#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

April 20, 2025

#### 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.



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 14, which is on the lower level. Next door is a comfort room for young children with a caregiver. You will find a rocking chair, toys, changing table, and live stream of the service.

**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.

# **Easter Sunday at DCPC**

April 20th- Empty Tomb 5K Walk/Run at 6:00 am. Meet at the Davidson Pump House, on South Street between D K-8 and the Greenway, for a 5K walk/run. We finish in time for our Sunrise Communion Service.

**April 20th-** 6:45 Sunrise Communion at the Davidson Pumphouse. 8:45, 9:45 and 11:00 in the Sanctuary.

**April 20**th- Easter Worship at 8:45, 9:45 and 11:00 in the sanctuary. Please drop off fresh-cut

# Learning

steps 8:30 am-10:50 am.

Adult Sunday School Adult Sunday School rooms are: Connections – 201, Covenant - Congregation House ABC, Jubilee – 216, Maloney – 215. Meanwhile, the Pines Class meet in the Davidson Room at the Pines.

flowers for our flowered cross on the sanctuary

Children's Faith Formation We offer 9:45 a.m. Sunday School for all ages. Grades 1-5 are on the upper level and birth through kindergarten/TK are on the lower level.

VBS Needs YOU! Youth (rising 7th-12th) and adults, are you interested in a short-term, fun, and connectional volunteer opportunity? VBS needs small group guides, kitchen help, childcare help, assistants (crafts, recreation). VBS runs June 9-12 at 5:30-8 p.m. Want to learn more? Contact Dorothy Gorman or Amanda Wheeler. Ready to sign up? Use the VBS registration QR code and sign up for free as a volunteer. Add your interest area in the memo section. Registration is open for VBS Road Trip 2025. June 9-12 evenings, 5:30-8 p.m. with dinner. Sign up today by scanning the QR code!

#### Presbyterian Response to Christian

Nationalism Greg Snyder, Doug Ottati and Peter Henry are leading a three-week series on Christian Nationalism from a Reformed/Presbyterian perspective.



April 22<sup>nd</sup>, and 29th and May 6<sup>th</sup>, at 6:30 pm in the Parlor. Register via Realm by scanning the QR code or call the church office.

# Serving

**How About You?** The Nominating Committee is about to start its work of finding our next class

of elders and deacons. If you are interested in serving, or have someone to nominate to serve, send those nominations to <a href="mailto:phenry@dcpc.org">phenry@dcpc.org</a> or <a href="mailto:jmh32@psu.edu">jmh32@psu.edu</a>.

Thank You! Last week we collected 95 coats as part of our first "Coat/Cloak Sunday" (see the Gospel of Luke for context). Those coats are already at Crisis Assistance Ministry and maybe even already sheltering some of our neighbors.

# Loving

Stephen Ministers If you are interested in becoming a Stephen Minister, there will be a training class starting in September 2025. For more information, please contact Dave Dudley at ddudley@hmsracing.com.

Calling All Hikers! The Fellowship
Committee is taking a hike
on Saturday, May 10th, 9:00 a.m.
to 12:00 p.m. and we would like
you to come, too. We are going to
choose the location based on the interests of
those who want to attend. Scan the QR code to
register or call the church office, and let us
know if you have a preferred location. We do
not plan to drive more than 30-35 minutes to
our trail.

### French Wine Tasting Event at Total Wine

May 16<sup>th</sup> from 6:00 – 8:00 p.m.

From the marvelous range of often-overlooked wines of the Loire Valley to the elegant
Chardonnays and Pinot Noirs of
Burgundy, join our own
Matthew Zold for an evening at Total Wine & More in Cornelius. Cost is \$30 per person and this event is limited to 30 registrants, participants must be 21 years or older.

Babysitting is available and provided by members of the high school mission trip as a fundraiser. RSVP via Realm by scanning the QR code or call the church office.

**High School Seniors** June 1st is the day when DCPC will recognize our graduating high school seniors in worship and with a luncheon following worship. Be on the lookout for more information including RSVPing for the events.

Welcome Diana! Our new Church Administrator, Diana Ruso, started on April 1. If you have questions about finances, property or administration, contact Diana at druso@dcpc.org.

**Looking to Join DCPC?** The next new member class for DCPC is on Sunday, May 4th. If you are interested in membership, please contact Stephanie Malushizky (smalushizky@dcpc.org).

# **Giving**

Planned Giving Thank you to the members and friends who have made commitment to support the ministries of DCPC in perpetuity by becoming participants in the DCPC Endowment Fund. To learn more about how you can empower ministry into the future, contact Trish Jones (pjones@dcpc.org), visit the Planned Giving page of our website. And thank you to a WDAV/You Tube worshiper who contacted us to start the process to make an endowment gift!

Giving Year to Date We know there is concern about the economy, which is why we are grateful for everyone who continues to regularly and faithfully support the ministries of DCPC. Year-to-date, through March 31st, our giving is ahead of budget, which is important for the slow down in giving over the summer months. Want to help offset that slow-down? Consider automatic, monthly gifts. Contact Trish Jones (pjones@dcpc.org) to set that up. And THANK YOU to 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.