DAVIDSON UNITED METHODIST CHURCH





WE WILL BE THE BODY OF CHRIST IN OUR COMMUNITY THROUGH WORSHIP EDUCATION FELLOWSHIP SERVICE

Second Sunday after the Epiphany January 19, 2020

WORDS OF WELCOME

OPENING VOLUNTARY

* OPENING HYMN, No. 73

O Worship the King

There Is a Balm in Gilead

Rev. Alexis Coleman (8:00 and 9:30) Rev. Jim Humphries (11:00)

Johannes Matthias Michel

Trey Williams, organ

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WORDS: Robert Grant, 1833 MUSIC: Attr. to Johann Michael Haydn; arr. by William Gardiner, 1815

* All who are able, please stand.

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. Through your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your name. Amen.

Song of Forgiveness



Words of Assurance

Pastor: Hear the good news: Christ died for us while we were yet sinners; that proves God's love toward us. In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven.

People: In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven. All: Glory to God. Amen.

HYMN RESPONSE (8:00)



WORDS & MUSIC: Daniel Iverson, 1926

HYMN RESPONSE (9:30 and 11:00)

Change My Heart, O God



WORDS & MUSIC: Eddie Espinosa; © 1982 Mercy/Vineyard Publishing

* GOSPEL READING

Matthew 5:1-12

When Jesus saw the crowds, he went up the mountain; and after he sat down, his disciples came to him. Then he began to speak, and taught them, saying:

"Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

"Blessed are those who mourn, for they will be comforted.

"Blessed are the meek, for they will inherit the earth.

"Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they will be filled.

"Blessed are the merciful, for they will receive mercy.

"Blessed are the pure in heart, for they will see God.

"Blessed are the peacemakers, for they will be called children of God.

"Blessed are those who are persecuted for righteousness' sake,

for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

"Blessed are you when people revile you and persecute you and utter all kinds of evil against you falsely on my account. Rejoice and be glad, for your reward is great in heaven, for in the same way they persecuted the prophets who were before you."

Lector: This is the Gospel of our Lord. **People: Praise to you, O Christ!**

Sermon

Rev. Shane Page

#Blessed

* AFFIRMATION OF FAITH, No. 881

I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth;

And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord: who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

* Gloria Patri

MEINEKE



WORDS : Lesser Doxology, 3rd - 4th cent. MUSIC: Charles Meineke, 1844

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE All those who feel led may join the pastor at the altar for prayer.

The pastor will end each petition with: Lord, in your mercy, to which the congregation responds: **Hear our prayer.**

THE OFFERING OF OUR GIFTS

You may also give by texting 704-457-5083 with the amount you would like to contribute to the General Fund or give online at www.davidsonumc.org/finances.

OFFERTORY

Those Who Mourn

Patrick Hawes

The Matins Choir (8:00) The Chancel Choir (9:30 and 11:00)

* Doxology



WORDS & MUSIC: Steve Garnaas-Holmes; © 1992 Abington Press

THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

* The Great Thanksgiving, The Hymnal, pages 15 and 16

The Lord be with you. **And also with you.** Lift up your hearts. **We lift them up to the Lord.** Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. **It is right to give our thanks and praise.** ...And so, with your people on earth and all the company of heaven we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

Holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

...And so, in remembrance of these your mighty acts in Jesus Christ, we offer ourselves in praise and thanksgiving as a holy and living sacrifice, in union with Christ's offering for us, as we proclaim the mystery of faith.

Christ has died; Christ is risen; Christ will come again.

...All honor and glory is yours, almighty Father, now and forever. Amen.

* The Lord's Prayer, No. 895

Communion Music

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Eternal God, we give you thanks for this holy mystery

in which you have given yourself to us.

Grant that we may go into the world in the strength of your Spirit, to give ourselves for others,

in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

***** CLOSING HYMN

Take This Moment, Sign, and Space

Tyler Rae Durkee, bassoon; Emmalee Stapleton, flute; Emily Guerry, oboe



WORDS : John L. Bell MUSIC: John L. Bell and Graham Maule

***** OUR MISSION

We will be the Body of Christ in our community through worship, education, fellowship, and service.

***** BENEDICTION AND RESPONSE

CLOSING VOLUNTARY

Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing

Franklin D. Ashdown

Ryan Singleton, organ

WELCOME!

Davidson United Methodist Church gathers to worship the living God and to share mercy, encouragement, challenge, and hope. Guests are encouraged to stop by the Welcome Center, located behind the Sanctuary, to receive a gift and information about DUMC.
Please sign the fellowship register on the end of the pew and pass it to your neighbor.
All children are welcomed to join their families in worship. If needed, childcare is provided for infants through age 4 on the childcare hall. Childcare workers are background checked and CPR/First Aid certified. If your child needs you while in childcare, you will receive a text.
Children's bulletins and fidgets are available in the Gathering Space. Please see an usher for assistance with any of these items. Devices for the hearing impaired are available from the sound technician. Larger print hymnals are available by the Sanctuary entrance.

WELCOME DAVIDSON COLLEGE STUDENTS!

Davidson Wesley Campus Ministry is the United Methodist campus ministry at Davidson College and is supported by Davidson United Methodist Church. Join us for fellowship, snacks, worship, and discussion on Tuesday nights from 7:30 - 8:30 p.m. in the Eu Hall - first floor.

