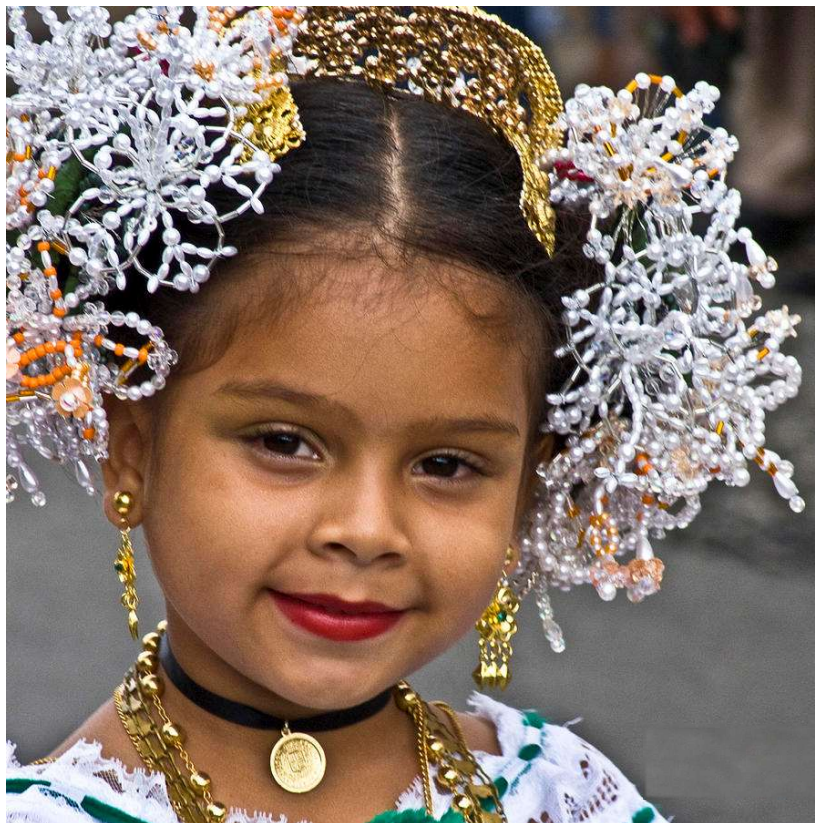




**THE PRESBYTERIAN  
CHURCH OF DANVILLE**

**Second Sunday  
after Pentecost**

**June 7, 2026  
10:00am**



*Young girl wearing a tembleque, a traditional Panamanian headdress.*

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# GATHERING

Opening Voluntary

*Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah*

C. E. Walz

Welcome and Announcements

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you.

**And also with you.**

Minute for Mission

Committee on Self-Development of People

Rev. Mark Davis

Celebrations and Prayer Requests

The **Opening Sentences** are inspired by Hosea 6.

◆ Opening Sentences

So let us search for the Holy One!

**Let us seek to know the LORD!**

The Holy One will come to our rescue as certainly as the appearance of the dawn.

**As certainly as the winter rain comes,**

**as certainly as the spring rain that waters the land.**

◆ Hymn No. 435

*There's A Wideness in God's Mercy*

IN BABILONE

Assurance of Pardon

The **Prayer of Confession** was written by Rev. Mark Davis.

Prayer of Confession

Forgive us for our self-righteousness, our critical spirits,  
and our lack of compassion for the lost and hurting.

We confess that we often hoard our time and resources  
rather than bringing the healing light of Christ to a broken world.

We have been apathetic to the needs of the harassed and helpless,  
and we have failed to pray and work for the well-being of all of our neighbors.

Renew our hearts, and fill our souls with an overflowing grace  
that we might more fully give ourselves to the justice and light  
that Christ brings to the entire world.

(time for silent prayer)

◆ Sung Response No. 581

*Glory Be to the Father*

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 every shall be,  
world without end. Amen, amen.

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◆ Please rise in body or spirit.

Join in reading or singing the parts of the service printed in **bold**.

## WORD

Prayer for Illumination

Hebrew Bible Reading

Genesis 12:1-9

O. T., Pew Bible, p. 10

Psalter Reading

Psalms 33:1-12

O. T., Pew Bible, p. 507

Gospel Reading

Matthew 9:9-13

N. T., Pew Bible, p. 9

Sermon

Rev. Mark Davis

(a few moments for silent contemplation)

## EUCCHARIST

◆ Hymn No. 327

*From All That Dwell Below the Skies*

LASST UNS ERFREUEN

Invitation to Offering

Musical Offering

*Come Ye Sinners, Poor and Needy*

Ralph Long

◆ Doxology No. 606

*Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow (Doxology)*

OLD HUNDREDTH

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;  
praise Christ, all people here below;  
praise Holy Spirit evermore;  
praise Triune God, whom we adore. Amen.**

Invitation to the Lord's Table

Great Thanksgiving

The Lord be with you. **And also with you.**

Lift up your hearts. **We lift them up to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

... who forever sing to the glory of your name:

**Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,**

**heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest.**

**Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.**

... Great is the mystery of faith: **Christ has died, Christ is risen, Christ will come again.**

... all glory and honor are yours, almighty God, now and forever. **Amen.**

To give electronically, text "PRESBYDAN" to 73256. Please sign the Friendship Pad during the Musical Offering.

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.

Breaking of the Bread

Communion of the People

Prayer after Communion

O God, send us out from our Lord's table  
to answer his summons into new life  
and to follow him with joy and gladness.  
Set our feet in his holy way,  
that our lives may be signs of his life  
and all we do may show forth his love. Amen.

We will receive communion by intinction. Please take a piece of bread and dip it in the cup when they are brought to you. All the bread is gluten-free so that we may eat of the same loaf.

**Please partake of the elements at the station before returning to the pews.**

**SENDING**

◆ Hymn No. 65

*Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah*

CWM RHONDDA

◆ Charge and Benediction

Closing Voluntary

*Arise, O Christian People*

Jeffrey Blersch

**WORSHIP LEADERSHIP**

**Leading worship:**

Preacher ..... Rev. Mark Davis  
Liturgists ..... Kathy Miles and Sean Gladding  
Musician ..... Susan Shewmaker

**Assisting with worship:**

Lead Ushers ..... Fran Halloran and Mark Tibbles  
Livestream ..... Henry Boyd and Jona Voss  
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