

# THE CONNECT

Rev. Terry Epling – Interim Pastor

Rev. Dr. Andrew Kasberg – Associate Pastor

## DPC Student Take-Over Sunday

The lazy days of summer are coming to a close as students everywhere head back to the classroom. Backpacks, school supplies, busy schedules, and homework are about to replace swimming, playing, staying up late, and travel! Whether you're dropping off your first Kindergartner this year or you watched your youngest graduate from college years ago or you're somewhere in between, you're not going to want to miss worship at DPC on August 19th.

As our students transition into another year of learning, we are going to encourage them and support them and love them. Please join us as we pray over all those headed into a classroom this season. Seriously, grab everyone you know, get into a seat, and buckle up because this is going to be a celebration like none other you've experienced here before. Our student ministry is taking over! Our DC Students are leading us through every aspect of all three of our worship services from greeting to preaching the message! You are NOT going to want to miss this. God has blessed our student ministry in so many ways over the course of this past year. We have grown by well over 50% and God keeps adding to our student family. We recently returned from a summer camp experience where we dug into God's word and worshiped and prayed and bonded as one body. These students are on fire, filled with the Holy Spirit, and ready to hit the ground running this school year. My prayer for each of you is that you will find your way into a seat on Sunday and then watch as our future leads us to the throne room of our King in ways that only they can!

-Becky Kronauge

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## Events

### Happening at DPC

- Aug 22** Kitchen Clean Up
- Aug 25** Strategic Water Team's Bowling Night
- Aug 26** Joy in Haiti Benefit Concert
- Sept 5** Wednesday Night Dinners/Classes Begin
- Sept 9** New Member Inquiry Class
- Sept 16** 199<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration Sunday
- Sept 19** DPC Blood Drive
- Oct 6** Bonfire/Hayride
- Oct 7-21** DPC Annual Coat Drive
- Nov** Operation
- 12-19** Christmas Child Collection

## Upcoming Events

### The Bible Project 2.0

The Bible Project 2.0 starts on Wednesday, September 5 and Sunday, September 9. The 5:30pm Wednesday class will meet in C4/C6 (beside Watson Hall) and will be led by Connie Eubank and Pat Tony. The 6:30 pm Wednesday Class is so large it will meet in two places—Myers Conference Room and Watson Hall; the teachers will be Benny Hedden, Larry Mundhenk, Don Eoff and Bill Ross. On Sunday the 9:30 am class will meet in Watson Hall (by the grace of Karen Loechner & CE) and it will be led by Harriet Polleschultz, Rob McCoy and Christopher Grimes. AND the Sunday 11:00 am class will meet in Watson Hall and the teachers will be Nancy Reynolds and Doris Struble. For anyone who still might wish to enroll, enrollment cards are available around DPC halls and on our website [www.bibleproj.com](http://www.bibleproj.com). Keep us in your prayers. God honors his Word and those who honor him by attending to Scripture.

### Time Change/Alternate Classes for Bible Project September 16<sup>th</sup> – Anniversary Sunday

9:30 am Bible Project class on Genesis 1 will not meet at 9:30 September 16, because it's DPC 199<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Sunday service for all at 9:30. So Students are asked to choose one other option:

- A. Sun., Sept 16, 8:00 a.m., Myers Conf. Room
- B. Sun., Sept 16, 11:00 a.m. Class, Watson Hall
- C. \*Wed., Sept. 12, 5:30 p.m. Class C4 / C6
- D. \*Wed., Sept. 12, 6:30 p.m. Class Myers Conf. Room or Watson Hall

\*NOTE: This is Wednesday, PRIOR to Sunday, September 16. Wednesday classes PRECEDE Sunday classes in subject matter. Confused? See [www.bibleproj.com](http://www.bibleproj.com) link on front page.

### 199<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration: September 16<sup>th</sup>

Dardenne Presbyterian Church was organized as a congregation in 1819. We'll celebrate the 199<sup>th</sup> anniversary with a special service on Sunday, September 16<sup>th</sup> at 9:30 a.m. There will be one worship service that day for everyone.

### Sing and Ring Praises to the LORD

“Sing to the LORD a new song; sing to the LORD, all the earth. Sing to the LORD, praise his name; proclaim his salvation day after day.” Psalm 96: 1-2

Where did the summer go? In a few short weeks our Wednesday Night Children's Choir Program will be starting up. Joyful Voices, for our very youngest singers ages 4 and 5, will resume on Sept. 5<sup>th</sup> at 5:30-6:00. Please note this is one half hour later than in the past. We hope that this new time will allow more time for families to eat together. We will also be moving to rooms B-3 & 4 in the Adam Lamb Hall. Hopefully this will relieve some of the congestion by the Choir Room (B-11).

