



Happy Friday

Join us this weekend at DAVISON FREE METHODIST CHURCH. We continue our teaching series: PLANTED: a life of thriving growth & blooming possibilities. Utilizing the famous parable story of Jesus ("the Parable of the Sower"; Matthew 13:3-9), we hope to impart the Godly growth principles - enhancing your connect to God, deepening your connection to the church and friends, and embracing the unlimited possibilities that Jesus brings to your life.

This Sunday (in-person & online - 9:30am & 11am), you will also be invited to interact with the second soil-type from the Sower Parable — and harken the warning, "BEWARE of the SHALLOW HEART."

If you choose to worship with us **IN-PERSON**, I want to highlight many of the **COVID-19 protocols & safety requests** that we offer here at our ministry location. We desire to create a safe worship experience - one where everyone can feel welcome and embraced. (Given the rising number of cases in our community, please note the increased safety measures.)

- we strongly encourage everyone to please **wear a mask** or face-covering (especially in the church lobby).
- please **practice social distancing**. (if you would like to engage in conversation with a church friend, consider having that interaction in our café/gym area)
- if you are **feeling sick?** or if have been exposed to someone with the virus, please stay home and worship online.
- be aware of our **touch-less check-in** features for Early Childhood and Kid Connection.
- **hand sanitizer is available** at many locations through out the building.
- sadly, we will NOT be offering coffee and donuts this week.

- to help you spread out and feel more comfortable, a couple **worship spaces are available** (the auditorium, the cafe/gym,)

Bring your phone to church! We continue to offer our **DFMC TEXT NUMBER**, it will help you interact with us this weekend:

- text VIP to 810-226-9979 to receive our digital “VIP Connection Card”
- text GIVE to 810-226-9979 to make a financial gift and support our church financially
- text RESPONSE to 810-226-9979 to participate in the response options at the end of the service

If you choose to **Worship LIVE ONLINE** with us. Watch options include:

1. DFMC **YouTube** Channel - Live at 11AM.
2. DFMC **Facebook** Page - Live at 11AM.
3. **DFMCHURCH.ORG**
4. on your smartphone through the [DavisonFM APP](#)
5. on your smartTV device through the **DavisonFM tvAPP** (AppleTV, Roku, Amazon)

Please know that I am praying for you and your family; praying for our church and our community. Some of our church friends are returning to in-person worship after a long hiatus. Some new friends will be attending DFMC for the first time. With these new expectations and in the spirit of Jesus’ self-sacrificial love - I invite you to **spiritually engage** with DFMC. As a Jesus follower, I implore you to extend love, grace, and mercy to all who need. Take care of those who express needs. Pray for everyone.

Blessings -

Pastor Shane
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PS - We will be holding our Annual CONGREGATIONAL MEETING on Sunday at 12:15pm. All who are interested in DFMC’s ministries and efforts are invited to attend - and DFMC members are expected to be present and vote. You can attend online (at dfmchurch.org) or in-person. We plan to vote online to approve the 2021 DFMC leadership and accept the 2021 DFMC operational budget.