



# DAVIE STREET

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## *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**

**September 25, 2022**

**11:00 A.M.**

## **Sixteenth Sunday After Pentecost**

**Rev. Bruce T. Grady, Guest Minister  
Elder Nakotey Hervie, Liturgist  
Katie Aufenthie, Guest Musician**

### **GATHERING AROUND THE WORD**

**Organ Prelude**

**Announcements**

**Liturgist**

**Minute for Mission**

**Nominating Committee  
Mission Study Team**

**Call to Worship**

**Liturgist**

Come and worship!

**We will praise the One between, within, and over.**

Trust in the One who co-creates the was, the now, and the will-be.

**Our hope is in the One who creates expansive love calling us to do the same.**

Follow the One who never breaks covenant.

**We follow the One whose extravagant love calls us to co-create justice for the oppressed,**

**feed the hungry, unlock prisons,**

**and welcome strangers, orphans, and widows.**

Praise the One whose justice is grace-full and inclusive.

**We praise the Spirit that spans the ages. Amen!**

**Hymn of Praise #271 AAH “Majesty, Worship His Majesty”**

**Prayer of the Day****Liturgist**

God help us to change.

To change ourselves and to change our world.

To know the need for it.

To deal with the pain of it.

To feel the joy of it.

To undertake the journey without understanding the destination.

The art of gentle revolution.

Amen.

**Call to Confession****Liturgist**

**We come to worship to praise God, but also we remember our own faults and problems. Let us now turn to God in confession together.**

**Prayer of Confession****Liturgist**

Sometimes God we take ourselves so seriously

—our opinions, our emotions, our needs, our entitlements—  
that we fail to notice our effect on others.

And we do not make connections between our limitless wants  
and the resources left for others.

We do this without knowing it.

Bring our awareness to Justice for all

to the common good, to your universality of blessings.

Remind us you love all.

**Silent Confession**

**Assurance of Pardon**

**Rev. Bruce T. Grady**

The God of salvation,  
who desires everyone to be saved and to come to  
the knowledge of truth,  
offers forgiveness to each of us through the  
Redeemer sent in human form.

We are grateful that over and over we are given  
the chance to begin again  
and that nothing we have done can separate us  
from God’s love.

**Passing the Peace**

**Rev. Bruce T. Grady**

Leader: The peace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you.

People: **And also, with you.**

**PROCLAIMING THE WORD**

**Prayer for Illumination**

**Rev. Bruce T. Grady**

**The Scripture Lessons:**

Old Testament Lesson: Jeremiah 32:1-3a, 6-15

New Testament Lesson: Psalm 91:1-6, 14-16

Leader: The Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God!**

**Musical Selection #461 AAH “Give Me A Clean Heart”**

**Reflection “When Gates Divide Us” Rev. Bruce T. Grady**

**Hymn #159 AAH “ God Never Fails”**

**\*Affirmation of Faith** (The Apostle's Creed)

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 Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on 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 Ghost; the holy catholic Church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

**Intercessory Prayer**

Lord, your word tells us that there is great good in godliness combined with contentment; that as we brought nothing into this world, so we can take nothing out of it. Help us, dear Lord, to be content with what we have; to seek heavenly treasures rather than those things of this world which rust corrodes and moths consume. Grant that we might be people who share the wealth that you have provided; that we might be ones who share both the bread and wine of earth and the bread and wine of heaven...

**Lord hear our prayer...**

Father, we especially pray today for those who like Lazarus are ignored or neglected and left to suffer in our world; those who live in poverty within our town and province, and those who lie in great suffering at the gates of our nation...

O God, bind your people together and make us bright and shining witnesses to your compassion and your grace as they are revealed in the law and the prophets and in Christ Jesus, the one you raised from the dead...

**Lord hear our prayer...**

Hear too, we pray, the petitions and the intercessions of our hearts for those who govern and are in authority; for those who are lost in sin and despair; for those who need healing; and for those who seek to serve as Jesus served. We especially hold before you today (bidding prayers).

**Lord hear our prayer...**

We ask these things and we give you our thanks and praise, and our minutes and our days, through Jesus Christ our Lord, who taught us to pray as one family, saying Our Father...

*(The Lord's Prayer)*

Amen.

. . . and now . . .

**Call to Offering**

**The Offering**

**Liturgist**

**Offertory Prayer**

**Liturgist**

**Offertory Response # 156 AAH "God Is So Good"**

**SENDING THE WORD INTO THE WORLD**

**Closing Hymn #480 AAH "I Am On the Battlefield"**

**\* The Charge and Benediction**

**Rev. Bruce T. Grady**

As we leave this place, may our eyes be opened to those who lie at our gates. With the love of Christ within us, may we see the hungry and the hurting, the abused and the forgotten. And may we seek to share the blessings we have been given. In the name of God, Creator, Redeemer and Sustainer, may we go out and live the Kingdom.

