



# DAVIDSON COLLEGE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

## SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

8:45 and 11:00

Twenty-Seventh Sunday after Pentecost

Nov. 10, 2024

The banners in the Sanctuary represent our international partnerships with the Sigona Presbyterian Church in Kenya and the Kilambe communities in Nicaragua. They have identical banners in their worship spaces. Learn more about our partnerships at our website or use this QR code.



### GATHERING AROUND THE WORD

Prelude (8:45 a.m.)                      Cantabile                      César Franck  
(11:00 a.m.)                      Aria                      John Rutter  
Linda Dumizo – Flute, Rosemary Klein - Piano

#### \* Call to Worship

One: Our help is in the name of the Lord, who made heaven and earth.  
Amen.

**All: God is our refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble.**

One: Therefore we will not fear, though the earth should change, though the mountains shake in the heart of the sea,

**All: Though its waters roar and foam, though the mountains tremble with its tumult. God is in the midst of the city; it shall not be moved; God will help it when the morning dawns.**

One: "Be still, and know that I am God! I am exalted among the nations; I am exalted in the earth."

**All: The Lord of hosts is with us; the God of Jacob is our refuge.  
Let us worship the living God!**

Hymn 643

Now Thank We All Our God

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#### Prayer of Confession and Silent Confession

**All: O Lord our God, you call us to work for a world where all will be fed and have dignity, but we find ourselves distracted by our own desires. You call us to seek justice and peace, but we are satisfied with injustice and discord. You call us to bring liberty to the oppressed, but we do not insist on freedom for all. Forgive us, O Lord. Turn us to your will by the power of your Spirit, so that all may know your justice and peace; through Jesus Christ, your Son, our Savior.**

*Our prayer continues in silent personal confession.*

#### Declaration of Love

One: Siblings in Christ, hear and believe the good news of the Gospel. In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven..

**All: Thanks be to God. Amen.**

#### \* Passing of the Peace

One: The peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you.

**All: And also with you.**

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Response of Praise, Hymn 658

Know That God Is Good

**All Sing** (2 times):

**Know that God is good. Know that God is good.**

**Know that God is good. God is good. God is good.**

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One: The peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you.

All: **And also with you.**

Welcome and Announcements

Minute for Mission

Kenya Partnership

## HEARING THE WORD

Prayer for Illumination

Time with Children

God Is So Good

Anonymous

**All Sing:**

**God is so good; God is so good;**

**God is so good; God's so good to me.**

Scripture

Colossians 3: 1-12

Musical Offering (11:00 a.m.)

Offertory

John Ness Beck

Chancel Choir

Sermon

Peter Henry/Rev. Benjamin

## RESPONDING TO THE WORD

\* Hymn 317 (11:00) In Christ There is No East or West

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Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

**All: 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.**

Offertory (8:45 a.m.)

Lead Me, Lord

Samuel Sebastian Wesley

Geneva Choir

(11:00 a.m.)

Concerto in Re Magg: Largo

Antonio Vivaldi

Linda Dumizo – Flute, Rosemary Kline – Piano

If you are interested in learning more about our technology ministries, please contact David Brinson. If you are able to operate a mouse or a joystick, you would be perfect. If you are interested in learning more scan the QR code.



\* Doxology      Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow      OLD 100<sup>th</sup>  
**All Sing:**  
**Praise God from whom all blessings flow;**  
**Praise him all creatures here below;**  
**Praise him above, ye heavenly host;**  
**Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

\* Prayer of Dedication

## TAKING THE WORD INTO THE WORLD

\* Hymn 761      Called As Partners in Christ's Service      BEECHER  
\* Benediction  
\* Postlude      Now Thank We All Our God      Bach/Fox

### Worship Leaders

Preacher – Peter Henry (8:45) and Rev. Benjamin (11:00)  
Liturgists – Robert Alexander, Ann Brindisi (8:45), Elizabeth-Ann Wieber (11:00)  
Musicians – David Brinson, Sarah Allred, Chancel, Geneva Choirs, Lin da Dumizo and Rosemary Kline  
Technology – Bill Hatfield (8:45), Rich and Cissy Byrd, Fahad Firdausi (11:00) and Ben Slay  
Greeters – Marjorie Burris, Bev Mitchell, Janet Webb (11:00)  
Ushers – Steve and Susan Donnell, Joel Ritchie (11:00)

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Davidson College Presbyterian Church is part of the [PC\(USA\)](#). As a member of the [Covenant Network of Presbyterians](#), we are a welcoming, affirming, and inclusive faith community where all are one in Christ. We are a Matthew 25, Earth Care and Stephen Ministry congregation on the corner of campus and community. Our congregation celebrates partnerships in Christ with the Sigona Presbyterian Church in Kikuyu, Kenya; and the Kilambe communities in Jinotega, Nicaragua; and Blythe Elementary School in Huntersville, NC. Together we seek to grow in witnessing to Christ in a complex world and to learn more about how to respond as disciples to the great needs of the world. Our sanctuary stands on lands once occupied by the indigenous communities of the Catawba people and our first worship space was built with bricks made by enslaved people. We remember them to God as we honor and recognize them in worship.

## Children in Worship

Children are always welcome in worship. Children's worship bags and bulletins are available at the entrances.

Childcare for infants through age 6 is available next door in the Watson building room 119 until our renovation is complete.

## Hearing Assistance Devices

Our devices are available in baskets at each entrance to the sanctuary. Each receiver pack has one of two cords: a simple in-ear piece and a T-Coil neck loop. If you need assistance, please see a worship leader.

## Pew Cushions

A limited number of pew cushions are available for worshipers with back issues in the narthex.

## Narthex Bathrooms

The bathrooms in the narthex (the entry way from the campus, at the back of the sanctuary) are all-gender bathrooms.