

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.

CONGRATULATIONS GRADUATES!

Today we celebrate our 2024 high school graduates. Please join us for a cake and coffee celebration in Fellowship Hall immediately following the 10:30am worship service.

- ☞ Alison Frazier, daughter of Julia Frazier and granddaughter of Phyllis and Alan Woods
- ☞ Anjelica Nassar, daughter of Tom and Aida Nassar (WPPP Teacher)
- ☞ Brett Albury, grandson of Jan Hall

SPECIAL OFFERING FOR PENTECOST IS TODAY!

Today we celebrate the birthday of the Church. This offering is one of the four annual PC(USA) special offerings, supporting young adult volunteers, youth and children at-risk. Sixty percent of our donations will be sent to the Presbyterian Mission Agency for these programs throughout the denomination. 40% of our offering stays in our community and will help support The Center for Women and Families at the Coalition for the Homeless. Thank you for your generous donation to these worthwhile programs. ~ The Compassion Committee

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 front office hallway by the double doors leading to the sanctuary. When you sign up, please take a form and turn it into the front office with all the information filled in.

ELECTRONIC GIVING OPTION

We 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 and clicking "Member Giving."

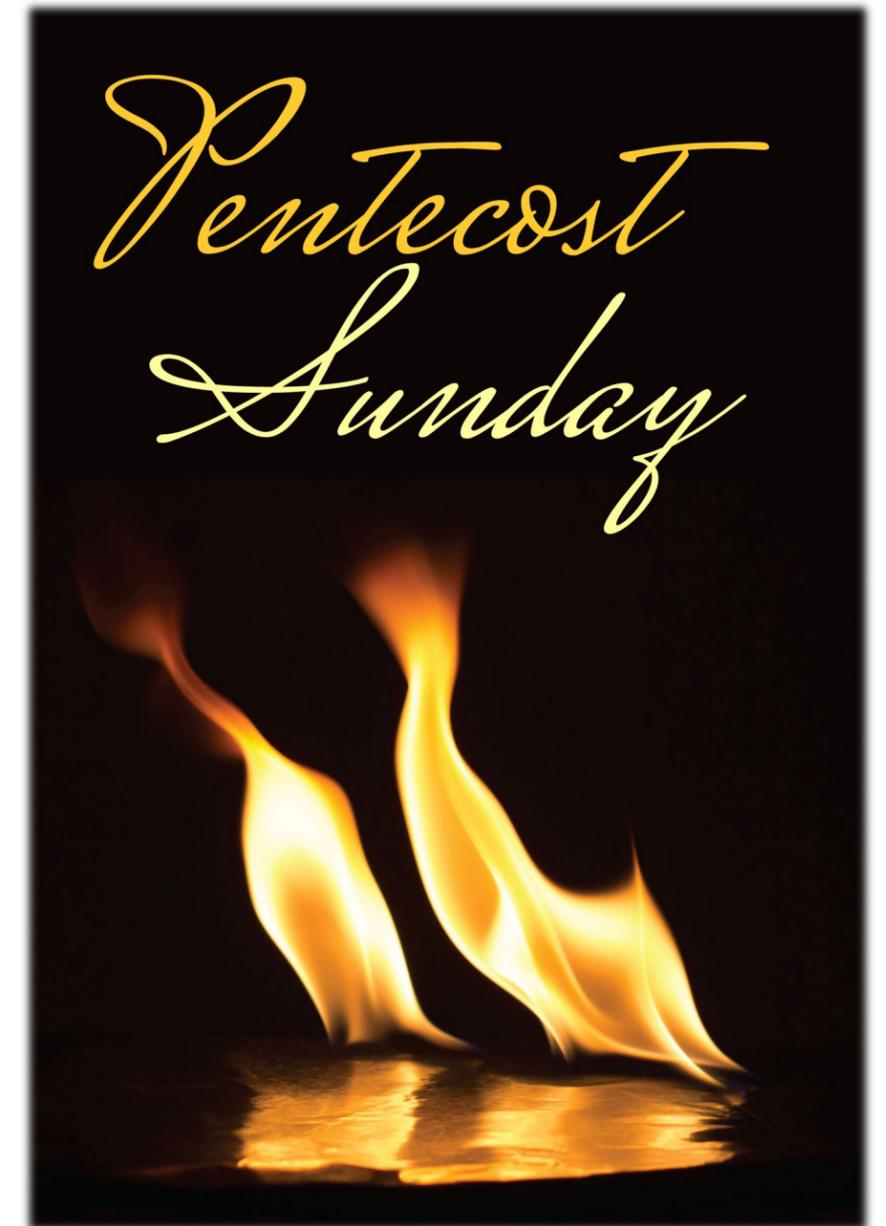
UP NEXT . . .