Amen

## **CHURCH STAFF**

|                                      |   |
|--------------------------------------|---|
| <b>Rev. Dorothy “Dot” J. Killian</b> | Interim Pastor  |
| <b>Mrs. Leah Harris</b>              | Church Secretary  |
| <b>Director of Music</b>             | Vacant  |
| <b>Mrs. Ardis Bridges</b>            | Clerk of Session  |
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| <b>Church Website</b>                | <u><a href="http://www.daviestpresbyterian.org">www.daviestpresbyterian.org</a></u>         |

### *ANNOUNCEMENTS*

*For The Week of September 25*

*President of the September Birthday Club*

*Ms. Michelle Evans*

On September 11, 2022, the Twelve Meld Club, which has ceased its operations, donated five-hundred-dollars (\$500) to Davie Street Presbyterian Church's Capital Campaign in memory of the late Mrs. Floreiss Albritton Turner. Mrs. Turner passed away on March 2, 2006. She is remembered by long-standing church members as a conscientious, committed servant of God. We will donate \$200 of this gift to create a **brass pew marker** in Mrs. Turner's memory. She is certainly smiling down on the members of the Twelve Meld Pinochle Club and Davie Street Presbyterian Church.

**Reminder:** The last day to purchase brass pew markers before homecoming is October 15, 2022 so they can be engraved and mounted on the sanctuary pews in time for our 154th anniversary celebration. We only have a few markers left to sell. Each marker is \$200. Please use the order form found in the Fellowship foyer.

### **Technology Team Recruiting**

If you have any interest in technology or learning more about technology, please join us on the Technology Team. Currently, we videotape all church services, keep the website and Facebook up to date, and work on the newsletter as we strive to improve the communications in the Church. You are not expected to participate in all phases unless you chose to do so. We are interested in you. Please see one of the Tech Team members to express your interest.



## *Intercessory Prayer*

Intercessory Prayer is held via conference call each Thursday evening beginning at 7:15 p.m., led by Maggie & Bill Thomas and Marcia Micheal. The Conference Call #: 425-436-6317  
Access Code: 442765

## *SUPPORT ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL*

**Adult Sunday School will be held by Conference Call this Sunday at 9:45am.**

**PLEASE CONTINUE COLLECTING YOUR CENTS-A-BILITY COINS!**

Habitat for Humanity Lunch dates that Davie Street will be sponsoring are as follows:

October 1<sup>st</sup>, November 5<sup>th</sup>, and December 3<sup>rd</sup>. We are still accepting donations. Please contact Leah at the church office to donate. Thank you for all of your support!

If you are experiencing an emergency, please contact Rev. Killian at (803) 230-2530. You may also contact Leah at the church office. The office is open on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 1:00-4:00 p.m. Please call the church before coming.

