

A Service For The Worship Of God

5th Sunday of Easter~ April 29, 2018
9:45 and 11:00 in the Sanctuary

Youth Sunday

*Those who are able, please stand.

Gathering Around the Word

*Hymn 705

You Are Holy
Jesus Loves Me

1. Je - sus loves me! This I know, for the Bi - ble tells me so.
Chorus Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu.
2. Je - sus loves me! This I know, as he loved so long a - go,
3. A maz - ing grace how sweet the sound. That saved a wretch like me
Lit - tle ones to him be - long. They are weak, but he is strong.
Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu.
tak - ing chil - dren on his knee, say - ing "Let them come to me."
Once was lost but now am found. Was blind but now I see.

*Hymn 240

Alleluia, Alleluia!

ALLELUIA NO. 1

Welcome & Announcements

Matt Wiggins

*Call to Worship (adapted from Psalm 22:25–31)

Perfect Pineapples

Leader: We gather today

People: to praise God

Leader: We gather today

People: to search for God

Leader: We gather today

People: to know God has taken charge

All: Let us worship God!

*Hymn 267

Come Christians, Join to Sing

MADRID

*Prayer of Confession

Molasses Honey Bears

Dear God, we are sorry for not listening to you when times are tough. Sometimes when things are difficult or go wrong, we forget about you, we become ungrateful, and we try to solve our problems by ourselves. Please help us to remember you and to lean on you in tough times. Forgive us for only trusting you when things are going our way. Help us to worship you consistently and generously. Help us to spread your love to everyone in the world.

Silent prayers of confession

*Assurance of Pardon

*Passing of the Peace

Hearing the Word

Word for Children

(11:00) Come and See Master Pastors
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

Sen18rs

First Scripture Lesson

1 John 4:17-21

Sermon

Sam Tarry

Anthem

We Will Praise You
Youth Choir
Michael Praetorius

Second Scripture Lesson

Acts 8:26–40

Sermon

Unconditional Faith
Wiley Reddick

*Hymn 14

For the Beauty of the Earth
DIX

Responding to the Word

*Affirmation of Faith: The Apostles' Creed

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Bible Babes, Funky Bunch
& Marky Mark

Prayers of the People and Lord's Prayer

Hobbledehoy

The Offering

Bless the Lord
Youth Choir
Laura Story

(11:00) *Doxology

Hymn 606

*Prayer of Dedication

Fresh Fries

*Hymn 853

We are Marching in the Light of God
SIYAHAMBA

*Charge & Benediction

Baldhead Rob & The Ohio Boys

(11:00) Postlude

Sonata II, Allegro
F. Mendelssohn

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.dcpc.org or 704-892-5641.

LEADING WORSHIP TODAY

Perfect Pineapples
(6th & 7th Grade Girls)

Alex Aiello
Catherine Bragg

Molasses Honey Bears
(6th & 7th Grade Boys)

Matt Wiggins
Scott Grant

Bible Babes
(8th Grade Girls)

Grace Cain
Mary Muchane

Funky Bunch & Marky Mark
(8th Grade Boys)

Jay Harris
Orlando Cruz-Solano

Fresh Fries
(9th Grade Girls)

A.C. Keesler
Kat Seitz

Baldhead Rob & The Ohio Boys
(9th Grade Boys)

Jon Ridgway
Rob Collier

Hobbledehoy
(10th & 11th Grade Girls)

Christina Tarry
Diana Merrifield

Master Pastors
(10th & 11th Grade Boys)

Jon Beeken
Wallace Tarry

Sen18rs
(12th Graders)

Bonita Beeken
Eric Davis

Director of Music: Jane Cain
Associate Director of Music: David Brinson

Sound: Jack Ahearn

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PRAYER CARDS are available in the pew racks or online (www.dcpc.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.

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.

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

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.

SHARE YOUR FOOD with those who are hungry. Bring your canned goods or other non-perishable food items to DCPC and place them in the shopping carts or baskets marked "Loaves and Fishes." A dedicated team of DCPC members delivers these donations every week. Would you like to know how to be a part of the team? Contact Linda Clausen at kenandlindaclausen22@att.net.

UNITY IN COMMUNITY SPEAKER'S SERIES presents Judicial & Prison Reform Needed to Bridge the Racial Divide. The first speaker will be District Attorney, Spencer Merriweather Saturday, May 12 at 10:00 a.m. in the gymnasium at Ada Jenkins Center.

