

**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](http://www.wdav.org). For more information: [www.dpc.org](http://www.dpc.org) or 704-892-5641.

**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!

**PRAYER AT THE CLOSE OF DAY** Please join us today for a service of prayer, scripture, silence and Taizé singing. We will worship with our brothers and sisters at Davidson United Methodist Church in their chapel (the white building on the west side of Main St.) at 7:30. Music will be led by DCPC musicians as well as DUMC's Compline Choir. This is the first of a series of shared services on Sunday evenings.

**INTERCESSORY PRAYER CELEBRATES 20 YEARS** Our intercessory prayer group celebrates 20 years of ongoing prayer ministry. Please join us for a bag lunch gathering at noon in the parlor following prayer this Wednesday, September 21.

**ARE YOU INTERESTED** in learning more about DCPC's Stephen Ministry? Stephen Leaders are holding an information session on September 19 at 7 p.m. in the parlor. Come hear about the blessings of this Christian caregiving ministry. Stephen Ministers and Stephen Leaders are trained to listen, pray, and walk with people who are experiencing a difficult transition or life situation. Care relationships can be short (a couple of months) or longer term (a couple of years). Come learn more and bring your questions. [Stephenministry@dcpc.org](mailto:Stephenministry@dcpc.org)

**FAITH AND FAMILIES** Sunday school class **has returned and is being renamed Faith and Life..** This class will meet at 11 a.m. in room 201 on Sunday mornings and will be an opportunity to discuss various topics of faith and how they intersect with life with a particular focus on family life.

**DISCIPLE CLASSES** Two Disciple Classes have begun kicking off. The Wednesday evening class will utilize the 32 week Disciple 4 curriculum that covers The Writings (Job, Psalms, Proverbs, Ecclesiastes, Chronicles, Nehemiah, Ezra), John and Revelation. The Wednesday morning class will utilize the new 24 week Disciple 1 Fast Track curriculum and will cover the entire New and Old Testaments. Contact Marty Metzker ([martin.metzker@live.com](mailto:martin.metzker@live.com)) for info.

**WEDNESDAY NIGHT LIVE**, our midweek church family gathering, with healthy and delicious meals (vegetarian options available by request) is every Wednesday at 5:45 p.m. prepared by Betsy Verhey. Childcare will begin every Wednesday evening at 5:00 p.m. in the 2-year-old classroom of our main building. Please make reservations by Monday, at [dcpc.org](http://dcpc.org) or through our online newsletter, *DCPC News*. You may also call Rhonda Boggs in our church office at 704-892-5641.

**IN CASE OF AN EMERGENCY** the defibrillator and first aid box are located in the west hall of the main building next to the women's restroom.

**DAVIDSON CAREER TRANSITION PROGRAM** this Wednesday, 10:00 a.m., at Davidson United Methodist Church, room 216/218. This program is open to people currently in the job market or those in transition who are interested in career information, help and support.

**GREETERS AND USHERS** Gentle reminder to current Greeters and Ushers concerning the Training opportunity on Sunday morning, September 25, 9:45 in Jetton Hall. If you wish to explore this Training event and commitment to serve in this ministry, please join the current Greeters/Usher on September 25, 9:45 in Jetton Hall.

**COMMON GROUNDS CAFÉ** Join us for exercise, food, and fellowship. Yoga night, Saturday, October 1 from 5:00 p.m.-6:30 p.m. in the congregation House. Bring your own mat. A light dinner will be served after the workout.

**RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE** is Monday, October 3. Please contact Linda Drimalla ([lmtrimalla@gmail.com](mailto:lmtrimalla@gmail.com)) or Rosie Honeycutt ([thosehoneycutts@gmail.com](mailto:thosehoneycutts@gmail.com)) to donate food, volunteer to work shifts in hospitality, registration, set up or clean up, or to sign up for an appointment to donate blood. If you prefer, you may sign up for your own appointment by visiting [redcrossblood.org](http://redcrossblood.org). Look for the blue box that says Give Blood and enter the code DCPC then follow the prompts. Please help us meet our goal of 51 life saving units of blood for this Community Missions sponsored blood drive.

