

**DUNDEE**  
PRESBYTERIAN  
**CHURCH**

**November 12, 2023**

***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.**

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

### ***OCC Packing Party is Nov. 15th***

The Dundee Church Operation Christmas Child (OCC) Packing Party is Wed., Nov. 15 during Dundee Church Night.

Boxes are available for packing at home, along with information to help in shopping and collecting items to fill OCC boxes.

Uncertain of what to get for OCC boxes, pick up a list at the OCC table, or visit the [samaritanspurse.org](http://samaritanspurse.org) website.

We hope you can join us at the packing party, it is great fun and fellowship – even more important it shines Christ's message to children all over the world. You can pack boxes at the party, at home, or online at the Dundee Goal page by using the QR code at the right.



### ***Church Library Books***

The library is transitioning to a new purpose. So, we are looking for new homes for many books. Please take a look at the cart outside the library and take any you might enjoy. Just don't return!

**Sunday Worship @ 9AM & 11AM**  
**5312 Underwood Ave. Omaha, NE 68132**  
**402-558-2330 // [www.dpcomaha.org](http://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](http://dpcomaha.org)



## *Gather in Worship & Thanksgiving*

Sunday, Nov. 19 - Join for worship at 5:30 PM,  
followed by dinner with our friends in Christ, Iglesia Cristiana  
Discípulos de Cristo at 4401 S 23rd Street

5:30 PM Social Gathering · 6:00PM Worship · 7:00 Dinner

Dundee members are asked to bring a side dish or dessert to share.

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## **Collecting Pantry Items**

Dundee Church Mission is collecting items to restock the Iglesia Cristiana Discípulos de Cristo Pantry. There will be bins at church entrances for any non-perishable or canned food items, as well as toilet paper, toothpaste and soap.

Suggested items are: dry cereals, rice, pasta, beans (canned or dried), soup, hot cocoa mix, pancake batter mix and oatmeal.

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**The Dundee Church Podcast** is working through a deep-dive study on John. You can find The Dundee Church Podcast on all major podcast websites. Look for us as well on YouTube with our all-new video format; search Dundee Presbyterian Church.



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## **Tai Chi Fall Sessions**

Monday & Wednesday / 10:00 - 11:00 AM in the Underground  
Saturday Morning / 10:00 - 11:00 AM in the Underground

**Contact Regina at 402-884-7787 for more information**

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## **Wednesday Nights are Dundee Church Night**

You are always welcome to join for dinner beginning at 5:45 PM, followed by programs for all ages at 6:30 PM. There is Bible study and programming for kids, youth and adults.

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### **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](mailto:bulletins@dpcomaha.org).**

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

**Meditation** – Some people like to be surprised. Some people don't, but what is it that causes us to be surprised? Surprises are only possible because of our expectations and assumptions. Without even thinking about it, we become overly confident in what will happen next. That's when surprises happen. Of course, if we have been told exactly how the future will unfold, we will only be surprised if we didn't bother to listen.

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PREPARATION FOR THE WORSHIP OF GOD

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## Prelude

Dr. Wayne Kallstrom

*Come All Christians, be Committed* (Krouse)

## Announcements

Introit *Jesus Stand Among Us*

Choir

## Call To Worship

Joshua shouted, "Choose this day, whom you will serve, but as for me and as for my house, we will serve the Lord."

**Far be it from us that we should forsake the Lord. Jesus is the one who has brought us out of slavery and has done great signs in our sight.**

Let us give ear to the teaching of the Lord, and incline our ears to the words of Jesus. He will teach us with parables, so that we may put our hope in Him.

**Jesus has promised that He is returning. We must be ready to receive Him. We will prepare by worshipping Him as Lord of our lives.**

The greatness of our Lord is seen in His mercy and grace. The Lord's greatness is seen in His freedom to return at an unexpected hour.

**The Day of the Lord is approaching quickly. Let us all seek the Lord. Let those who love His salvation say, "God is great!"**

## Invocation

## \*Opening Hymn *My Lord! What a Morning* Hymn 279

### *Refrain*

My Lord! what a morning;  
My Lord! what a morning;  
O, my Lord! what a morning,  
when the stars begin to fall.