MOTHERS DAY CARDS will be available on April 29 and May 8 for all three services. Designed by DCPC member Betsy Hazelton to say "Thinking of you" many occasions. Donations for the cards will go to Healthy Women Healthy families a mission of PCUSA.

SAGES We are so fortunate to have our own Claire George-Drumheller, Parish Associate for Campus Ministry, speak to us at our May 24 luncheon at 11:00 in the Congregation House. Claire will share her involvement with the students on Davidson Campus and the UKIRK Ministry in our church involving Davidson students. Deadline for reservations is Monday, May 21 by calling the church office (704-892-5641) or email (info@dcpc.org). You won't want to miss this informative presentation and gather for fellowship for our last luncheon until fall!

DINNER WITH FRIENDS The entire congregation as well as all visitors in worship on Sunday, May 6 are invited to have lunch together on the Davidson College Campus in the Vail Commons Dining Hall. Please join us outside in front of the Sanctuary after the 11:00 a.m. Worship Service. Davidson College student, John Crawford, will be holding a "Dinner with Friends" sign, and one of our pastors will give a blessing before we all walk over to the dining hall! ALL ARE WELCOME!

HABITAT FUNDRAISING SUCCESSFUL! Thank you for helping us reach our \$25,000 fundraising goal. We still have two more work days at 9814 Psalms Street, Cornelius on May 5 and May 19. Please also keep Melech and his daughter in your prayers as they prepare to become homeowners. If you have questions please contact John Bosak at johnbosak@yahoo.com. Thanks for being part of this ministry.

ONE GREAT HOUR OF SHARING OFFERING Thank you for helping us meet and pass our goal for One Great Hour of Sharing. To date we have raised nearly \$7000 to help bring about transformation in many lives through Presbyterian Disaster Assistance, The Presbyterian Hunger Program, and Self-Development of People.

PRAY FOR NICARAGUA The news accounts have been disturbing. Protests have been ongoing this past week due to some government policies relating to Social Security. Unrest has been bubbling up for some time. The response to the protests was violent in some cases and over 40 people have died in the resulting conflict – many of them university students. We have spoken with our Mission Co-Worker Tracey King Ortega, with the staff of CEPAD, and with our partners in Kilambe. All are safe and appreciate our continued prayers. There has been opportunity for dialogue in recent days and there is hope for a peaceful resolution. Please continue to pray for this.

Adult Faith Formation

Covenant Class (Congregation House) CHANGE OF TIME FOR APRIL 29. Dr. Barbara Thiede, our enormously popular Rabbi, will teach a three week class on "AntiSemitism" April 29, May 6, and May 13. Because of an unforeseen conflict, she will start the April 29 class at 9:00. The other classes will be at the regular time.

Maloney (9:45 a.m. Parlor) and **The Pines** (9:45 a.m. Marshall Room) Blessings, God, Glory, Honor, Forever, Revelation 5:6-14.

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. It deals with practical application and participation in social justice issues.

Connections (9:45 a.m. Jetton Hall) will have a reflection on learnings from "Parenting Without Guilt."

The Friday Morning Men's Group is moving back to Friday mornings. We meet from 7-8 a.m. in the Parlor at DCPC. We are beginning a study of the book Mending the Divides: Creative Love in a Conflicted World by Jon Huckins and Jer Swigart. This book was a part of the study material for the Border Immersion Team that recently visited the San Diego/Tijuana Border. Join us each week for discussion, fellowship, and prayer each Friday morning.

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

Calendar April 29-May 6

Sunday, April 29

8:00am Youth Sunday Rehearsal
8:30am Worship Service
9:30am Coffee at the Chapel
9:45am Sunday School
9:45am 3rd Grade Bible Class
9:45am Worship Service-Youth Sunday
11:00am Worship Service-Youth Sunday
5:00pm Geneva Choir

Sanctuary
Lingle Chapel
Corner of Lingle Chapel
Various
Upper Room
Sanctuary
Sanctuary
Choir Room

Monday, April 30

7:00am AA
9:30am Shalom Study Group
12:00pm Congregational Care
6:45pm UKirk
7:30pm Pastor Nominating Committee

