

ORDER OF WORSHIP

\* Please stand as you are able

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE • *God Himself is Present* - Burkhardt (10:30)

\* CALL TO WORSHIP

Alleluia! Christ is alive; let all the people praise him.  
**Let all creation sing with joy. Alleluia!**

\* HYMN 473 • *For the Beauty of the Earth*

CALL TO CONFESSION

Because we are loved, we are called to turn to God in humility. We fall short of who God calls us to be, but we are never forsaken. In faith and with confidence as beloved children, let us confess our sin to God. Amen.

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

**Holy God, you command us to love one another, yet we hold grudges and refuse to work for peace. You command us to care for all of creation, yet we neglect the earth and abuse nature through carelessness. You command us to walk in the ways of Jesus, yet we too often walk our own way. Forgive us, O God. Guide us as we work toward a new heaven here on earth. Lead us to reconciliation and a vision for Your beloved community, as we share Your love with Your people everywhere. Amen.**

*(Continue with silent confession and reflection.)*

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Believe the good news: Jesus loves us and forgives us and sets us free.  
Know that you are forgiven, and be at peace.  
**In Jesus Christ we are forgiven!**

\* RESPONSE • *Gloria Patri*

PASTORAL PRAYER

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON

Psalms 23  
The word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

NEW TESTAMENT LESSON

Matthew 4:18-22  
The word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

VPK CELEBRATION

CHILDREN’S SONGS

PRESENTATION OF GIFTS

SERMON

“WHAT’S GOD DOING?” • The Rev. Dr. W. Darren Bess

OFFERING OF OUR TITHES AND GIFTS

INVITATION TO OFFERING

OFFERTORY MUSIC *Jesus Loves Me* (10:30)

\* OFFERTORY RESPONSE *Doxology*

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

\* HYMN • *Soon and Very Soon*

**Soon and very soon we are going to see the King.  
Soon and very soon we are going to see the King.  
Soon and very soon we are going to see the King.  
Hallelujah, hallelujah, we’re going to see the King!**

**No more crying there: we are going to see the King.  
No more crying there: we are going to see the King.  
No more crying there: we are going to see the King.  
Hallelujah, hallelujah, we’re going to see the King!**

**No more dying there: we are going to see the King.  
No more dying there: we are going to see the King.  
No more dying there: we are going to see the King.  
Hallelujah, hallelujah, we’re going to see the King!**

**Soon and very soon we are going to see the King.  
Soon and very soon we are going to see the King.  
Soon and very soon we are going to see the King.  
Hallelujah, hallelujah, we’re going to see the King!**

THE CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE • Sinfonia from *Solomon* - Handel (10:30)



**Please join us after the service  
for food, fun, and fellowship!**



**⌘ SERVING TODAY ⌘**

**OFFICIATING MINISTER:** The Rev. Dr. W. Darren Bess, Senior Pastor

**ASSISTING MINISTER:** The Rev. Emily Wasser, Associate Pastor

**LITURGIST:** Malcolm MacDiarmid (10:30)

**MUSICIANS:** Justin Chase, Director of Music (10:30)  
Sandra Shafer, Piano (8:15)  
Penny Walsh, Organ (10:30)  
VPK Class 2022 (10:30)

**AUDIO/VISUAL:** Carole Reece, Doug Reece, and Nelson Roe (10:30)

**⌘ WORSHIP MATTERS ⌘**

**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](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, 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](http://www.winppc.org/sermons).

Celebration Sunday

Today we welcome the preschool children and their parents! After the 10:30 AM service today everyone is invited to join us for food, fun, and fellowship. Enjoy hotdogs, chips, cookies, drinks, and Kelly’s Homemade Ice Cream. Activities include: bounce houses for toddlers and preschool age children, and PJ the clown will be making balloon creations.

Funeral Service

A funeral service will be held for Carolyn Martin, who passed April 21st. The service will be held this Friday, May 20 at 10:30 AM in the WPPC Sanctuary. A reception will be held following the service.

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

May 22nd - *Luther*—One man’s faith in God launched the greatest revolution of all. 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 to learn about 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.

Christian Service Center Donations

Thank you for your weekly donations of food for the Christian Service Center. You have been so generous! Please continue to bring in non-perishable, non-breakable food items, and deposit them in the bins in Fellowship Hall or in the basket located in the front office by the stairs.

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 fill out the form and return it to the front office.

Electronic Giving Option

We are pleased to have an electronic option for making regular offerings. Contributions can be debited automatically from your checking or savings account. Our electronic giving program offers convenience for you and provides much-needed donation consistency for our congregation. An authorization form is available from the church office and can be returned to Carolyn Achenbach. You can also securely set up one-time and recurring giving on our website at [winppc.org/give](http://winppc.org/give) and clicking “Member Giving.”

“Like us” on Facebook!!

Like WPPC on Facebook for updates on church events, special celebrations, and news relating to our parish community. To “like us,” please go to: [facebook.com/winterparkpresbyterian](https://facebook.com/winterparkpresbyterian).

🌀 NOTES 🌀



Winter Park  
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

MAY 15, 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	