



DAVIS MEMORIAL

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH



CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

6TH Sunday of Easter

May 5, 2024 at 11:00 am

450 Randolph Avenue, Elkins WV 26241

304.636.2788

Worship each Sunday is broadcast live over WDNE 1240 AM

and live-streamed on our Facebook Page

www.dmpc.org

WELCOME AS WE ASSEMBLE IN GOD'S NAME

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Welcome to DMPC for worship this morning. If you are visiting with us we ask you to complete a Visitor Card, found in the pew rack, and place it in the collection plate during the Presentation of Offerings. Our church is accessible to wheelchairs with a designated area to the left of the chancel in the "Amen Section".

We thank Phil Becker and Lynn Hartley for being our greeters this morning.
We thank Linda Rudy for being our liturgist this morning.

**indicates an invitation to stand, if you are able.*

INTROIT: *No More a Stranger or a Guest* arr. by D. A. White, 1999
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CALL TO WORSHIP

L: Sing to our God a new song. *Psalm 98:1-8*

P: God has done marvelous things!

L: Make a joyful noise to the Lord!

P: Break forth into joyous song and sing praises.

L: Let the sea roar and all that fills it.

All: Let the world and its people sing together for joy!

PRAYER OF THE DAY

***HYMN #317** *In Christ There Is No East or West*
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*CALL TO CONFESSION

We have been called to follow Christ
by obeying his one commandment:
that we love one another as he has loved us.
Let us confess how we have fallen short of that love.

***PRAYER OF CONFESSION (IN UNISON)**

Loving God, we have not loved you
or each other with our whole hearts.
Forgive us, we pray,
and lead us toward wholeness,
that we may be filled with your joy.
In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

***KYRIE ELEISON (Lord, Have Mercy)**

Lord, have mercy upon us.

Christ, have mercy upon us.

Lord, have mercy upon us.

***ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS**

Christ loves us so much that he
laid down his life for us
and calls us his friends.
If we can forgive our friends,
how much more does Christ forgive us!

***CHORAL RESPONSE** *Lamb of God*

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; grant us peace, grant us peace.

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PROCLAIMING GOD'S WORD

SCRIPTURE READING

Old Testament	Psalm 98	pew Bible page 521
New Testament	1 John 5:1-6	pew Bible page 227

This is the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God!

CHILDREN'S TIME

GOD'S WORD FOR OUR LIVES

"Joyful Obedience"

Rev. Thomas Wesley Moore, IV

RESPONDING TO THE GOOD NEWS

*HYMN #276

Sing a New Song unto the Lord (Psalm 98)

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*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

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Glory to God hymnal page 34

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

THE LORD'S PRAYER

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

PRESENTATION OF OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY ANTHEM

You'll Never Walk Alone

by R. Rodgers, 1945

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B'Launa Westmoreland, soprano soloist

When you walk through a storm, hold your head up high
and don't be afraid of the dark.
At the end of the storm is a golden sky and the sweet silver song of a lark.
Walk on through the wind, walk on through the rain,
though your dreams be tossed and blown.

Walk on, with hope in your heart, and you'll never walk alone;
you'll never walk alone.

Olivia Perske, Estrid Garver-Daniels, B'Launa Westmoreland, soprano
Gloria Mullenex, Cassie Norwood, alto; Logan Mullenex, tenor

***DOXOLOGY #606** *Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow*

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise God, all creatures here below;
Praise God above, ye heav'nly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

***PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING**

SACRAMENT OF THE HOLY COMMUNION

The Invitation to the Table

The Great Prayer of Thanksgiving

The Breaking of the Bread and the Pouring of the Cup

The Sharing of the Elements

The Prayer After Communion

HYMN #516 *For the Bread Which You Have Broken*

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FOLLOWING GOD INTO THE WORLD

***RESPONSE HYMN #515** *I Come With Joy*

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***CHARGE AND BEDICTION**

***SHARING GOD'S PEACE**

FAITH COMMUNITY NOTES

FLOWERS

The Peace Lily in the sanctuary is in Memory of Julia Cassells.

GIFTS

A gift has been given in Memory of Arnold Kyle by his nieces and nephews.

