

Order of Worship  
10<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost

August 13, 2017

10:15 AM

Welcome and Announcements

GATHER IN GOD'S NAME

Prelude – It Is Well With My Soul.....arr. Bryce Inman  
Betty Polk and Brooks Parker

• Call to Worship

Leader: Give thanks to the Lord, for God is good.  
People: **God's steadfast love endures forever.**  
Leader: Let us hear what the Lord will speak.  
People: **God will speak peace to the faithful.**  
All: **Let us worship God!**

• Invocation

• Hymn of Praise-- #463 How Firm a Foundation.....FOUNDATION

• Prayer of Confession

Leader: Everyone who thirsts or is hungry, come to the Lord and be satisfied! Trusting in God's grace, let us confess our sin.  
People: **Through the storms of life, O God, you are with your people in the person of Jesus your Son. Yet we sometimes doubt you. Our fears, our selfishness, and our envy come between ourselves and you, and ourselves and each other. Forgive us, dear Lord. Calm our fears and strengthen our faith that we may never doubt Christ's presence among us, but proclaim that he is your Son, risen from the dead, living forever.**  
Leader: The Lord is gracious and merciful. Just as Jesus calmed the wind and the waves, God will bring us peace. In Jesus Christ, our sins are forgiven! Amen.

• Congregational Response - #583 Glory To God.....GLORIA

SHARE GOD'S WORD

Children's Message.....Josiah Ochieng

Today's passages.....speak of God's power over the wind and the waves, a power that is best expressed in a whisper

Prayer of Illumination

Scripture Reading: I Kings 19:9-18.....p.326  
The Word of the Lord • Thanks be to God

Choir Anthem – Peace Be Still.....Tunney/Tunney/Darnall

Leaving the crowd behind them, needing a time of rest  
The disciples followed Jesus to the sea  
And as the boat began to sail away to the other side  
The Master laid His head down to sleep

The sky began to darken, the rain began to fall  
The waters tossed the boat from side to side  
Struggling to find assurance, they woke Him in distress  
Crying "Save us, Lord, or we will surely die."

He said "Peace, be still," and the winds and waves were calmed by His voice  
He said "Peace, be still," and a miracle began by the power of His command  
Peace, be still

When trouble reigned upon me, sorrow gathered like a fog  
And it seemed my Savior's face was hid from mine  
My heavy heart was full of doubt, shaken by the storm  
Then I felt His words bring comfort deep inside

He said "Peace, be still," and the winds and waves were calmed by His voice  
He said "Peace, be still," and a miracle began by the power of His command  
Peace, be still

Scripture Reading: Matthew 14:22-33.....p.16  
The Word of the Lord • Thanks be to God

Meditation.....

• Hymn -- #184 Calm to the Waves.....CALM SEAS

• Affirmation of Faith

**God of awe, your whisper cuts through fear. We long to hear your faithful word of righteousness and peace. Bless us with bold belief even in the darkness of the night and the assault of life's storms, that we may be messengers of your justice, in the name of the One whom the wind and the waves obey. Amen.**

Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

Offertory

• Doxology -- # 606 Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow.....OLD HUNDREDTH  
Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him all creatures here below;  
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen

**LEAVE READY TO SERVE GOD**

- Hymn of Commitment – #353 My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less.....**SOLID ROCK**
- Benediction
- Postlude

The (●) dot in the order of worship means you may stand.

**TODAY AT DPC**

**Worship Leaders:** Paul Casner, Laura Piper, Josiah Ochieng

**Childcare Providers today are:**

**Preschool:** Samantha Bryson

**Helpers:** David Hail, III and Matthew Pfeiffer

**Head Usher:** Mary Goodloe

**Sound/Video:** Tony Pritchett/Franklin McCarthy

**William Hamiltons/Helen Phillips Memorial Acolyte:** Keaton Crumby **Leader:** Ann Koonce

**Pastoral Care Team:**

**Leaders** – Judy Bass, Debby Barnard

**Ministers** – Amy Blanton, Melanie Caskey, Ann Cox, Maria Goodloe, Kelli Nelms, Sharon Paskewitz, Betty Polk, Jim White, Ruth White, Jill York

**August Calendar**

**Wednesday, August 16**

7:00 Choir Practice

**Thursday, August 17**

5:30 Men's Group

Las Palmas Mexican Restaurant

5104 Old Hickory Blvd.

Hermitage

**Sunday, August 20**

9:00 Sunday School

10:15 Worship

Liturgist: Franklin McCarthy

CM: Paul Casner

Childcare: Susanna Pritchett

and Donna Pritchett

**Wednesday, August 23**

7:00 Choir Practice

**Sunday, August 27**

9:00 Sunday School

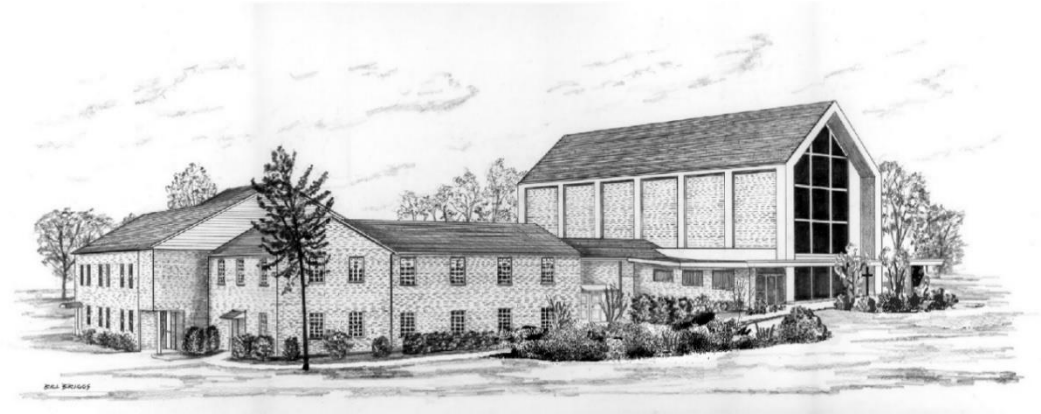
10:15 Worship

**Wednesday, August 30**

7:00 Choir Practice

# Donelson Presbyterian Church

*Sharing the Love of Christ*



We warmly welcome all who have come to worship today, especially visitors. We strive to be a loving church. The Holy Spirit makes us one family. We invite you to join us.

If you are a guest at Donelson today, we encourage you to fill out a yellow visitor card, which you will find in the pew. "We're glad you came!"

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Please see usher for information on:  
CHILDCARE- for children under 5 years of age  
AUDIO-HEARING DEVICES  
LARGE PRINT HYMNALS



The flowers today are given by the Von Almen family in memory of loved ones.

*We would like to express our appreciation for the prayers, cards, calls and concern during our recent illnesses and surgeries, which meant a lot to us. ~ Paul & Sue Allen*

**Salt Shakers Today!**



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**SAVE THE DATE!**  
September 8-10



Contact Alan Koonce or any member of the Christian Education Committee for more information or for a registration form.

**We Need Your Help!**

DPC recently switched to a new computer database where church members' information is stored. Now that information needs to be checked and updated as we prepare a new church directory.

There are copies of the new database information in Founders Hall. If you have not already checked to be sure your information is correct, please do so after worship.

The new database prints birth dates separately, so please make sure your birthdate is listed correctly as well. We only need month and day of birth-not year.

