

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. For more information: www.dcpc.org or 704-892-5641.

PRAYER CARDS are available in the pew racks or online (www.dcpc.org). Requests are made known to those gathered for silent intercessory prayer on Wednesday mornings at 11:30 in the parlor. All are welcome and encouraged to join in prayer at that hour in the chapel or wherever you are.

WELCOME CHILDREN The Nursery (birth-age 2) is downstairs, room 14. Preschool (ages 3-5) meets in room 118, by the ramp door. Children are always welcome in worship. Children's worship bags (coloring & reading for all ages) are available at the entrances. Please accompany your child should he/she need to leave the chapel. We are glad to worship with you!

THE FLOWERS in Lingle Chapel are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of Bunny Frey by her family.

AN EVEN-SUNDAY discussion will be held today, March 12, at 4 p.m. in the DCPC Parlor to continue the conversation about Refugee Resettlement in the Charlotte area. We will consider the work of various agencies in our area that support Refugee Resettlement and refugee families that have already been resettled. We will also hear back from a couple of sub-groups who are exploring ways DCPC might partner with these agencies. Please join us.

STILL SPACE FOR NICARGUA PARTNERSHIP TRIP We are extending the deadline for Nicaragua Mission Trip applications. The trip is scheduled for June 16-24 and we could use a few more participants. Are you interested? You may pick up an application in the hallway leading into the sanctuary closest to the ramp entrance. Email Robert Alexander at ralexander@dcpc.org if you have any questions. We are planning a team meeting today, March 12, at 6 p.m. in the DCPC Parlor for all travelers. We hope you will join us. Thank you.

ORGAN AT DAVIDSON Our final concert of the year will be March 13 at 7:30, an all-Bach program. The artist is Clara Gerdes, a Davidson native who studied with Jane Cain in high school and is forging a brilliant organ career as a student at Curtis Institute of Music, regularly winning competitions and scholarships. She will be joined by Margaret Carpenter Haigh, soprano, who was our Music Associate in 2013-14. Margaret will sing several movements of a Bach cantata. The free concert is followed by a reception with Bach's birthday cake, hosted by Friends of the Organ. Come and bring your friends.

OLDER ADULT AWARD Its time again to nominate our church's recipient of the Presbytery of Charlotte's Older Adult Award, now re-named the Legacy Award! If you know of someone 70 or older who has had a significant impact on this church, community or individuals in our midst, please get their names and the reasons for their nomination to Mary Margaret Porter at mporter@dcpc.org. The DCPC session will vote for our church's nominee at their meeting on March 15.

BLYTHE MINI DAY OF SERVICE Saturday, March 18th, 9:00-12:00 Spend a morning helping complete tasks for teachers in the classrooms at Blythe Elementary School. Tasks may include organizing books, making copies, hanging bulletin board materials, etc. Sign up using this link, <http://www.signupgenius.com/go/5080c4faaad2f4-mini>. If you are unable to access the Sign Up Genius, contact Catherine Bragg at catherinebragg@bellsouth.net.

SERVANT LEADERS NEEDED The DCPC 2017 Nominating Committee seeks servant leaders to serve a three-year term as ruling elders and deacons of our church. We also seek candidates for one youth elder and one youth deacon; each serves a one year term. Your recommendations, with comments, would be most appreciated. Should you feel called to serve, please submit your own name. Submission forms are available at the Church Information Center or www.dcpc.org. You may also contact any member of the committee: Sallie Kerr, chair; Phyl Justus, Linda Griffith, Dennis Appleyard, David Batty, Greg Fawcett and Dottie Sloan, youth representative. We would appreciate names and suggestions by Sunday, April 2.

CALLING DCPC WOMEN Join all women in celebrating the PW Birthday at brunch on Tuesday, March 21, 10:00-12:00, at the Congregation House. The brunch celebration and program, "God Provides", honors the PW commitment to mission with a presentation by Safe Alliance. Reservations to the church office are encouraged by Friday, March 17. If childcare or transportation is needed –contact Marjorie Burris burrisme@bellsouth.net 704/892 0231

DCPC GLOBAL MISSIONS PRESENTS Nicaragua Night at the Common Grounds Café. DCPC welcomes CEPAD USA staff member Emily Hewes in the Congregation House from 6:30-8 p.m. on Saturday, March 25. Hear from Emily about the work of CEPAD (the Council of Protestant Churches in Nicaragua). DCPC has partnered with CEPAD for many years. Join us for dinner and fellowship and learn more about the development work they are doing. All ages welcome. RSVP to Stephanie Rollans (srollans@dcpc.org) by March 23.