MOTHER'S DAY IS SUNDAY, MAY 12, 2024

You can honor your Mother, or the memory of your Mother, with a gift of any amount to the Davis Memorial Presbyterian Women's Scholarship Fund.

Forms are due in the church office by May 5, 2024.

CENTS-ABILITY

Cents-Ability originated in 1976 as "Two-Cents-A-Meal", a project inspired by Rosellyn Calvert in prayer and begun by Presbyterian Women to involve individuals and families in a corporate response to world hunger. Over the years, presbyteries have developed similar programs with a variety of names. Many of these programs benefit local hunger ministries as well as the national and international projects of the Presbyterian Hunger Program (PHP).

The PHP works to alleviate hunger and eliminate its causes. The PHP offers a means for also responding to the crisis of hunger in the United States and around the world in ways that impact the root causes of hunger and poverty. PHP addresses hunger holistically using five tools:

- Direct Food Relief combined with Root Cause Work
- Sustainable Development
- Advocacy
- Intentional and sustainable living
- Education

Employing these tools alongside congregations, partners, and local communities, together we can help end hunger.

Here at DMPC, our Men of the Church have supported the meaningful work of Cents-Ability for many years by collecting donations in food cans placed on the tables during their monthly buckwheat feeds.

Our live stream for Sunday Morning Worship is on our Facebook page:

<https://www.facebook.com/dmpcElkins>.

The weekly bulletin and the monthly newsletter are also available on our website:

www.dmpc.org

The website for the DMPC church library is: [DMPC library | TinyCat](#).

OFFERINGS: You are invited to place your offering in the collection plate during the Presentation of Offerings, donate through the website by activating the “Online Giving” box, or by mailing it to the church office.

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THE SESSION

Class of 2024

Tessa Garver-Daniels

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Class of 2025

Phil Becker

Brenda Kirkpatrick

Monica Varchetto

Class of 2026

Mina Cupp

Debra Everhart

David Messinger

WEEKLY CALENDAR
May 5, 2024

- SUNDAY** **COMMUNION SUNDAY**
9:45am Dr. Lacy Class
9:45am Sunday School
11:00am Worship
- MONDAY**
1:30pm Membership/Dunham Room
- TUESDAY**
- WEDNESDAY**
- THURSDAY**
10:00am Circle 2 in the White Chapel
1:30pm Circle 1 in the White Chapel
- FRIDAY**
- SATURDAY**
- SUNDAY** **MOTHER'S DAY**
9:45am Dr. Lacy Class in the Dunham Room
9:45am Sunday School
11:00am Worship Service

PRAYERS FOR OUR PARTNERS
AND THE WORLD

- † Health care workers and first responders
- † 225th General Assembly co-moderators,
Rev. Ruth Santana-Grace and Rev. Shavon
Starling-Louise
- † D&E College students, faculty and staff
- † Our sister church in Kenya, Kangaita
- † Our nation's leaders
- † Mission Co-Workers around the world
- † Presbyterian University of East Africa as they
seek financial stability
- † Kagumo Parish: Kenya

BREAKFAST AND BIBLES

May 5 John 18
Arrestedhigh priest...Pilate
Peter's three denials
Common Door 125 3rd St.
next to Tip Top Coffee Shop
breakfastandbibles.weebly.com

PRAYER LIST

ERCC **1175 Beverly Pike, Elkins**
Chuck Leary, Jessie Somers
Mountain Memories **301 Wilson Ln, Elkins**
Hollis & Adrienne Vance, Julia Varner
Valentine Personal Care **521 Davis Ave, Elkins**
Anna Harper

PRAYER FOR FAMILY AND FRIENDS

- † Alan & Ginny Byer
- † Donnie Corbin
- † Holly Elbon
- † Chuck Leary and Deborah Springer
- † Dana Marzolf
- † Judy Modene.....Gary & Mary Moden's
sister-in-law
- † Keitha Wing
- † Family of Julia Cassells
- † Family of Arnold Kyle
- † Family of Gabe Porter

**PRAYERS FOR CHURCHES IN THE
PRESBYTERY OF WEST VIRGINIA**

South Park Presbyterian Church, Charleston
Winfield Presbyterian Church