

# DAVIDSON COLLEGE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

## Family Focus Newsletter

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### congregational **RETREAT** a spiritual & uplifting weekend



A Big Weekend at the Church!

**Friday Night: 6- 8 pm Congregation House Chili Cookoff** to benefit Mooresville Soup Kitchen. In addition to Chili, there will be Minister's Minestrone and Chicken Tortilla Soup plus HOTDOGS for the kids. Sunday Union will be performing!  
\$7/ adult and \$3/ child

**Saturday: 9:30 am – 1:30 p.m Congregation House Interactive Prayer for all Ages**

\$10/adult; \$5/child (includes lunch)  
Please make reservations by 4 p.m. Friday

**Sunday: Davidson Cares: Relief for Haiti**

**Stop Hunger Now: 1:15 p.m.** Congregation House - Package high protein meals to be sent to those in need around the world while enjoying the sounds of two college bands! All ages can help!

**Ecumenical Worship: 3:15 p.m.** DCPC Sanctuary  
(Childcare is available from 1p.m. until the end of worship for the youngest set)

### Faith and Family

**This Sunday** we will talk a bit about the liturgical season of Lent since this will be our last opportunity before Lent begins February 17. You may also be called upon to reflect on the Scripture for the 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Lent to help Julie with sermon prep.

Read Luke 13:31-35 if you have a chance.

**February 7:** Annual Meeting in the Congregation House

**February 14, 21, 28:** Mormonism, taught by Anne Wills in the Congregation House

**Looking Ahead:**

**March: Raising Compassionate Children**, led by Linda Steber

**April (still to be confirmed): *The Blessing of a Skinned Knee***, led by Nancy Barkemeyer and Louise Norwood

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### Fellowship

The Day of Service will be the morning of March 20. This is a day when DCPC members scatter throughout the greater Charlotte area in service. Some years, the Nester have held an adult fellowship event that evening as a way of capping off a busy day. Many said they missed having a party last year.

**Can you host a party this year on March 20?** Or co-host with a neighbor or two and we can walk from house to house. These events are usually pot luck appetizers/desserts and bring your favorite beverage. A set up and clean up committee can also be formed so the host is not left with all the work. If you are willing to host, please e-mail Julie at [jhill@dcpc.org](mailto:jhill@dcpc.org).

### New Nesters!

**Welcome to the following Nesters who were received into membership on Sunday:**

Lyn and David Batty, and their children Jacob, Anna and Erin  
Julie and Bert Concepcion, and Anna and Jacob  
Andrea and Orlando Cruz-Solano, and Victoria, Gabriella, Julia, and Luca  
Heather and JD Densmore, and Ryan and Will  
Holly and Greg Moton, and Ryan and Madeline  
Kim and Russ Rutter, and Luke, with sibling on the way in June!



Please read about these families in Steepletalk or on the New Member Bulletin board. Seek them out and welcome them to DCPC!

### Concerns:

Andrea Cruz-Solano, recovering at home from surgery  
Marnie Howiler, doing well but will begin another round of chemo on Sunday  
Art Chaney