

A Service For The Worship Of God

4th Sunday of Easter~ April 22, 2018

**Those who are able, please stand.*

Gathering Around the Word

PRELUDE

(8:30)

The Good Shepherd

Dom Paul Benoit

(11:00)

Joyful Acclamation

Michell Eithun

Tower Ringers

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Sing to the LORD a new song; sing to the LORD all the earth!

(From Psalm 96)

We sing to the LORD and bless God's name.

Let us tell of God's salvation from day to day.

Let us declare the glories of the LORD throughout the world.

**We proclaim the marvelous deeds of the LORD,
who made the heavens and the earth.**

Let us worship God!

*HYMN 15

All Creatures of Our God and King

LASST UNS ERFREUEN

Verse 1: all

Verse 4: all

Verse 2: choir

Verse 5: women

Verse 3: men

Verse 6: all

*PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Rev. Ken Carter

O God, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen: you place us in your creation, and you command us to care for it. Your works declare glory and splendor, and you call us to praise and reverence. Where we have degraded or destroyed earth's bounty, forgive us. Where we have taken beauty and majesty for granted, have mercy upon us. Where we have become estranged from the creatures with whom we share this planet, grant us your peace. Renew us in the waters of baptism, refresh us with the winds of your Spirit, and sustain us with the bread of life. In the name of Jesus Christ, and for the sake of the new creation, we pray.

Silent Prayers of Confession

*ASSURANCE OF PARDON

*RESPONSE OF PRAISE No. 238 Thine Is the Glory

JUDAS MACCABEUS

**Thine is the glory, risen, conquering Son;
endless is the victory thou o'er death hast won.**

*PASSING OF THE PEACE

Hearing the Word

ANTHEM

(11:00)

100% Chance of Rain

Walter Horsley

Primary and Junior Choirs

(11:00) WORD FOR CHILDREN Come and See Marilyn Houser Hamm

(Children are invited to come forward.)

"Come and see, come and see, I am the way and the truth," said he.

"Follow me, follow me, come as a child, O come and see."

(Preschool children may proceed to their child care locations at this time.)

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

FIRST SCRIPTURE LESSON

John 10: 11-18

ANTHEM

(8:30)

The Lord My Shepherd Is

Geneva Choir

Elisabeth Davis

SECOND SCRIPTURE LESSON

1 John 3: 16-24

SERMON

The Reckless Shepherd

Robert Alexander

Responding to the Word

(8:30) *HYMN 803

My Shepherd Will Supply My Need

RESIGNATION

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND LORD'S PRAYER

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THE OFFERING

(8:30)

I Know That My Redeemer Lives

Robert Powell

(11:00)

The King of Love My Shepherd Is

Michael McCarthy

Chancel Choir *(For text, see hymn 802)*

(Please pass the fellowship register to the end of the pew and back at this time.)

*DOXOLOGY

Hymn 606

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

Bearing and Following the Word into the World

(11:00) INTRODUCTION OF NEW MEMBERS

*HYMN 370

This Is My Father's World

TERRA BEATA

*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

*Benediction Response 765

Song of Hope

ARGENTINA

May the God of hope go with us every day, filling all our lives with love and joy and

peace. May the God of justice speed us on our way, bringing light and hope to every

land and race. Praying, let us work for peace; singing, share our joy with all;

working for a world that's new, faithful when we hear Christ's call.

POSTLUDE

Trumpet Voluntary in D

John Stanley

*You are invited to "Coffee at the Chapel" for coffee,
lemonade, and cookies following the 8:30 service.*

LEADING WORSHIP TODAY

Preacher: Robert Alexander

Liturgists: Claire George-Drumheller, Scott Kenefake

Director of Music: Jane Cain

Associate Director of Music: David Brinson

Sound: Brad Jones

Ushers: Dave and Becky Swartz (8:30) Jesse Jones, George and Susan Burhans,

Priscilla Perkins (11:00)

Greeters: Leonard and Beverly McRee (8:30) Pris and Scott Woodmansee, Matthew

and Terry Bentley, Megan and Derek May (11:00)

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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.

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 Parlor or wherever you are.

CHILDREN 8:30 a.m. childcare (ages 0-5) is located downstairs in room 14.

11 a.m. Nursery care (ages 0-2) is in room 14. Preschoolers (ages 3-5) are encouraged to stay in the sanctuary through the Word for Children. Childcare staff will escort children to room 118 for the remainder of the service. Children's worship bags are available at the entrances of the sanctuary and chapel.

TODAY'S ANTHEM at 11:00 is the first song in the children's choirs' musical, "100% Chance of Rain." We hope you'll attend the full performance on May 2 at 6:30 in the Congregation House. They will also sing it at The Pines on May 9 at 4:45.