Missional Prayer Focus

The Missional Prayer Focus for this week is the program Getting Ahead in a Just-Gettin'-By World:
Building Your Resources for a Better Life. This program meets at DUMC on Wednesday nights.
Weekly meetings give participating families the opportunity to learn how to build up their own resources, financial and otherwise, through exploring the role of poverty in their lives, understanding the hidden rules of class, and investigating economic realities.
You can help by praying, by joining participants at the Wonderful Wednesday dinners, and by providing occasional meals. Especially needed are volunteers who have the ability to fix cars.
Contact Julie Johnson (julie6101@aol.com) for more information and to serve. It costs \$1,000.00 per family per year for the program. \$12,000.00 of the DUMC missions budget supports this ministry.

FLOWERS ARE PLACED IN THE SANCTUARY today to the glory of God by the family of Ann Williams in celebration of her birthday.

THOSE SERVING TODAY

LECTORS: Frieda Brown, Heidi Milbredt, RW Williams COMMUNION SERVERS: 8:00 Martha Atwater, Karen Heidrich 9:30 Joanna Wright, Mary T. Crowder-Paden, Andrea Venus, Virginia Herrick, Libby Simonini, Mike Falcone, Melanie Chrencik, Melissa Middelthon 11:00 Mary D.G. Barker, Deanna Wilson, Leamon & Renee Brice, Jack & Ann Russ, Melissa Fuerst, Cheryl Mahoney

PASTORAL CARE NOTE

A DUMC pastor remains on call after hours to be of assistance during emergency situations (death, sudden hospitalizations, etc.). Please call 704-770-1264 (or the Church Office - 704-892-8277 - which provides this number as well) and a pastor will respond as soon as possible. You may arrange pastoral care for all non-emergency events, such as a scheduled surgery or hospitalization, by contacting the Church Office (704-892-8277).

MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. HOLIDAY The Church Office will be closed on Monday, January 20. It will reopen on Tuesday, January 21 at 9:00 a.m.

Opportunities

MAD COLLECTION The Make-A-Difference collection for January is for All-In Guatemala! Place your donations of NEW pens, colored pencils, markers, and small Matchbox size toys in the marked bin in the Church Office.

SANCTUARY FLOWERS Sign up today at the Connect Center to place flowers in the Sanctuary in 2020. There are many open dates. You may also contact Jonna Eichorn (jeichorn@davidsonumc.org or 704-892-8277) to reserve a date and learn more about the process.

SCOUT RELIGIOUS AWARDS CLASSES God & Me (grades 2 - 3) classes will meet Sundays, January 26 and February 2 & 9 from 12:15 to 2:30 p.m. God & Family (grades 4 - 5) classes will meet February 23 and March 1 & 8 from 12:15 to 2:30 p.m. Cost is \$8.00. Sign up at davidsonumc.org under Registrations. **KENYA MISSION TRIP** A ZOE Empowers mission trip to Kenya will be September 1 - 10, 2020. An

interest meeting will be held Sunday, January 26 at 12:00 p.m. in Room 212/214. Lunch will be served. RSVP to Amanda Chaney (amandaschaney@gmail.com).

2020-21 WEEKDAY PRESCHOOL REGISTRATION Register for the lottery January 27 - February 7. You can register online and in the Preschool Office - Room 119 - until 12:30 p.m. during the school week. Preschool tours will be held Wednesday, January 29 and Tuesday, February 4. Reservations are not required. Detailed information about class options and tuition is available at www.davidsonumc.org/ weekdaypreschool. Questions? Contact Nancy Cork (704-896-0082).

FILM & SPIRITUALITY will meet on Tuesday, January 28 from 10:00 a.m. - 1:30 p.m. in Room 213. This month, we will watch and discuss *Lovely*, *Still*, a movie that may help liberate you from the belief that your point of view is the only right one. Bring a snack and drink to enjoy during the movie!

AGING PARENTS SUPPORT GROUP will meet on Tuesday, January 28, 6:30 p.m. in Room 212/214. Guest speaker will be Melissa Lynch RN,BSN,MBA. Melissa and her co-workers will share information on how and when to bring skilled nursing into your home to care for your aging parent.

MEN'S SHELTER LUNCH is Sunday, February 2. Provide food in advance and/or serve lunch at the shelter. See the signup sheet in the Fellowship Hall today or at www.davidsonumc.org under Registrations.

FX: A FAMILY EXPERIENCE for children in kindergarten - grade 5 and their parents will meet Sunday, February 2 at 11:00 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall with a free lunch. Childcare is available for children age 4 and under. Register and request childcare at davidsonumc.org under Registrations.

SCOUT SUNDAY IS FEBRUARY 9. All Scouts are invited to wear their uniforms and help greet or usher at one of the three services. If you have earned a religious, Eagle, or Gold Award since last February or would like to help with worship, sign up at davidsonumc.org under Registrations or contact Heather Smith (hsmith@davidsonumc.org).

CONNECT THROUGH WORSHIP This focused version of the Connect Café will be Sunday, February 9, 9:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. Come, learn about our Music Ministry opportunities for ages birth and up. Staff and lay leaders will be on hand to answer questions. Questions? Contact Charlotte Thomas (cthomas@davidsonumc.org or 704-892-8277).

KAIROS PRISON MINISTRY TEAM is seeking volunteers for our weekend with inmates at Foothills Correctional Institute in Morganton, NC from April 30 - May 3. The Team Meeting Dates are Saturdays: March 7, March 21, March 28, and April 18 with an Instructional Day on Saturday May 9. Contact George Carlisle (g.76.carolinas@gmail.com or 704-609-1299) if you are interested and for information.