



DUNDEE
PRESBYTERIAN
CHURCH

December 10, 2023 – Second Sunday of Advent

We're grateful for your presence today!

We believe our purpose is to love God and share Jesus Christ. We strive to be a congregation in which all feel welcomed and find opportunities to engage and grow. Wherever you are in your journey with God, we want you to know you are welcome here.

We are pleased to offer nursery care for children 0-3 years old at every service.



Dundee Advent and Christmas

Dec. 10 – Second Sunday of Advent, Worship at 9 AM & 11 AM

Dec. 10 – Caroling at 1 PM for residents at Aksarben Village Senior Living, and the Arboretum Retirement Community

Dec. 13 – Dundee Church Night, 5:30 PM Dinner, 6:30 PM Bible Study for all ages – Adult Bible Study, "Angels"

Dec. 16 – Holly Jolly Christmas Crafting, Saturday, 9-11 AM, for fun, crafting and Christ-centered activities

Dec. 17 – Dundee Children Sing at 11 AM with the choir

Dec. 17 – Third Sunday of Advent, Worship at 9 AM & 11 AM

Dec. 17 – Blue Christmas Service, 3 PM

Dec. 20 – Dundee Church Night, 5:30 PM Dinner, 6:30 PM Bible Study for all ages – Adult Bible Study, "Angels"

Dec. 22 – DPC Youth Group Christmas Party, 7-11 PM

Dec. 24 – Fourth Sunday of Advent, Christmas Eve Worship at 9 AM & 11 AM

Dec. 24 – Christmas Eve Worship Services at 4 PM & 9 PM



Prayer in the Chapel with the Prayer Team after worship services.

**Sunday Worship @ 9AM & 11AM
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402-558-2330 // www.dpcomaha.org**

Join in Worship, Sundays at 9 & 11AM also on [Facebook.com/dpcomaha](https://www.facebook.com/dpcomaha)
Church of the Air is broadcast on 1110 KFAB, Sundays at 8:30AM
The Dundee Church Podcast – on Facebook, YouTube and dpcomaha.org

Come Caroling with Dundee Church

Please join us this afternoon as we share the joy of the Christmas season with our homebound members – bring your family and friends Meet at 1:00 PM at Aksarben Village, Arboretum at 2:00 PM.

Holly Jolly Christmas at Dundee Church

Join the fun Dec. 16, 9-11 AM in the Underground for a morning of Christmas crafts and lots of Christmas cheer! For more information contact Liz at lschaben@dpcomaha.org.



*Blue
Christmas*

Sunday,
December 17
3 PM

If you have Care Ministry questions, contact Regina Wilson, 402-884-7787

Christmas Joy Offering

As we annually sing “What Child Is This?” – we prepare our hearts during this Advent season to give our Dundee Christmas Joy Offering during worship services on December 17 and Christmas Eve in special envelopes found throughout the church. In awe of God’s greatest gift to us, our Christmas Joy Offering provides assistance to church workers – past, present and future – who point us toward God. Every time we echo angels speaking words of peace on earth/Every time we live as shepherds witnessing moments of new birth/Every time we see God giving gifts beyond all earthly worth – in our living, in our giving, we are there. Be there.

2023 Advent Devotional



Follow along in a devotional journey through the Advent season with the Apocalyptic Advent – Embracing Hope In The 2nd Coming Of Christ. You can access the webpage with the QR Code, a link will be included in the weekly email and printed copies are available here at church.

CHURCH OFFICES HOURS

Mon to Thurs. – 8:00 AM to 4:00 PM and Fri. – 8:00 AM to 1:00 PM

If you would like to have a church announcement in the bulletin or online please e-mail your information to Shelly at bulletins@dpcomaha.org.

Please observe all parking and non-parking zones around the church.

9 a.m. WORSHIP - page 1

**Please stand as able*

Meditation – It seems strange to include John the Baptist in the Season of Advent. Everything is so beautiful and peaceful and gentle, and here's this man who stands in a river shouting at us to repent of our sins while eating bugs and honey. He just doesn't seem to fit. Yet, our sins make repentance an essential part of our relationship with God. John the Baptist doesn't fit Advent, but he sure does help us to fit with what Jesus is here to share.

PREPARATION FOR THE WORSHIP OF GOD

Prelude Worship Band

Advent Candle Lighting Liz Schaben
The Candle of Love Laikyn Coe
daughter of Dave & Brenda Coe

Congregation Response Worship Band
O Come O Come Emmanuel

Rejoice! Rejoice! Emmanuel
shall come to thee, O Israel!

