

SERMONIC NOTES

TODAY'S INSPIRATION

Grace—unmerited favor of God, as manifested in the salvation of sinners and the bestowal of blessings.

Grace—getting what you don't deserve / unmerited favor

Mercy—not getting what you do deserve / withheld punishment

Deposits/Credits—08/ 2016	11,185.00
Withdrawals/Debits— 08/2016	<u>-8,662.14</u>
Revenue over Expenses — 08/2016	2,522.86

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SICK/ SHUT-IN AND PRAYER

Edward Corpening	Harold Dula
Katherine Purnell	Gary Phillips
Thelma Dula	Adoree Millsaps
Edith Dula	Rosalee Patterson
Jerlene Dula	Willow Carter
Vondra Johnson	Angela Dula
Jarae Millsaps	Curtis Dula
Jeffery Harshaw	Rev. E.B. Freeman
Pastor Valerie Hightower	Patricia Grimes
Mekosha Austin	Betty Dula
Ruth Ferguson	Donald Dula
Evelyn Bennett	Everette Logan
Saundra Jones	Roger Harris

CAMPUS MINISTRY OUTREACH

Brooklyn Boston	Qua
Jermecca	Erica
Kayla	Jess

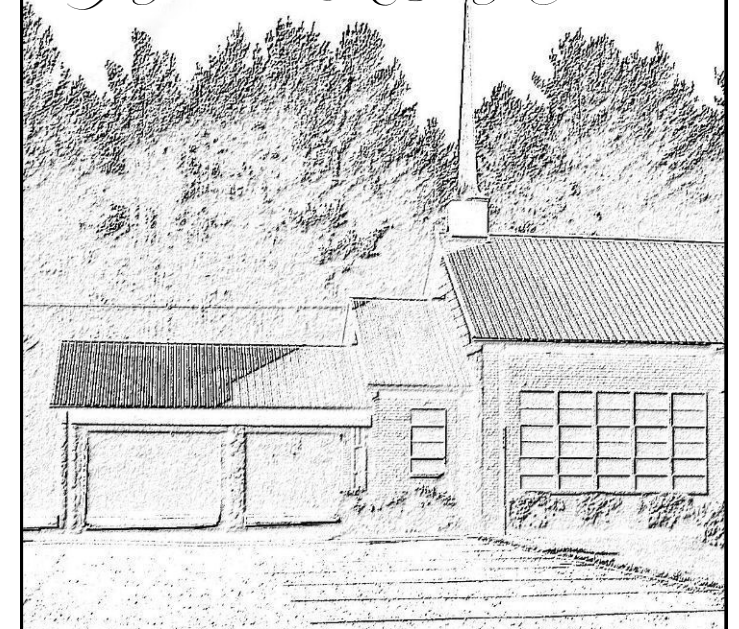
CHURCH INCOME - SEPTEMBER 18, 2016

Sunday School	\$ 12.46
Mission	\$ 30.00
Deacon Fun Day Donation	\$ 100.00
General Offering	\$ <u>1,434.00</u>
Total	\$ 1,576.46

Family
 &
Friends Day
CELEBRATION

THEME:

"Giving Thanks: A Family Celebration"



19th Sunday after Pentecost

DULATOWN PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

REV. HAROLD J. BENNETT II, PASTOR

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, 2016

"stand firm in your faith"

WORSHIP SERVICE

Sunday, SEPTEMBER 25, 2016—10:45am

GATHERING

PRELUDE

INTROIT OR PROCESSIONAL

LIGHTING OF CANDLES (ALCOLYTE)

WELCOME (LITURGIST)

CALL TO WORSHIP (LITURGIST)

PRAYER OF INVOCATION

OPENING HYMN: COUNT YOUR BLESSINGS #533

INVITATION TO CONFESSION (LITURGIST)

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (UNISON)

ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS (LITURGIST)

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH (UNISON)

GLORIA PATRI #654

WELCOME/RECOGNITION OF VISITORS

ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE BLENDING OF COLORS:

OFFERTORY (SCRIPTURE)

SELECTION BY CHOIR

OFFERTORY/DOXOLOGY

PRAYER OF DEDICATION (LITURGIST)

INTRODUCTION OF SPEAKER: NATALIE LOGAN

HYMN OF PREPARATION: HE'S SWEET I KNOW #510

INTERCESSORY PRAYER: MINISTER ALECHA BOSTON

WORSHIP THROUGH MUSIC (CHOIR SELECTION)

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION (LITURGIST)

GOOD NEWS

HYMN OF INVITATION:

SPECIAL SELECTION

BENEDICTION (TILL WE MEET AGAIN)

SENDING/PASS THE PEACE

CALL TO WORSHIP (RESPONSIVE)

Liturgist: Come with your questions, come with your awe!

