

## 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/Family & Congregational Care 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  
Nicholas MacLane, Director of Family Worship  
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

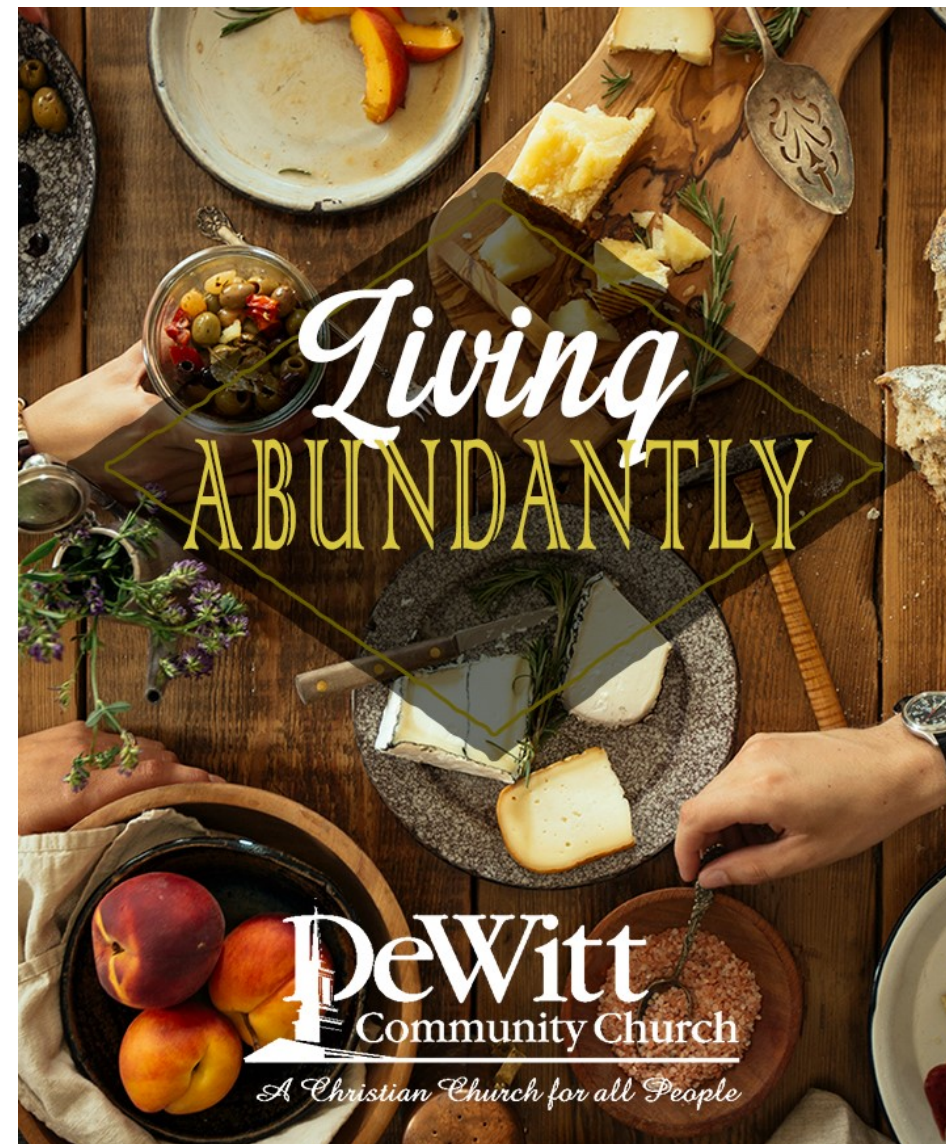
Ministers: The Entire Congregation

### Connect with us!

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

### Helpful Links

Website: [www.dewittchurch.org](http://www.dewittchurch.org)  
Facebook: DeWitt Community Church



“What’s In Your Wallet?”

Corinthians 9: 6-11

Saturday, November 10 & Sunday, November 11, 2018

5:30 PM & 9 AM

**Welcome to DeWitt Community Church**  
**Saturday, November 10 & Sunday, November 11, 2018**  
**5:30 PM & 9:00 AM**

**Thought for Today**

“A lack of generosity refuses to acknowledge that your assets are not really yours, but God's.” — Timothy Keller, *Generous Justice: How God's Grace Makes Us Just*

Prelude

Announcements

Invitation to Worship and Greeting

\*Opening Hymn **Praise to the Lord, the Almighty (#71)**

\*Responsive Call to Worship

Leader: Friends, we gather together today to proclaim the ways in which God is working within our midst.

**People: We have been blessed by God!**

Leader: We gather together to give thanks for the ways in which God is working within our midst.

**People: God has given us so much and is very much alive, at work and still speaking among us. We are called to give back.**

Leader: Let us give thanks to our God of blessings and affirm our commitment to the ministry into which God is calling us.

**People: We are called to be good and generous stewards of our time, our talents, of our resources and of our money.**

\*Unison Prayer:

**O Lord, giver of life and source of freedom, we know that all we have is received from Your hand. Gracious and loving God, You call us to be stewards of Your abundance, the caretakers of all that You have entrusted to us. Help us always to wisely use Your gifts and teach us to generously share them. Send the Holy Spirit to work through us, bringing Your message to those we serve. In Christ's name we pray. Amen.**

Hymn of Prayer **We Come as Guests Invited (#702)**

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.**

Spotlight on Stewardship

Scripture Reading

2 Corinthians 9: 6-11(NRSV) (p. 1181)

The point is this: the one who sows sparingly will also reap sparingly, and the one who sows bountifully will also reap bountifully. Each of you must give as you have made up your mind, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver. And God is able to provide you with every blessing in abundance, so that by always having enough of everything, you may share abundantly in every good work. As it is written, “He scatters abroad, he gives to the poor; his righteousness endures forever.” He who supplies seed to the sower and bread for food will supply and multiply your seed for sowing and increase the harvest of your righteousness. You will be enriched in every way for your great generosity, which will produce thanksgiving to God through us; for the rendering of this ministry not only supplies the needs of the saints but also overflows with many thanksgivings to God.

Leader: The Word of the Lord.

**People: Thanks be to God.**

Special Music

**"Ten Thousand Reasons"** by Matt Redman

Message

Living Abundantly: “What’s In Your Wallet?”

Rev. Alan R. Rudnick

\*Closing Hymn

**Amazing Grace! (#422)**

\*Blessing

Postlude

**Worship Assistant:** Elizabeth Chapman/Ben Hahn

\*Congregation stands

*Offerings from today's service may be placed in the Offering Jars located on the Usher Stands.*

*Your generosity makes a great difference in our ability to do God's work as a congregation.*

*Please feel free to give via credit card, debit card, or PayPal on our secure e-giving site*

*[give.dewittchurch.org](http://give.dewittchurch.org) on your mobile phone or other internet connected device.*

*The Altar Flowers are given in memory of Timothy W. Burton by Mary Thompson and family.*

**DID YOU KNOW?**



**You can give to DeWitt Community Church via...**

**-Cash**

**-Check**

**-Re-occurring Bill Pay via your bank**

**-Bank to bank transfer**

**-Credit card/PayPal,**

**give.dewittchurch.org or by phone**

**-Stock, bonds, and precious metals**

**-Insurance, retirement assets (IRA, 401k, etc.),**

**bequests, or trusts**

**-Estate planning giving**

**-Real estate**

To set up or start any of these methods contact our Bookkeeper, Jane Hahn at 315-445-0331 or [jhahn@dewittchurch.org](mailto:jhahn@dewittchurch.org)