

# Davidson College Presbyterian Church



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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](http://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 Pollie Tifton Glass on January 7th, parents are Kailin and Matt Glass. Proud siblings are Mary Everett and Townsend.

**Today's Baptism** We give thanks for the baptism of James Hendrick Pressly, Jr., son of James and Jessie Pressly at today's 11:00 worship service.

**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.

**Worship Sensory Tools** Sensory tools are available in the living room (with high top tables). Borrow an item to aid in self-regulation and focus during worship. These are intended for children, youth, or adults, though the headphones (meant for noise reduction) are fitted for smaller people.

**Free Childcare** We provide childcare for ages 0 to 6 in Room 14, which is on the lower level.

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

### 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 Class** meets 216.

**Maloney Class** meets in Room 215.

**Love and Logic Class** meets in the Congregation House.

**A Divine Reading** Lectio Divina or Divine

Reading is a spiritual practice that focuses on the reading, meditation, prayer and contemplation of biblical texts. Unlike a Bible study, it is a way of reading scripture devotionally in order to foster a deeper relationship with God. This group will meet on Wednesdays, through March 18th from 7-8 p.m. For more information, contact Deborah Conner at [dconner@dcpc.org](mailto:dconner@dcpc.org).

**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.

**Vacation Bible School** We are headed out on an Island Adventure for this summer's Vacation Bible School! Rising K through rising 6<sup>th</sup> are invited to join us July 6-9 for dinner and activities from 5:30 to 8 p.m. The following week, July 13<sup>th</sup>-16<sup>th</sup>, 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](mailto:info@dcpc.org) for registration, [www.dcpc.org/childrens-summer-camps](http://www.dcpc.org/childrens-summer-camps).

## DCPC Youth Donuts & Devotion 9:45am-10:45am

6th-12th graders hangout on Sunday mornings in the Burris Gathering Space to catch up, eat a donut, and do a short devotion together.

## SERVING

**Annual Meeting** The Session of Davidsons College Presbyterian Church has rescheduled the Annual meeting (after the cancellation of the first because of snow) for Sunday, March 15, 2026 at 10:35 a.m. in the sanctuary. The purpose of the meeting is to receive the Annual Report for 2025, to hear financial reports, to elect members of the 2026 Nominating Committee, to approve new terms of call for the pastors, and to fill a vacancy on the Diaconate and a vacancy on the Session.

**Support our Blythe Partnership** Thanks so much to all of you who signed our BIG hearts at worship last week and wrote encouraging messages to the teachers at Blythe! Let's continue spreading that love to teachers, students and families by donating the following much needed supplies:

- Boxes of 24 or 48 crayons
  - Containers of liquid glue
  - Wide ruled, one subject, non-wired composition books
  - Good quality masking tape
  - Black skinny expo markers
  - Girls and boys elastic waist pants in sizes small and medium
  - Used reusable grocery bags to encourage families to not use plastic bags
- Please place all items in the blue bins located in the Cafe just inside the ramp door. Items will be collected through Sunday, March 1st.

**Global Mission Retreat** Today, 2:00-5:30 p.m. in the DCPC Parlor. Our Global Mission Committee is gathering for a time of learning and goal setting. We would welcome anyone interested in Global Missions to join us. Contact Robert Alexander for more information.

**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

**Davidson Bach Festival** Join us March 6<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 p.m., March 7<sup>th</sup> at 11:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. in the sanctuary. Tickets available at <https://www.ncbaroqueorchestra.org/> or at the door.

**Organ at Davidson** The 20<sup>th</sup> season continues with Chase Loomer on March 8<sup>th</sup> at 3:30 p.m. in the sanctuary.

**Lenten Dinners and Devotionals** Join members and friends of DCPC on Wednesdays in Lent for dinner and/or devotionals, through March 25<sup>th</sup>. 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 5<sup>th</sup> grade, and \$10 for anyone in 6<sup>th</sup> 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 March 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2:00-7:00 p.m. Scan the QR code to sign up to save a life.



**Gun Violence Summit** Equipping community members for prevention, safety, and trauma care. Join us March 5<sup>th</sup>, 5:30 p.m. (dinner)-6:30 p.m. (program) in the Congregation House. Please register by March 4<sup>th</sup> by scanning the QR code or in Realm.



**DCPC All-Church Campout April 17-19** Reserve your camp site at Lake Norman State Park. Join us for hiking, campfires, community meals, worship and fellowship. Registration and to learn more on Realm scan the QR code.



## GIVING

**For Just Such a Time as This** 311 households have made an estimate of giving for 2026. Those households are members and friends of DCPC. 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](http://dcpc.org).