

WORSHIP

WE WELCOME YOU to Davidson College Presbyterian Church and trust that you will find God's presence here. When you cannot be here, join our live broadcast at 11 a.m. on WDAV 89.9 or www.wdav.org, or our livestream on Facebook. For more information: www.dpc.org or 704-892-5641.

CHILDREN are always welcome in worship. Worship bags are available for children of all ages at the chapel and sanctuary entrances. Childcare (ages 0-2) is located downstairs in room 14. Sunday School classes are available for children age 3 and up.

WHAT IS OUR PURPOSE? Where is our energy and passion? Who is God calling DCPC to be, and what are we called to do? We hope you will participate in a "Purpose Group" session, where we'll talk about these questions and seek to discern together how God's Spirit is working in our growing community of faith as we anticipate the arrival of a new Head of Staff. Go to www.dpc.org to sign up.

WE WELCOME The Rev. Dr. Matt Samson to the pulpit today on this final Sunday of Global Mission Month. He is Associate Professor of Anthropology at Davidson College. Matt's area of interest focuses on indigenous culture and religious change in Latin America. He was recently named to a Central America Study Team that will report to the 2020 General Assembly.

ASH WEDNESDAY SERVICE Ashes will be distributed on March 6 *on the hour* in the Chapel between 7 a.m. and 4 p.m., with a spoken liturgy *on the half hour*. A 30 minute Ash Wednesday Worship Service will be at 7 p.m. in the Chapel. Ashes will also be distributed at the conclusion of Wednesday Night Live worship in Congregation House.

LENTEN DEVOTIONAL This year's Lenten devotional book will be available beginning next Sunday, March 3. This book is put together by our Stephen Ministers and authored by many DCPC members as well as our clergy. It includes much artwork as well. Hard copies will be available in the narthex of the sanctuary and chapel as well as outside the church office. Electronic versions also will be available. An online version will be available at www.dpc.org.

DCPC PLEDGE PAYMENTS Instead of using a credit card, please consider using your bank's online billpay function to submit your pledge to DCPC. This will save the church up to \$6,000 a year in administrative and credit card fees.

FELLOWSHIP

WEDNESDAY NIGHT LIVE Dinner is at 5:45 p.m. in the Congregation House. This week's menu is breakfast for dinner. RSVPs are required before noon on Tuesday (www.dpc.org or 704-892-5641). Global Mission Month Emphasis – Nicaragua. Join us at Wednesday Night Live to welcome Gerardo Arias and to learn how things are in Nicaragua. We will also hear a bit about CEPAD (the Council of Protestant Churches in Nicaragua) and Jubilee House. Program begins at 6:30 pm in Congregation House.

MISSIONS

COLLECTION FOR CHARLOTTE RESCUE MISSION During the month of March, bins will be in the hallway to collect items needed for men supported by the ministries of Charlotte Rescue Mission. Please collect toothpaste, new or gently used short sleeve shirts (large and up), gym shorts (large and up), and bring them to a collection bin in March.

HABITAT FOR HUMANITY BUILD – We are collecting funds for our next Habitat House. The goal is \$25,000. The build begins April 6. Look for opportunities to sign up to work on one of the Saturdays or to provide refreshments for workers.

AS GLOBAL MISSIONS MONTH comes to a close we invite you to show your interest in the ongoing global partnerships of the church by participating in the work we are doing. Click the Global Mission Banner at dpc.org and click on the Sign-Up Genius to register your interest. We look forward to speaking with you about your preferences.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY DR. SEUSS! Celebrate the birthday of this beloved author on Friday, March 1 by being a guest reader at Blythe Elementary. You can bring a book of your own, or a book can be provided. If you are able to participate in this fun event, please contact Susan Inabinet in the Media Center at Blythe (s.inabinet@cms.k12.nc.us). Questions? Contact Rosemary Klein (klein924@earthlink.net).

FAITH FORMATION

Lenten Study- Entering the Passion of Jesus, A Beginner's Guide to Holy Week by Amy-Jill Levine. Although the Bible gives us insights into what Jesus was thinking between the time he entered into Jerusalem and the night he spent in the Garden of Gethsemane, we can't totally relate. But what if we look at the "ordinary" people who witnessed the Passion events...the women around Jesus and his disciples? Or the "bad" guys...Judas, Pilate, and Caiaphas? If we look closely at the people who were part of Jesus' life during the last days before the crucifixion—their relationships and roles in the story—how might that deepen our understanding of what happened? This study will be offered at the Pines on Saturdays at 10 a.m., starting March 2 and Wednesday at 5 pm at the church starting March 13. A limited number of books are available for \$13.00.

