Special Easter Meal April 13th, 2025

There will be NO Bring-A-Dish meal on the 3rd Sunday of April. Instead, you are invited to join with your church family in a delicious EASTER MEAL today directly after worship service.

Walking in His Steps: 10 Daily Habits for Spiritual Growth

This will be a nine consecutive week class, starting on Sunday May 4th, from 5:00 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. and ending on Sunday, June 29th at the church. The class will explore in scripture the 10 daily habits of Jesus, providing us with a theological foundation of sanctification and discipleship.

We are called to be imitators of Christ. I John 2:4-6

Attendance, April 6, 2025

125

Church Financial Report

Total Contributions From Last Week: \$7,162

Prayer Concerns

Please remember to pray for our military personnel serving both domestically and abroad, as well as the members of our congregation residing in long-term alternative living arrangements.

If you'd like to add someone to our church prayer chain, please contact the church office or email dhcommunitychurch@gmail.com.

Additionally, the Men's Prayer Group meets on Wednesday mornings at 7:00 a.m. Contact Bob Bradley at 228-263-5419. The Women's Prayer Group meets on Wednesdays at 4:00 p.m. Contact Kim Lunde at (228)-342-6429

Rejoice always, pray without ceasing, give thanks in all circumstances, for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you.

1 Thessalonians 5:16-18

Birthdays

John Witliff	4/13
Lizzie Leonard	4/18
Betty Lou Walker	4/19
Chad Coats	4/20
Dru Sweetman	4/21
Rebecca Boyer	4/25

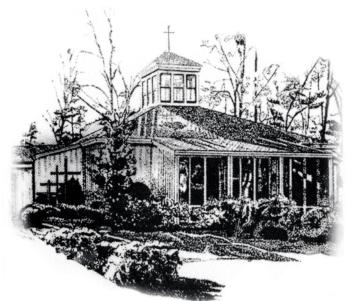
Anniversaries

Mike & Melissa Reso	4/14/2007
Robert Chalmers & Debbie Ludde	4/18/1999
John & Barbara Witliff	4/19/1969
Rodney & Dianne Ackerman	4/24/1987

Community Easter Egg Hunt and Picnic

Mark your calendars for Saturday, April 19, at 1 PM for a fun-filled day hosted by (us) Diamondhead Community Church! We will have an Easter egg hunt divided by age group, along with hamburgers, hot dogs, bounce houses, face painting, games, and more. This event is part of our Ninth Brick Outreach initiative, and we need everyone's help to make it a success! Our goal is for attendees to return for Worship on Easter Sunday, April 20. If you would like to help with this outreach event, you can get involved in many ways. Please sign up in the Fellowship Hall.

We sincerely appreciate your generous financial donations for this Outreach event. Your support makes all the difference! Please be sure to write "OUTREACH FUND" on your check and offering envelope to help direct your contribution effectively. Thank you for being a vital part of our mission! We appreciate your support! If you have questions, please contact Kathryn, Kim, Richard, Steve, Rebecca, Benedicta, or any Ministry team member





A Congregation of The Evangelical Presbyterian Church

Diamondhead Community Church is united by the Grace of God and our faith in Jesus Christ.

Our mission is to glorify God and share the Good News of the Gospel with those around us and the world and to welcome all to His church, worshipping and praying together, loving and serving one another as His disciples.

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April 13, 2025

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Order Of Worship

April 13, 10 a.m.

Welcome

Opening Prayer

Musical Prelude to Prepare Our Hearts

"Hosanna, Loud Hosanna"

†Call to Worship Psalm 118

Leader: Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good; his steadfast love endures forever.

People: Hosanna to God, Hosanna in the highest!

Leader: Let Israel say, "His love endures forever!" and all who fear God say, "His love endures forever!"

People: Hosanna to God, Hosanna in the highest!

Leader: With the Lord on our side, what can we fear? What can humankind do?

People: Hosanna to God, Hosanna in the highest!

