

DPC Weekly Update  
Darnestown Presbyterian Church  
[www.darnestownpc.org](http://www.darnestownpc.org)

**The Men's Breakfast is on Saturday, May 13, 8:00 a.m. Tim Kurkjian will be our speaker, and all men are invited - bring a friend - lady friends who love baseball are welcome! Please RSVP to the Pastor (dpcpastor@comcast.net).**

### This Sunday, May 14, 2017 - Mother's Day

**We will worship at 8:45 & 11:00 a.m.** Dr. McNeilly will be in the pulpit, and his sermon title is "The Story of the Bible," with Scripture taken from Leviticus 19 and Luke 20.

**Sunday School Classes** continue this Sunday at 9:45 a.m. for all ages. Children are to gather in the Fellowship Hall for opening exercises.

**Parenting:** Helping Your Kids to Become Adults features Donald Miller and Dr. John Townsend discussing what the Bible has to say about raising kids. This class will explore how God designed parenting, why it is so challenging, and ultimately the rewards that come from the process of helping kids grow up. The class will meet downstairs in the Social Hall.

**Dark Brew Class** continues on Sunday, 9:45 am in the Parlor - All adults welcome. "The Faith of Jesus in a Pluralistic World" - This series investigates how Christians may hold a particular belief in Jesus as the Christ of God amidst a world of competing religious claims. In these episodes we will focus on both the differences and similarities between Christian faith and other religious traditions. World-class scholars will help us process and learn about how Jesus Christ can be the "way, the truth, and the life," without condemning other people's religious beliefs and values. The central question of this series is how is Christianity related to other faith traditions? A blessed Mother's Day to all!

### Church News

**A Retirement Celebration will be held for the Pastor & Cindy on Sunday, May 28 after the 11:00 service in Fellowship Hall.** Dr. McNeilly will be retiring after 39 years of ministry, and after service DPC for nine years. All Welcome!!

**Ladies! Bazaar Craft Days continue!** Our next day of fun fellowship, lunch and a little creativity is **Saturday, May 13 from 10-3** at Kathy Kurkjian's house (12830 Talley Lane, Darnestown, 20878). If you have a project idea, please email it to Kathy at [kpk1@comcast.net](mailto:kpk1@comcast.net). **Please RSVP** to Kathy if you'll be there so that we have a count for lunch. *As always, think about bringing a friend too!*

### **Lunch Bunch: Fun - Food - Fellowship**

Great Programs Too!! DPC and St. Nick's and Visitors, **You are Welcome to Join Us!!** 3rd Tuesday every month. **Next Get Together: Tues., May 16, 11:30** at St. Nick's.

**May Program:** Medical science has recently discovered, and it's still evolving, how the health of your mouth affects the health of your body and vice-versa. A very knowledgeable medical professional in this field will give us an overview of how your mouth talks to your body and how your body talks to your mouth, followed by a detailed explanation of how periodontal disease affects cardiovascular disease and can cause cardiovascular disease, and vice-versa. **Join us for lunch, fellowship, and good times!**

The **Mission Committee** is pleased to announce our **Local Mission page** on our <http://www.darnestownpc.org> website has been updated with live links!!!! Please visit our updated page to help meet your personal **Mission Challenge**.

**Recognition of Graduates** - We will recognize High School graduates at the 11am service on **May 21**. Information about High School and College Graduates will be in the bulletin and in the June Newsletter. **Please e-mail or call the office to let us know about the graduates in your family!**

Our Youth Group will be holding their annual **Car Wash** following the late worship service on **Sunday, May 21**. Please bring your dirty cars to worship with you! Funds raised will go to defray costs for attendance at Montreat later in the summer.

***Welcome Bags are available in the Narthex each Sunday.***