**

OFFERING OF OUR TITHES AND GIFTS

INVITATION TO OFFERING

OFFERTORY MUSIC *A Palm Sunday Jubilation* - Paige (10:30)

\* OFFERTORY RESPONSE *Doxology* (Hymnal 606)

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 197 • *Hosanna, Loud Hosanna*

THE CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE • *Christ, We All Do Adore Thee* - Young (10:30)

## SERVING TODAY

OFFICIATING MINISTER

The Rev. Dr. James A. Capps

LITURGISTS

Glenn Riccio (8:15)

Sara Van Arsdel (10:30)

MUSICIANS

Sandra Shafer, Piano (8:15)

Justin Chase, Director of Music (10:30)

Penny Walsh, Organ (10:30)

AUDIO/VISUAL

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

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## WORSHIP MATTERS

ANTHEM TEXT

The city walls are ringing. The children all are singing. Blessed is the One who comes in the name of the Lord. Sing hosanna. Sing Hosanna. The palms of praise are waving. The people all are swaying. Blessed is the One who comes in the name of the Lord. Sing on. Shout on, followers of Emmanuel. Blessed is the One who comes in the name of the Lord. With songs of adoration, sing out the declaration. Blessed is the One who comes in the name of the Lord. Break forth in celebration. Proclaim to every nation. Blessed is the One who comes in the name of the Lord. Sing on. Shout on, followers of Emmanuel. Blessed is the One who comes in the name of the Lord, who comes in the name of the Lord, who comes in the name of the Lord. Come worship and adore Him. Lay down your hearts before Him. Blessed is the One who comes in the name of the Lord. Rejoice, rejoice with singing. Set worship bells to ringing. Blessed is the One who comes in the name of the Lord. Sing on. Shout on, followers of Emmanuel. Blessed is the One who comes in the name of the Lord, who comes in the name of the Lord, who comes in the name of the Lord.

MUSIC

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WORSHIP AIDS

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

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## COMMUNICATION INFORMATION

PASTORAL CARE

If you (or someone you know) are going through a difficult time, please reach out to us. Our Deacons and pastoral care staff are available for support, home and hospital visits, and prayer.

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/>.