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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, KrisAnne, 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).

People Serving Today:

<u>*Trustee of the month:*</u> Michael Gourley <u>*Greeters:*</u> Blanche Althouse, Mike Ryan

<u>Preservice Music</u>: Lois & Freida Myers <u>Worship Leader</u>: Karl Strauch <u>Music Leader</u>: Lisa Reiff <u>Preacher</u>: KrisAnne Swartley <u>Nursery (worship)</u>: Janice Wyble

<u>Prayer Ushers</u>: Robin Miller, Mark Reiff <u>Intercessor</u>: Aimee Gourley

Worship services are streamed live on the public church Facebook page beginning at 9:50am. The video remains available to view at any time. Video link: <u>https://www.facebook.com/doylestownmc/</u>

Upcoming Events

Aug 15	Karen's Place	7-9pm
	Outdoor Concert	
Aug 16	Prayer by zoom	9:00am
	SMH Gathering	2:00pm
Aug 19	Prayer by zoom	1:00pm

DMC NOTES:

Sunday School Classes (11:10am-11:50am)- Not meeting in July and August; will resume September 11th.

Tuesday 9am / Friday 1pm Zoom Prayer- Anyone is welcome to join these weekly prayer groups! Visit this link: <u>https://zoom.us/j/98235668858?pwd=dE1zWTJ0d1VPdURIN2</u> <u>hHWXFJaDJXQT09</u> (meeting ID 982 3566 8858, passcode 805803. To join by phone, call 1-929-205-6099)

Pastor KrisAnne will not be in the office on <u>Friday, August 19</u>, as she, Jon and Ben take Heidi to Messiah University for the fall semester. KrisAnne will complete the bulletin on Thursday 8/18, so please get all items to her by Thursday morning. Thank you!

School begins soon and DMC students need our prayers! Please sign up to pray for a student throughout the upcoming school year. Pastor Sandy will send you occasional reminders and you will be given the contact info of the student for whom you are praying. The sign-up sheet is available next to the prayer room in the sanctuary, or contact Pastor Sandy.

The **Care Team** has revised and updated a **Mental Health Resource List** for our congregation and community. The list is available next to the mailboxes and in the foyers for you to pick up and keep as a resource for yourself, your family and friends. Please speak to any member of the Care Team if you have questions or concerns: Randy Heacock, Freida Myers, Robin Miller, Aimee Gourley and Sandy Landes.

What was happening at the Temple?

What did Jesus do?

What might God ask of us?

<u>Prayer Guide</u>: 2022 Theme – *Searching for the Source*

DMC participants to pray for:
Lucy DeJesus – is grateful to be in God's hands and to be feeling a bit better
John Moyer – is improving and hopes to move to Personal Care at SMH this week
DMC students heading off to college – Dean Bartels, Mia and Noah Gidley, Abby Gourley and Heidi Swartley

Monday – Ask God to show you how you can take action for the good of someone else today. It could be as simple as helping someone carry their groceries- be open to hearing from the Spirit and then following as best you can.

Tuesday – Pray for teachers, administrators, staff, school board representatives, bus drivers and students; as they all prepare to begin another school year.

Wednesday – Pray for those who live in the flood ravaged parts of Kentucky. Pray for strength and perseverance. Pray for those who lost loved ones.

Thursday – Pray for the church in China today, that they may be filled with the power and wisdom of the Holy Spirit.

Friday – Take five minutes at two different times today, to be still and silent with Jesus. What do you sense him saying to you? How will you respond?

Saturday – Pray the Lord's Prayer in preparation for worship tomorrow: "Our Father in Heaven, hallowed be Your Name. Your Kingdom come; your will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us today our daily bread and forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For yours is the kingdom, the power and the glory forever. Amen."

2022 Crafted Prayer for DMC: Heavenly Father, we praise and trust You. You are our Hope. We long to live without fear and put our confidence in You. Help us to dig deep to seek Jesus, the stream of Living Water. Let us always produce fruit in our homes and community for Your glory. Amen

Community Group	August 7 th	
Sunday	Wednesday	
Playwrite's Bridge (monthly, 2-4pm, basement)	AA (weekly, 12pm, basement)	Attendance: Picnic
LAA (weekly, 7pm, Rm 102/103)	Bucks Co. Writers (weekly, 7pm, basement)	Attendance. Theme
Monday	<u>Thursday</u>	
AWP Board (monthly, 5pm, basement)	Thurs Eve Support Group (weekly, 7pm, Rm 201)	Offering: \$4394.00
Tuesday	Girl Scouts (monthly, 6:30pm, basement)	(Aug 5-12)
AWP Empowerment (weekly, 9am-2pm, basement)	Sandy Ridge Community Garden	
Alanon (weekly, 7pm, basement)	Tuesday, Wednesday, and Saturday work hours	