

DECEMBER 2025

# The Prospector

Dahlonega Methodist Church

Years ago in my camp director days at Glisson, a banner appeared in the staff area on brown butcher paper in simple but beautiful writing that said, “*expect Jesus*.” When days are so busy and my ‘to do’ list runneth over, that banner sometimes appears in my thoughts, and I am reminded to keep the main the main thing.

A time of expectation, the season of Advent is upon us. A story of humble beginnings full of unlikely people and anticipatory journeys.

I want to invite you to consider what it would mean to “*expect Jesus*” this Advent. To unplug the “Christmas machine” and simplify the season. To consider the most basic of beginnings: a seed in the soil, receiving the gifts of water and light, waiting expectantly for the growth that comes over time. You will see this symbolism in the coming weeks as our advent candles are carried into the sanctuary and lit each week. You will be invited on the journey as our nativity grows. And you will notice the beauty of greenery and lights that bring the simplistic beauty of creation indoors.

Hope, peace, joy and love are the gifts of Advent when we immerse in this season of becoming and *expect Jesus*, remembering the birth of the baby and waiting for Him to come again.

In His Light,

*Kim Bell*

Worship Chair



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# Advent and Christmas

## Hanging of the Greens—Sunday, November 30th at 6:30pm

Come and hear the story of Advent, as we add the symbols of Advent to our Church. Come and learn the meaning behind the symbols as we celebrate the beginning of the season with song and word. Remember to bring your unwrapped gifts for CHP and place under the Christmas Tree. See page 5 for suggested gifts and food list. The Hanging of the Greens offering goes to CHP Spirit of Christmas.



## Dreads, Hopes & Dreams

**Advent Ecumenical Services**  
**Tuesdays at Noon**  
**Dahlonge Baptist Church**  
**Lunch Following**

**Nov 25 - Rev Justin Combs**  
Hemlock United Methodist Church  
**Dec 2 - Rev Dr Stephen Schofield**  
Dahlonge Methodist Church  
**Dec 9 - Rev Charlie Mayberry**  
Dahlonge Baptist Church  
**Dec 16 - Fr John Hamilton**  
St Elizabeth's Episcopal Church

## Poinsettias in Honor and/or Memory

If you would like to donate a Christmas Eve Poinsettia in Honor and/or Memory of someone special, please email [nancy@dahmc.org](mailto:nancy@dahmc.org). The Poinsettias are \$30 each. The person's name will be included in the Christmas Eve Bulletin. **Deadline to donate is Wednesday, December 17th. Please make note on your check "Poinsettia IMO or IHO".**



## Live Nativity



Experience the wonder of Jesus' birth at the Live Nativity at Dahlonge Methodist Church! Begin your journey to Bethlehem on the front lawn where you will be greeted with uplifting praise and worship music, live animals that you can feed, and then draw near to the manger and see baby Jesus, Mary, Joseph, shepherds, wise men, and angels as the story of Jesus' birth comes to life. Afterward, step inside our church fellowship hall to explore the tents of Bethlehem, where children can enjoy fun and engaging activities. Warm up with hot chocolate and cookies as we celebrate the birth of our Savior! Everyone, young and old, is welcome to join in this joyful event!

## Lessons and Carols Service

The DMC Choir and Handbell Choir will be presenting the third annual Lessons and Carols service on December 7th at the 11am service.

*The Lessons and Carols service guides the listener through the story of mankind from the fall to the birth of our Savior. This story is told through readings of Scripture (the Lessons) that are accompanied by hymns and anthems (the Carols). The tradition of the Lessons and Carols service began well over a century ago and is one of the most popular Christmas services today.*

## **MMO Christmas Program**

Wednesday, December 10th—5:30pm

## **Blue Christmas**

Sunday, December 21st—3:00pm

*Blue Christmas is a gentle, contemplative service for those who are carrying pain or loss during this season of celebration.*

## **Christmas Eve Services**

Time: 5:00pm, 7:00pm, 11:00pm

The Christmas Eve communion rail offerings will go towards the Christmas Day meal and the Community Relief fund for helping families with their Christmas needs. Please note your preference when you give.

