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Welcome!

We are people on a journey of following Jesus, and we invite you to walk with us. In our desire to be authentic, we share our joys and struggles to both encourage and pray for one another. All are welcome to ask questions and participate in our activities. Our vision - *taking risks with and for Christ* - continues to shape us. Please feel free to make DMC your faith community.

~ Pastors Randy and Sandy

Tithes & Offerings - If you would like to give an offering, you may place it in the basket on the table at the front of the sanctuary. There is also an option to give online on the home page of our website (address at the top of this page).

Serving Today:

Everyone

No livestream this week; previous service videos can be viewed at <u>www.facebook.com/doylestownmc</u>.

Happening This Week:

Oct 1	Prayer by Zoom	9:00 am
Oct 1	Care Team meeting	7:00 pm
Oct 4	Prayer by Zoom	9:00 am
Oct 5	Karen's Place	7:00 pm

DMC Notes:

Tuesday & Friday, 9:00 am - Zoom Prayer; anyone is welcome to join these weekly prayer groups! <u>CLICK HERE</u> or use meeting ID: 982 3566 8858, passcode: 805803. To join by phone, call 1-929-205-6099.

Newsletter items for the October edition of News & Views are due to Lois Myers by Tuesday evening, October 1. Please send her your articles and photos to <u>myersfm@juno.com</u>.

Adult Sunday School options for next week, October 6, include the Salt and Light bible study meeting on the main floor and start your own support/accountability group. Take a risk and invite others to join you in conversation; don't be surprised if you receive an email or text nudging you to be a participant!

As you serve today, pray that the love of God will flow through you into the community and the world.

2024 Theme – Jesus Gave Them Authority

DMC participants to pray for:

Lisa, Mark, Sam and Silas Reiff – Pray for Silas' growth and development and that he would eat by mouth.

Gideon and Madison Youssef – Pray for their trip to Egypt, Monday, September 30 – Wednesday, October 9. They will spend their time providing support to a church and orphanage and connecting with family. Pray for safe travels and an awareness of God's presence.

Prayer Guide:

Monday: Pray for Gideon and Madison Youssef as they travel today to Egypt. Pray for God's wisdom to guide them on their trip.

Tuesday: Ask God to show you a situation or a relationship today which you can encourage with good news of Jesus' love and grace.

Wednesday: Pray for your neighbors today. Ask God to be with them and to guide you as you relate with them. **Thursday**: Pray for Mosaic conference leaders and delegates as plans are being made for Fall Assembly. Pray for DMC delegates, John Landis, Mark Reiff, Pastor Sandy and Pastor Randy as they prepare to attend.

Friday: Pray for Don Heckler as he sets up Karen's Place. Pray for those who attend Saturday to experience God in a fresh way.

Saturday: Prepare yourself today for gathering tomorrow for worship. Ask God to give you an open heart and mind to receive what you need.

DMC 2024 Crafted Prayer:

Dear Heavenly Father, you send us out to proclaim Jesus' name and with his healing power. We submit to your authority. Let us praise the Lord and step out unencumbered by worldly cares. May the Holy Spirit strengthen us in our times of weakness. We accept the authority you bestow on us with humility and compassion. Give us wisdom and help us to be fearless in our encounters. May we joyfully reflect your glory now and forevermore. Amen

Community Groups @ DMC

<u>Sunday</u> LAA (weekly, 7 pm - basement)

Tuesday Alanon (weekly, 7 pm - basement)

Sandy Ridge Community Garden Tuesday, Wednesday & Saturday work hours

Wednesday

AA (weekly, 12 pm - basement) Naranon (weekly, 6 pm - Rm 101) Bucks Co. Writers (weekly, 7 pm - basement)

<u>Thursday</u> Support Group (weekly, 7 pm - Rm 201)

September 22

Attendance: 47

Offering (9/20-27): \$4,864