TODAY we present Bibles to our 3rd grade children. They are participating in a 4-week study to learn about the library contained inside. Children are encouraged to learn Psalm 23 and to name the books of the Bible. May God bless them with a lifetime of learning, faith, and growth.

EARTH DAY There is an Earth Care focus in worship and throughout the afternoon.

Please join us at 3 pm for one of these activities: a tour of the Davidson College Arboretum, a tour of DCPC facilities to learn about our efforts to be more energy efficient, a viewing of the movie *The Lorax*. All activities will begin in the Congregation House and will conclude there with an ice cream social at 4:30.

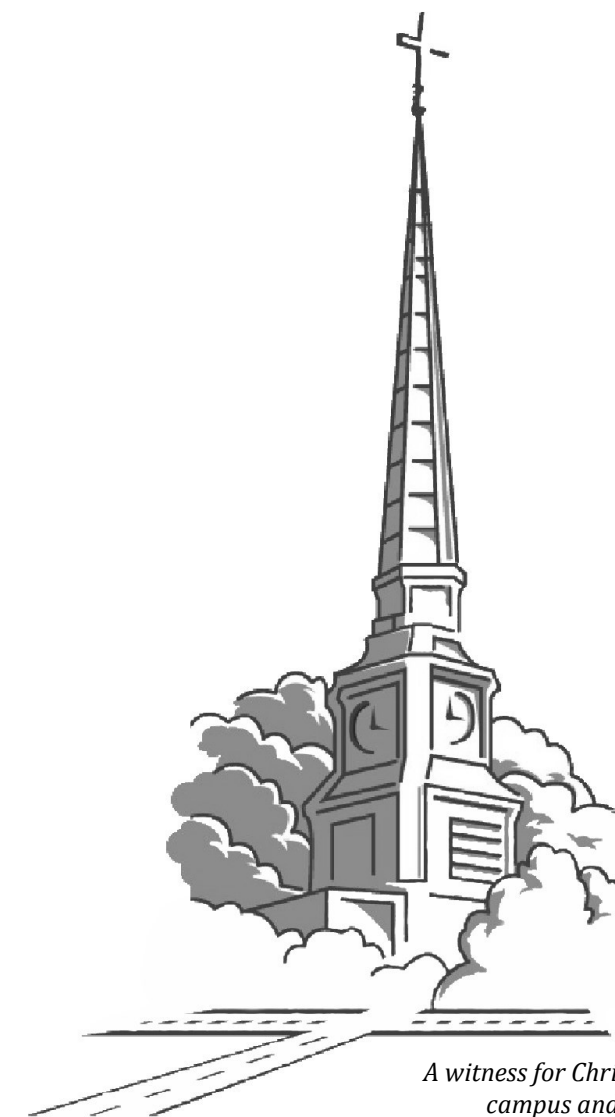
DAVIDSON COLLEGE COOKIE STUDY BREAK Please deliver home-baked cookies to the parlor on Monday, May 14 by 9:00 p.m. Please indicate if the cookies contain nuts.

THE SOCIAL JUSTICE GROUP will meet on Monday, April 23 at 7 p.m. in room 201 to continue our exploration. This meeting will focus specifically on identifying issues in Davidson and surrounding communities and ways that we might respond as followers of Jesus. All are welcome.

DCPC SPRING HABITAT BUILD continues at 9814 Psalms St, Cornelius. Please join us for future work days on May 5 and May 19. Go to <https://volunteerup.com> to register to work. Contact John Bosak at johnbosak@yahoo.com or Kline Pepper at kgpii31@gmail.com for more info.

REMINDER Due to seating constraints in the Chapel, we'll be having the 9:45 worship services in the Sanctuary on the following Sundays: April 29, May 6, May 13, and May 27.

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*A witness for Christ on the corner of
campus and community.*

We are the body of Christ—
worshipping, learning, serving,
loving, giving—
seeking to realize God's vision for the world.

DCPC Vision Statement

Calendar April 22-April 29

Sunday, April 22

8:30am	Worship Service	Lingle Chapel
9:00am	New Member Class	Jetton Hall
9:30am	Coffee at the Chapel	Corner of Lingle Chapel
9:45am	Sunday School	Various
9:45am	3rd Grade Bible Class	Upper Room
9:45am	Worship Service	Lingle Chapel
10:30am	Called Session Meeting	Jetton Hall
11:00am	Worship Service	Sanctuary
12:00pm	New Member Class Lunch	Congregation House
3:00pm	Earth Day Activities	Congregation House
5:30pm	Parents Group	Parlor
5:00pm	Youth Group and Dinner	Various
5:00pm	Geneva Choir	Choir Room
6:30pm	Youth Choir	Choir Room

