

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 Rev. Emily Wasser at emilyw@winppc.org or 407-647-1467 x 122. 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/>.

Transportation for Church Events

If you are in need of transportation to a church event, please contact the church office at least 24 hours in advance, and every effort will be made to accommodate your need.

The Session

2018	2019	2020
Hal Eastburn	Will Lawrence	Doris Anguish
Reta Jackson	Will McCurdy	Marilyn Bryant
Don McCarter	Rachel Myers	Rick Davis
Debbly Roberts	Dail Pribil	Steve House
Sara Van Arsdel	Doug Reece	Larry Seel
Phyllis Woods	Debbly Tallungan	

The Diaconate

2018	2019	2020
Peggy Bargar	Nancy Appich	Ardyth Austin
Almeda Dean	Barbara Edwards	Caroline James
Carol Howell	Bonnie Gaughan	Nancy Johnson
Betty Johnston	Fran Morrissey	Jim McKinney
Sevilla Morse	Cynthia Nants	Ellenorr Osterhaus
Ginny Seel	Eileen Silvers	Matt Straub

Missions Supported by WPPC

Audrey Ball, *Transitions Orphan Assistance Foundation*, Ukraine
Dr. Robert Gamble, *This Child Here*, Ukraine
Dennis & Susan Walters, *SIL*, East Asia
Steve & Sonia Dettweiler, *Wycliffe*, Nigeria
Dr. Anne Hallum, *A.I.R. (Alliance for Reforestation)*, Guatemala

PC(USA) World Missions

Rev. Gordon & Dorothy Gartrell, Brazil; Jenny Bent, Dominican Republic;
Mark Hare, Haiti; Dan & Elizabeth Turk, Madagascar

Staff

The Rev. Emily Wasser, Associate Pastor for Family Discipleship
Justin Chase, Director of Music
Vacant, Organist
Susan Davis, Director of Handbells & Children's Music
Carolyn Achenbach, Director of Operations/Accountant

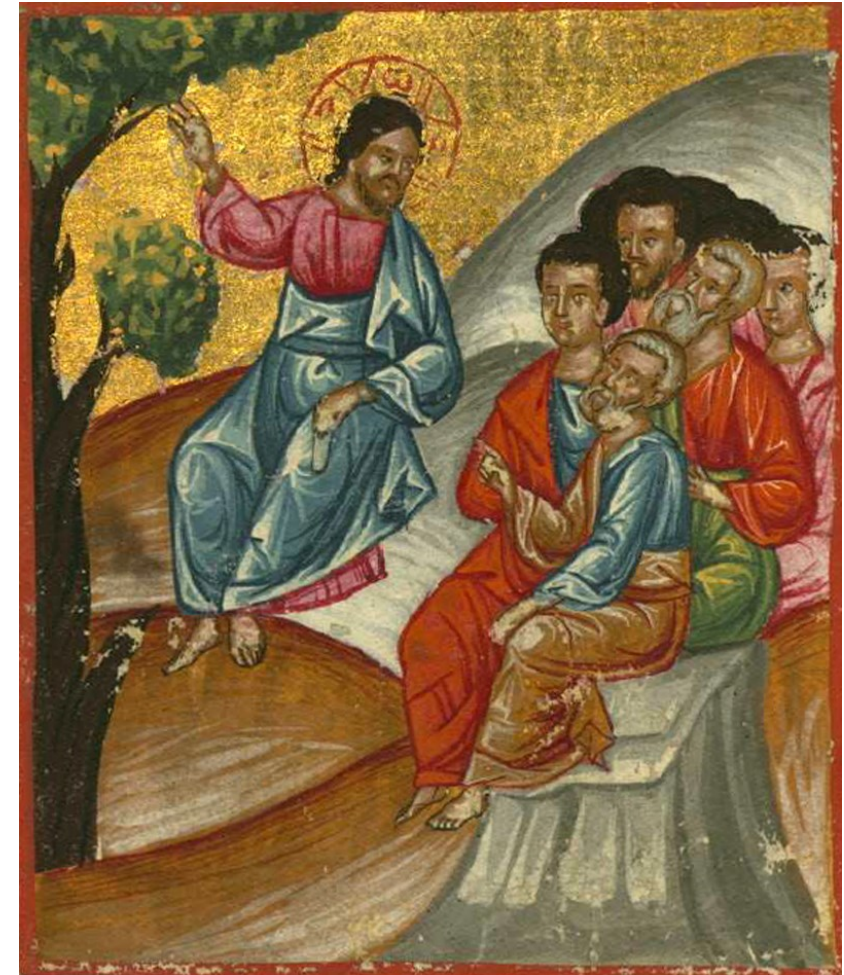
Cindy Mitchum, Executive Assistant
Barbara Hordern, Administrative Assistant
Kenny Lovelace, Sexton
Jorge Barrios, Sunday Assistant Sexton
Tricia Wilson, Director of Preschool Programs



