

CONNECTION CARD

Tear off and drop in the Offering Jar
or in one of the Internal Mailboxes.

Today's Date: _____

Name _____

Address _____

City, State, & Zip Code _____

Phone _____

E-mail

- I am new to DCC.
- I am a returning guest.
- I would like to receive the monthly newsletter.
- I would like to receive the weekly e-mail announcements.
- I am updating my contact information.
- I would like to speak to a member of the Pastoral Staff.
- I would like to attend Starting Point.
- I would like to receive care from a Stephen Minister.

Date of Birth: ____/____/____

The service I usually attend is:

- Saturday 5:30 PM
- Sunday 9:00 AM
- Sunday 11:00 AM

I would like to know more about:

- Children's Ministry (Birth-5th Grade)
- Youth Ministry (6th-12th Grade)
- Small Groups
- Worship Arts
 - Choirs Handbells Drama
- Baptism Membership
- Confirmation Wedding
- Starting Point
- Other _____

Current Volunteer Opportunities:

- Hospitality Team
- Ushers
- Youth Ministry Sunday School
- Children's Ministry Sunday School

Pastoral Staff

Rev. Dr. Mark E. Sommers, Senior Minister
Rev. Alan R. Rudnick, Associate/Executive Minister
Rev. Cindy Mapstone, Associate Minister
Rev. William A. Carlsen, Adjunct Minister
Rev. Edwin F. Taylor, Senior Minister Emeritus
Dr. Landrum H. Wooten, Associate Minister Emeritus

Staff

Abel Searor, Director of Worship Arts/Principal Organist
Gloria Trode, Director of Children's Music
Dr. Kay Paulsen, Director of Congregational Care
Nicholas MacLane, Director of Family Worship
Ben Rayland, Children's Ministry Director
Ally Street, Nursery Director
Mary Chirello, Youth Director & Hospitality Coordinator
Mick Thorpe, Director of Building Services
Alyssa Eighmey, Office Manager
Peter Hawley, Communications Coordinator
Jane Hahn, Bookkeeper
Reinaldo Mercado, Building Staff
Liam McDonough, Building Staff
Jim Surdam, Building Staff

Ministers: The Entire Congregation

Connect with us!

Office 315-445-0331
Pastor on Call (24/7) 315-303-2308

Helpful Links

Website: www.dewittchurch.org
Facebook: DeWitt Community Church



*“The Church Dashboard...
Measuring our Congregational Health”*

Ephesians 4:11-16

Sunday, June 10, 2018

11:00 AM

Welcome to DeWitt Community Church

Sunday, June 10, 2018 — 11:00 AM

Thoughts for Today

"I will build my church, and the gates of hell shall not prevail against it."

- Jesus (Matthew 16:18)

Prelude "Sonata in c minor: Allegretto" by Edvard Grieg

Invitation to Worship

*Opening Hymn Church of God, Elect and Glorious (#541)

*Responsive Call to Worship

Leader: God calls us together to be the Body of Christ here in this world.

People: God calls us to be his body, the Church, to live out the mission given to all followers of Christ.

Leader: God calls us to be a witness and to CONNECT people to Christ through the power of community.

People: God calls us to GROW in our spiritual maturity so we might be a reflection of Christ.

Leader: God calls us to SERVE, to use our spiritual gifts in acts of service to God and humanity.

People: We pray for God to empower us to be the body of Christ, living out our faith with boldness and courage.

*Unison Prayer

Lord God, we give thanks for the 207 years of ministry at DeWitt Community Church. We know that countless lives have been transformed through the ministry that You have established here. Continue to challenge us and give us the courage to boldly proclaim and live out the teachings of Christ. Empower us and embolden us through the presence of Your Holy Spirit. We pray in the name of Christ. Amen.

Greeting & Announcements

If you are a guest with us today, please stop by the Welcome Center as you leave the sanctuary. Look for the orange "Connect" banner.

Welcoming New Members

Hymn of Prayer Hymn of Promise (#515)

Prayers of the People

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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

Invitation To Give

Please feel free to give via credit card, debit card, or PayPal on our secure e-giving site www.dewittchurch.org/give on your mobile phone or other internet connected device.

Offertory

"Benedictus"

Laura Enslin

*Doxology and Prayer of Thanksgiving

(#34)

Scripture Reading

Ephesians 4: 11-16 (GNT) (p. 1192)

It was he who "gave gifts to people"; he appointed some to be apostles, others to be prophets, others to be evangelists, others to be pastors and teachers. He did this to prepare all God's people for the work of Christian service, in order to build up the body of Christ. And so we shall all come together to that oneness in our faith and in our knowledge of the Son of God; we shall become mature people, reaching to the very height of Christ's full stature. Then we shall no longer be children, carried by the waves and blown about by every shifting wind of the teaching of deceitful people, who lead others into error by the tricks they invent. Instead, by speaking the truth in a spirit of love, we must grow up in every way to Christ, who is the head. Under his control all the different parts of the body fit together, and the whole body is held together by every joint with which it is provided. So when each separate part works as it should, the whole body grows and builds itself up through love.

Leader: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

Choir Anthem

"My Jesus, I Love Thee" arr. by Paul Sjolund

Message

2018 State of the Church Address

"The Church Dashboard...Measuring our Congregational Health"

Rev. Dr. Mark E. Sommers

Commissioning of New Stephen Ministers

*Closing Hymn

We Are Called to Be God's People (#580)

*Blessing

Postlude

"Sonata in c minor: Allegro molto" by Edvard Grieg

Worship Assistant: Rev. Cindy Mapstone

Violin: Eamonn O'Neill

*Congregation stands

**DCC Mission Trip to Africa Next Meetings
Thursday, June 14 from 10 - 11 a.m.
or Sunday, June 17 from 9 - 10 a.m. in the
library**

We need volunteers to help in 3 main areas - fundraising (ideas and implementation), budget planning and travel logistics - come ready to sign up for one of those areas. Please RSVP below.

**Annual Meeting & Dinner
Wednesday, June 13, 5:30 PM
Miller Commons**

This year's Annual Meeting will include a delicious dinner! Everyone in the congregation is invited to attend as we discuss a variety of important church business. The main dish, beverage and side dish will be provided, and so will child care! Please bring a dessert to share. **RSVP below.**

**Please Volunteer for the Samaritan Center
Sunday, June 17 - Father's Day**

We need 4 volunteers to arrive at 10:30 for prep work. The other volunteers who arrive at 12:15 should plan on being there until about 3:00PM. If you are interested in volunteering for our next trip to the Samaritan Center, RSVP below or contact Craig Mabbett at cmabbett@twcny.rr.com, or 315.436.0429. If you need transportation from the church to the Samaritan Center and back, car pool arrangements can be made for you.

For info on any event, fill out the form below and drop it in the Offering plate or internal mailbox.

Event: _____

Name: _____

Email: _____

Phone: _____