Children's Ministry

Wednesday Kids Club 3:45 p.m.: Special program on February 27. RSVP to Jenny Alexander.

- All meet for play and snack on the playground or Jetton Hall. Art lesson for children K-5th grade with Nicaraguan mission partner Gerardo Arias, beginning at 4:15 in Jetton Hall.

Youth-New series alert! We're starting Playing with Fire tonight, a 2 week series about how our words can build up or tear down. Confirmation will continue with the question, "What does it mean to show Christ's love?" Dinner starts at 5 p.m. in the Congregation House, Youth Group is 5:30-6:30.

Parents of Youth - Dr. Deedee Russell will teach a series of classes on Parenting Teens with Love and Logic on March 3, 10, 17, 31, and April 7 from 5:00 to 6:30 p.m. Cost is \$50. For information and to register, contact Cambria Nielsen (cambriamn52@gmail.com).

TODAYS WORSHIP LEADERS:

Preachers: Rev. Dr. Matt Samson

Liturgists: Robert Alexander, John Ryan

Music: David Brinson

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This Week

Sunday, February 24

12:15pm	SGL Training	Youth Lounge
5:00pm	Geneva Choir	Choir Room
5:30pm	Youth Group/Confirmation	Various
6:00pm	Social Justice	Jetton Hall
6:30pm	Youth Choir	Choir Room

Monday, February 25

9:30am	Shalom Study Group	Room 201
12:00pm	Retired Clergy	Parlor
3:00pm	Stephen Ministry	Room 207
6:30pm	Intro to Romans	Off Campus
6:45pm	UKirk	Student Center
7:00pm	Worship Committee	Parlor
7:30pm	Pastor Nominating Committee	Off Campus

Tuesday, February 26

8:00am	Brindisi Men's Bible Study	Parlor
6:30pm	Parkinson's Support Care-givers	Room 207
6:30pm	Parkinson's Support Group	Parlor

Wednesday, February 27

9:30am	Jesus & The Gospels	Off Campus
11:30am	Intercessory Prayer	Parlor
2:00pm	Prayer Shawl Knitters	The Pines Living Room
3:45pm	Kids Club	Various
4:15pm	Children's Handbells	Jetton Hall
5:00pm	Children's Choirs	Various
5:45pm	Wednesday Night Live	Congregation House
7:00pm	Nicaragua Partnership Meeting	Congregation House
7:00pm	Campus Committee	Student Center
7:00pm	Fellowship Committee	Congregation House-D
7:00pm	Tower Ringers	Handbell Room
8:30pm	9:45 Music Team	Lingle Chapel

Thursday, February 28

6:30pm	Beloved Community Book Club	DPC
7:00pm	Chancel Choir	Choir Room

Friday, March 1

7:00am	DCPC Men's Group	Parlor
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Sunday, March 3

1:00pm	Kinston Mission Team Departs	Congregation House
4:00pm	Alleluia Ringers	Handbell Room
5:00pm	Geneva Choir	Choir Room
5:30pm	Youth Group/Confirmation	Various



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Order of Worship - 9:45 a.m.

February 24, 2019 ~ 7th Sunday after Epiphany

Do not judge, and you will not be judged; do not condemn, and you will not be condemned. Forgive, and you will be forgiven. Luke 6:37

Opening Songs of Worship and Praise

Mighty to Save
Shout to the North-Hymn 319
Come All You People-Hymn 388

Presenting the Symbols of our Faith

Welcome and Call to Worship

Song of Praise

Lord, You Have Come to the Lakeshore-Hymn 721

Prayer of Confession

Meet With Me-Youth Choir

Declaration of Forgiveness and Sharing the Peace of Christ

Sharing the Peace of Christ

Scripture and Proclamation

Genesis 45:3-11, 15 and Luke 6:27-38
"Reaching Out into the Life of the World"

Affirmation of Faith

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

Minute for Global Mission: Nicaragua

Offering

Gracias a Dios

Sending Song

Shall We Gather at the River-Hymn-375

Benediction

We are the Body of Christ – worshipping, learning, serving, loving, giving – seeking to realize God's vision for the world. ~DCPC Vision Statement



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