



*Drawing on our heritage, centered in Jesus Christ, looking to the future;  
Davis Memorial Presbyterian Church reaches out with the Gospel to our community and the world.*

**June 2021**

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**SUNDAY AT DMPC**

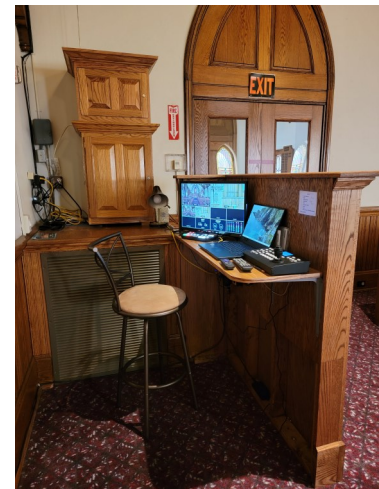
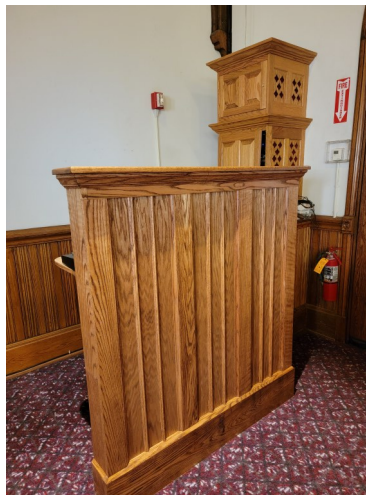


Worship each Sunday is  
 broadcast live over WDNE 1240 AM  
 and live-streamed on  
 our Facebook Group  
[www.dmpc.org](http://www.dmpc.org)

**A LITTLE UPDATE ABOUT OUR LIVESTREAMING SERVICE ...**

Since April 2020, we have been livestreaming our worship service via Facebook. In the beginning, our team was just using personal cell phones, but that got a bit problematic for a few reasons. In December, we applied for and received a grant from the Presbytery of West Virginia to purchase more professional, dedicated equipment that helped us step up our livestreaming game. Fitting all the components into the small bit of tabletop we had with the sound equipment at the back of the sanctuary was a struggle. But we have a guy for that ...

**Introducing our new a/v control booth!**



We knew we wanted to match the aesthetic of our beautiful sanctuary and not just slap a table back there. And who better to make that happen than Phil Kyle? Phil's magic and skill with wood is obvious in his latest handiwork, and we are so grateful to him for donating his time and materials to make our vision spring to life! It looks like it has always been there.

On behalf of our A/V team and the whole congregation, thank you, Phil!

*Tina Vial, Seth Maynard, and Nate Garver-Daniels*

## **SESSION NOTES FOR MAY 2021...**

At its May 10<sup>th</sup> stated meeting the Session took the following actions and discussed the following issues:

- \*The meeting was opened with a devotional and prayer by Kim White
  - \*The Clerk noted the death of Randy Kyle on April 17<sup>th</sup>
  - \*Voted in the affirmative on the second vote on sending \$8500 to the Ons Plek Project in South Africa where Melody Meadows has been our lead missionary. This was from the Missionary Fund.
  - \*Voted in the affirmative on a first vote to use \$400 from the Angel Fund to cover wiring fees, our membership contribution to the PCUSA Kenya Mission Network, and conference registration for Bob McCutcheon's participation.
  - \*Noted that July 10<sup>th</sup> is the next Common Ground Café that we will host at Woodford United Methodist Church. We need volunteers and donations. Sue Chenoweth is heading up this event.
  - \*Planned for a July 18<sup>th</sup> picnic and vesper service in the city park.
  - \*Voted to allow a July 31<sup>st</sup> wedding in the Sanctuary and to allow memorial services to gather in the Sanctuary as part of our "soft opening" as we head for in person worship in September.
  - \*Heard a recommendation from the Worship committee that we continue to aim toward September 12<sup>th</sup> as our opening day for in person worship.
  - \*Heard a report from the Membership Committee that they are staying in touch with homebound members.
  - \*Heard from the Property committee about the continuing work on the mortar replacement on the outside walls on the north side of the church and plans to repair plaster work in the White Chapel where water damage has occurred. Also heard plans to engage the services of Cintas for our cleaning supplies, including hand sanitizing stations.
  - \*Elected Dana Marzolf as our commissioner to Presbytery meeting on May 20<sup>th</sup>.
  - \*Celebrated with the Chenoweth family on Levi Fath's new job in geology in Idaho. Prayed for the congregation during this time of pandemic.
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## June Birthdays