OUTLAW CHRISTIAN AUTHOR Dr. Jacqueline Bussie, the acclaimed author of Outlaw Christian, which has been widely read at DCPC, will visit the Covenant Class in Room B of the Congregation House on Sunday, March 26, at 9:45 a.m. She will be happy to answer any questions about the book. Dr. Bussie is a 1991 graduate of Davidson College, with an M.A. from Yale, and a Ph.D. in Theology, Ethics, and Culture from Virginia. She is Director of the Forum on Faith and Life and Professor of Religion at Concordia College in Moorhead, Minnesota.

Faith Formation Opportunities

9:45 am Preschool (room 118), K/1st Grade (room 206), 1/2nd Grade (room 207), 4/5th Grade (room 208)

9:45 am Adults: Covenant in Congregation House, Maloney in Parlor, Jubilee in the Upper Room (212)

11 am Kindergarten through 5th grade room 207

11 am 2nd Grade Prayer Class (March 12, 26) room 208

11 am Faith & Life adult class room 201

TODAYS WORSHIP LEADERS:

Pastor: Robert Alexander

Liturgists: John Ryan, Lib McGregor Simmons

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**CALENDAR HIGHLIGHTS FOR
March 12-March 19**

Sunday, March 12

8:30am	Worship Service	Lingle Chapel
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9:30am	Coffee at the Chapel	Corner of Lingle Chapel
9:45/11:00am	Adult/Children Sunday School	Various
11:00am	Worship Service	Sanctuary
11:00am	2nd Grade Prayer Class	Room 208
12:15pm	Kenya Team Meeting	Parlor
4:00pm	Alleluia Ringers	Handbell Room
5:00pm	Geneva Choir	Choir Room
4:00pm	Even Sunday	Parlor
4:30pm	Fellowship Yoga	Room 201
4:30pm	High School Youth	Congregation House
5:30pm	Youth Dinner	Congregation House
6:00pm	Nicaragua Team Meeting	Parlor
6:00pm	Middle School Youth/Confirmation	Congregation House

Monday, March 13

9:30am	Shalom Study Group	Room 207
12:00pm	Retired Clergy	Parlor
5:00pm	Finance Committee	Upper Room
6:30pm	Circle 8	Room 207
7:00pm	Young Adults	Kobe Hero Japanese Restaurant
6:45pm	UKirk	Student Center
7:30pm	Organ at Davidson	Sanctuary

Tuesday, March 14

8:00am	Brindisi Bible Study	Parlor
4:00pm	Stewardship Meeting	Library
6:00pm	Worship Committee	Library
7:00pm	Stephen Ministers Training Class	Upper Room

Wednesday, March 15

9:30am	Disciple Class	Upper Room
10:00am	Davidson Career Transition Program	DUMC
11:30am	Intercessory Prayer	Parlor
5:00pm	Children's Choirs	Various
5:00pm	Beatitudes and Beverages	Mestizo
5:45pm	WNL Dinner	Congregation House
6:30pm	Session/Diaconate Meeting	Congregation House
7:00pm	Disciple Class	Jetton Hall
7:00pm	Tower Ringers	Handbell Room
8:30pm	Music Team	Lingle Chapel

Thursday, March 16

10:00am	PW Coordinating Team	Parlor
7:00pm	Nominating Committee	Library
7:00pm	Chancel Choir Rehearsal	Choir Room

Friday, March 17

7:00am	Men's Bible Study	Parlor
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Saturday, March 18

9:00am	Blythe Mini-Service Day	Blythe Elementary
10:00am	Lent Bible Study	The Pines Marshall Room

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Order of Worship - 9:45 a.m.
2nd Sunday in Lent, March 12, 2017

*“Truly I tell you, no one can see the Kingdom of God
without being born from above.” (John 3:3)*

Opening Songs of Worship and Praise

Holy Is the Lord
Open the Eyes of My Heart Lord
You Are Holy-Hymn 596

Presenting the Symbols of Our Faith

Welcome and Call to Worship

Song of Praise

O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing

Prayer of Confession

Assurance of Forgiveness

Sharing the Peace of Christ

Scripture and Proclamation

Psalm 121
John 3: 1-17

In Life And in Death We Belong to God: “Eyes of Faith”

Affirmation of Faith (from a Brief Statement of Faith)

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

Offering

Create in Me

Sending Song

Build Your Kingdom Here

Benediction

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