

The Rev. Barton R. Buchanan

*(Please stand at points\* if you are able)*

*All Saints Sunday*

*November 7, 2021*

PRELUDE                      ***Lord, You Are Good***

WELCOME/ANNOUNCEMENTS

CELEBRATIONS & CONCERNS

ALL SAINTS SIDESHOW

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

HYMN                      ***Jesus, Keep Me Near the Cross***                      #197

\*CALL TO CELEBRATION

God of Opportunities, we enter this worship space in joy for you are fully present among us.

***This is the day for stretching and believing in what you have placed inside of us.***

You know our abilities and give us a future with hope.

***This is the day for living into what you see in us.***

We are surrounded by a great cloud of witnesses who have lived faithfully.

***This is a day for celebrating our past, present and future.***

***Amen***

ANTHEM                      ***What a Beautiful Name***                      Choir

STEWARDSHIP MOMENT

SONG OF PRAISE                      ***All Things Are Possible***

OFFERTORY  
INVITATION

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***Infinite Wisdom, you hold our complexities and treasure our beings. We are your beloved children and nothing will ever change that truth. Thank you for the many opportunities you give us to commune, worship, love, build, work and play together. We are grateful for this place that allows us to give, receive, be and grow. Amen***

OFFERTORY

***I Refuse***

\*DOXOLOGY

***Praise God from whom all blessings flow;  
Praise God all creatures here below;  
Praise God above, you heavenly host;  
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.***

SCRIPTURE

Mark 12: 38 -44 NIV

GOOD NEWS

COMMUNION

BENEDICTION  
RESPONSE

***Lord, You Are Good***

**WINDERMERE**  
*Union* Church  
United Church of Christ



Provoking thought. Inspiring spirit. Accepting all.

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*November 7, 2021*  
*Scripture and Announcements*



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**Welcome to Windermere Union Church.  
We're Glad You're Here!**

Please fill out a visitor's card and let us help you get connected. If you have a question about a ministry or event, we are here to help!  
Contact the church office at 407-876-2112.

**Mark 12:38-44 NIV**

**Warning Against the Teachers of the Law**

**38** As he taught, Jesus said, "Watch out for the teachers of the law. They like to walk around in flowing robes and be greeted with respect in the market-places, **39** and have the most important seats in the synagogues and the places of honor at banquets. **40** They devour widows' houses and for a show make lengthy prayers. These men will be punished most severely."

**The Widow's Offering**

**41** Jesus sat down opposite the place where the offerings were put and watched the crowd putting their money into the temple treasury. Many rich people threw in large amounts. **42** But a poor widow came and put in two very small copper coins, worth only a few cents.

**43** Calling his disciples to him, Jesus said, "Truly I tell you, this poor widow has put more into the treasury than all the others. **44** They all gave out of their wealth; but she, out of her poverty, put in everything—all she had to live on."

**Birthdays Are Great and We Want to Celebrate With You!**

Please contact Ann Green, [ggreen7@cfl.rr.com](mailto:ggreen7@cfl.rr.com) or 407-293-8892 with those special dates for all your family members so we can recognize and wish one and all a Happy Birthday!



Aprille Case	November 2	Linkin Snow	November 14
Jill Heroux	November 4	Aimee Young	November 17
Sybil Evans	November 4	Lillith Young	November 18
Ryan Lawrence	November 7	Del Harbin	November 18
John Harak	November 10	Cassie Speirs	November 18
Mickey Mittong	November 11	Trinity Snow	November 21
Kevin Harris	November 10	Faith Longo	November 22
Taylor Falzarano	November 13	Jane Ferguson	November 28
Kathy Coleman	November 13	Christiana Gonzales	November 28
Charles Davis	November 14	Taylor Whiteside	November 29

## Announcements

**Barbara Bochiardy** - A memorial service will be held for Barbara Bochiardy at Nehrling Gardens this afternoon at 2:00 pm. Please come share your memories of Barbara with all of us, and dress casually so that you may enjoy a stroll through the beautiful gardens. In lieu of flowers, the family has suggested memorial donations may be made to Nehrling Gardens.

**Church Announcements** - If your ministry has an announcement to share with the congregation, please send your announcements to our office manager by 5pm on Wednesday.

**Congregation Open House** - Lynn and Chet Evans are planning a WUC Congregation Open House with entertainment provided by the Deer Island Holiday Boat Parade on Sunday, December 12, at 5 pm. Everyone is invited. Pasta dinner and sunset at 5:30 pm. Boat parade will probably motor by around 6:30. Bring the kids. The doors will be thrown open and gathering will be mostly outside

**Decorating for Christmas** - Christmas will be here before you know it. So it's time to decorate the church. Please join us Saturday, November 27th at 9:00 a.m. Stay as long as you can. All help is greatly appreciated.