Jetton Hall
Room 207
Room 201
Sanctuary
Away

Tuesday, May 1

7:00am AA
8:00am Brindisi Class (Men's Bible Study)
10:00am Circle 3
10:30am Circle 4
11:00am Circle 1
2:00pm Stephen Leaders
5:30pm Nicaragua Meeting
7:00pm Stephen Ministry
7:00pm Worship Committee

Jetton Hall
Parlor
Away
The Pines
Parlor
Library
Parlor
Upper Room, Rooms 201, 207
Parlor

Wednesday, May 2

10:00am Covenant Bible Study
10:00am Davidson Career Transition Program
11:30am Intercessory Prayer
3:30pm Membership Committee
4:00pm Kids Club
5:00pm Children's Choirs
5:45pm WNL Dinner
6:30pm A&P Committee
7:00pm Community Missions Committee
8:30pm 9:45 Music Team

Room 201, Congregation House
DUMC
Parlor
Library
Various
Various
Congregation House
Room 201
Parlor
Lingle Chapel

Thursday, May 3

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

Jetton Hall
Parlor
Choir Room

Sunday, May 6

8:30am Worship Service
9:30am Coffee at the Chapel
9:45am Sunday School
9:45am 3rd Grade Bible Class
9:45am Worship Service
11:00am Worship Service
5:00pm Geneva Choir
6:00pm Called Session Meeting

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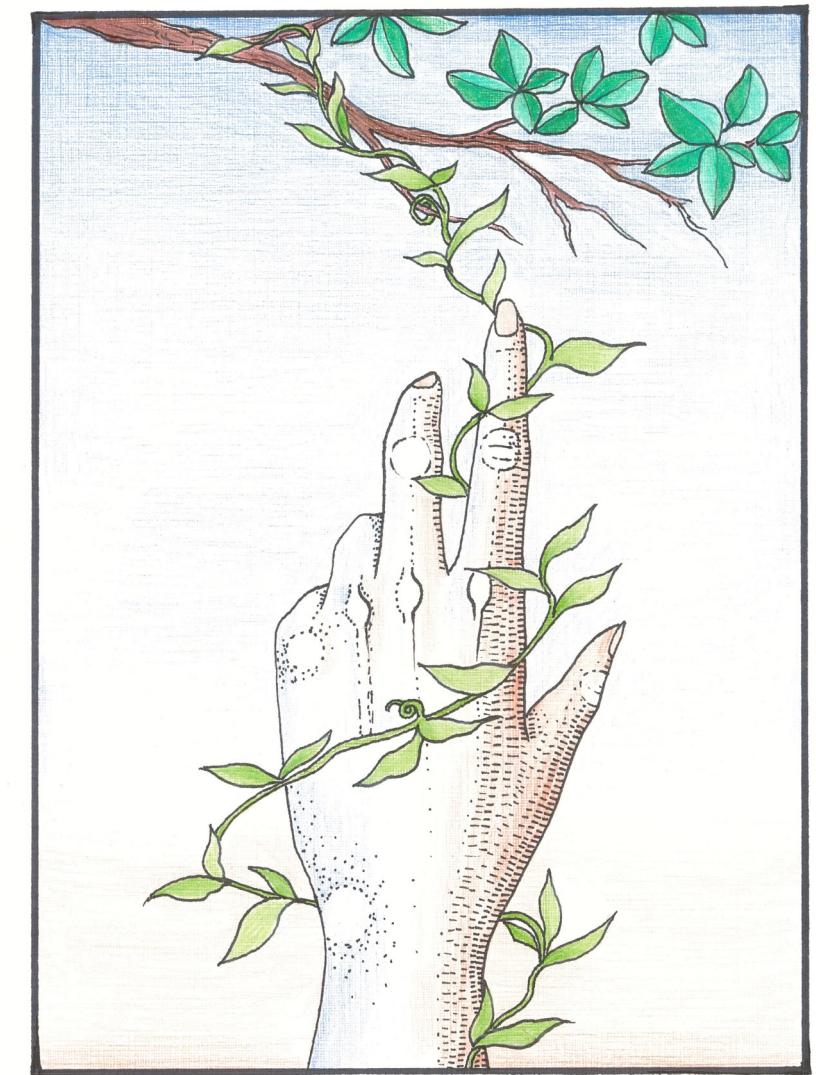
WORSHIP ATTENDANCE

8:30	9:45	11:00	Total
4/22/2018	77	114	271
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DCPC FINANCIAL UPDATE

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

Davidson College Presbyterian Church



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

DCPC Vision Statement