Winter Park

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

SEPTEMBER 23, 2018 • 8:15 & 10:30 A.M.
EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST



Christ Teaching the Disciples

WINTER PARK PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
400 SOUTH LAKEMONT AVENUE
WINTER PARK, FLORIDA 32792



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WELCOME TO WINTER PARK PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Hello! Welcome home to worship at Winter Park Presbyterian Church. Whether this is your first time here or your hundredth, we're glad that you've chosen to join us today!

Here at Winter Park Presbyterian Church we strive to be a community of members joined together through new life by the grace of God in Jesus Christ, through the Holy Spirit. Our goal is to be a people who live out of God's redeeming grace, witnessing to the new life given by God by engaging in ministries of compassion and justice.

Whether you are interested in finding education classes, a group who shares your interests, or looking to connect with our community, there is something for everyone here. It is our hope that you will find this church to be a place where you feel welcomed and will join in on our activities as we all seek to grow in our faith. Welcome!



Emily Wasser
Associate Pastor for Family Discipleship

If You Are New Here

We invite you to write your name(s) in the red registration pad when it is passed down the pew. If you would like information on the ministries of this church, please include your contact information. Also, greeters and ushers at the entrances can provide you with information about our programs and volunteer opportunities. Please join us for refreshments and conversation in fellowship hall following the service.

Worship Aids

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

Worshipping with Children

Children are welcome to stay in the sanctuary for the entire worship service. They are invited to come forward for the Children's Moment, following which they may return to sit with their families, or (Pre-K—3rd grade) leave for Children's Church on non-communion Sundays. In addition, childcare for preschool-age children is available in our nursery, room 608, during all services.

If You Are in Need of Prayer

Elders are available to pray with you after the service, at the front of the sanctuary. Your prayers are confidential unless you request they be shared with our Pastoral Care staff. You may also complete a prayer request card (available in the pews and at the back of the sanctuary) and give it to an usher.

WEEK AT A GLANCE

Sunday, September 23

8:15 – 9am
9:15 – 10:15am
9:30am – 12pm
10:30 – 11:30am
11:35am – 12:35pm
3 – 4:30pm
5:30 – 7:30pm

Monday, September 24

9am – 12pm

Tuesday, September 25

10:30 – 11:30am
4:30 – 5:30pm
5:30 – 6:30pm
6:30 – 7:30pm
6:30 – 7:15pm

Wednesday, September 26

9am – 12pm
4 – 5pm
4 – 5pm
6 – 7:30pm
7:15 – 8:45pm

Thursday, September 27

9am – 12pm
9 – 11am
9:30 – 11:30am
7 – 9pm

Friday, September 28

9 – 10am
10 – 11am
11:30am – 12:30pm
5:30pm

Saturday, September 29

No Scheduled Events

Sunday, September 30

8:15 – 9am
9:15 – 10:15am
9:30am – 12pm
10:30 – 11:30am
11:35am – 12:35pm
3 – 5pm
3 – 4:30pm
5 – 7pm

Worship Service, Chapel
Sunday School
Library Open
Worship Service, Sanctuary
WPPC Ringers, Room 102
Salt of the Earth Young Adult Group, Aloma Panera Bread
Youth Group (Grades 6-12) Bowling at Aloma Bowl

Library Open

Staff Meeting, Room 301
TNT Class, Room 315
TNT Dinner, Fellowship Hall
TNT Classes, Rooms 303 & Library
Children/Youth Choir, Room 102

Coalition for the Homeless-Cooking, Kitchen
History Committee Meeting, Room 315
Worship Planning, Room 303
Westminster Ringers, Room 102
Chancel Choir, Sanctuary

Library Open
Coalition for the Homeless – Cooking, Kitchen
Recital Rehearsal, Sanctuary
Session Meeting, Room 301

Coalition for the Homeless-Sandwich Prep, Kitchen
Coalition for the Homeless-Sort Toiletries, Kitchen
Tai Chi, Fellowship Hall
Coalition for the Homeless-Transport Meal

Worship Service, Chapel
Sunday School
Library Open
Worship Service, Sanctuary
WPPC Ringers, Room 102
Benefit Recital, Sanctuary
Salt of the Earth Young Adult Group, Aloma Panera Bread
Youth Group (Grades 6-12), Room 204

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Benefit Recital

A benefit recital featuring Matitahu Braun on violin, and Holly Small on Piano, will be held at WPPC on Sunday, September 30 at 3:00 PM. The recital will benefit the Music Ministry of WPPC.

