

Dundee Presbyterian Church Newscaster

Loving God, Sharing Jesus Christ



September 25, 2011

Reign Storms: Ignoring God's Wisdom

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Scripture Lesson:

1 Kings 1-11

WORSHIP & EDUCATION TIMES

9 am: Worship Service - Rejoice! Praise Team

10 am: Sunday School, CRASH, & Christian Education

11 am: Worship Service - Chancel Choir



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For the foolishness of God is wiser than human wisdom.

For the wisdom of this world is folly with God.

(1 Corinthians 1:25; 3:19)

Examples of Human Wisdom

God helps those who help themselves.

The one with the most toys wins.

All paths lead to God.

Look out for numero uno.

It's a dog-eat-dog world.

Image is everything.

Seeing is believing.

God wants me to be happy.

Live and let live.

It's all about the experience.

God's Wisdom Revealed

For the Son of Man [Jesus] came to seek and save the lost. (Luke 19:10)

Whoever would be first among you must be slave of all. (Mark 10:44)

I am the way, and the truth, and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me. (John 13:6)

Let each of you look not only to his own interests, but also to the interests of others. (Philippians 2:4)

For the creation waits with eager longing for the revealing of the children of God. (Romans 8:19)

Indeed, I count everything as loss because of the surpassing worth of knowing Jesus Christ my Lord. (Philippians 3:8)

We walk by faith, not by sight. (2 Corinthians 5:7)

Seek first the kingdom of God and all these things will be added to you. (Matthew 6:33)

Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the father and of the son and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you. (Matthew 28:19-20)

Whatever you do, in word or deed, do everything in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him. (Colossians 3:17)

October Congregational Meeting

The session has called a Congregational Meeting for the purpose of electing church officers, Nominating Committee members-at-large and alternates on Sunday, October 2 at 12 Noon.

Dr. Bob Jordan, Moderator, & Alta Greer Empey, Clerk

World Communion Sunday

Dundee Presbyterian Church will receive its annual Peacemaking Offering on World Communion Sunday, October 2. The offering was created in 1980 to support the efforts of the Presbyterian Church (USA) to live out a deeper commitment to peacemaking as part of our faithfulness to God.

Last year, nearly \$2 million was received nationwide through the Peacemaking Offering. Each year, 25 percent of the offering is used for ministries of peacemaking through Dundee Presbyterian Church. Another 25 percent is used by presbyteries and synods and the remaining 50 percent is used by the General Assembly ministries.

Peacemaking is the human response to God's gift of peace giving. On World Communion Sunday, October 2, make this year a time to renew our commitment to peacemaking as part of our calling as followers of Christ, who not only taught us the ways of peace, but who is our peace.

Save the Date

The need is constant. The gratification is instant. Give blood! Members of the Dundee Deacon Outreach Committee will host a Red Cross blood drive on Saturday, October 29, 2011, in the Dining Room Annex from 7:30 am-1:00 pm. We need volunteers to give life-giving blood! There will be sign up sheets during fellowship hour beginning Sunday, September 25th. You may also schedule your donation appointment online at www.redcrossblood.org. The sponsor code is 706.

Christian Women's Fellowship Luncheon

The Christian Women's Fellowship luncheon will be celebrating the 400th anniversary of the King James Bible on October 7. All women of Dundee and guests are invited to lunch at noon and invited to stay for the presentation at 12:30 pm. Afterwards, there will be a short business meeting to update everyone on women's church activities.

The video presentation has been called "the greatest piece of English literature" and it brings to life the times and viewpoints that shaped this work. It was directed by award-winning director Jerry Griffith who puts this living document into today's perspective. It is a beautiful documentary. Please have lunch reservations to Joan Angotti (402-391-6426) by Oct. 1. Nursery care available by appointment and can be reserved by calling Christine Benedix at 402-558-2330.

The *Crescendo!* Concert Series Begins!