## **Christmas Day Meal—11:30—3:00pm**

Once again Dahlonge Methodist Church will have a Christmas Dinner. It will be served on December 25<sup>th</sup>, 11:30am-3:00pm. If you would like to help cook, serve, decorate, or donate cookies, please contact Chris Tench 770-265-6946. All are welcome. This meal is free.

## **Scheduled Holiday Office Closures**

Wednesday, December 24th through

Friday, December 26th

Wednesday, December 31st

Thursday, January 1st



# Announcements



**Thank you for considering a year-end gift to the church!**  
**May God bless you as you make this expression of your faith.**

To allow your contribution to be counted in 2025 and given towards your 2025 faith promise ("pledge"), please review these opportunities:

## Checks and Cash

**Offering Plate:** by Sunday, December 28.

**Mailed:** Postmarked by December 31 AND delivered to the church by January 9.  
(PO Box 455, Dahlonega, GA 30533.)

**Drop off at Church office:** by 4:00pm, Tuesday, December 30.

## Electronic/Online

Visit <https://dahmc.org/giving/> and click "Online Giving".

**From your bank account:** Your receipt must list your gift as received no later than December 31.

**Credit or Debit card:** Your receipt must be dated with the gift shown as charged to your card by December 31.

## Gifts by Stock

If you own stock that has increased in value, you can donate it to the church and take a charitable income tax deduction for the full fair market value and avoid declaring the capital gain of the assets as income. Many people consider this the equivalent of a "double deduction". Please contact Karen McLain, DMC Business Manager, at [karen@dahmc.org](mailto:karen@dahmc.org) for details.

## Giving from your IRA

If you have an Individual Retirement Account (IRA) and are age seventy (or getting close), this is a way you can give to DMC that will strengthen the church's ministry and could produce tax savings for you! Please contact Karen McLain, DMC Business Manager, at [karen@dahmc.org](mailto:karen@dahmc.org) for more information.

*We encourage everyone to discuss these options with a financial planner, tax consultant, or attorney. It could be a savings for you and a blessing for DMC!*

## Celebrating the Good Samaritan Ministry

In case you are not familiar with the DMC Good Samaritan ministry; we help community members with service projects they may not be able to complete or afford on their own. Through the giving and service of our church members, we have completed a variety of projects in the community this year. Examples include Cutting Trees for a church member, Replaced an Entrance Deck and Stairs, Cleaned Gutters, Built a Roof over a deck so a blind person can enjoy the outside, Landscaping, Trench Work to eliminate flooding, participated in a larger effort to completely Renovate a Trailer, and most recently Renovated a Playroom for a disabled 6-year-old.

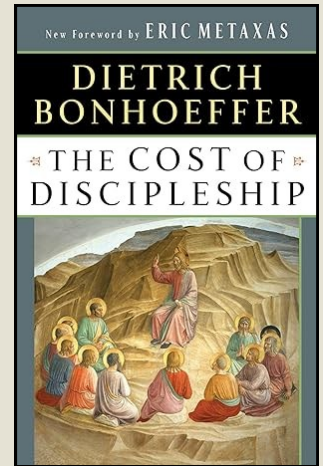
Our thanks to everyone that participated with their time, talents and giving to make the ministry a success!

Anyone in need of home assistance or if you would like to support the ministry, you can contact the church office.



**GOOD  
SAMARITAN**

## Book Club



**The Book Club will be discussing The Cost of Discipleship, on Wednesday, December 3rd at 6:30 in the Library. The book may be purchased from this link:**

<https://a.co/d/f6ti8UW>

*One of the most important theologians of the twentieth century illuminates the relationship between ourselves and the teachings of Jesus*

*What can the call to discipleship, the adherence to the word of Jesus, mean today to the businessman, the soldier, the laborer, or the aristocrat? What did Jesus mean to say to us? What is his will for us today? Drawing on the Sermon on the Mount, Dietrich Bonhoeffer answers these timeless questions by providing a seminal reading of the dichotomy between "cheap grace" and "costly grace." "Cheap grace," Bonhoeffer wrote, "is the grace we bestow on ourselves...grace without discipleship....Costly grace is the gospel which must be sought again and again, the girl which must be asked for, the door at which a man must know....It is costly because it costs a man his life, and it is grace because it gives a man the only true life."*

If you would like to join the Book Club and receive email updates, please email [deborah@dahmc.org](mailto:deborah@dahmc.org).