Friendship Club

Friendship Club returns on Friday, October 5 at 11:30 AM. Our speakers will be Julie and Tim Rogers-Martin, who will tell us about their research and travels this summer in the Far East. One of our special chicken dishes is on the menu. Please call the church office by noon Wednesday, October 3 to make your reservation. Transportation from the Towers and Mayflower are available. Make a reservation for that at the same time you reserve your place at the lunch table. Products for the month are tomato products and pasta.

Get Your Event Publicized

It's getting to be that time of year when we have a lot of fun activities going on. 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/>.

Parent's Night Out

Parent's Night Out is an opportunity for the children of the church, as well as those in the community, to get together for games, movies, pizza, and more so that parents can enjoy a date night or fellowship with other parents. Parent's Night Out is scheduled for the first Friday of every month. Our next night out is October 5th from 5:30-8:30PM. Children aged 3 (and potty trained) through 5th grade are invited to join! The cost is just \$5 per child and reservations are required as spots are limited. Please contact the front office (407-647-1467) to reserve your child's spot today. Any adults who are willing to help chaperone this event (all activities will be led by Pastor Emily), and Youth willing to lend a hand for service hours, please contact Pastor Emily - emilyw@winppc.org.

TNT (Tuesday Nights Together)

TNT is here! This year we will have three classes. At 4:30 PM Marilyn Bryant will be leading a class called *When Christians Get it Wrong* based on the study by Adam Hamilton. Each week this discussion class explores a different theme while asking why so many are leaving the church. At 6:30 PM, Melissa Storey will lead *Story Time for Grown-ups*. Come each week to hear short stories by authors you love (and some you may never have heard from) told by some of our favorite church readers! Finally, at 6:30 PM, Emily Wasser will lead *Mini-Missions*. These mission projects are small projects that do a lot of good, while taking only a little time. On September 23rd we'll be assisting Nancy Galyean with assembling toiletry packs for the Homeless Coalition. And don't forget to sign up for dinner by noon on the Friday before. This week for dinner—Taco Bar. Pick up a brochure with class info in the Narthex and front office

Save the Date: Global Market November 10 and 11

The Global Market is your opportunity to purchase beautiful and useful items while helping people in need throughout the world. You will be able to find beautiful jewelry, home and personal accessories, plants, coffee, tea, chocolate, and many other surprises. The Global Market also needs a village of helpers to help set up on November 9th, to greet people, and to sell items at the market. Just an hour or two of your time will make a big difference. You will find this an enjoyable way to participate in an important WPPC ministry. ~Compassion Committee (Mary Van Hook)

SERVING TODAY

OFFICIATING MINISTER: The Rev. Emily Wasser, Associate Pastor for Family Discipleship

ASSISTING MINISTER: The Rev. Dr. Paige McRight

LITURGISTS: Sara Van Arsdel (8:15)
Jayne Leach (10:30)

MUSICIANS: Lynn Peghiny, Pianist; Chancel Choir - Justin Chase, Director (10:30)

CHILDREN'S MOMENT: Pastor Emily

CHILDREN'S CHURCH: Nancy Appich, Lexington Barger, Abby Lee (10:30)

GREETERS: Cameron White (8:15)
Doris Anguish, Gary Henderson, Wendy Jamison, Curtis Koon,
Ann Tebbetts (10:30)

USHERS: Crystal Fern and Margie Meliza (8:15)
Wade Edwards, Allen Shaw, Hilda Shaw, Stephen Smith, Bob White,
Tracy White (10:30)

ELDERS: Larry Seel and Phyllis Woods (10:30)

AUDIO/VISUAL: Carole Reece, Doug Reece, Nelson Roe, Stephen Smith, Pierce Barger,
Ethan Thomas (10:30)

WORSHIP MATTERS

The flowers today are given to the Glory of God in appreciation and in memory of Joseph L'Episcopo, M.D. by Marianna LaRue.

Worship Resources Online

You will find bulletins for upcoming and past worship services at winppc.org/bulletins. An archive of recent sermons is available at winppc.org/sermons.

Bulletin Cover Image

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Music Notes

Our CCLI License number is 11184426, and our OneLicense.net number is 725233.

