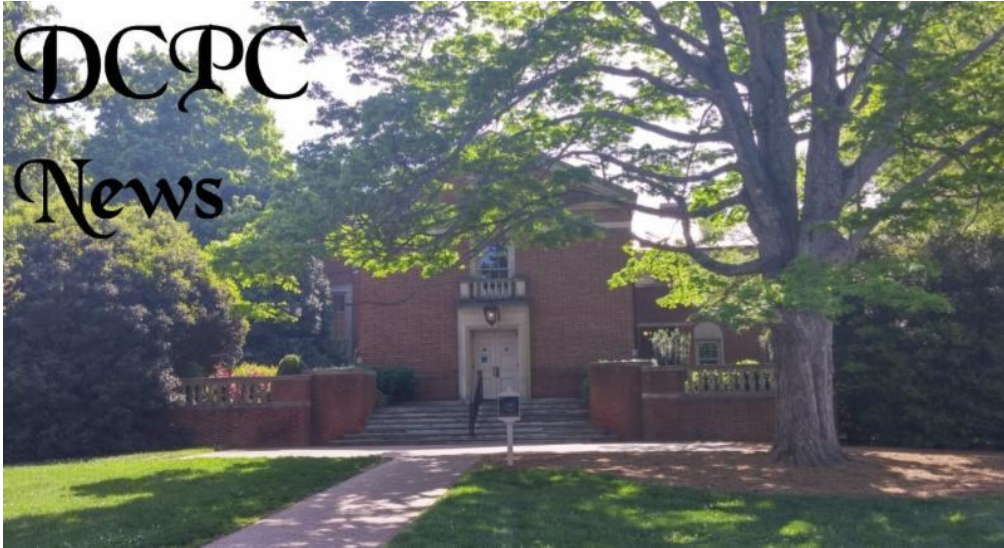


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Offer your Comments

The Session invites you to offer your comments, your joys, and your concerns. Click on the "Comments" link at the beginning of this email. Your email will be directed to the appropriate committee and staff person.

Looking Toward this Sunday June 10, 2018

Scripture Lessons: Esther 4:1-17 and Romans 12: 1-2, 9-21

Sermon: For Such a Time As This

Our guest preacher is Dr. Lewis Galloway. Since 2004, Dr. Lewis Galloway has served as the Senior Pastor of Second Presbyterian Church, Indianapolis, IN. He previously served as Pastor of Shandon Presbyterian Church in Columbia; Royster Memorial Presbyterian Church in Norfolk, and the Calypso and Stanford Pres. Churches in North Carolina. Lewis has a strong commitment to mission and social justice. He is currently a Trustee of Davidson College and is a former Trustee of Union Presbyterian Seminary. He is the Director of the Lake Fellow Residency Program in Parish Ministry. He is a 1973 graduate of Davidson. He earned his Th.M. and D.Min. degrees from

Union Presbyterian Seminary in Richmond, VA. He has studied in France twice, attending the University Paul Valery in Montpelier and the Faculty of Protestant Theology in Paris. Dr. Galloway is married to the Rev. Dr. Eleanor H. Alexander (Bunny). They have three grown children.

The Geneva Choir will sing *God Be in My Head* at the 8:30 service.
The Chancel Choir with Rick Britton, trombone, will sing
O How Amiable at the 11:00 service.

Your Help is Needed

Mark your calendars for a "Day of Healing" workday for the Congregation House being scheduled for Saturday June 23, 2018. We will refresh the main corridor and repair some of the exterior stucco. Saturday will be all about PAINTING! This is a volunteer led effort so please bring any brushes, rollers, drop cloths, snacks, etc... We are also looking for a smaller group of more experienced volunteers to renovate the Sacristy. If this appeals to you and you have the necessary tools, please consider signing up. If interested [CLICK HERE](#) to sign up. If you have questions, contact [Cris Piephoff](#).

Beds for Kids FAMILY FUN DAY

This Saturday, June 9th from 11:00 am to 3:00 pm Beds for Kids will have a family fun day in the parking lot at 11020 Bailey Road in Cornelius.

