

**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).

**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. Forty percent of our offering stays in our community and will help support The Center for Women and Families at the Coalition for the Homeless. The Compassion Committee thanks you for your generous donation to these programs.

**PICTURES FOR PICTORIAL DIRECTORY—LAST DAY!**

The Community Life Committee will be taking pictures after the 10:30 service for a new pictorial directory for WPPC. If you'd like to have your picture taken for the directory, come and see us in Fellowship Hall today.

**NEIGHBORS & FRIENDS OUTING, JUNE 4**

Join the Neighbors & Friends restaurant outing on Thursday, June 4 at Boston Fish House (6860 Aloma Ave., Winter Park). We will meet at 11:30 a.m. Lunch is on your own and reservations are not necessary. Come and enjoy the fellowship!

**BIBLE STUDY FOR WOMEN, JUNE 23-JULY 28**

Looking for something to do this summer? We are excited to announce that a new Bible Study for women will be held June 23 – July 28. This six-week class on “The Parables of Jesus” will be led by Phyllis Woods. The class will meet on Tuesday afternoons at 2:00 p.m. in room 303. Mark your calendars and plan to join us!

**RELATIONSHIPS IN ACTION —SUNDAY MORNINGS AT 9:15 AM IN ROOM 301**

The Relationships in Action Sunday School class invites you to attend any or all of the following sessions. Everyone is welcome!

May 31: Planning Session for July, August, and September

**UP NEXT . . .**

- Mon, 5/25 All Day Memorial Day, Office Closed
- Thurs, 5/28 7pm Session Mtg, Rm 301
- Sun, 6/7 11:45am CLOC Mtg
- Wed, 6/10 10am PS Board Mtg, Rm 301
- Thurs, 6/11 7pm Compassion Committee ZOOM Mtg
- Mon-Fri, 6/15-19 9am Vacation Bible School
- Tues, 6/23 2pm Bible Study for Women, Rm 303
- Tues, 6/30 2pm Bible Study for Women, Rm 303

**NOTES**



**Winter Park**

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

MAY 24, 2026

PENTECOST SUNDAY



The Session			The Diaconate		
2026	2027	2028	2026	2027	2028
Syd Davis	Maria Garton	Rusty Baldwin	Meg Baldwin	Marilyn Bryant	Sue Howard
Betty Johnston	Lil Rea	Steve House	Ernestine Beattie	Cynthia Nants	Lynne McKnight
Shaheed Mohammed	Carel Thompson	Jayne Leach	Debby Roberts	Robert Nevill	Debbie Pauzar
Nelson Roe	Phyllis Woods	Ron Thompson	Jeanne Vinci	Paula Smathers	Frances Swope

**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)  
 Hope CommUnity Center | IDignity | Parramore Kidz Zone  
 SALT Outreach, Inc. (Serving and Love Together)

**International Missions Supported by WPPC**

Audrey Santiago, *Transitions Orphan Assistance Foundation*, Ukraine  
 Dr. Robert Gamble, *This Child Here*, Ukraine  
 Dr. Anne Hallum, *A.I.R. (Alliance for Reforestation)*, Guatemala  
 Iglesia de Santa Clara Presbyterian, Santa Clara, Cuba  
 Mark Hare & Jenny Bent, *Ecological Sustainability*, Costa Rica  
 Dan Turk, *Environmental Education*, Madagascar  
 Elizabeth Turk, *Community Health & HIV/AIDS*, Madagascar  
*Scripture Union Mission, Peru*

**Staff**

Rev. Melanie Ruta, Interim Pastor  
 Justin Chase, Director of Music  
 Penny Walsh, Organist  
 Sandra Shafer, Pianist  
 Scott Beck, Director of Handbells  
 Cindy Mitchum, Executive Secretary  
 Jessica Grablewski, Children’s Ministry Coordinator  
 Nicole Fye, Director of Preschool Programs  
 Mark Greenleaf, Property Manager

## ORDER OF WORSHIP

\* Please stand as you are able

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WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

SHARING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

CHIMING OF THE HOUR

PRELUDE • *Praise to the Lord, the Almighty* - Hopson (10:30)

### \* CALL TO WORSHIP

Come, let us worship the God who was graciously faithful to our fathers and mothers through the years.