Thurs, 5/23	7pm	Session Meeting (Rm 301)
Mon, 5/27	All Day	Memorial Day—Office Closed



Winter Park
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

MAY 19, 2024
DAY OF PENTECOST



The Session		
2024	2025	2026
Mike Galyean	Theresa Coker	Syd Davis
John Gehrig	Mary Ferguson	Betty Johnston
Jayne Leach	Cathy House	Shaheed Mohammed
Audrey Santiago	Glenn Riccio	Nelson Roe
Sara Van Arsdel	Ron Thompson	

The Diaconate		
2024	2025	2026
Lisa Dreasher	Meg Baldwin	Ernestine Beattie
Jerry Fitzgerald	Anna Caparis	Sue Howard
Nancy Galyean	Lynne McKnight	
Andy Riccio	Debbie Pauzar	
	Debbie Roberts	

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
The Rev. Dr. James A. Capps, Senior 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
Wendy Stafford, Health Care Coordinator
Nicole Fye, Director of Preschool Programs
Adam Davies, Sexton

ORDER OF WORSHIP

* Please stand as you are able

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

SHARING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

PRELUDE • *Spirit of God, Descend Upon My Heart* - Utterback (10:30)

* CALL TO WORSHIP

Come! Let us speak plainly and boldly of our faith.

**The Spirit of God descends upon us,
and Christ's promise to us is fulfilled.**

The expression of the Spirit's power
in our community is a wonder to behold.

We each have a different voice, yet we witness God's joy together!

* PRAYER OF ADORATION

**How can this be, wonder-working God? You bring the gift of the Spirit
to be with us. Our Comforter, our Advocate. Our Counselor, our Wisdom.
These are but a few of the names we give as the Spirit speaks to our
hearts. We give You thanks for the unending gifts of the Spirit. How can
this be, that we have what we need when we need it? You, O God, are
one and all things to us, and we raise our Hallelujahs. Amen.**

* HYMN 289 • *On Pentecost They Gathered*

CALL TO CONFESSION

Having defeated sin and conquered death, the risen Christ beckons to us,
welcoming our confession and promising new life. Trusting in the promise
of the gospel, let us confess our sin.

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

**God of fire and wind, holy and powerful, mighty and mysterious, we are
drawn by Your Spirit to this place. As we gather and behold Your glory,
we become aware of how broken we are. We have ignored Your word,
We have rejected Your gifts. We have failed in Your work. Ignoring the
truth of Pentecost, we exclude those different from us. We divide our
loyalties and we divide our hearts. Let Your Spirit burn away our sins and
fill us with faith and courage, so that we might live into the promise of this
day and receive the fullness of all that You have prepared for us in Jesus
Christ. Amen.**

(Continue with silent confession and reflection.)

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

**The Holy Spirit animates our lives, lifting us into the presence of Christ,
and sealing our hearts in the promise of His faithful love. This is good news!
In Jesus Christ we are forgiven!**

* RESPONSE • *Gloria Patri* (Hymnal 581)

CHILDREN'S DISMISSAL

PASTORAL PRAYER

RESPONSE • *Spirit of the Living God* (Hymnal 288)

Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me.

Spirit of the living God fall afresh on me.

Melt me; mold me; fill me; use me.

Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me.

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON

Ezekiel 37:1-14

The word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.

NEW TESTAMENT READING

Acts 2:1-21

The word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.

SERMON

"THE SPIRIT OF GOD" • The Rev. Dr. W. Darren Bess

* 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 *Ev'ry Time I Feel the Spirit* - arr. Dawson (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 360 • *Christ Is Coming!*

THE CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE • *Homage to Perotin* - Myron J. Roberts (10:30)

SERVING TODAY

OFFICIATING MINISTER

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

LITURGIST

Jim Esch (8:15)

Jeanne Vinci (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 & Carissa Taylor (10:30)

WORSHIP MATTERS

ANTHEM TEXT

Every time I feel the spirit, moving in my heart, I will pray; Yes every time I feel
the Spirit, moving in my heart, I will pray. Upon the mountain my Lord spoke,
out of His mouth came fire and smoke. Looked all around me, it looked so fine,
till I asked my Lord if all was mine. Every time I feel the Spirit, moving in my
heart, I will pray; Yes every time I feel the Spirit, moving in my heart, I will pray.
Jordan river is chilly and cold, it chills the body but not the soul. There ain't but
one train upon this track, it runs to heaven and right back. Every time I feel the
Spirit, moving in my heart, I will pray; Yes every time I feel the Spirit, moving in
my heart, I will pray. Every time I feel the Spirit, moving in my heart, I will pray;
Yes every time I feel the Spirit, moving in my heart, I will pray.

MUSIC

Our CCLI License number is 11184426; OneLicense.net number is 725233;
Our CVLI License number is 505405959.

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 reach
out to us. Our Deacons and pastoral care staff are available for support, home
and hospital visits, and prayer. Please contact Dr. Darren Bess at 407-647-1467
or darrenb@winppc.org. 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/>.