Leader: The Lord is our strength and our might. The Lord has become our salvation!

People: Hosanna to God, Hosanna in the highest! All: Hosanna to God, Hosanna in the highest!

Song of PraiseOnly a Holy God* **Choral Praise***Festival of Palms*

Prayer of Confession and Pastoral Prayer

Giving of Tithes & Offerings

Offertory Hymn "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name" #43

†Doxology

†Prayer of Dedication of Our Gifts

Scripture Luke 19:28-40

Message - Rev. Bill Rasch "The Rocks Would Shout... When Witness is Required"

†**Affirmation of Faith:** The Apostle's Creed

†Hymn "Praise Him! Praise Him!" #12

Encouragement and Blessing

Postlude

† Indicates congregation standing as able

Offering Stewards: Lloyd Ramirez, Nita Hensley, Judy Womack, Fred Womack (Fred Womack will offer the Prayer of Dedication).

Activities For The Week

Sunday, April 13, 2025

9:00 a.m. Christian Education Classes 9-11:00 a.m. Nursery Care Available

10:00 a.m. Worship

10:00 a.m. Children's Church

11:00 a.m. Easter Meal

5:00 p.m. WIRED Children's Choir

Monday, April 14, 2025

7:00 p.m. Journey To The Cross

Tuesday, April 15, 2025

2:00 p.m. GriefShare Group

Wednesday, April 16, 2025

7:00 a.m. Men's Prayer Group

9:30 a.m. Garden Club 12:00 p.m. Journey To The Cross

4:00 p.m. Women's Prayer Group

5:30 p.m. Celebration Choir Rehearsal

5:30 p.m. Youth Night

Thursday, April 17, 2025

7:00 p.m. Maundy Thursday Service7:00 p.m. AA, Conference Room

Saturday, April 19, 2025

8:30 a.m. Men Of The Church Breakfast1:00 p.m. Community Easter Egg Hunt

Diamondhead Community Church Warmly Welcomes

Rev. Bill Rasch, Director of Transitional Pastors for the Evangelical Presbyterian Church as he fills in for Pastor Stan's planned absence. Please join us in expressing our appreciation to Rev. Rasch and his wife for being with us at DCC.

Men's Breakfast Saturday, April 19 at 8:30 a.m.

You are invited to join us for breakfast Saturday, April 19 for our monthly Men of the Church Breakfast. Join us as we engage in a time of fellowship. There is a sign-up sheet in the Fellowship Hall.

Did You Know?

Would you be interested in serving as an offering steward, church greeter, or handing out bulletins on Sundays? These roles are greatly appreciated and are coordinated and scheduled in advance by the Worship Team.

Offering Stewards are also recognized in the bulletin each week for easy reference!

If you would like to serve in one of these important roles and be added to the schedule for a future Sunday please contact Bob Bradley, the Lead Elder for Worship.
Thank you!

Journey to the Cross

Reflecting on Jesus' Life and Ministry

On Wednesday, March 12th we began a series of luncheons that meet each Wednesday all the way through Wednesday, April 16th.

We gather at noon each Wednesday for a time of fellowship and the opportunity to reflect on the life of Jesus. Over the course of six weeks, we explore the final events of Jesus' dramatic and inspirational earthly ministry. Join us as we rediscover the humanity and divinity, the teaching and the conflict, the sorrow, and finally the glory of Jesus' Journey to the Cross.

If you would like to attend, please sign up in the Fellowship Hall.

If you're unable to attend on Wednesdays for lunch, you can join us on Monday night for another opportunity to reflect on the life of Jesus.

Special "Wired" Choir Practice

Since "Wired" will not be rehearsing on Easter Sunday or Mother's Day, a special rehearsal will be held Saturday, May 3rd from 10AM to Noon. The dress rehearsal will be Saturday, May 17th from 10AM to noon with the presentation of "Donkey Tales" on Sunday evening, May 18th at 5:30!