

**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 WELCOME CHILDREN** The Nursery (birth- age 2) is downstairs, room 14. Preschool (ages 3-5) is by the ramp door, room 118. Children are always welcome in worship. Worship bags are available at the entrances. Sunday School will resume September 11.

**TEN CENTS A MEAL OFFERING** will be received at all worship services **today**. Please place your donations in the red baskets. If each family at DCPC contributed 30¢ a day each day for 30 days, that would equal \$9 per month.

**FALL PICNIC Sunday, September 11** on the front lawn (campus lawn in front of our sanctuary). Please join Campus Ministry and the Fellowship Ministry as welcome back our Davidson College students. BBQ and drinks provided. **PLEASE BRING a side-dish and/or dessert to share! Music provided by Sunday Union.**

**RALLY DAY** is next Sunday, September 11. Come at 9:45 as we kick off the new Sunday School year. **There will be ONE worship service at 11:00** when our guest preacher will be former PCUSA moderator Heath Rada.

**WORSIHP AND FAITH FORMATION** committees invite you to add your comments about the Sunday schedule to posters which are located in the main hall and in the narthex.

**SING TOGETHER.** You are invited and welcomed to join one of our many DCPC choirs. The Geneva choir, which sings for the 8:30 service, is today at 5:00. Chancel Choir sings for the 11:00 service and rehearses on Thursdays at 7:30. Here is a place to find family, fellowship, worship and refreshment week by week. If you would like to join in on the Presbyterian Heritage choir pilgrimage to Scotland next summer, join choir now! **CHILDREN'S CHOIRS** for age four through fifth grade begin on Wed., Sept. 7 at 5:00. All parents and children will meet in the sanctuary together for the first few minutes. Parents, you will not want to miss this opportunity for free musical education as well as faith formation for your children. **YOUTH MUSIC** will begin after mid-September. Children's Handbells will begin a few weeks after Junior choir gets underway. **HANDBELLS:** The Tower Ringers begin rehearsals on Sept. 14. Alleluia Ringers' first rehearsal will be September 11 at 4:00, and they are looking for new ringers. No previous handbell experience is needed, simply a knowledge of note values and the ability to count to 4, or occasionally 6. You can do it, and you know you'd like to try. Contact David Brinson.

**DCPC PRAYER PARTNERS** DCPC is launching a new prayer partner ministry. **DCPC Prayer Partners** will match a SAGE (senior adult) with a DCPC family with children of any age to provide spiritual support and foster intergeneration connectedness. The prayer partners will commit to pray for one another at least weekly and are invited to communicate as much as they might like, or be able to, either in person, via phone or note. If you would like to become a part of this ministry or learn more, please call the church (704-892-5641) or email Mary Margaret Porter at [mporter@dcpc.org](mailto:mporter@dcpc.org) and we will be in touch soon with information.

**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.

**NICARAGUA PRESENTATION** Plan to join our Mission Team on September 7<sup>th</sup> following the Wednesday Night Live dinner as we share stories and pictures about our trip. Keep our Kilambe partners in your prayers and consider how you might be part of our work as together we proclaim good news and help empower others to grow in faith and strengthen families and communities. This year's group included Connors Anderson, Catherine Castoral, Julia DesRoches, Ryan Emerson, Rebecca Fesperman, Sara Kate Harris, Maggie O'Brien, Caroline Piephoff, Jon Regen, Halynna Snyder, Jack Ahearn, Robert Alexander, Leslie Cosentine, Jay Harris, Rosemary Klein, and David Pressly.

**DISCIPLE CLASSES** Beginning September 14, two Disciple Classes will be 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.

**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. If you would like to receive daily email devotions for the Season of Peace simply go to [www.pcusa.org/subscribe](http://www.pcusa.org/subscribe), and subscribe for *Path of Peace* daily meditations.

