

*Welcome Visitors! We thank you for worshipping with us this morning.
Please sign the Friendship Pad including your name and address
that we may make contact to express our gratitude in having you here.
Members are encouraged to indicate any changes in contact information.*

*The flowers in the sanctuary are given for the glory of God and
in honor of all the mothers and in celebration of the birthdays of
Gail, Mills and Stokes by the Milling family.*

This morning's greeters are Fred and Lisa Bergwerff.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Mother's Day Offering: A special offering will be received today to help support *A Choice to Make*. Please give generously to this most important ministry.

Church Family Nights will conclude this Wednesday, May 13. Join us at 5:15 for dinner, games, and entertainment!

Exercise Class: All are invited to come, join, and have fun with Nancy Gordon this Thursday, May 14 for a chair exercise class at 11am in the McCown Building, followed by a time of fellowship. For questions, call or text Nancy.

Operation Christmas Child: It's that time again to start shopping for items for the Operation Christmas Child Shoeboxes. This year we are going to pack 200 boxes, so we will need lots of socks, underwear, toothbrushes, games, toys, water bottles, etc. Please start bringing your items now so we can make sure each child has just the right box for them to know that Jesus loves them.

Vacation Bible School is scheduled for June 8-11 from 9am-noon. We are seeking individuals to serve in areas such as teaching, recreation, crafts, and snacks. Please be in prayer of how you might be able to serve! More information will be forthcoming.

Save the Date! A Wild Game Feast, prepared by the men of the church, will be held on Sunday, July 26, at 6pm. Our guest speaker will be Connor Shaw, former University of SC and NFL quarterback. Connor now serves as a Health & Welfare Consultant at Gallagher and has a powerful testimony to share. Be sure to mark your calendars – you don't want to miss it!

A Choice to Make is a nonprofit organization that empowers women and families facing unexpected pregnancies. They provide accurate information, free services, and practical support with a holistic and compassionate approach. They give each client the care and attention they need, empowering them to make informed decisions for themselves and their future. They are 100% funded through the generosity of churches, individuals, businesses, and organizations in our community.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS



Tuesday	7:00 am 10:00 am	Men's Prayer Breakfast (Takis') Circle 1 (McCown Bldg.)
Wednesday	5:15 pm 7:00 pm	Supper/Church Family Fun Night Chancel Choir Practice
Thursday	11:00 am	Chair Exercise Class (McCown Bldg.)
Saturday	10:00 am	Circle 3 (McCown Bldg.)

SESSION

Kevin Cauley, Teaching Elder (Moderator)	
Kelly Hayes, Teaching Elder	
Bill Abbott	Wayne Howle
Brian Bagwell	Jim Ivey
Sidney Belk	John Milling
Fred Bergwerff	Julie Scott
Anne Funderburk	Dean Sigmon
David Hixson	Byard Stone

DIACONATE

Philip Baugh	William Lawson
Dale Campbell	Ray Lentz
Lisa Doyle	Anthony Patchen
Nancy Gordon	Rob Rasmussen
George Haynes	Jason Smith
Brenda Jenkins	Mike Wiggins

STAFF

Kevin Cauley, Pastor
 Kelly Hayes, Associate Pastor
 Cole Davis, Music Director
 Amy Williams, Organist
 Edie Park, Church Secretary
 Byard Stone, Jr., Treasurer
 Gloria Eaddy, Kitchen/Cook
 Carrie Rush, Nursery
 Sandy Justice, Nursery
 Johnny Campbell, Sexton
 Johnny Richardson, Tech Director
 Harrison Adibi, Custodian



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Worship Service
in honor of our Lord Jesus Christ

Darlington Presbyterian Church
May 10, 2026
11:00 am

PRELUDE

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

SUSAN JOHNSON SCHOLARSHIP AWARD

CHIMING OF THE TRINITY

ENTERING GOD’S PRESENCE

INTROIT

Congregation

“The Gift of Love”

Though I may speak with bravest fire,
And have the gift to all inspire,
And have not love, my words are vain,
As sounding brass, and hopeless gain.

CALL TO WORSHIP

based on Psalm 71:5-6

Pastor: You, O Lord, are my hope, my trust, O Lord,
from my youth.

People: **Your steadfast love cared for me since before I was born,
You are He who took me from my mother's womb.**

All: **Therefore, our praise is continually of You!**

PRAYER OF ADORATION AND THE LORD’S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever! Amen.

*** HYMN OF FAITH, NO. 81**

“He Leadeth Me! O Blessed Thought”

***AFFIRMATION OF FAITH**

The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, and born of the virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; He descended into hell. The third day He rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From there He will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy *catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

**The terms catholic church mean the universal church, which includes everyone who trusts Christ alone for salvation, no matter who they are or where they live.*

***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. Amen.**

TIME FOR GOD’S CHILDREN

(Children ages 3-5 are invited to Wee Worship.)

OFFERTORY

DPC Praise Band

“Holy Water”

God, I'm on my knees again
God, I'm begging please again
I need you
Oh, I need you

Walking down these desert roads
Water for my thirsty soul
I need you
Oh, I need you

Your forgiveness
Is like sweet, sweet honey on my lips
Like the sound of a symphony to my ears
Like Holy water on my skin

Dead man walking, slave to sin
I wanna know about being born again
I need you
Oh, I need you

So, take me to the riverside
Take me under, baptize
I need you
Oh, I need you

I don't wanna abuse your grace
God, I need it every day
It's the only thing that ever really
makes me wanna change

***DOXOLOGY**

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow,
Praise Him all creatures here below,
Praise Him above ye heavenly hosts,
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

***PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING**

Mandy Dargan

THE WORD OF GOD

SCRIPTURE LESSON

Mark 6:1-13

(Pew Bible pg. 841; Children’s Bible pg. 1220)

SERMON

Rev. Kevin Cauley

“Jesus as My Buddy or Following Jesus’ Lead:
Which Makes an Impact on Family and Community?”

PRAYER FOR WORD AND LIFE

RESPONDING IN THANKS

*** HYMN OF FAITH, NO. 437**

“Wherever He Leads I’ll Go”

BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE

** Those who are able are asked to please stand.*