This precious group of young singers will praise the LORD in Worship several times this season, participate in the annual Choir Christmas Program on December 2, and also sing for a special event in the Spring.

Along with seasonal music we will be learning songs that will help teach our children the foundations of the Christian faith, Biblical truths on which to build their lives.

There is no need to preregister. However, if you have any questions please contact Karla Leigh at [MissKarla@earthlink.net](mailto:MissKarla@earthlink.net) “Train a child in the way he should go, and when he is old he will not turn from it.” Proverbs 22:6

### Fall Study – 2018 - Monday Morning Women's Bible Study Bible Study

Have you ever had trouble figuring out if you're hearing God's voice or following your own instincts in making decisions? If so, please join us for 8 weeks beginning Sept. 10 as Priscilla Shirer leads us in her study, DISCERNING GOD'S VOICE – How to Recognize When God Speaks.

To sign up, please email [bbusse924@charter.net](mailto:bbusse924@charter.net) or call 636-300-3996. The cost of the workbook is \$12.99. (The books will be ordered on August 27<sup>th</sup>.)

We meet in Myers Conference Room from 9:30 -11 a.m., watch the DVD, and have small group discussion. Consider joining us and bring a friend!

### HOPE Food Pantry for August (With School Supplies Addition)

- Canned Beef Stew/Hash, Granola Bars, Saltine Crackers and Dry Mashed Potatoes

Thanks to your continued generosity, we had enough school supplies to meet the needs of all of our kids at HOPE. We greatly appreciate your help.

## Opportunities to Serve

### Fellowship Dinners Begin September 5, 2018

**Kitchen Angels** will be serving dinner 4:45-6:00 (note time change) each **Wednesday** beginning **Sept 5th**. Please join us in the CLC for a good meal and great fellowship.

**Cost by Ages:** 0-11yrs FREE; 12-17yrs \$3.00; 18 - 89yrs \$5.00; 90-100yrs FREE.

**Menu** for Fellowship Dinner Sept 5: Meatloaf, Mashed Potatoes/Gravy OR Macaroni & Cheese, Green Beans, Broccoli Salad OR Apple Sauce, Dump Cake.

### Mother's Day Out Accepting Applicants

The Mother's Day Out program is accepting applications for a Thursday lunch room aide/office assistant. Please contact Karen Loechner at [karen.loechner@dpc4u.org](mailto:karen.loechner@dpc4u.org) or call 636-561-4347 ext. 230 for a job description and application.

### Daily Devotions

Looking for an additional way to partake in daily devotion? Be sure to visit the table in the Narthex to purchase a copy of "Our Daily Bread" and "These Days." Each quarterly devotional contains daily inspiration, meditation and prayer. This is a **SELF FUNDING** service, the church does not pay for these devotionals. The money earned from the sale of the devotionals is used to order more. When purchasing, please be sure to place \$1.25 in the collection containers available on the table.

### Quilts of Valor Needs Your Help

Quilts of Valor for Eastern Missouri is a group of 75+ ladies who make hand-made quilts for American Veterans who have served in combat in any branch of the military. We'll be at DPC October 2<sup>nd</sup> to quilt. We need several helpers to unload our trailer and bring down tables and chairs on October 1<sup>st</sup> at 12 p.m. We could also use helpers on October 2<sup>nd</sup> from 2:30-4 p.m. to help with the tear-down and clean-up process. This is a great opportunity to give back, and Quilts of Valor plan to add to the 80 quilts previously made at DPC and given at our Patriotic Music Programs. Call Brenda Kenney if you'd like to help. (636) 699-2957

### A Special Thank You from Tim and Lisa Borrson and Jimmy

A big hug and thanks for all the calls, texts, emails, cards and visits we received on the passing of my mom. Although Mom was ready, her death creates an emptiness for those who loved her. God, in His grace, used her to save me and His grace covers me now in my loss. Thank you to our Dardenne family. Love, Tim and Lisa Borrson and Jimmy.

### Inquiry Class (New Members Class)

Have you just found Dardenne Church, and are impressed with its friendliness? Or have you been a regular visitor for some time, and finally decided to be a part of the church family? Maybe you have been a member for years and just want to learn more about what goes on around Dardenne? If you can answer yes to any of these questions, you will be interested to hear that **the next Inquiry Class begins Sunday September 9<sup>th</sup>**. This class is more than a membership class. It is designed to tell you more about the rich history of Dardenne Church, what we believe, what it means to be Presbyterian, and how you can get more involved in the life and work of Christ's church on earth. Sessions are held on Sunday mornings during the 9:30 AM worship hour for five weeks and meet in The Rock Church (at the east end of the property). The last class will be held on **October 14<sup>th</sup>**. \* We would like you to **pre-register by marking your interest on the pew pad, connect card or calling the church office**. If you have questions, please contact the church office, 636-561-4347 ([office.admins@dpc4u.org](mailto:office.admins@dpc4u.org)) or, Lowell or Shirley Barnes, 636-561-4195 or ([lowell\\_barnes@charter.net](mailto:lowell_barnes@charter.net)). We look forward to hearing from you!