The first *Crescendo!* Concert is coming up and it is going to be great! Thomas Wilkins and The Omaha Symphony Chamber Orchestra kicks off this year's series with a performance that will delight all ages. Wilkins has made a lasting impression on the musical life throughout the United States from New York to San Diego from Texas to Detroit. The concert will take place on October 16 at 7 pm in the church sanctuary. Tickets are free and are sure to go fast. Please reserve your tickets by calling the church office at 402-558-2330.

Movie and Pizza

Everyone is welcome to join us for a movie (*Courageous*) and pizza on September 30th! AMC theatre to be announced. Please contact the following people with questions: Jann Glen - janneg3@gmail.com; Georgie Dudley - gdudley@cox.net or 402-896-1650; Dara & Gary Richter: 402-253-8938

Dundee Christian Education

Adult Sunday School & Bible Study

All classes and Bible studies always encourage drop-in visitors. *Join Us!*

SUNDAY, 10 am

- **Truthseekers** - Chapel - The class uses videos to teach about Scripture, doctrine, and theology. There is lively discussion. All are welcome.
- **Bible Delvers** - Parlor - Studying Jeremiah
- **Homebeginners** - Room 314
- **Parenting for Life** - Room 315 - A group for parents of teens and young adults. Currently focusing on Bible study and a book by Beth Moore.
- **Listening for God**, Library - We will follow the sermon series using the scriptural references and materials recommended by Dr. Jordan.
- **Young Adults, NOTE CHANGE: Youth Room** - Anyone in their 20s and 30s is welcome to join the group for a Bible study and fellowship.
- **Marriage Prayer Class** - Dining Room Annex

TUESDAY - Women's Bible Study - 7:30 am, Paradise Bakery (Regency)

WEDNESDAY - Bible Study - 1:15 pm, dining room, with Dr. Jim Eckman.

THURSDAY - Men's Bible Study - 6:30 am, Rockbrook Garden Café

Retired Men's Bible Study - 8 am, Village Inn (78th & Dodge)

FRIDAY - Men's Bible Study - 6:30 am, Rockbrook Garden Café

Women's Bible Study - 6:30 am, Wheatfields (One Pacific Place)

SATURDAY - Men's Bible Study - 7:30 am, parlor

Youth Ministries

CRASH - For junior & senior high students. Sundays, 10-11 am in the Underground. Come Rejoice And Sing Hallelujah! There will be singing, praying, hearing God's word, and spending time with our brothers and sisters in Christ.

Junior High - Wednesdays, 5:59 - 7:15 pm - includes small group discussion, games and worship. Dinner optional at 5:30 pm. Donation \$3.00.

Senior High - Wednesdays, 7:31 - 9:00 pm - includes small group discussion, irresistibly fun games and worship.

Children's Ministries

SUNDAYS

Kids' Own Worship - 9 am or 11 am, Room 304, Preschool - 2nd Grade. Children are dismissed for Kids' Own Worship for age-appropriate worship and activities.

Sunday School - 10 am, ages 3 years - 6th grade

Preschoolers - Room 308

Kindergarten & 1st Graders - 313

2nd & 3rd Graders - Room 312

Grades 4-6, Club 456 - Room 302

WEDNESDAYS

Children's Choir - 5:15 - 5:35 pm, Chapel, Kindergarten - 6th grade. Children learn songs to sing in worship.

Dinner - 5:30 - 6:00 pm, Dining Room. For anyone wanting to share a meal and a time for fellowship. Donation: \$3 per person.

FISH - 6:00 - 7:00 pm - Designed for children in Preschool - 3rd grade. Children rotate through story, craft and activity stations to learn a particular Bible story or concept.

Club 456 - 6:00 - 7:00 pm, Grades 4-6. Students meet for a time of fellowship, friendly competition, and opportunities for worship and discipleship.