## *Nominating Committee*

**Nominations are now open for the offices of Elder, Deacon, and Trustee.**

**Nomination forms and description of offices are available on the table in the foyer.**

**Marilyn Huling  
Michael Pollard  
Co-Moderators**

### **Nominating Committee Members:**

*Edna Blue*

*Pauline Goza*

*Sharyn McCalla*

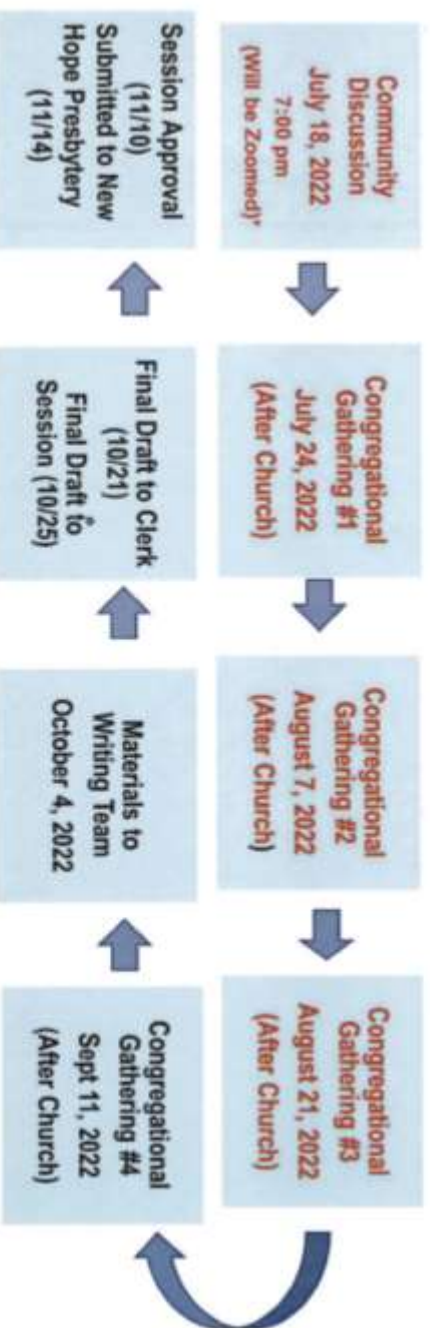
*James Hardy*

*Jackie Benbow*

*Lawrence Williams*

## Mission Study Team Calendar 2022

*\*red denotes the next event*



## MISSION STUDY TEAM

*The second step of the process for calling an installed pastor is a Mission Study. The Mission Study is designed to survey the congregation, demographics, and the community. From the information gathered, the entire congregation will discern the mission and vision for Davie Street Presbyterian Church. All members and associates will be invited to participate in the Mission Study through a series of Congregational Gatherings which will take place after worship and will be available virtually. Boxed lunches will be provided. The results of these gatherings will be compiled into a report which must be approved by the session and by the Committee on Ministry of New Hope Presbytery. Once the Mission Study Report is approved, it will be presented to the congregation. At that time, the congregation will be ready to elect a Pastor Nominating Committee (PNC).*

*The session appointed the following members to serve as coordinators of the Mission Study Team: Bill Thomas, Barbara Harris, Ruby Daniels, Ray Harris. Also assisting will be Everett Ward, Pauline Goza, Terrance Woodyard, Joni Coburn, Pam Woodyard, Leah Harris, Dan Blue and Charles Tita. Other members will be asked to provide information for specific portions of the study.*

**DAVIE STREET PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH  
MISSION STUDY TEAM CALENDAR 2022**

|                |  |
|----------------|--|
| JUNE 9         | BRAINSTORMING SESSION  |
| JUNE 14        | ORIENTATION MEETING  |
| JULY 18        | COMMUNITY DISCUSSION   |
| JULY 24        | FIRST CONGREGATIONAL GATHERING                                     |
| AUGUST 7       | SECOND CONGREGATIONAL GATHERING                                    |
| AUG 21         | THIRD CONGREGATIONAL GATHERING                                     |
| SEPT 11        | FOURTH CONGREGATIONAL GATHERING                                    |
| <b>SEPT 29</b> | FINAL MATERIALS DUE TO LEAH  |
| OCT 4          | MATERIALS SUBMITTED TO WRITING TEAM                                |
| <b>OCT 21</b>  | FINAL DRAFT OF REPORT TO BE COMPLETED AND SENT TO CLERK OF SESSION |
| OCT 25         | FINAL DRAFT PRESENTED TO SESSION                                   |
| NOV 4          | DEADLINE FOR WRITTEN EDITS FROM SESSION                            |
| <b>NOV 10</b>  | CALLED SESSION MEETING TO APPROVE REPORT                           |
| <b>NOV 14</b>  | REPORT SUBMITTED TO NEW HOPE PRESBYTERY                            |

**CONGREGATIONAL MEETING WILL BE SCHEDULED UPON  
NOTICE OF APPROVAL BY THE PRESBYTERY OF NEW HOPE**

## Capital Campaign Fundraisers

As of September 1, 2022, our mortgage was \$970,689.70. During this third, 3-year pledge period, we plan to aggressively reduce our mortgage debt and need your help. COVID 19 requires us to identify fundraisers that do not require face-to-face activities.

Beginning today, 50 brass pew markers are on sale for \$200 each. The markers will match the existing ones on the backs of the pews in the sanctuary.

The markers will be installed on the pews in time for our November 154<sup>th</sup> anniversary celebration. If you know anyone who may be interested in purchasing one of the markers, please contact any member of the Capital Campaign Committee to place the order.



We are also offering opportunities for people to name rooms and dedicate stained glass windows. The items and prices are listed below.

### These additional items may be ordered at any time

| STAINED GLASS WINDOWS                            | QUANTITY | PRICE/WINDOW |
|--|----------|--------------|
| Sanctuary  | 4        | \$10,000     |
| Old Fellowship Hall                              | 2        | \$8,000      |
| Rooms off Old Fellowship Hall                    | 2        | \$5,000      |
| New Fellowship Hall Entrance<br>(Small windows)  | 2        | \$7,000      |
| New Fellowship Hall Entrance<br>(Largest window) | 1        | \$8,000      |
| New Fellowship Hall<br>(Side door windows)       | 2        | \$6,000      |

| NAMING ROOMS                      | QUANTITY | PRICE/ROOM |
|-----------------------------------|----------|------------|
| New Fellowship Hall               | 1        | \$100,000  |
| Classrooms in New Fellowship Hall | 2        | \$25,000   |
| Choir room                        | 1        | \$50,000   |
| Kitchen                           | 1        | \$15,000   |
| Side Rooms in Old Fellowship Hall | 2        | \$15,000   |



## Davie Street Presbyterian Church

