

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.

NEIGHBORS & FRIENDS LUNCHEON, JUNE 18

As the Summer begins we invite you to the Neighbors & Friends 3rd Annual Picnic. Come and join us on Thursday, June 18 at 11:30 a.m. in Fellowship Hall for a catered picnic, followed by table games and Bingo! The cost of the meal is \$15. Reservations are due on Monday, June 15 by calling the church office or signing up on the bulletin board in the front office hall. As always, you are welcome to bring your own lunch and join us around the tables. Plan to come and enjoy the fellowship of a picnic in air conditioned comfort! The fellowship that comes from sharing a meal with neighbors and friends is a gift for us all. Let's fill Fellowship Hall with laughter and chatter as we celebrate the beginning of Summer.

BIBLE STUDY FOR WOMEN

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!

“CONTEXT” SUMMER STUDY

Get more out of your Bible study by learning about the people and places of the Ancient Near East. Join Pastor Melanie on Wednesday evenings this summer for a topical discussion series called “Context.” For new readers, seasoned students and everyone in between. Each topic is stand-alone. Come as your schedule allows. Meets in Room 301 at 5:30 – 6:30 p.m. Bring a bag dinner if you want. Dessert supplied. No RSVP required. June 17, 24; July 8, 15, 22, 29; and August 5. Does not meet July 1.

DEACON/ELDER NOMINATIONS

The Officer Nominating Committee needs your help. Please submit names of members of our congregation who would be a good Deacon or Elder. Forms for nominations are available in the Church Office and the Narthex. Forms can be placed in Cynthia Nants's box next to the workroom or send an email with your submissions to cforrester2351@gmail.com.

RELATIONSHIPS IN ACTION, SUNDAY MORNINGS AT 9:15 A.M. IN ROOM 301

Every Sunday in June—*Summer at the Movies*

We will watch “The Penguin Lessons” through the month of June. Nancy Galyean will lead the discussion following each section of the movie, which will be presented in four parts. Everyone is welcome!

UP NEXT . . .

- Sun, 6/14 9:15am Focus Group
- Sun, 6/14 11:45am Personnel Mtg
- Sun, 6/14 11:45am CE Mtg, Rm 303
- Mon-Fri, 6/15-19 9am Vacation Bible School
- Wed, 6/17 5:30pm “Context” Summer Study, Rm 301
- Thurs, 6/18 11:30am Neighbors & Friends Lunch
- Sun, 6/21 11:45am Deacon Mtg
- Tues, 6/23 2pm Bible Study for Women, Rm 303
- Wed, 6/24 5:30pm “Context” Summer Study, Rm 301
- Thurs, 6/25 7pm Session Mtg
- Sun, 6/28 9:15am Focus Group
- Tues, 6/30 2pm Bible Study for Women, Rm 303

SCHOOL SUPPLY DONATIONS

This year, WPPC is helping Killarney Elementary School in their efforts to properly supply their students’ needs for a successful 2026-27 school year.

Killarney Elementary School would enjoy receiving some of the school supplies listed here. Thank you for participating in this worthwhile project.

Each Sunday in June and July, please place your contributions in the bins located in the office hallway and the narthex of the church.

- Supplies**
- EXPO Dry Erase Markers
 - Clorox Disinfecting Wipes
 - Ziploc Sandwich & Snack Bags
 - 10 Pack Bulk Wired Headphones (On Ear/3.5mm Jack)
 - Mead Wide Ruled Comp Book, with Lined Paper
 - Spiral Notebook, 1 Subject, Wide Ruled
 - 3-Ring Binder, 1-inch
 - Crayola Assorted Color Crayon Set, 24 Ct
 - Loose Leaf Notebook Paper, Wide Ruled
 - Plastic Folders with Pockets
 - Plastic Folders with Pockets/Prongs/Fasteners
 - Highlighters, Chisel Tip
 - Plastic Hard Pencil Box
 - Fiskars 5” Pointed-Tip Scissors for Kids 4-7
 - Elmer’s Purple Washable Non-Toxic Glue Sticks
 - Elmer’s Liquid School Glue, Washable
 - Paper Mate Pink Pearl Premium Erasers
 - Crayola Coloring Pencils, Assorted Colors (12 ct)
 - Crayola Broad Line Washable Markers (12 ct)
 - Ticonderoga Pre-Sharpended 2HB Pencils



- School Uniforms**
- Sizes: youth XS up to adult XXL):
 - Items can be found on Amazon at: https://www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/ls/2IVOF1Q4MOBZB?ref=wl_share
 - Forest Green or White Polo Shirts
 - Girl’s Skorts
 - Boy’s Joggers
 - Bottoms: Navy, Black, Khaki, or Blue Jeans
 - Girl’s Leggings or Jeggings
 - Boy’s Cargo Shorts (Stretchy waistband is best)

