

Scripture Reader: Linda Curran

Pianist: Cindy McMillan

Music Leader: Aaron Carpoff

Delta Community Presbyterian Church

Events / Announcements:

All God's Children Christian School
In partnership with
Delta Community Presbyterian Church
presents the



2nd Annual Cruisin' for Christ Car Show

Saturday, April 27, 2024
10:00 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.
AGC Parking Lot

Details / Flyer on the table in the Narthex

All God's Children Christian School
Presents the 3rd Annual

Golfing for God Golf Tournament

Monday, May 13, 2024
Discovery Bay Country Club



Details / Flyer on the table in the Narthex



Forgot your checkbook? Didn't bring cash?

No problem! Scan the QR Code on the right and give online! You can also go online to give at: [dcpfamily.org](https://www.dcpfamily.org) OR at no cost to either party, use the BillPay option at your bank accounts website. You can also set-up autopay.



Office Hours: 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. Monday through Friday



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[Online Services](#)



DCPC: <https://www.dcpfamily.org/joinus>

Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/DCPCI>

You Tube: <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCjPvL-khWZ5bI9q-COdDCKg>



Rev. Dr. Leslie Veen

~ 4th Sunday of Easter ~

April 21, 2024

DCPC MISSION STATEMENT

We are a spiritual family, seeking, encouraging, and equipping people to become life-long followers of Jesus Christ.

Welcome

We're glad you are here to worship today. May you feel the love of God, the peace of Christ, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit as we worship together.

Guests: *If this is your first time with us, we offer you a warm welcome!*

- ♦ *Please sign the welcome book so we can get to know you better, then join us for fellowship following the service so you can get to know us!*

Pastoral Care Needs: Please call the church office at **(925) 634-0184** to meet with the Pastor and/or a Deacon. If you need to speak with Pastor Doug Schoonover, you may **call** or **text** him on his direct line: **(925) 634-0374**. Or **email** him at **pastor@dcpcfamly.org**

We want to pray for you: If you have a prayer request, you can email your request to **prayer@dcpcfamly.org** and it will be put on the prayer chain the same day.

Missions

Jenny Rodrigues is our Missions Elder. To find out how you can help or to write a thank you note to one of our Presbyterian missionaries, please email **Jenny** at **jennyrodrigues51@aol.com**.

Make a Difference

Mondays:

Help out at the community food pantry with food packing at **St. Anne Catholic Church** located in **Byron** at **8:00 a.m.**

Tuesdays:

Help out at the community food pantry with setting up and food distribution at the following locations:

St. Anne Catholic Church at **8:30 a.m.**

Calvary Church in Knightsen at **9:30 a.m.**

New Covenant Church in Bethel Island at **10:30 a.m.**

Link for Food Pantry/ Free Market:

<https://www.dpcfamly.org/freemarketandfoodpantry>

Community

AA Meetings: Are held on the following days...

Mondays at **7:30 p.m.**

Tuesdays at **7:30 p.m.**

Saturdays at **8:30 a.m.**

Fellowship Hall

Sundays at **7:30 p.m.**

(Men Only)

Fellowship Hall

Al-Anon Meetings: **Mondays** at **12:15 p.m.** in the **Sanctuary**

Building Community with Small Groups



Bible Study - 2nd & 4th Wednesday at 10:00 a.m.

Place: Janet O'Connell-Mangham's House

If you would like to join or for more information...

Please contact Janet (925) 240-6475

Dinner & Bible Study - Every other Wednesday at 6:00 p.m.

Place: Dale & Mary Anderson's House

If you would like to join or for more information...

Please contact Dale or Mary (775) 636-8729

Sermon Based Vespers Study - Wednesdays at 6:00 p.m.

Place: Patty Schroeder's House

If you would like to join or for more information...

Please contact Patty (925) 783-2605 / Marsha (925) 813-9632

Zoom Bible Study - Thursdays at 9:00 a.m.

If you would like to join or for more information...

Please contact Fred du Pont (925) 783-1679

or dustyman1@comcast.net **(Open to everyone)**

Women's Bible Study - Thursdays at 1:00 p.m.

Place: Dana Box's House

If you would like to join or for more information...

Please contact Dana (925) 634-7973

Children's Ministry

Come join us every Sunday for Sunday School,

following Children's Story Corner. Sunday School is more than just learning. We begin with a prayer, then work on an activity unique to each week's lesson. The children are engaged with a weekly Bible verse, and discussion. They get to create a work of art incorporating the verse, and then close the activity with prayer.

To stay up to date and learn more about our Sunday School program, check out our church webpage at:

<https://www.dpcfamly.org/sundayschool>

For more information contact the church office at:

(925) 634-0184 or deltachurch@dcpcfamly.org





DELTA COMMUNITY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

WORSHIP SERVICE

4TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

APRIL 21, 2024

We Gather and Praise

Prelude: *"The Solid Rock"*

Welcome: Rev. Dr. Leslie Veen

Opening Prayer:

Passing the Peace of Christ:

Call to Worship:

L: The LORD is my shepherd; I shall not want.

**P: He makes me lie down in green pastures;
he leads me beside still waters;**

L: he restores my soul. He leads me in right paths
for his name's sake.

**P: Even though I walk through the darkest
valley, I fear no evil, for you are with me;
your rod and your staff, they comfort me.**

L: You prepare a table before me in the presence
of my enemies; you anoint my head with oil;
my cup overflows.

**A: Surely goodness and mercy shall follow
me all the days of my life, and I shall dwell
in the house of the LORD my whole life long.**

Opening Hymn: *"The King of Love My Shepherd Is"*

Children's Story Corner:

We Hear the Word

Prayer of Illumination:

Linda Curran

Let us pray together:

**God our helper, by your Holy Spirit, open our minds, that as the Scriptures are read and your Word is proclaimed, we may be led into your truth and taught your will, for the sake of Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.**

Psalm Reading: Psalm 80:1-7

Gospel Reading: 1 John 3:16-24, John 10:11-18

Sermon:

Rev. Dr. Leslie Veen

"The Reciprocity of Love"

We Respond

Worship with Gifts & Offerings:

Offertory: *"My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less"*

Confession of Sin and Response

Call to Confession:

If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. But if we confess our sins, God who is faithful and just will forgive us our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness. In humility and faith, let us confess our sin to God.

Prayer of Confession:

Merciful God, we confess that we have not loved you with our whole heart. We have failed to be an obedient church. We have not done your will, we have broken your law, we have rebelled against your love. We have not loved our neighbors, and we have refused to hear the cry of the needy. Forgive us, we pray. Free us for joyful obedience; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Assurance of Pardon:

The mercy of the Lord is from everlasting to everlasting. I declare to you, in the name of Jesus Christ, we are forgiven. May the God of mercy, who forgives us from our sins, strengthen us in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep us into eternal life.
Amen.

Communion

Sacrament of Communion:

"Break Now The Bread of Life"

"My King My Shepherd"

Pastoral Prayer:

Lord's Prayer:

Benediction:

Benediction Response:

"God Be With You Till We Meet Again"

Postlude: *"He Has Made Me Glad"*