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ANNOUNCEMENTS

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LIFE AT DCPC

Welcome We are delighted you are worshipping 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 James Hendrick Pressly Jr. born November 3rd, 2025. Parents are James and Jessie Pressly. Proud grandparents are David and Tammy Pressly.

Organ at Davidson We continue our season by welcoming Davidson College's own Tomasz Robak to the bench. This free recital, originally scheduled for February 1st but postponed due to the weather, will be offered both in person and online on **February 10th, at 7:00 p.m.** For more information, visit www.OrganAtDavidson.org.

LEARNING

Sunday School for Adults meet at 9:45 a.m.

Connections meets in the Congregation House

Covenant Class meets in Davidson College's Dana building #145.

Holland Jubilee meets 216.

Maloney Class meets in Room 215

Reformation Tour to Germany and Switzerland

Registration is now due for this September 2026 trip.

Registration forms can be found in the Burris

Gathering Space and by [clicking this link](#). \$300 for each traveler is due at the time of registration.

Children's Sunday School 9:45-10:45 a.m. Classes for infants through Preschool are on the lower level. Children in TK/Kindergarten through fifth grade are on the upper level. Please check in at a kiosk prior to drop off to receive name tags.

VBS Save the Date We are headed out on an Island Adventure for this summer's Vacation Bible School! Rising K through rising 6th are invited to join us July 6-9 for dinner and activities from 5:30 to 8 p.m. The following week, preschool children in rising PreK 4's through rising K will be welcome on the island, mornings 9 a.m. to noon. If you are interested in guiding our explorers on this adventure, contact one of our Co-Directors, Dorothy Gorman or Margaret Borden, info@dcpc.org.

Youth Group Today, February 8th, we will have a Super Bowl Tailgate in and around the Youth Lounge from 3-4:30 p.m. Bring an appetizer to share, wear your team's gear, play some football, and watch the Puppy Bowl!

SERVING

Souper Bowl of Caring Help members and friends of DCPC score a victory against hunger during the Souper Bowl of Caring. Children, youth and Scouts from our church will be collecting food donations and money during worship this Sunday, February 8th, with donations to go to local hunger ministry partners. Please give generously on a day when Americans spend so much on food while neighbors go hungry.

We will be collecting donations for the Ada Jenkins Center. Their most needed items are:

- Condiments (ketchup, mustard, mayonnaise)
- Canned fruit – low sugar or in juice
- Crackers (all types)
- Instant coffee
- Grits
- Toilet tissue
- Salad dressings
- 3-5 lb. bags of cat/dog food
- full-size (not travel size) shampoo
- Deodorant
- Toothbrushes, toothpaste, Bodywash (full size)
- Diapers: sizes 3, 4, 5, 6
- Adult Incontinence Underwear (like Depends): sizes M, L, XL

The 2025-26 Season of Room in the Inn Join hundreds of DCPC members and friends to help make the colder months more manageable for some of our neighbors who are housing insecure. Each Friday night and Saturday morning we will provide transportation, housing, and three nutritious meals. In addition, we will provide good hospitality, a warm shower, and laundry facilities. Scan the QR Code and find the date that works for you.



LOVING

A Reception to Celebrate Family and Friendship Greet the Gharzais and Murads after Worship on Sunday, February 15th and stay for cake and refreshments. Share in the joys and accomplishments of these two wonderful Afghan families our church has known, loved, and supported for over three years. Come between 12-1:15 to the Burris Gathering Space -- even if you attend an earlier service! Sponsored by the Global Missions Committee.

Support a Neighbor If you are interested in supporting one of our immigrant neighbors, please click on this [Signup Genius link](#). Questions can be directed to [Chase O'Brien](#).

Pancake Supper Join us on Tuesday, February 17th for our second annual Shrove Tuesday pancake supper. It is a buffet style, Mardi Gras themed pancake supper for all ages. Buffet line opens at 5:30 and closes by 7:00. Free for children under 3, \$5 for children 3 through 5th grade, and \$10 for anyone in 6th grade or beyond. \$30 family maximum. Use Realm or call the church office to sign up.



Ash Wednesday February 18th is the start of Lent. We will have a short time of prayer and the administration of ashes at the top of each hour, 8:00 a.m. through 4:00 p.m., in Lingle Chapel. We will also have a service of worship in Lingle Chapel at 7:00 p.m. The evening service will be live-streamed.

Lenten Dinners and Devotionals Join members and friends of DCPC on Wednesdays in Lent for dinner and/or devotionals, February 25th through March

25th. The buffet line opens at 5:45 and closes by 6:45. The devotionals are led by the pastors and they are from 7:00 – 8:00 p.m., also in the Congregation House. We are studying “An Unlikely Lent: the extraordinary people of the Easter story” by Rachel Billups. This study is led by all of the pastors and includes a contemplative, *lectio divina* track. The cost for dinner is: Free for children under 3, \$5 for children 3 through 5th grade, and \$10 for anyone in 6th grade or beyond. \$30 family maximum. Use Realm or call the church office to sign up. You need to sign up for the dinner and/or the devotional separately.



Blood Drive The DCPC blood drive is rescheduled for March 2nd 2:00-7:00 p.m. Scan the QR code to sign up to save a life.

DCPC All-Church Campout April 17-19 It is time to reserve your camp site or cabin (very few available) at Lake Norman State Park. Join us for hiking, campfires, community meals, worship and fellowship. Contact Phaedra Smith or Jenny Alexander for more information. Registration and to learn more on Realm scan the QR code.



Parent Groups Are you looking for connection and support while seeking to raise faith-filled children? A parent group is forming now. We will do an 8-week study using Traci Smith's *Faithful Families Toolkit*. No prep is needed for class! The group will meet whenever is best for those who sign up. Parents of children ages 0-18 are welcome! Contact Jenny Alexander jalexander@dcpc.org

For Just Such a Time as This 311 households have made an estimate of giving for 2026. Thank you! Those households are members and friends of DCPC. They live in the Davidson area and hundreds of miles away. They are long-time members and households considering membership. In other words, the people making plans to support DCPC and our ministries in 2026 is as varied as the people who are share their time and talents, too. Thank you! It is not too late (it never is!) to show your support for our ministries in 2026. You can make your estimate of giving online at dcpc.org or you can find hard copies of the forms in the Narthex and in the Main Office.