***Song of Praise** Worship Band
Angels From The Realms Of Glory (Emmanuel)

Verse 1

Angels from the realms of glory
Wing your flight o'er
all the earth
Ye who sang creation's story
Now proclaim Messiah's birth
Come and worship
Come and worship
Worship Christ the
newborn King

Verse 2

Shepherds in the field abiding
Watching o'er your
flocks by night
God with man is now residing
Yonder shines the infant light
Come and worship
Come and worship
Worship Christ the
newborn King

Chorus

Emmanuel Emmanuel
You are the God who saves us
Worthy of all our praises
Emmanuel Emmanuel
Come have Your way among us
We welcome You
here Lord Jesus
Come have Your way among us
We welcome You
here Lord Jesus

Pre-Chorus

Come and worship
Worship Christ the
newborn King
God is with us even now
His love is here
His love is here

Ending

Emmanuel Emmanuel
Emmanuel Emmanuel

Announcements

*Song of Worship

Worship Band

Come Thou Long Expected Jesus

Verse 1

Come Thou long
expected Jesus
Born to set thy people free
From our fears and
sins release us
Let us find our rest in thee
Israel's strength and consolation
Hope of all the earth thou art
Dear desire of every nation
Joy of every longing heart

Verse 2

Born thy people to deliver
Born a child and yet a King
Born to reign in us forever
Now thy gracious
kingdom bring
By thine own eternal Spirit
Rule in all our hearts alone
By thine all sufficient merit
Raise us to thy glorious throne

Ending

Israel's strength and consolation
Hope of all the earth thou art
Dear desire of every nation
Joy of every longing heart

*Song of Confession

Worship Band

Good Good Father

Verse 1

I've heard a thousand stories
Of what they think You're like
But I've heard the
tender whisper
Of love in the dead of night
You tell me that You're pleased
And that I'm never alone

Chorus

You're a Good Good Father
It's who You are
It's who You are
It's who You are
And I'm loved by You
It's who I am
It's who I am
It's who I am

Verse 2

I've seen many searching
for answers
Far and wide
But I know we're all
searching for answers
Only You provide
Because You know just
what we need
Before we say a word

Bridge

You are perfect in all
of Your ways
You are perfect in all
of Your ways
You are perfect in all of
Your ways to us

Verse 3

Love so undeniable I
can hardly speak
Peace so unexplainable
I can hardly think
As You call me deeper still
As You call me deeper still
As You call me deeper still
Into love love love

Quiet and Personal Confession

Consider this Prayer of Confession:

O God, we know that the day of the Lord will come like a thief. We know that You are not slow about Your promise, but that You are patient with us, because You don't want us to perish, but to come to repentance. Now is the time of our confession, and with this prayer, we fully repent of the sins that we have committed. We do this because we do not want to take You for granted, and we confess that we have done that in the past. We confess our sin because we are humbled by the price that You have paid to secure our freedom and our lives. We confess that we are honored to be Your people and we want to give our best gifts to You as our Lord and King. In Jesus' name we pray, Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

Rev. J.D. Georlett

Passing of the Peace of Our Lord

Leader: The Peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.

Congregation: And also with you.

Moment with Children

Children age 3 to 5th grade are dismissed for Kids Own Worship

PRAYER OF THE PEOPLE OF GOD

Anthem

Worship Band

Breath Of Heaven

Chorus

Breath of Heaven hold
me together
Be forever near me
Breath of Heaven
Breath of Heaven lighten
my darkness
Pour over me Your holiness
For You are holy Breath
of Heaven

Verse 1

You are harvest You
are golden sun
You are cool rain You
are all in one
And in all my deepest thoughts
And in all my battles fought
You are within you are within

Verse 2

You are crimson You
are midnight blue
You have called me
to discover You
You have warmed my
heart of stone
You have borne my pain alone
Speak to me now
speak to me now
Speak to me now

Verse 3

I am waiting in a silent prayer
I am longing to be
with You there
And with every fading fear
There is healing in my tears
Now I belong now I belong
Now I am strong

The Morning Prayer & The Lord's Prayer

9 a.m. WORSHIP - page 4

OFFERING OF OUR TITHES & GIFTS TO GOD

The Calling to Christian Offering

Worship Band

***Doxology**

***Prayer and Dedication of the Offering**

PROCLAIMING THE WORD

Old Testament Scripture Isaiah 53:10-12

New Testament Scripture Mark 1:1-8

Leader: This is the word of God for the people of God.

Congregation: Thanks be to God.

Today's Sermon

"Love"

Rev. J.D. Georlett

CELEBRATING THE LIVING WORD

***Closing Song**

Worship Band

***Benediction**

