

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.dpc.org or 704-892-5641.

PRAYER CARDS are available in the pew racks or online (www.dpc.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 CONGREGATION is invited to the ordination of Allison Wehrung to the office of Teaching Elder at 3 p.m., today.

SPIRITUAL YOGA 6-week yoga series during Lent led by Mardee Johnson. Sundays through April 9 at 5 p.m., in room 201. All levels. Bring a mat if you have one. All are welcome. Donations to offset the cost of instruction happily accepted. Come to any or all sessions. RSVP to srollans@dpc.org for "Lenten Spiritual Yoga".

SAGES will have their "Odd month luncheon/program" on Monday, March 27. The gathering time will be 11:15 a.m. and lunch will be served at 11:30. Cost of the meal is \$8.00. John Ryan, our new associate pastor of faith formation, will have a program for us. Robert Alexander will show a video on our Nicaraguan partnership including interviews with participants of the 2015 mission trip. We hope all will join us for fun, fellowship, get to know John better, enjoy a good lunch prepared by Chef Betsy and learn more about our church's mission in Nicaragua. Invite your friends and neighbors. See you then!

DCPC BOOK CLUB The March meeting of The DCPC Book Club will be held on Monday, March 27th at 7:30 PM (away). The book to be discussed is "The Secret Chord" by Geraldine Brooks. For more information, please contact Jane Todd at (704) 614-8935 or jetodd10@gmail.com.

CANDY DONATIONS NEEDED for our church egg hunts. Please place NUT-FREE candy in the donation baskets across from Concord Rd. stairwells or upstairs next to children's Sunday School classrooms. Thank you!

4th & 5th GRADE FLASHLIGHT EGG HUNT is Friday April 14 7-8:30 pm. Meet in the Congregation House for pizza and the Holy Week Story. Please RSVP to Jenny Alexander, jalexander@dpc.org.

PRESCHOOL THROUGH 3RD GRADE EGG HUNT is Saturday April 15 10-Noon. Meet in the Chapel. Please RSVP to Jenny Alexander, jalexander@dpc.org.

PRAYER AT THE CLOSE OF DAY Our congregation and musicians will again be uniting with members of Davidson United Methodist Church for Prayer at the Close of Day, in the manner of Taizé. The service is April 2 at 7:30 in our sanctuary chancel. This lovely, peaceful candlelit service offers an opportunity for prayer and reflection and serenity.

THE PEOPLES' CHOICE This summer the DCPC preachers will preach a series of sermons on a selection of topics suggested to them by YOU, the members of the congregation. Submit your suggestions to lmcgregorsimmons@dpc.org no later than April 15.

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.dpc.org. We would appreciate names and suggestions by Sunday, April 2.

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.

Sunday Faith Formation Children's Sunday School

9:45 am

Preschool: Ages 3-5 room 118
K/1st Grade: Godly Play room 206
2nd/3rd Grade: room 207
4th/5th Grade: room 208

11 am

K-5th Grade: room 207

Adult Sunday School

Covenant (9:45 a.m. Congregation House) **April 2**-Karen Soos, the Chaplain for Catholic students at Davidson College, accompanied by her students, will present two sessions on "The Francis Effect" in the Roman Catholic Church. The sessions will consider how Pope Francis has affected The Catholic Social Teaching tradition, the organization and levels of authority in the church, and global Catholicism and the diversity within the church.

Maloney (9:45 a.m. Parlor) The Pines (Marshall Room)

April 2: God as Our Shepherd Psalm 23

April 16: God's Love as Victory Over Death John 19:38-42; 20:1-10; 1 Peter 1:3-9

Jubilee (9:45 a.m. Upper Room) The Jubilee Class (meeting upstairs in Room 212 at 9:45) will continue its exploration of "Finding Prophetic Voices in Times of Chaos." Discussion centers on the weekly lectionary readings and brief articles on current social and political issues as we move from Lent to Easter and consider what it means to live our daily lives within the framework of the Christian liturgical year.

Faith & Life (11:00 a.m. Room 201)

Today's Worship Leaders

Pastor: Lib McGregor Simmons

Liturgists: Robert Alexander, Mary Margaret Porter

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CALENDAR HIGHLIGHTS FOR

March 26-April 2

Sunday, March 26

8:30am	Worship Service	Lingle Chapel
9:45am	Worship Service	Lingle Chapel
9:30am	Coffee at the Chapel	Corner of Lingle Chapel
9:45/11:00am	Adult/Children Sunday School	Various
11:00am	Worship Service	Sanctuary
3:00pm	Allison Wehrung Ordination	Sanctuary
5:00pm	Spiritual Yoga	Room 201
5:00pm	Geneva Choir	Choir Room
4:30pm	High School Youth	Congregation House
5:30pm	Youth Dinner	Congregation House
6:00pm	Middle School Youth/Confirmation	Congregation House

Monday, March 27

9:30am	Shalom Study Group	Room 207
11:15am	SAGES Lunch	Congregation House
5:30pm	Planning Committee	Upper Room
6:45pm	UKirk	Student Center
7:00pm	Nominating Committee	Library

Tuesday, March 28

8:00am	Brindisi Bible Study	Parlor
6:30pm	Parkinson's Support Care-givers	Room 207
6:30pm	Parkinson's Support Group	Parlor
6:45pm	Faith Formation Committee	Library
7:00pm	Stephen Ministers Training	Upper Room

Wednesday, March 29

11:30am	Intercessory Prayer	Parlor
5:00pm	Children's Choirs	Various
5:00pm	Beatitudes and Beverages	Mestizo
5:45pm	WNL Dinner	Congregation House
7:00pm	Disciple Class	Jetton Hall
7:00pm	Tower Ringers	Handbell Room
8:30pm	Music Team	Lingle Chapel

Thursday, March 30

7:00pm	Congregational Care Committee	Room 201
7:00pm	Chancel Choir Rehearsal	Choir Room

Friday, March 31

7:00am	Men's Bible Study	Parlor
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Saturday, April 1

10:00am	Lent Bible Study	The Pines Marshall Room
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Sunday, April 2

8:30am	Worship Service	Lingle Chapel
8:30am	Youth Committee	Library
9:45am	Worship Service	Lingle Chapel
9:30am	Coffee at the Chapel	Corner of Lingle Chapel
9:45/11:00am	Adult/Children Sunday School	Various
11:00am	Worship Service	Sanctuary
12:00pm	Adopt A Student Lunch	Congregation House
4:00pm	Alleluia Ringers	Handbell Room
5:00pm	Spiritual Yoga	Room 201
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Order of Worship - 9:45 a.m.

4th Sunday in Lent, March 26, 2017

The LORD does not see as mortals see. ~ I Samuel 16:7

Opening Songs of Worship and Praise

My Lighthouse

Our God Saves

You Are Holy-Hymn 596

Presenting the Symbols of Our Faith

Welcome and Call to Worship

Minute for Mission-Nominating Committee

Song of Praise

Great Is Thy Faithfulness-Hymn 39

Prayer of Confession

Lord, I Need You

Assurance of Forgiveness

Sharing the Peace of Christ

Scripture and Proclamation

I Samuel 16: 1-13

In Life and in Death We Belong to God: The Mystery of God's Ways

Affirmation of Faith

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

Minute for Mission-Emily Hewes, CEPAD

Offering

The River-Sunday Union

Sending Song

I'm Gonna Live So God Can Use Me-Hymn 700

Benediction

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