People: For the God who broods over the chaos meets us in this place.

Liturgist: Come with your energy, come with your weariness!

People: For the God who breathes new life into the dust meets us in this place.

Liturgist: Come with your sadness, come with your joy!

People: For the God who dared to become human meets us in this place. Let us worship God together!

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (RESPONSIVE)

The Spirit comes with fire of justice and we offer the extinguisher of complacency.

Lord have mercy, Lord have mercy, Lord have mercy upon us.

The Spirit comes with the rain of love and we offer an umbrella of reserve.

Christ have mercy, Christ have mercy, Christ have mercy upon us.

The Spirit comes bearing fresh winds of change and we close the windows.

Lord have mercy, Lord have mercy, Lord have mercy upon us.

THE APOSTLES' CREED (UNISON)

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, the Maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord. Who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried, He descended into hell. The third day He arose again from the dead, He ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty, from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

MEETINGS/REHEARSALS

INTERCESSORY PRAYER MINISTRY—There will be an Intercessory Prayer Ministry by Minister Alecha Boston the 2nd Saturday in each month beginning September 10th from 9:30—10:30am. If you would like to lift someone up in prayer, please come by DPC. The doors will be open, you are most welcome!
COFFEE SHOP MINISTRY will meet Wednesday September 28th at 12 noon.

HARRIET DULA REUNION 2016 CELEBRATION! The Harriet Dula Reunion 2016 was held from Friday, September 23,

2016 through today, September 25th.

FAMILY & FRIENDS DAY CELEBRATION: Family & Friends Day will be celebrated today during worship service. Our guest speaker is Rev. Gary Norwood. Our theme this year is "Giving Thanks: A Family Celebration". Let us all welcome Gary home as he shares God's word with us today!

DPC ANNUAL REVIVAL 2016: Our Annual Revival will begin Monday, September 26 through Wednesday September 28, 2016 at 7pm nightly. The year's guest speakers will be Rev. Rocky Dula, Praise Team and Choir (Monday), Rev. James Wilfong and Choir (Tuesday) and Rev. Charlie Riven and Choir (Wednesday). This year's theme is "Giving Thanks: A Family Celebration". Please invite your family and friends to come out and fellowship with us!

"LORD CHANGE MY ATTITUDE" MINISTRY will meet Monday, October 3rd from 6:30 pm to 7:30 p.m.

BIBLE STUDY will not meet Wednesday, September 28th at 6pm. We will meet again on Wednesday October 12th at 6pm.

DPC FALL FESTIVAL: The Fall Festival is sponsored by the DPC Deacon Board and Food Pantry. It will be held Saturday, October 15, 2016 from 12:00 noon until 3:00 p.m.

REMINDER: All key holders, if you open the church doors, you are responsible for securing the church doors.

BIRTHDAY CELEBRATIONS FOR SEPTEMBER 2016!! Princess Anderson—Sep 13, Rickey Dula—Sep 14, Ingrid Hendrix—Sep 15, Dwight Dula—Sep 25, Sharon Dula—Sep 27 and Alexia Church—Sep 28. Please let the Secretary know if any members need to be added to the September Birthday List. May the peace of Jesus Christ be with you always.

SCRIPTURE READING(S)

Leader: The Word of the Lord

People: Thanks be to God

SERMONIC MESSAGE

Rev. Gary Norwood, Sr.

COMMISSION AND BLESSING OR POSTLUDE (CHOIR)

Leader: May the peace of Christ be with you.

People: And also with you.

RITUAL OF FRIENDSHIP/SHARING COMMUNITY LIFE