



DAVIDSON COLLEGE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

10:00 a.m.

Seventh Sunday after Pentecost

July 7, 2024

GATHERING AROUND THE WORD

The banners in the Sanctuary represent our international partnerships with the Sigona Presbyterian Church in Kenya and the Kilambe communities in Nicaragua. An identical banner is in their worship spaces. Learn more about our partnerships at our website or use this QR code.



Use this QR code to fill out the online friendship pad.



Prelude

* Call to Worship

* Hymn 462 (vs. 1-3) How Firm a Foundation FOUNDATION

Prayer of Confession and Silent Confession

One: Lord, in your mercy.

All: **Hear our prayer.**

Please continue your prayer in silence.

Declaration of Love

One: Hear the good news! In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven!

All: **Thanks be to God! Amen!**

Song of Praise The Lord Is My Shepherd Charlotte Larsen

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The Lord is my shep-herd; I'll walk with him al - ways.

He leads me by still wa - ters; I'll walk with him al - ways.

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Al - ways, al - ways, I'll walk with him al - ways.

Al - ways, al - ways, I'll walk with him al - ways.

* Passing of the Peace

One: The peace of Christ be with you.

All: **And also with you.**

Welcome and Announcements

HEARING THE WORD

Prayer for Illumination

During the month of July, our sermons will be based on psalms. "Psalm Enchanted Summer," as we are calling this series, connects us to the worship life of Jesus and the restoration of psalms in worship by the Reformers of the 16th Century.

At DCPC we have been using an ecumenical version of the Apostles' Creed lately. It is the result of a long, international collaboration among English speaking Christian traditions. You can learn more at <https://www.englishtexts.org/>

Please use this QR code to make an online gift to support our ministries. When you do so, you are impacting the lives of neighbors near and far, including Cuba, Nicaragua, Kenya as well as Huntersville and Cornelius.



Time with Children Come and See

All Sing:

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."

Scripture Psalm 8

One: The Word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

Sermon A Little Lower Peter Henry

RESPONDING TO THE WORD

Sacrament of Baptism
The Apostles' Creed (pg. 17 in hymnal)

Prayer over the Water

One: The Lord be with you.

All: And also with you.

ne: Lift up your hearts.

All: We lift them up to the Lord...

Offertory Dona Nobis Pacem
Summer Choir

* Doxology Clap Your Hands, O Faithful People NETTLETON



Clap your hands, O faith-ful peo-ple! Shout to God a song of praise!



The Most High our land has ran - somed, and will reign as Lord al-ways!



Great the maj-es - ty a - round us, sure the paths our feet have trod;



we are claimed as sons and daugh-ters, chil-dren of a gra-cious God.

* Prayer of Dedication

Communion is one of our oldest worship practices. The book of Acts notes that the disciples were breaking bread in one another's homes as early as the third month after Jesus' death, in 30 CE. The opening words of the prayer of thanksgiving date to as early as the 200s CE.

If you are interested in learning more about our technology ministries, please contact David Brinson. If you are able to operate a mouse or a joystick, you would be perfect. If you are interested in learning more scan the QR code.



The Sacrament of Communion

Invitation

Prayer of Thanksgiving and Lord's Prayer

One: The Lord be with you.

All: And also with you.

One: Lift up your hearts.

All: We lift them up to the Lord

One: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

All: It is right to give our thanks and praise.

One: It is truly right and our greatest joy...

All: Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

Words of Institution

Sharing of the Bread and Cup

Anthem

My All in All
Summer Choir

Prayer after Communion

**BEARING AND FOLLOWING
THE WORD INTO THE WORLD**

- * Hymn 839 Blessed Assurance, Jesus is Mine ASSURANCE
- * Benediction Sailor's Benediction

Worship Leaders
Preachers – Peter Henry
Liturgists – Sheryl Herrema, John Ryan and Tim Stroud
Musicians – 9:45 Music Team and Summer Choir
Technology – Fahad Firdausi, Bill Hatfield, and Kline Pepper
Greeters – Marjorie Burris, Beth Christenbury, Bev Mitchell, and Anne Wright
Ushers- Doug Fitzpatrick, Christy Kramer, Fritz Kramer, and Bill Litzenberger
Lemonade on the Lawn – SAGES (Senior Adults Growing, Engaging, Serving)

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Davidson College Presbyterian Church is part of the [PC\(USA\)](#). As a member of the [Covenant Network of Presbyterians](#), we are a welcoming, affirming, and inclusive faith community where all are one in Christ. We are a Matthew 25, Earth Care and Stephen Ministry congregation on the corner of campus and community. Our congregation celebrates partnerships in Christ with the Sigona Presbyterian Church in Kikuyu, Kenya; and the Kilambe communities in Jinotega, Nicaragua; and Blythe Elementary School in Huntersville, NC. Together we seek to grow in witnessing to Christ in a complex world and to learn more about how to respond as disciples to the great needs of the world. Our sanctuary stands on lands once occupied by the indigenous communities of the Catawba people and our first worship space was built with bricks made by enslaved people. We remember them to God as we honor and recognize them in worship.

Children in Worship

Children are always welcome in worship. Children's worship bags and bulletins are available at the entrances.

Childcare for infants through age 6 is available next door in the Watson building room 119 until our renovation is complete.

Hearing Assistance Devices

Our devices are available in baskets at each entrance to the sanctuary. Each receiver pack has one of two cords: a simple in-ear piece and a T-Coil neck loop. If you need assistance, please see a worship leader.

Pew Cushions

A limited number of pew cushions are available for worshipers with back issues in the narthex.

Narthex Bathrooms

The bathrooms in the narthex (the entry way from the campus, at the back of the sanctuary) are all-gender bathrooms.