**WEDNESDAY NIGHT LIVE**, our midweek church family gathering, resumes September 7 with healthy and delicious meals (vegetarian options available by request) 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 and will end at 7:00 p.m. **PAY** for the 2016 fall Semester early- Just fill out the form located at the information center in front of the church office and return it, along with your check, **by Wednesday, September 7, 2016** and get 14 meals for the price of 13. Please indicate on your check that it is for *Wednesday Night Live* reservations. You may also make reservations weekly at [dcpc.org](http://dcpc.org) or through our online newsletter, *This Week at DCPC*. You may also call Rhonda Boggs in our church office at 704-892-5641.

**THE FIREBIRD SINGERS** will give a concert in remembrance of the 9/11 terrorist attacks, "9/11: An A Cappella Remembrance," at 7 p.m. Sunday, September 11 in the DCPC sanctuary. Tickets are \$15 in advance and \$20 at the door. Call (980) 272-8556 or [firebirdticketsales@gmail.com](mailto:firebirdticketsales@gmail.com) for information.

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

**Pastor:** Claire George-Drumheller     **Liturgist:** Lib McGregor Simmons,  
Robert Alexander, Langley Hoyt

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**CALENDAR HIGHLIGHTS FOR  
SEPTEMBER 4-SEPTEMBER 11**

**Sunday, September 4**

8:30am	Worship Service	Lingle Chapel
8:30am	Youth Committee	Library
9:30am	Coffee at the Chapel	Corner of Lingle Chapel
9:45am	Worship Service	Lingle Chapel
9:45am	Sunday School-Maloney Class	Parlor
11:00am	Worship Service	Sanctuary
5:00pm	Geneva Choir	Choir Room

**Monday, September 5– Church Office Closed**

7:00am	AA	Jetton Hall
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**Tuesday, September 6**

7:00am	AA	Jetton Hall
10:00am	Circle 3	Away
10:00am	Circle 4	The Pines
2:30pm	Stephen Leaders	Library
4:30pm	Property Committee	Library
7:00pm	NA	Jetton Hall

**Wednesday, September 7**

7:00am	AA	Jetton Hall
10:00am	Davidson Career Transition Program	DUMC
11:30am	Intercessory Prayer	Parlor
5:00pm	Children's Choirs	Sanctuary
7:00pm	Community Missions Committee	Parlor
7:00pm	Membership Committee	Library
8:30pm	Music Team	Lingle Chapel

**Thursday, September 8**

7:00am	AA	Jetton Hall
6:00pm	A&P Committee	Parlor
7:00pm	NA	Jetton Hall
7:30pm	Chancel Choir	Choir Room

**Friday, September 9**

7:00am	AA	Jetton Hall
7:00am	Men's Study Group	Davidson Village Inn
7:00pm	AA	Jetton Hall

**Sunday, September 11-ONE SERVICE ONLY AT 11:00**

9:30am	Coffee at the Chapel	Corner of Lingle Chapel
9:45am	Rally Day	Front of Sanctuary
9:45am	Sunday School	Parlor
11:00am	Worship Service	Sanctuary
12:00pm	Fall Picnic	Front Lawn
4:00pm	Youth Kick Off	Congregation House
5:00pm	Geneva Choir	Choir Room
7:00pm	FireBird Concert	Sanctuary
7:00pm	Officer Training	Upper Room



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## Order of Worship - 9:45 a.m.

*16th Sunday after Pentecost,  
September 4, 2016*

*Whoever comes to me and does not hate father and mother, wife  
and children, brothers and sisters, yes and even life itself,  
cannot be my disciple. Luke 14: 26*

### Opening Songs of Worship and Praise

Let the River Flow

Salt and Light

We Are Standing On Holy Ground-Hymn 406

### Presenting the Symbols of our Faith

### Welcome and Call to Worship

### Minute for Mission-Children's Choirs

### Song of Praise

Let All Things Now Living-Hymn 37

### Assurance of Forgiveness

### Sharing the Peace of Christ

### Scripture and Proclamation

Wanted: Disciples

Luke 14: 25-33

### Offering

### Communion

Arabic Lord's Prayer

### Sending Song

I Have Decided to Follow Jesus

### Benediction

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

*~DCPC Vision Statement*