Monday, April 23

9:30am	Shalom Study Group	Room 207
10:30am	PW Tutorial	Room 201
12:00pm	Retired Clergy	Parlor
6:45pm	UKirk	Sanctuary
7:00pm	Social Justice Meeting	Room 201
7:30pm	Pastor Nominating Committee	Away

Tuesday, April 24

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

Wednesday, April 25

10:00am	Covenant Bible Study	Room 201, Congregation House
11:30am	Intercessory Prayer	Parlor
2:00pm	Prayer Shawl Knitters	The Pines Living Room
4:00pm	Kids Club	Various
4:15pm	Children's Handbells	Handbell Room
5:00pm	Children's Choirs	Various
5:45pm	WNL Dinner	Congregation House
7:00pm	Campus Committee	Student Center
7:00pm	Fellowship Committee	Congregation House/Rm.D
7:00pm	Tower Ringers	Handbell Room
8:30pm	9:45 Music Team	Lingle Chapel

Thursday, April 26

7:00am	DCPC Men's Group	Parlor
7:00pm	Chancel Choir	Choir Room

Sunday, April 29-Youth Sunday

8:00am	Youth Sunday Rehearsal	Sanctuary
8:30am	Worship Service	Lingle Chapel
9:30am	Coffee at the Chapel	Corner of Lingle Chapel
9:45am	Sunday School	Various
9:45am	3rd Grade Bible Class	Upper Room
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ONE GREAT HOUR OF SHARING GOAL MET Thank you, DCPC. Global Mission asked you to meet or exceed a \$5000 goal, and we crushed it! We have, raised over \$6600. This offering is divided evenly among: Presbyterian Disaster Assistance, Presbyterian Hunger Program, and Self-Development of People. These funds will help rebuild and change lives and bring about transformation in many communities.

HABITAT GOAL MET Thank you for helping us reach our \$25,000 fund-raising goal for 1/3 of our Habitat House at 9814 Psalm Street. We continue to do the work of house construction and invite you to join us on Saturday, May 5 and May 19 to help us complete this wonderful project for Melech and his daughter. Contact John Bosak (johnbosak@yahoo.com) or Kline Pepper (kgpii31@gmail.com) for more information on the build.

KEEP PRAYING FOR OUR KENYA PARTNERS Thank you for responding to the appeal to pray for students at Sigona Presbyterian Academy. All of our students have received prayer partners. Please continue to ask God to keep them healthy and strong. Ask God to give them wisdom and to help them remain focused in their studies. Ask God to bless their families and their community.

HOST FAMILIES NEEDED FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS Davidson College pairs local families with international students in order to welcome students and to help them connect to the community and to American culture. If you are interested, please contact Carol Sandke (casandke@davidson.edu) by May 1.

WORSHIP ON APRIL 29TH Scott Kenefake will preach at the 8:30 a.m. in Lingle Chapel. Youth will lead the 9:45 and 11:00 a.m. services in the Sanctuary.

Adult Faith Formation

Covenant (9:45 a.m. Congregation House) – Anne Blue Wills will lead a study and discussion of Kelly Brown Douglas's 2015 book *Stand Your Ground: Black Bodies and the Justice of God*, a theological inquiry into justice and Christian duty prompted by the 2012 killing of Trayvon Martin.

Maloney (9:45 a.m. Parlor) and **The Pines** (9:45 a.m. Marshall Room) The Lord God the Almighty, Revelation 4:1-6, 8-11.

Jubilee (9:45 a.m. 201) will examine the text *Slow Kingdom Coming: Practices for Doing Justice, Loving Mercy, and Walking Humbly in the World*, which deals with practical application and participation in social justice issues.

Connections (9:45 a.m. Jetton Hall) will have a three-week series on "Parenting without Guilt" with Libby Johnston Kornegay.

Children's Faith Formation

Sunday School 9:45-10:45 am

Preschool (age 3-5) -Room 118
Kindergarten/1st Grade-Room 206
2nd Grade/3rd Grade-Room 207
4th Grade/5th Grade- Room 208

Wednesday Kids Club 4-5 pm-Rooms 207, 208

3rd Grade Bible Class: Four Sundays beginning today, April 22

Youth Faith Formation

All Youth Dinner 5:00 - 5:30 p.m. (Room ABC in the Congregation House)

Youth Group 5:30 - 6:30 p.m. (Check in at dinner to find out where your big group & small group are meeting) Visiting? Check out dcpcyouth.org/visiting to get more details.

DCPC FINANCIAL UPDATE

	March	YTD
Receipts	\$141,249	486,284
Expenses	\$131,189	426,756
Over/(Under)	\$ 10,060	59,528

WORSHIP ATTENDANCE

	8:30	9:45	11:00	Total
4/15/2018	84	138	197	419



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