**SAGES** you are invited for a time of fellowship, wine and beautiful music presented by the Lake Norman Orchestra. Join us at Davesté Vineyards, Saturday, October 8 at 4:00 p.m. The cost is \$10.00. Bring a lawn chair or blanket and snacks if you desire. DCPC bus will leave the church at 2:45. RSVP by Monday, October 3 to Mary Margaret ([mporter@dcpc.org](mailto:mporter@dcpc.org)).

**WORLD COMMUNION SUNDAY** Our Global Mission Committee in preparation for World Communion Sunday and our Peace and Global Witness offering encourages our congregation to pray and act toward the goal of peace in our world. The Season of Peace begins in September and leads up to World Communion Sunday (October 2<sup>nd</sup>) when the offering will be received.

**FLOOD RESPONSE** Many are aware of the terrible flooding that has occurred in Louisiana and Mississippi. Presbyterian Disaster Assistance is responding to needs there and invites you to participate. **Pray!** Please keep the people impacted by floods in your prayers. **Act!** Consider participating in a PDA trip in the coming months. DCPC will also be putting Flood Buckets together and you can help with that effort. **Give!** You may give to DCPC with PDA Flood Response in the memo line or you may give directly to PDA online. Find out more at [www.pcusa.org/pda](http://www.pcusa.org/pda).

#### **TODAYS WORSHIP LEADERS:**

**Pastor:** Robert Alexander  
**Liturgist:** Allison Wehrung

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**CALENDAR HIGHLIGHTS FOR  
SEPTEMBER 18-SEPTEMBER 25**

**Sunday, September 18**

8:30am	Worship Service	Lingle Chapel
9:30am	Coffee at the Chapel	Corner of Lingle Chapel
9:45am	Worship Service	Lingle Chapel
9:45am	Sunday School	Various
11:00am	Worship Service	Sanctuary
11:00am	Sunday School	Various
4:00pm	Alleluia Ringers	Handbell Room
4:30pm	High School Youth	Congregation House
5:00pm	Geneva Choir	Choir Room
5:30pm	Youth Dinner	Congregation House
6:00pm	Middle School Youth	Congregation House
7:30pm	Taizé service	DUMC

**Monday, September 19**

7:00am	AA	Jetton Hall
7:00pm	Planning Committee	Room 201
7:00pm	Stephen Ministers	Parlor
7:00pm	UKirk	Student Center

**Tuesday, September 20**

7:00am	AA	Jetton Hall
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**Wednesday, September 21**

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

**Thursday, September 22**

7:00am	AA	Jetton Hall
7:00pm	Fellowship Committee	Parlor
7:30pm	Chancel Choir	Choir Room

**Sunday, September 25**

8:30am	Worship Service	Lingle Chapel
9:30am	Coffee at the Chapel	Corner of Lingle Chapel
9:45am	Worship Service	Lingle Chapel
9:45am	Sunday School	Various
9:45am	Greeter and Usher Training	Jetton Hall
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## Order of Worship - 9:45 a.m.

*18th Sunday after Pentecost  
September 18, 2016*

*"Pray for everyone...so that we may lead a quiet  
and peaceable life." (1 Timothy 2:1-2)*

### Opening Songs of Worship and Praise

Praise Ye the Lord, the Almighty (Hymn 35)

Open the Eyes of My Heart, Lord

I Believe in Jesus

### Presenting the Symbols of our Faith

#### Welcome and Announcements

#### Hymn of Praise

To God be the Glory (Hymn 634)

#### Confession

#### Assurance of Forgiveness

#### Sharing the Peace of Christ

#### Scripture and Proclamation

1 Timothy 2:1-7

"Praying for Peace"

#### Affirmation of Faith

#### Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

#### Offering

In the Palm of Your Hand

#### Sending Song

I'm Gonna Live (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*