- 3 Richard Shryock
- 6 Holt Chenoweth
- 6 Lori Chenoweth
- 9 John Talbott
- 10 Diana Kerr
- 10 Tom Schuler
- 14 Katie Varchetto
- 14 Keitha Wing
- 16 Mandi Ross
- 19 Robert McCutcheon
- 21 Hunter Fath
- 22 Sue Pifer
- 23 Rev. Peter Vial
- 23 Rev. Doug Jenkins
- 25 Grant Harper
- 26 Sarah Talbott Wamsley
- 28 Alan Byer
- 30 Mary Moden

## HTLC

- 13 Walt Merten
- 29 Arlene Williams

## Happy Anniversary

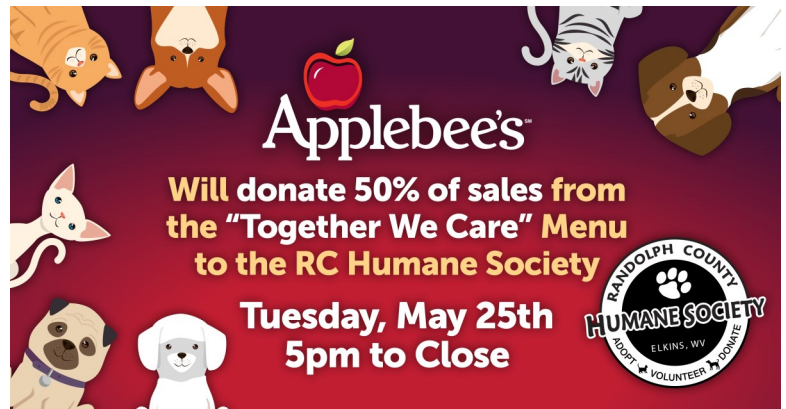
- 07th Garrett & Lori Chenoweth
- 16th Jason & Angie Kyle Watkins
- 23rd Bob & Neva Georgeson
- 23rd Ryan & Tate Summerfield

## HTLC

- 1 Gil & Joyce Estridge
- 10 Rick & Denise Campbell
- 15 Greg & Nancy Schumacher



Plan to have dinner at Applebee's on Tuesday, May 25th from 5pm—close. Dinner will be a special menu created by Applebee's and they will donate 50% of sales from that evening to the Randolph County Humane Society. Hope to see you there!



## BLESSING BOX & FOOD PANTRY

A great big THANK YOU! to everyone who helped us keep the box and the pantry stocked through-out the pandemic. We are pleased to say that the box was in use the entire time and we only had to close the pantry a couple of times when we ran out of food. Even when people couldn't come into the church, we met them at the door with a bag or two of items that helped them get through the month. If you would like to help us stock the Food Pantry, please bring items to the church office between 9am and Noon each day. Food may be put in the Blessing Box at any time.

Some suggested items:

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| Canned milk                               | Beanie Weenies    |
| Canned soups                              | Spaghettios       |
| Canned vegetables                         | Spaghetti & sauce |
| Canned meats                              |                   |
| Individual cups of fruit, Jello & pudding |                   |
| Breakfast bars & Pop Tarts                |                   |
| Individual snack packs for kids           |                   |
| Anything that does NOT require cooking    |                   |
| Packets of snack crackers                 |                   |
| Toothpaste, toothbrushes, bars of soaps   |                   |



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## CIRCLE MEETINGS

**CIRCLE 1** Brenda Hermanson & Mina Cupp, Chairs

**CIRCLE 2** Judy Guye Swanson & Linda Rudy, Chairs

**CIRCLE 6** Holly Hughes-Reilly, Chair

**You will be notified by your Circle Chair as to the date of your next meeting.**

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