\* *You sly fox, you probably noted that October 14<sup>th</sup> is six weeks after September 9<sup>th</sup>. You're right! We're not meeting on September 16<sup>th</sup> due to the celebration of DPC's 199<sup>th</sup> year anniversary on that date.*

### Fall Book Club

September: "The Wright Brothers" by David McCullough

October: "The Japanese Lover" by Isabel Allende (NOTE: Book Discussion Kit)

November: "The Keeper of Secrets" by Julie Thomas

December: Christmas Book TBD

### The Pastor Search

Want to know what is happening in the process of finding a Senior Pastor? Speak with a member of the PNC (Pulpit Nominating Committee) to find out.

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|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| 1. Marty Provin (636) 329-1088    | 6. Stuart Huddleston (636) 795-2390  |
| 2. Larry Trevathan (662) 306-9552 | 7. Julie Chapin (636) 978-4810       |
| 3. Pam Ford (636) 300-1309        | 8. Rachael Wilcox (636) 352-7520     |
| 4. Mike Fridley (636) 561-3178    | 9. Lisa Elles-Borrson (314) 703-7152 |
| 5. Charles Poe (636) 698-4226     | 10. Steve Collier (314) 374-2130     |

**Shepherding Care Coordinator**

If you have any needs from the church and are not sure whom to contact, please feel free reach out to the Shepherding Coordinator Ken Weber at (314) 541-3016 or [kenw427@gmail.com](mailto:kenw427@gmail.com).

**Sunday Schedule****Communion**

The First Sunday of Each Month

**Worship**

- 8:00 a.m. Traditional in Sanctuary  
 9:30 a.m. Blended in Sanctuary  
 11:00 a.m. Contemporary in  
 Christian Life Center

**Nursery**

- 8:00 a.m. Cry room - Room A-2  
 9:15 a.m. Ages 0-3 Nursery -  
 Through 11:00 a.m.  
 Worship - Room A-2/A-4

**Children's Sunday School**

- 9:30 a.m. Preschool thru  
 Kindergarten in B1 & B3  
 9:30 a.m. Children in Watson Hall  
 1<sup>st</sup> through 5<sup>th</sup> Grade  
 11:00 a.m. Preschool thru  
 Kindergarten begin in 11  
 a.m. Worship then to  
 Room A-5  
 11:00 a.m. Kidz Connect 1<sup>st</sup> - 5<sup>th</sup>  
 Grade begins in 11 a.m.  
 Worship then to Myers  
 Conference Room

**Adult Bible Studies**

- 9:30 a.m. Pathfinders, Room B-5  
 Followers, Room C-4  
 Finders, Hearth Room  
 Seekers, Myers Conf. Rm  
 New Dawn, Parlor  
 11:00 a.m. Explorers, Hearth Room

**Finding Your Place  
Through A Small Group****Small Groups for all ages**

Contact: Caitlin Kasberg  
[caitlin.kasberg@gmail.com](mailto:caitlin.kasberg@gmail.com)

**Small Groups for Women**

Contact: Joy Trevathan  
[joytrevathan1@yahoo.com](mailto:joytrevathan1@yahoo.com)

**Small Groups for Men**

Contact: Steve Collier  
[steve\\_collier\\_pca@earthlink.net](mailto:steve_collier_pca@earthlink.net)

**Young Adults (Under 30)**

Contact: Pat Wilcox  
[bigpat20us@gmail.com](mailto:bigpat20us@gmail.com)

**Middle School  
and High School**

Contact: Becky Kronauge  
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**Music Ministry**

Contact: Stefanie Liesman &  
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 description of

**Coming This Week**

Join in. Make a difference!

**Monday, August 20****Tuesday, August 21**

- 7:00 p.m. Grief Share - Parlor  
 8:00 p.m. Basketball - CLC

**Wednesday, August 22**

- 6:30 a.m. JAM – Men's Bible Study  
 -Cappuccino's/Capp's  
 Restaurant  
 11:30 a.m. JAM – Men's Bible Study  
 -Contact Pastor Kasberg  
 6:00 p.m. DCS Wednesday Night –  
 Youth Loft

**Thursday, August 23**

- 8:00 a.m. Quilters – Quilt Room  
 9:30 a.m. Intercessory Prayer -  
 Hearth

**Friday, August 24****Saturday, August 25**

- 8:00 a.m. JAM – Men's Bible Study  
 – Hearth Room  
 9:00 a.m. Saturday Quilting Bee



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