**Like those who have gone before us, it is by the grace of God that we gather in worship this morning.**

### \* PRAYER OF ADORATION

**Good and Gracious God, you have been faithful to those on whose shoulders we stand this morning. When we look at the Bible, the family album where your mighty acts are pictured, you, Creator God are worthy of our greatest heartfelt praise and adoration. Help us see you more clearly, love you more dearly, follow you more nearly as we live our lives, day by day. Amen.**

### \* HYMN 331 • *God of the Ages, Whose Almighty Hand*

CALL TO CONFESSION

Without a doubt, each one of us has missed the mark God has set for us. Likewise, our human institutions have fallen short of our Creator God's expectations for us. With contrite hearts, let us confess our sins.

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

**Gracious and Merciful God, in humility we come to you confessing our lack of faithfulness. Our words and actions, as well as words unspoken and actions not taken, fall far short of what you dreamed for us when you created us. Forgive us, Lord, for our lack of love for you and those you have placed in our lives. Help us be more like Jesus, our supreme example of how you meant for life to be lived. Amen.**

*(Continue with silent confession and reflection.)*

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

We are so very thankful that God has promised us that when we confess our sins, God is faithful to forgive us.

**Trusting in God's grace and mercy, we believe that we are forgiven.**

### \* RESPONSE • *Gloria Patri* (Hymnal 581)

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE (10:30)

All children and youth are invited forward for a special message before heading to Children's Church.

PASTORAL PRAYER 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.**

RESPONSE • *Breathe on Me, Breath of God* (Hymnal 286, vs 1)

**Breathe on me, Breath of God;  
fill me with life anew,  
that I may love what thou dost love,  
and do what thou wouldst do.**

FIRST READING

Joshua 4:1-8; 19-24

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

SECOND READING

1 Corinthians 11:23-26

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

SERMON

"A TIME TO REMEMBER" • The Rev. Dr. James A. Capps

### \* THE AFFIRMATION OF FAITH - *Apostles' Creed*

**I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ His only Son our Lord; Who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; He descended into hell; the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic Church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.**

OFFERING OF OUR TITHES AND GIFTS

INVITATION TO OFFERING

OFFERTORY MUSIC *Spirit, Now Live in Me* • Leech (10:30)

\* OFFERTORY RESPONSE *Doxology* (Hymnal 606)

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

### \* HYMN 340 • *This Is My Song*

\* The Charge and Benediction

\* POSTLUDE • *Trumpet Recessional* - Manfredini (10:30)

## ✠ SERVING TODAY ✠

### OFFICIATING MINISTER

The Rev. Dr. James A. Capps

### LITURGISTS

Glenn Riccio (8:15)

Frank Jamison (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 & Chase Finch (10:30)

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## ✠ WORSHIP MATTERS ✠

### FLOWERS

The flowers today are given to the Glory of God in loving memory of

✠ Lt. James Marshall, and Lt. Com. William Appich, from Nancy Appich and family.

✠ James R. Leach, USN, by Jayne Leach, Miriam & Dave Holleman, and David & Gena Leach.

### ANTHEM TEXT

O holy Dove of God descending, You are the love that knows no ending, All our shattered dreams You're mending, Spirit now live in me. O holy Wind of God now blowing, You are the seed that God is sowing, You are the life that starts us growing, Spirit, now live in me. O holy Rain of God now falling, You make the Word of God enthralling, You are that inner voice now calling, Spirit, now live in me. O holy Flame of God now burning, You are the power of Christ returning, You are the answer to our yearning, Spirit, now live in me, Spirit, now live in me, Spirit, now live in me.

### 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.

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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 send an email to [cindym@winppc.org](mailto:cindym@winppc.org) or fill out the form located at <http://winppc.org/publicity-request/>.

### WI-FI

Wi-Fi is available for everyone. You're welcome to connect during your time with us. Network: WPPC\_Guest / Password: Welcome2Home!