Dundee Church Calendar

Sunday, September 25

- 7:00 a.m. · Rejoice Praise Team Rehearsal - Sanctuary
- 8:15 a.m. · Prayer Walk – Sanctuary
- 8:15 a.m. · Weekly Prayer Group – Parlor
- 9:00 a.m. · **Rejoice! Worship**
 - *Kids' Own Worship* (age 3 - 2nd grade) – Room 304
- 10:00 a.m. · Café Connection - Sanctuary Annex & Narthex
- 10:00 a.m. · CRASH (7th - 12th grade) & Christian Ed.
- 10:00 a.m. · *A Look at Dundee* - Dining Room Annex
- 10:00 a.m. · Prayer & Healing Ministry – Sanctuary
- 11:00 a.m. · **Traditional Worship**
 - *Kids' Own Worship* (age 3 - 2nd grade) – Room 304
- 12:00 p.m. · Café Connection - Sanctuary Annex & Narthex
- 12:00 p.m. · Prayer & Healing Ministry – Sanctuary

Monday, September 26

- 8:00 a.m. · Low Impact Exercise Class - Sanctuary Annex
- 6:00 p.m. · Toastmasters - Dining Room Annex
- 6:30 p.m. · Troop 42 - Underground

Tuesday, September 27

- 7:30 a.m. · Women's Bible Study - Paradise Bakery in Regency
- 10:00 a.m. · Staff Meeting - Parlor
- 4:30 p.m. · Foster Care Review Board - Library
- 5:00 p.m. · Stewardship & Finance - Parlor
- 7:00 p.m. · Session - Parlor

Wednesday, September 28

- 1:15 p.m. · Bible Study with Dr. Jim Eckman - Dining Room
- 5:15 p.m. · Kids Choir - Sanctuary
- 5:30 p.m. · Wednesday Dinner - EVERYONE WELCOME - Dining room
- 5:30 p.m. · Rejoice Praise Team Rehearsal - Sanctuary
- 5:59 p.m. · Junior High Youth Group - Youth Room
- 6:00 p.m. · FISH and Club 456
- 7:31 p.m. · Senior High Youth Group - Youth Room

Thursday, September 29

- 6:30 a.m. · Men's Bible Study - Rockbrook Garden Café
- 8:00 a.m. · Retired Men's Bible Study - Village Inn
- 8:00 p.m. · AA - Underground

Friday, September 30

- 6:30 a.m. · Men's Bible Study - Rockbrook Garden Café
- 6:30 a.m. · Women's Bible Study - Wheatfields

Saturday, October 1

- 7:30 a.m. · Men's Bible Study - Parlor

For more information on events, please visit www.dpcomaha.org

For nursery reservations, call Christine Benedix at 402-558-2330.

Wednesday Evening Bible Study

The new Wednesday evening Bible study class will begin on October 5, and will run from 6:00-7:30 PM so as to coincide with the middle school class of FISH.

We will be studying in detail the Gospel of John, which many think is the most important Gospel in the New Testament.

Spaces are limited. Call Jerry Hertzler at 402-397-5673 or e-mail him at jerryhertz@cox.net to sign up or for more information.

Monday Women's Bible Class

The Monday Women's Bible class will begin the seven-week study, "Attending the Bride of Christ – Preparing for His Return," on Oct. 10. **Please note a change in the starting date! It has changed from Oct. 3 to Oct. 10.** This study will encourage you to grow in spiritual maturity and to see the church as Christ sees her. There are two opportunities for you to attend this class: Mondays, 9:30 - 11:00 or 1:00 - 2:30 in the dining room annex. Please contact Julie Hertzler at 402-397-5673 or juliehertz@cox.net if you would like to purchase a study guide. The cost is \$9.00. Childcare will be provided.

Fellowship Servers: 9 am: Doug Bliss, Klaudio Lilo, Tia Schoenfeld
11 am: Kris Benson, Dick Browning, Suzanne Vogel

Ushers: 9 am: Shelly Dutiel; 11 am: Scott Moore

Prayer Team: 9 am: Noreen Ward, Kathy Wischow
11 am: Betsy Conway, Janet Koenig

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Please direct all information to amorrison@dpcomaha.org.