Activities:

- Boot Camp Bounce House with Slide
- Face Painting
- Kids Games (Cornhole, Jenga, Giant Chess, etc.)

Food & Drink:

- Sugar Daddy's Food truck
- Clean Juice
- Papa Robb's Paradise Ice
- D9 Brewing Company

Music:

- Pure Trax Entertainment
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Congregational Meeting

A congregational meeting as been called for 10:45 a.m. on June 17 for the purpose of electing new officers for the class of 2021. [CLICK HERE](#) for the nominees.

Serve

VBS DECORATING– Join us in creating Hero Central! Tuesday June 12 at 7 pm to create decorations. Creative minds needed. Monday June 18 at 7 pm to assemble and put up decorations around the church. All are welcome. Please meet downstairs in Jetton Hall.

MOORESVILLE SOUP KITCHEN– We are always in need of more volunteers when DCPC volunteers cook lunch on the 4th Wednesday of each month. We are there 8:30 a.m.–12:15 p.m., but volunteers can come for any portion of that time. You don't have to come every month. No previous cooking skills are required. If interested, please contact [Margo Wehrung](#). If you are not available on Wednesdays, there are many other volunteer opportunities at the soup kitchen ([CLICK HERE](#)).

HELP FEED CHILDREN– During the school year, the children, of Huntington Green are fed at school, and during summer weeks, Angels and Sparrows provides lunch. But come the weekend, there is no food to be had. Will you help DCPC partner with Caterpillar Ministries to provide 225 bags of food for these children this Summer. Read the simple steps below to see how you can help meet the challenge this Summer. Instructions are located at the information center. You can also contact [Catherine Bragg](#) or [Rosemary Klein](#) with questions. Let's give it our BEST and feed the children of 25 families on the summer weekends! Questions– contact Catherine at the above address.

THANK YOU to all the donors and volunteers who helped to make our last blood drive on June 4th a big success. The DCPC family was praised for their warm and welcoming hospitality and as always their yummy treats! We collected *47 units of blood*, which exceeded our goal of 41. This blood can give up to 141 people another chance at life. Thank you again for your dedication and support of Community Missions while serving others in need.

SIGN UP TO PREPARE MEALS FOR LEVINE & DICKSON

HOSPICE HOUSE IN JULY_DCPC provides meals for families of patients each Tuesday and Thursday in July. Please sign up to help provide part of a meal for 15-20 people. Contact Alice Sudduth alicesudduth@gmail.com or 704-609-0772 or [CLICK HERE to sign up.](#)

LOAVES AND FISHES Bring your canned goods or other non-perishable food items and place them in the grocery carts or baskets for Loaves and Fishes. Deliveries are made each Monday morning.

Faith Formation

Adult Faith Formation

Maloney (9:45 am, Parlor) The Pines (Marshall Room)

June 3: Justice and Sabbath Law, Matthew 12:1-14

Summer ABC - This summer's ABC (Another Bible Class) will start June 24 and continue all the Sundays in July in room 201. To prepare, please read the book "Short Stories by Jesus" by Amy-Jill Levine.

Children's Faith Formation

Summer family Bible reading challenge for details go to dcpc.org: Learn: Children or pick up information at the Faith Formation bulletin board near the church office.

Vacation Bible School is June 25-28 9 am to Noon. Contact Megan May or Elizabeth Martin for more information or to volunteer.

Sunday School will begin again in September at 9:45 am for all ages.

Youth Faith Formation

DCPC Youth is taking a break from our normal schedule over the summer, but we still have some exciting events coming up! You can find details and get signed up over at dcpcyouth.org/summer

Joys and Concerns

Congratulations to proud parents Jacki and Aaron Lane, and big brother, Colton, as they celebrate the birth of a new baby boy, Bryson Reed who was born May 2nd, 2018. Also, congratulations to Elyse and Joshua Stevenson as they also welcome their second son Noah Grey Stevenson. Noah was born June 1st, 2018.

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