### *Verse 1*

You'll hear the trumpet sound  
to wake the nations  
underground,  
looking to my God's  
right hand  
when the stars begin to fall.

[Refrain]

### *Verse 2*

You'll hear the sinner cry  
to wake the nations  
underground,  
looking to my God's  
right hand  
when the stars begin to fall.

[Refrain]

### *Verse 3*

You'll hear the Christian shout  
to wake the nations  
underground,  
looking to my God's  
right hand  
when the stars begin to fall.

[Refrain]

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## CONFESSON AND FELLOWSHIP

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### Call to Confession

Rev. J.D. Georlett

### Unison Prayer of Confession

O God, we confess that even though we are fully aware that our time will come to an end, we quite often live as if it will not. We conveniently forget that You have declared that You will bring the end. The fact of Your eminent return is supposed to drive us to humbly submit ourselves to Your mercy and grace, but we are scared to face this reality, so we avoid it instead. We live confidently under the assumption that we are completely prepared for Your return, when in reality, our confidence has only kept us from being ready. It has caused us to live with complacency. Please bless us so that Your declaration about the end of time would be our own. In Jesus' name we pray, Amen.

### Silent Prayers of Confession

#### Assurance of Pardon

Rev. J.D. Georlett

### \*Gloria Patri

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;  
as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world  
without end. Amen.

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## \*Passing of the Peace of Our Lord

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

Congregation: And also with you.

## Anthem

*Tis A Gift*

*O Lord, Our God We Thank You* (Wright)

DPC Kids Choirs

PreK-K Choir

1-5 Grade Choir

## Moment with Children

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

## Reception of New Members

————— PRAYER OF THE PEOPLE OF GOD —————

## The Morning Prayer & The Lord's Prayer

————— OFFERING OF OUR TITHES & GIFTS TO GOD —————

## The Calling to Christian Offering

Offertory *For The Beauty Of The Earth*

Choir

## \*Doxology

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.

## \*Prayer and Dedication of the Offering

————— PROCLAIMING THE WORD —————

**Old Testament Scripture** Zephaniah 1:14-18

**New Testament Scripture** 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18

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

Congregation: Thanks be to God.

**Today's Sermon**

Rev. J.D. Georlett

***"The Day of the Lord"***

CELEBRATING THE LIVING WORD

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**\*Closing Hymn *How Great Thou Art*** Hymn 21

*Verse 1*

O Lord my God, when I  
in awesome wonder  
consider all the worlds  
thy hand have made,  
I see the stars, I hear  
the rolling thunder,  
thy power throughout the  
universe displayed.

*Refrain*

Then sings my soul, my  
Savior God, to thee:  
how great thou art,  
how great thou art!  
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Savior God, to thee:  
how great thou art,  
how great thou art!

*Verse 2*

When through the woods  
and forest glades I wander  
and hear the birds sing  
sweetly in the trees;

when I look down from  
lofty mountain grandeur,  
and hear the brook and feel  
the gentle breeze. [Refrain]

*Verse 3*

And when I think that God,  
his Son not sparing,  
sent him to die, I scarce  
can take it in,  
that on the cross, my  
burden gladly bearing,  
he bled and died to take  
away my sin. [Refrain]

*Verse 4*

When Christ shall come with  
shout of acclamation  
and take me home, what  
joy shall fill my heart!  
Then I shall bow in  
humble admiration,  
and there proclaim, "My God,  
how great thou art." [Refrain]

**\*Benediction**

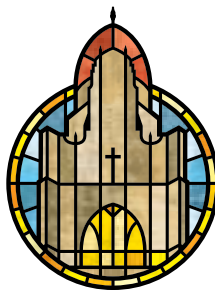
**\*Benediction Response *Grant Us Thy Peace***

Choir

**\*Postlude**

Postlude on the tune *St. Denio* (Beals)

Dr. Wayne Kallstrom



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