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	Cindy Mitchum, Executive Secretary
Justin Chase, Director of Music	Pattie Lavelle, Bookkeeper
Penny Walsh, Organist	Jessica Grablewski, Children’s Ministry Coordinator
Sandra Shafer, Pianist	Nicole Fye, Director of Preschool Programs
Scott Beck, Director of Handbells	Mark Greenleaf, Property Manager



Winter Park

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

JUNE 14, 2026

THIRD SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST



ORDER OF WORSHIP

* Please stand as you are able

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

SHARING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

CHIMING OF THE HOUR

PRELUDE • *O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing* - Innes (10:30)

* CALL TO WORSHIP

Jesus Christ summons us to answer God's call to mercy.

We gather to be forgiven and to forgive.

Christ summons us to answer God's command to love.

We go out to share the love which we have first been shown.

* PRAYER OF ADORATION

God of power and peace, as Jesus sent his disciples out to heal the sick, cast our demons, gather the lost, raise the dead, and proclaim the nearness of your realm, make us ready to go and share the good news we have received, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

* HYMN 81 • *Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken*

CALL TO CONFESSION

Confident in God's mercy and his grace, let us confess our sins to God and one another.

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Living God, we confess that we do not know how to look for you. We do not sense your nearness, and if there are angels among us, we are unaware. Lord we confess that we do not know how to respond to your compassion and love for us. We do not trust that our hardships can be transformed by your Spirit, or our lives recreated to serve you. Forgive us with your grace. Show us the way to live for you and for the world you love. In Jesus' name. Amen.

(Continue with silent confession and reflection.)

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Since we are justified by faith we have peace with God through Jesus Christ our Lord. The peace of Christ be with you.

And also with you.

* 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 • *Spirit of the Living God* (Hymnal 288, vs 1)

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.

FIRST READING

Psalm 114

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

SECOND READING

Joshua 3:7-17

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

SERMON

"WHEN THE WAY ACROSS IS THROUGH" • Rev. Melanie Ruta

*THE AFFIRMATION OF FAITH - *Adapted from the French Confession of 1559*

We believe and confess only one God, who can do all things, is all-wise, all-good, all-just, and all-merciful. We believe that everything required for our salvation has been offered and communicated to us in Jesus Christ, the wisdom of God and God's eternal Son. Jesus Christ clothed himself in our flesh: God and human in one person. We believe that we are illuminated in faith by the unfathomable grace of the Holy Spirit. God imparts this gracious gift. By faith we receive grace to live holy lives in awe and reverence for God, for we receive what the gospel promises when God gives us the Holy Spirit. Faith does not cool our desire for good and holy living, but rather engenders and excites it in us, leading naturally to good works. We believe that the sacraments are joined to the Word in order that the Word may be more fully confirmed. Baptism is given to us as the pledge of our adoption, in which we are grafted into the body of Christ, and renewed in holiness of life by his Spirit. The holy Supper of our Lord is a testimony of our unity with Jesus Christ, who died only once and was raised for our sake. The body and blood of Jesus Christ are food and drink for the soul just as bread and wine are nourishment for the body. As for the true Church we believe that it ought to be governed in accordance with the order established by our Lord Jesus Christ. In this way, pure doctrine can be maintained, the poor and afflicted can be helped in their need, assemblies can be gathered in the name of God, and both great and small can be edified.

OFFERING OF OUR TITHES AND GIFTS

INVITATION TO OFFERING

OFFERTORY MUSIC *Make Me a Channel of Your Peace* • Holstein (10:30)

* OFFERTORY RESPONSE *Doxology* (Hymnal 606)

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

* HYMN 741 • *Guide My Feet*

* The Charge and Benediction

* POSTLUDE • *Allegro Appassionato* - Landis (10:30)

✠ SERVING TODAY ✠

OFFICIATING MINISTER

Rev. Melanie Ruta, Interim Pastor

LITURGIST

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 & Chase Finch (10:30)

✠ WORSHIP MATTERS ✠

ANTHEM TEXT

Make me a channel of your peace. Where there is hatred let me bring your love. Where there is injury, your pardon, Lord, and where there's doubt, true faith in you. O Master, grant that I may never seek so much to be consoled as to console to be understood as to be understand to be loved, as to love, with all my soul. Make me a channel of your peace. Where there's despair in life, let me bring hope. Where there is darkness only light, and where there's sadness ever joy. Master grant that I may never seek so much to be consoled as to console to be understood as to understand to be loved, as to love, with all my soul. Make me a channel of your peace. It is in pardoning that we are pardoned, in giving of ourselves that we receive, and in dying that we're born to eternal life. Make me a channel of your peace. Peace.

MUSIC

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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.

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.

Wi-Fi

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