



DAVIE STREET
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH (USA)

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 Davie Street Presbyterian

*IS GOD
WITH
US?*

Welcome!

Blessings be upon you in the name of our Lord & Savior Jesus Christ! We are a congregation of the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.), and we welcome you into this community of faith. It is our prayer that having heard the Word of God you will go out and share God's love in service to others.

SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

October 18, 2020

11:00 A.M.

Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost/ Proper 24

GATHERING AROUND THE WORD

Church Announcements

MINISTER: Let us worship God.

Call to Worship

Elder Michael McCalla

Leader: Let us come into God's presence with thanksgiving.

People: Let us make a joyful noise to God with songs of praise!

Leader: The Holy One is a great God, and a ruler above all gods.

People: In God's hand are the depths of the earth and also the heights of the mountains.

Leader: For the One who formed us and all the world is our God.

All: And we the people of God's pasture, and the sheep of God's hand.

Prayer of the Day

God, you are our refuge. When the world gets to be too much with us, we turn to you for consolation and healing. Help us today to hear your words of compassion. Enable us to be those who would willingly serve all people in need. For we ask these things in the name of Jesus our Lord. **Amen.**

***Opening Hymn** *"Come Thou Font of Every Blessing"*

Mr. Glenn Little

***Prayer of Confession (Unison)**

God, the fount of every blessing, your streams of mercy never cease to flow. Why do we, at the first sign of trouble, begin to doubt you? We harden our hearts, insisting you solve the problems we put to you. We hoard what we fear we might lose. We abandon hope, though you shower us with your love and power. Forgive our faithless hearts and make them more like yours—steadfast and full of love. Amen.

Silent Confession

Rev. Urla Eversley-Moses

Declaration of Pardon

The good news in Christ is that when we face ourselves and God with the awareness of our need, we are given grace to grow, and courage to continue the journey. Friends believe the good news of the gospel, in Jesus Christ we are forgiven.

Passing the Peace

Leader: Let the peace of Christ rule in your hearts. To this peace we were called as members of a single body. The peace of Christ be with you.

PROCLAIMING THE WORD

Prayer for Illumination

Holy Spirit, illumine our hearts and minds, open our ears that we may hear these ancient texts, anew. We believe that faith comes by hearing and hearing comes by the Word of God. Enable us to hear so that our faith may be strengthened and renewed. Amen.

Old Testament Reading *Exodus 17:1-7*

New Testament Reading *1 Corinthians 10:1-4*

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God!**

Hymn

Sermon *“Is God With Us?”* **Rev. Urla Eversley-Moses**

Affirmation of Faith In Unison – (excerpt from a Brief Statement of Faith)

In life and in death we belong to God. Through the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit, we trust in the one triune God, the Holy One of Israel, whom alone we worship and serve.

We trust in Jesus Christ, Fully human, fully God. Jesus proclaimed the reign of God: preaching good news to the poor and release to the captives, teaching by word and deed and blessing the children, healing the sick and binding up the brokenhearted, eating with outcasts, forgiving sinners, and calling all to repent and believe the gospel. Unjustly condemned for blasphemy and sedition, Jesus was crucified, suffering the depths of human pain and giving his life for the sins of the world. God raised this Jesus from the dead, vindicating his sinless life, breaking the power of sin and evil, delivering us from death to life eternal.

The Prayer of Intercession

The Offering

SENDING THE WORD INTO THE WORLD

* Closing Hymn

Mr. Glenn Little

* The Benediction

Remember! Our Church theme for 2020 is “Becoming involved in our local Community”

Week of October 18, 2020
Rev. Urla Eversley-Moses, Guest Preacher

Mrs. Leah Harris	Church Secretary
Mr. Glenn Little	Director of Music & Organist
Mrs. Ardis Bridges	Clerk of Session
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Today	9:30 a.m. Sunday Church School
	11:00 a.m. Morning Worship
Tuesday	12:00 noon Midday Prayer Service
Wednesday	7:00 p.m. Choir Rehearsal
3rd Thursday of the month	6:30 p.m. Family Night Dinner
4th Thursday of the month	7:00 p.m. Testimony & Prayer Service

**Please call the office before coming or setting up appointments.
The Pastor is available for home visitations.**

President of the October Birthday Club
Mrs. Ellen C. Williams

Please remember our Sick and Shut-in Members:

Dorothy Hinton

Bobby Holloway

Dorothy Davis

Francis Holloway

We will resume Midday Prayer this Tuesday, October 20th at noon using Zoom.

Today is Missions Sunday! Don't forget to give towards this ministry. Thank you!

SAVE THE DATE!

***November 8, 2020
151st Anniversary/Homecoming Service***

“The Times They Are A ‘Changing”

Guest Minister: Rev. Ashley-Anne Masters

Virtual Worship service go to: daviestpresbyterian.org

Your DSPC Anniversary/Homecoming Committee is hard at work planning other safe activities that promote our 2020 mission of “Getting Involved With the Community” ... stay tuned!

Davie Street will have its Congregational Meeting on Sunday, October 25th. Rev. British Hyrams will be the Moderator. Please submit your organizational reports by Monday, October 19th to the church email: daviestreetpc@raleigh.twcbc.com

Rev. Bruce Grady will moderate the Session meeting October 27th. Thank you, and more details will come soon!

If you are experiencing a pastoral emergency, please contact either Mrs. Leah Harris at the Church or Elder Felecia Hardy.

Sunday School will continue by Conference Call this Sunday at 10am with Lesson Text: Isaiah 45:1-7 and Lesson Title: *The Lord's Call*

Please Dial (425) 436-6317 to join and enter Passcode: 442765

You are invited to join us for an Intercessory Prayer Conference call on Thursday evenings at 7:15 pm. For more information, please contact Bill or Maggie Thomas.

We are all concerned about the spread of the coronavirus or COVID-19. The CDC has issued guidelines on prevention and the Presbyterian Disaster Assistance has issued a Pandemic Preparedness Guide.



Are you putting aside your pennies at each mealtime? Please do what you can to support the Presbyterian Hunger Program. The Fourth Quarter Cents-Ability offering total was \$80.43.

Thank you for your giving.