ORDER OF WORSHIP • EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

When the prelude begins, all are invited to enter a period of quiet reflection so that those wishing to prepare for worship through prayer and meditation may so do. Please silence all electronic devices.

* Please stand as you are able

† GATHERING AROUND THE WORD †

PRELUDE

ANNOUNCEMENTS

MOMENT FOR STEWARDSHIP

INTROIT (10:30) *We Are Standing on Holy Ground*

* CALL TO WORSHIP Give thanks to the Lord, for God is good.
God's steadfast love endures forever.
The last are first in the realm of God;
the least are welcomed in Jesus' name.
Let us worship God.

* HYMN 555 *Now Thank We All Our God*

* OPENING PRAYER

CALL TO CONFESSION

PRAYER OF
CONFESSION **Merciful God, we confess
that we have not followed your way.
We sow the seeds of conflict
while you seek the harvest of peace.
We argue about who is greatest
while you welcome the last and least.
Forgive us, God of grace.
Draw near to us this day
with the wisdom of your Word,
and teach us how to serve you;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.**

(Continue with silent confession and reflection until response is introduced)

† FOLLOWING THE WORD INTO THE WORLD †

* HYMN 172 *My Shepherd Will Supply My Need*

BENEDICTION

* CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE (8:15) *In My Life, Lord
In My Life, Lord, be glorified;
In my life, Lord, be glorified today.*

* CHORAL RESPONSE (10:30) *Today We All Are Called to Be Disciples*

* POSTLUDE

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Welcome Rev. Dr. Paige McRight

Paige retired as the Executive Presbyter in Central Florida Presbytery in 2012. Prior to coming to Orlando, she served two congregations, was chaplain at Agnes Scott College and served on the staff of the presbyteries of Charlotte and Greater Atlanta. Paige is currently the moderator of the PCUSA General Assembly Task Force to Revise the Rules of Discipline. She recently published a book, *A Promised Life*, tracing the Presbyterian mission in today's Pakistan through the first forty years of the twentieth century and her grandfather's part in it.

Congratulations

Congratulations to Tricia Wilson! Tricia graduated from the University of Cincinnati summa cum laude with a degree in Education.

2018 Hurricane Florence

Presbyterian Disaster Assistance is delivering immediate aid to those impacted by Hurricane Florence on the Eastern Seaboard of the United States. Initial assessment suggests catastrophic destruction from the storm. The needs for response will be great. God's people are once again called on to stand in the "GAP" - Give. Act. Pray. For more information on how you can help pick up a flyer in the narthex or go to <https://pda.pcusa.org/situation/hurricane-florence/>.

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

September 30—Montreat Youth Conferences

Each summer the PCUSA hosts about 4,000 youth from around the country in Montreat, NC over a six week period. The theme this year was "Lift Every Voice." Join Pat Morgan as she shares her experiences as a group leader including Bible studies, speakers, music, recreation, relationships and time with God. Come get a taste of the wonders of Montreat!

RESPONSE

Son of God, Whose Heart Is Peace

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to your pres - ence we have come; give us now your love.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

* RESPONSE ***Gloria Patri*** - Hymnal 579

* PEACE The peace of our Lord be with you.
And also with you.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE CONCLUDING WITH 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.**

OFFERING OF OUR TITHES AND GIFTS

INVITATION TO OFFERING

* OFFERTORY RESPONSE (8:15) • **Doxology - Hymnal 592**
**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
praise God, all creatures here below;
praise God above, ye heavenly host;
praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

OFFERTORY ANTHEM *Thy Perfect Love* • Rutter (10:30)

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RECOGNITION OF TRICIA WILSON

FIRST READING Jeremiah 11:18-20
The word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

SECOND READING Mark 9:30-37
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HYMN 304 ***Jesus Loves Me!***

SERMON THE GREATEST • The Rev. Dr. Paige McRight

* AFFIRMATION OF FAITH • *Adapted from the Confession of 1967*

**The life, death, resurrection,
and promised coming of Jesus Christ
has set the pattern for the church's mission.
His human life involves the church
in the common life of all people.
His service to men and women commits the church
to work for every form of human well-being.
His suffering makes the church sensitive
to all human suffering so that it sees the face of Christ
in the faces of persons in every kind of need.
His crucifixion discloses to the church
God's judgment on the inhumanity
that marks human relations,
and the awful consequences
of the church's own complicity in injustice.
In the power of the risen Christ and the hope of his coming,
the church sees the promise
of God's renewal of human life in society
and of God's victory over all wrong.
The church follows this pattern
in the form of its life and in the method of its action.
So to live and serve is to confess Christ as Lord.**

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