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Taking Risks With
and For Christ

Welcome to all who are
worshipping with us today!

Tithes & Offerings may be placed in the basket on the table at the front of the sanctuary or given online; see our homepage at DoylestownMC.org.

Serving Today:

Trustee of the Month: Garry Landis

Greeter: Cindy Strauch

Worship Leader: Karl Strauch

Music Leader: Wendy Schettig

Preacher: Don Heckler

There will be no livestream today.

** No Sunday School today; see the foyer bulletin board for Sunday School options for the coming weeks. **

This Week @DMC:

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

Apr 21	Prayer by Zoom	9:00 am
Apr 21	Listening Prayer	3:00 pm
Apr 21	Care Team meeting	7:00 pm
Apr 22	Morning Out	10:00 am
Apr 22	Prayer Usher training	7:00 pm
Apr 23	Prayer Usher training	11:00 am
Apr 24	Prayer by Zoom	9:00 am

DMC Notes:

Listening Prayer will meet on Tuesday, April 21, 3 to 4 pm in the 2nd floor prayer room. You are welcome!

All women are invited to **Morning Out**, Wednesday, April 22, 10:00-11:30 am in Room 205. Morning Out is a time of connection and inspirational reflection. Light snacks provided; bring your own beverage. Invite a friend! Questions? Contact Judy Garrido.

Coming up in the next few weeks:

- * **Sunday, April 26** - Rob Arner will bring us the morning message, continuing our series in Isaiah.
- * **Sunday, May 3** - Sandy Landes will bring us the morning message.

Pastor Sandy will be away at a prayer retreat Sunday afternoon, April 26 through Tuesday, April 28. For any prayer concerns for the prayer chain, please contact Freida Myers. If you need pastoral care, please reach out to the Care Team - Frieda Myers or Gary Garges - or the MLT.

Our first **Service Sunday** for this year will be held on Sunday, May 31. We hope you will join us as we serve in our community as our act of worship. We have an opportunity to serve as we lead worship for residents at Harborview in Doylestown and as we do yard work for Morning Star Ministries at their home in Souderton. If you know of any other places that we can serve, contact Steve Landes with suggestions.

The DMC church picnic is scheduled for Sunday, August 2, to be held in our church pavilion with the service at 10 am and lunch at noon. Mark your calendars! Volunteers are needed to work with MLT members to coordinate the meal and activities. Contact Pastor Sandy if interested.

Sharing Grace photos: Take a photo of yourself in a place where you share God's grace and send it to Kristine. She will print and post our photos around our theme so we can be encouraged to see how God is sending us out.

Luke 23:26-46

NOTES:

DMC participants to pray for:

Pray for Ray Swartley, Sally and John Landis and their family as they grieve the passing of Marge.

Pray for Judy and Don Derstine as Judy awaits healing for a broken wrist.

Pray for Denny and Sue Bartels as Denny recuperates from surgery for a spinal cord stimulator to alleviate pain. Pray that Denny allows his body to heal and recover.

Prayer Guide:

Monday - Praise God for his grace and faithfulness in all that you will experience this week.

Tuesday - Pray for those in your community who are serving as helpers, first responders, police, EMS workers, firefighters and others who serve in challenging situations.

Wednesday - Give thanks for Kristine McClain who serves so capably as DMC office administrator on this Administrative Professionals Day.

Thursday - As a new growing season is upon us, invite the Holy Spirit to show you how God would like to help you grow through small steps of listening to and following Jesus.

Friday - Notice the spaces in your life today where you can be still and pay attention to God. God is paying attention to you!

Saturday - Pray for our service tomorrow as Rob Arner brings a message and we continue to pray for direction in the search for a lead pastor during the Sunday School hour.

DMC 2026 Crafted Prayer:

Dear Heavenly Father, Thank you for your abundant, overflowing grace which you pour out on us without limits. Your grace is enough and it sustains our life. We gratefully receive your forgiveness and are eager to share it with others. May your Holy Spirit guide us to bring others to you for their salvation and your glory. In Jesus' precious name, Amen

Community Groups @ DMC

Sunday

LAA (7 pm - basement)

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German Chat (2 pm - basement)
County Line Quilters (6 pm - basement)

Tuesday

Alanon (7 pm - basement, Rm 201)

Wednesday

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

Thursday

Support Group (7 pm - Rm 201)
Mullaney Tennis Foundation (3rd Thurs, 4 pm
- Rm 101)

Sandy Ridge Community Garden

Tuesday, Wednesday & Saturday work hours

April 12

Attendance: n/a

Offering (4/10-17):
\$1,646