**Fun Christmas Sweater Sunday** - Join in on the Christmas Joy. We invite you to wear your Fun Christmas sweater on Sunday December 19th. We will celebrate Christmas spirit by wearing fun Christmas Sweaters during Sunday service. So make sure you wear your favorite and join in on the fun.

**Inspirational Wednesdays** - Wednesday's at noon with LaTrell. This is a weekly online class via Zoom. It is a combination of conversation and a brief overview and context sharing about the subject from the facilitator. It is Bible-study-ish.

**KIVA Team** - We will be building a KIVA team here at Windermere Union Church. The KIVA team will work together on distributing the KIVA offering funds. The team will meet monthly. For more information contact Mary Ellen Nattans [maryellennattans@yahoo.com](mailto:maryellennattans@yahoo.com).

**Stewardship Lunch** - Mark your calendar after service on Giving Sunday, November 14th we invite you to join us outside for a Panera box lunch. This will give all of us an opportunity to celebrate stewardship and have fellowship with one another. Please check your email for the RSVP link or contact the office at [office@windermereunion.org](mailto:office@windermereunion.org) to RSVP.

**Ushers Needed** - We would love you to be part of the team. No resume or previous experience required. Just a smile and a welcoming hand to "usher" people into W.U.C. Please contact Becky Neaman at [bneaman@gmail.com](mailto:bneaman@gmail.com) if you would like to help as an usher.

**Veteran's Day lunch** - Jim Williams is organizing a Veteran's Day lunch get-together for all prior and current military members in our congregation. It doesn't matter what military branch (or Nat. Guard/Reserves) you were in, when you served, or how long you were in for join us for a FREE lunch (for vets - from a select Veteran's Day menu) at TooJay's Deli in Ocoee at 1100 on Veteran's Day (Next Thursday, November 11th). If you have any questions or to RSVP, email Jim at [cj\\_will@yahoo.com](mailto:cj_will@yahoo.com)





## CONCERNS expressed by members and friends. Please pray for:

- ><> Lynn Evans - Jane Ferguson's reinjured her back causing lots of pain.
- ><> Lynn Evans - Zoe and Sadie Evans have a acute COVID infection.

**~God we know You hear our prayers~**

## CELEBRATIONS from church members and friends

**~Thank You God for blessing us~**

*PLEASE REMEMBER TO COMPLETE the C and C SLIPS, TO HELP ENSURE ACCURACY.  
The Cs and Cs listed above are from completed slips and internet messages sent to the church office at [office@windermereunion.org](mailto:office@windermereunion.org). Please submit your Cs and Cs no later than Monday morning in order to be included in the next bulletin*

### Usher's

November 7th	Becky Neaman & Nancy Wheeler
November 14th	Peggy Goehring & Mary Ellen Nattans
November 21st	Becky Neaman
November 28th	Kathy Colemam



## Classes

**Adult Sunday School** – Fall back into Adult Sunday School. That's right Adult Sunday school is back!!! Class is on Sunday mornings at 9:00 am in the preschool kinder-gym. No preparation is needed. Everyone is welcome.

**Bible Study** - Meets on Tuesday evenings at 7:00 pm at church and for those who cannot physically attend via Zoom.

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## **Jesus, Keep Me Near the Cross**

Jesus, keep me near the cross; there a precious fountain,  
free to all, a healing stream, flows from Calvary's mountain.

### **[Refrain]**

In the cross, in the cross, be my glory ever,  
till my ransomed soul shall find rest be-yond the river.

Near the cross, a trembling soul, love and mercy found me,  
there the bright and morning star sheds its beams a-round me.

Near the cross! O Lamb of God, bring its scenes before me;  
help me live from day to day with its shadow o'er me.

Near the cross I'll watch and wait, hoping, trusting ever,  
till I reach the golden strand just beyond the river.

## **All Things Are Possible**

All things are possible, come on!  
Give praise to God

Almighty God, my redeemer  
My hiding place, my safe refuge. No other name like Jesus  
No power can stand against You

My feet are planted on this rock, And I will not be shaken  
My hope, it comes from You alone. My Lord and my salvation

Your praise is always on my lips. Your word is living in my heart  
And I will praise You with a new song. My soul will bless You, Lord

You fill my life with greater joy. Yes, I delight myself in You



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When I am weak, you make me strong. When I'm poor, I know I'm rich  
For in the power of Your name

All things are possible  
(3x)

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(x7)

Praise You, Lord, praise You, Lord. To the God of the impossible  
We thank You, Father, we thank You, Lord. When man says it can't be done  
You say it can be done. When man says no, You say yes  
Hallelujah, we love You, Lord  
We love You, Lord



