

ORDER OF WORSHIP

* Please stand as you are able

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE • *Herzlich tut mich verlangen* - Johannes Brahms (10:30)

* CALL TO WORSHIP

The Lord is risen! Alleluia!

Alleluia! The Lord is risen indeed!

Peace be with you. Jesus stands among us.

Peace be with you. The risen Lord is there.

Let us worship God.

* PRAYER OF ADORATION

God of the Resurrection, You are the God who is and was and is to be.

You open the tomb and invite us to sing and dance in the new life You

give us. In Jesus Christ, whose wounds are not erased but glorified in

resurrection, touch our wounds that they may be transformed into

channels of healing for others. Christ has freed us to be a Kingdom of

priests serving You and Your world. Holy Spirit, breathe into us the

power to forgive so that all may have new life. Give us a deeper sense

of what it means to say that You are our "Alpha and Omega", our "A

to Z". Amen.

* HYMN 104 • *Christ Is Risen! Shout Hosanna!*

CALL TO CONFESSION

Christ Jesus comes among us with extended hands and a wide embrace, offering mercy and forgiveness and promising new life. Trusting in the one who has been raised from the dead, let us make our confession.

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

O God, Your love is boundless and Your grace exceeds our imaginations.

You keep finding ways to be among us, even when the doors of our

hearts are locked. Graciously, You seek us out. We cannot hide, but we

can confess that sin has us in its grip. It has led us from Your ways and

corrupted our best intentions, tempting us to believe that You don't

notice, that You aren't even present. Correct our vision. Cleanse our

hearts. Create in us a place where we can welcome You and receive the

fullness of what You have given us in Jesus Christ. Amen.

(Continue with silent confession and reflection.)

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Through the resurrection of Jesus Christ, the power of sin has been defeated. God's love is stronger still. This is good news!

In Jesus Christ we are forgiven!

* RESPONSE • *Gloria Patri*

PASTORAL PRAYER

RESPONSE • *Christ Is Alive (Hymnal 108, Verse 1)*

CHILDREN'S MOMENT (10:30)

GOSPEL LESSON

John 20:19-31

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

NEW TESTAMENT LESSON

Revelation 1:4-8

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

SERMON

"To the Church in..." • The Rev. Emily Wasser

* THE REAFFIRMATION OF FAITH - *The Nicene Creed*

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen. We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father; through Him all things were made. For us and for our salvation He came down from heaven, was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary and became truly human. For our sake He was crucified under Pontius Pilate; He suffered death and was buried. On the third day He rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and His kingdom will have no end. We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

OFFERING OF OUR TITHES AND GIFTS

INVITATION TO OFFERING

OFFERTORY MUSIC *I Know That My Redeemer Liveth* - Handel (10:30)

* 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 122 • *Thine Is the Glory*

THE CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE • Toccata on "O Filii et Filiae" - Lynwood Farnum (10:30)

☞ SERVING TODAY ☞

OFFICIATING MINISTER: The Rev. Dr. W. Darren Bess

ASSISTING MINISTER: The Rev. Emily Wasser, Associate Pastor

LITURGIST: Bill Cuthill (10:30)

MUSICIANS: Sandra Shafer, Piano (8:15), Soprano (10:30)
Dr. Terry Yount, Organ (10:30)

AUDIO/VISUAL: Carole Reece (10:30)

☞ WORSHIP MATTERS ☞

FLOWERS

The flowers today are given to the Glory of God by Terry and Dana Irwin with thanks to God for 61 years of marriage and a wonderful family.

MUSIC

Our CCLI License number is 11184426; OneLicense.net number is 725233.

Worship Aids

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

☞ COMMUNICATION INFORMATION ☞

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 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/>.

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.

Christian Sympathy

Congregational sympathy is extended to the family and friends of Carolyn Martin who passed Thursday, April 21. Service information is pending. Please keep her family in your prayers.

5 Cents A Meal Offering -TODAY

Today we will take the second quarterly collection for 5 Cents A Meal this year. Please continue your support for PATH (Presbyterian's Answer To Hunger). This offering is sent to Presbytery, which divides the monies among Second Harvest Food Bank (25%); Society of St. Andrew (SOSA), gleaning local fields (21%); Alliance for International Reforestation (AIR) in Guatemala (21%); and Dan and Elizabeth Turk, PC (USA) mission workers in Madagascar, with Dan training seminary students and helping Elizabeth implement a community health program and teaching (21%). Twelve percent covers administrative costs. Thank you for your prayerful consideration to support this offering.

WPPC Concert Series Presents *Magic of Bronze*—Next Sunday, May 1

Mark your calendars for May 1st and be sure to catch *Magic of Bronze*, Central Florida's community handbell ensemble, at WPPC, for the presentation of their Spring Concert "Sail Away". "Sail Away" invites you to experience the power of water through music. From a gentle babbling brook to a treacherous thunderstorm at sea, "Sail Away" tells the story of one legendary man's life spent sailing the open seas. Explore myths and legends of the deep, hear the melody of a river, and journey with our hero as he finds love and discovers the true meaning of home.

Relationships in Action—Sunday Mornings at 9:15 AM in Room 301

May 1: *Luther*—One man's faith in God launched the greatest revolution of all. During the month of May the 2003 film "Luther" will be shown in 30 minute segments, followed by a discussion of the life of Martin Luther and the film's authenticity. Please join us in room 301 each Sunday morning at 9:15 to enjoy how Germany and America came together with actors, like Joseph Fiennes, Alfred Molina, Claire Cox and Sir Peter Ustinov, to portray the life of this epic figure in Christian history. The class will be led by Reta Jackson with questions on Luther and the beginnings of the Protestant Reformation to open discussion. All are welcome.

Celebration Sunday—May 15th

On Sunday, May 15 the Preschool will join us as we have our first annual End of the Year Celebration. More info coming soon!

Flowers

If you would like to donate flowers for the weekly worship service in honor of/ in 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 narthex. When you sign up, please take a form and turn it into the front office with all the information filled in.

NOTES



Winter Park
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

APRIL 24, 2022



The Session		
2022	2023	2024
Theresa Coker	Syd Davis	Mike Galyean
Bonnie Gaughan	Fred Kittinger	John Gehrig
Fran Morrissey	Malcolm MacDiarmid	Jayne Leach
Michelle 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		

Missions Supported by WPPC
Audrey Santiago, <i>Transitions Orphan Assistance Foundation</i> , Ukraine
Dr. Robert Gamble, <i>This Child Here</i> , Ukraine
Dennis & Susan Walters, <i>SIL</i> , Asia
Steve & Sonia Dettweiler, <i>Wycliffe</i> , Nigeria
Dr. Anne Hallum, <i>A.I.R. (Alliance for Reforestation)</i> , Guatemala

PC(USA) World Missions
Mark Hare & Jenny Bent, Costa Rica
Dan & Elizabeth Turk, Madagascar

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