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ANNOUNCEMENTS

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LIFE AT DCPC

Welcome We are delighted you are worshiping with us today. If you would like more information about our ministries, read below or visit dcpc.org.

WORSHIPING

Please let us know you are worshipping with us. Sign the friendship pad or scan the QR code.



The Rose DCPC celebrates the birth of Margaret Anne Hall on May 28th. Parents are Kathleen and Nick Hall. Proud grandparents are Gerry and Kevin Mackenzie.

Summer Worship We will have one service of worship at 10:00 am in the sanctuary, through September 7th.

For Our Children Worship bags and children's bulletins are available at each entrance. In the middle of the sanctuary, we have tables with quiet supplies to keep young hands busy while listening. Parents, please sit nearby and leave spaces and materials tidy.

Free Childcare We provide childcare for ages 0 to 6 in Room 18, which is on the lower level, end of the hallway. We will move back to our regular childcare space after renovation of the bathroom is complete. Childcare is open 9:45-11:30 a.m. for the summer.

Hearing Assistance Devices are available in baskets at each entrance to the sanctuary. If you need assistance, please see a worship leader. We also have Bluetooth capability.

LEARNING

Volunteers Needed Children's Ministry needs help maintaining children's worship bags. This is a great mission opportunity, helping make children more comfortable in worship. Volunteers can help once, once a month, once a semester, or all year long. All help is appreciated. Contact Jenny Alexander for more information at jalexander@dcpc.org.

Children Need You Is God calling you to volunteer in children's ministry? There are lots of ways to help, behind the scenes and directly with children. Prayerfully consider! Contact Jenny Alexander to learn more at jalexander@dcpc.org.

Adult Sunday School The Maloney Class (rm. 215), and The Pines Class (Living Rm) both meet at 9:00 am through the summer. All other Sunday School classes have ended for summer. Classes will resume September 14th.

Summer Book Study— Join us for a 5-week study of Richard Rohr's *The Tears of Things: Prophetic Wisdom for an Age of Outrage*. We'll discuss the Old Testament prophets and the wisdom they offer for navigating our current context. This study is great "for anyone seeking a compassionate way of living in a hurting world." We'll meet Wednesdays at 7 pm in the Parlor and on Zoom. Register via Realm.



SERVING

The Journey House We need a few people to help with the final touches on the Journey House, July 26th at 8:00 am. Please scan the QR code to sign up.



Angels & Sparrows Summer Lunches Volunteers are needed to make 200 bagged lunches July 18th and August 12th in the Congregation House. Scan the QR code to let us know you will be there.



Grocery Bag Ministry Once again, we will be donating bags of food to Angels & Sparrows Community Table and Caterpillar Ministries who will distribute the food to their clients. The need is even greater this year. Please scan the QR code to find ways you can help.



GIVING

Giving During the Summer Consider an automatic, monthly gift to help offset the summer slump. Contact Trish Jones (pjones@dcpc.org) to set that up. And THANK YOU for the recent, new pledges to DCPC. Those commitments matter. It is never too late to make a pledge. You can find an online form at our website or find pledge cards in the Narthex.

LOVING

Congregational Meeting The Session has called a Congregational meeting on Sunday, July 13th at the end of the 10:00 am worship service. The purpose of the meeting is to elect one elder to the class of 2026 and one elder to the class of 2028.

A Day at the Lake Save the date: August 2nd, 11:30 am-2:00 pm. Join us at the Davidson College Lake



Campus. Scan the QR code for details and to sign up.

The Umbrella The Lake Norman area has “A safe, brave and creative space for LGBTQIA+ youth 13 – 18.” In the month of June alone they have had almost 50 youth stop by for social activities, a quiet space, an artistic space and even for some counseling. The Umbrella also hosts a regular meeting of PFLAG, a group for parents and caregivers of LGBTQ+ individuals. If you would like to know more, contact Robert Alexander in the office or Cambria Nielsen, chair of our Mental Health Matters committee.

You are invited Join the DCPC Social Justice Committee at the Charlotte Pride Parade on Sunday, August 17th. DCPC has participated in the Pride Parade for several years, and it is an exciting and joyful event. We will walk together in a large group that includes DCPC, WDAV, and Davidson College. Attendees will depart DCPC at 11:30 a.m. The parade ends at 4:00 p.m. You may register through Realm using the QR code. When you register, let us know if you’d like to order a group t-shirt and what size. The deadline to order t-shirts is August 1. If you have any questions please contact Jacki Lane (jacki.m.wright@gmail.com).



Rest and Renewal DCPC has a sabbatical policy for full-time religious professionals. It can be taken in the seventh year of employment and every seven years after. Peter Henry will start his on June 28th. During Peter’s absence Robert Alexander will be acting head of staff.