# Announcements

## Wednesday Night Supper

There will be a Wednesday Night Supper on December 3<sup>rd</sup>. We will have a warm Beef Stew, Rolls, and Dessert. Come and have **food and fellowship** as we begin the busy Christmas season. Serving begins at 5:45pm. Cost is \$8/adults and \$6/children. Please be sure to sign up by calling the office or emailing [nancy@dahmc.org](mailto:nancy@dahmc.org). Come enjoy some time together! This will be the last Wednesday Night Supper until January 7, 2026.

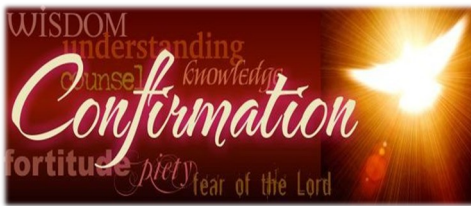
## Sportsmen's Group—Faith, Fletching, Flintlocks and Fly Rods.

The Sportsman's Group will not meet in December. Our next meeting will be at 6pm, January 19th at the Ivey Lodge on Camp Glisson.

## Globetrotters

Join **Globetrotters** for a Lunch & Learn where we'll turn ordinary stems into lovely arrangements. Learn the tips, tricks, and secrets behind professional-looking floral arrangements with **Levi Hansard from Gus and Bloom**. Come for the food, stay for the flowers—and leave with something beautiful you created! **Monday January 12, 2026 from 11-1** in the Fellowship Hall. \$10 non-refundable pre-payment required and attendance is limited to 20. Please **RSVP by January 4** to Deena Rankin 678-923-1034 or Cindy Williams 706-973-9272.

## Confirmation Classes 2026



Confirmation classes are for 5th graders and older. Classes will begin on Sunday, **January 25th** from 3:00-4:00 pm in the Church Library. Pastor Steve and Robin Parr will lead the classes. If you would like your child to participate please email [deborah@dahmc.org](mailto:deborah@dahmc.org) to sign up. (Classes are ten weeks)

## Holy Land Tour with Dr. Steve & Debbie Schofield

Join Rev. Dr. Steve & Debbie Schofield on a Holy Land via Jordan tour, starting at \$4,646\* from Atlanta, GA, on October 7, 2026. Visit places such as Mount Nebo, Madaba, Petra, the Dead Sea, Jericho, Qumran, Capernaum, the Mount of Beatitudes, the Sea of Galilee, the Church of the Loaves and Fish in Tabgha, the Chapel of the Primacy, Magdala, Nazareth, Cana, the Roman aqueduct and theatre at Caesarea, Bethlehem, the Church of the Nativity, Shepherds' Field, the Upper Room, the House of the High Priest Caiaphas, the Cardo, the Western Wall, the Southern Wall Excavations, the Teaching Steps, the City of David, Hezekiah's Tunnel, the Pool of Siloam, the Mount of Olives, and much more!

**If you are interested it's important to attend an informational meeting Sunday, November 16th at 3pm in the Sanctuary. Check out the trip at the link below:**  
<https://www.eo.travelwithus.com/tours/hl26100726j52457#eotours>



## Women's Circle of Faith

**December 16<sup>th</sup>:** No meeting. Ecumenical Advent Services will be held at noon at Dahlonga Baptist Church, with a light lunch afterwards in the Fellowship Hall.

**January 20<sup>th</sup>:** Terry Peters, GMC North Georgia Conference Disaster Relief Team organizer, will talk about how they work with other organizations such as Samaritan's Purse and local churches to help communities return to normal as quickly as possible after a disaster.

## Circle of Faith 2026 Program

Jan. 20<sup>th</sup>—GMC Disaster Relief: Terry Peters  
Feb. 17<sup>th</sup>—Book: Room to Bloom: Debra Stipe, DMC Member  
Mar. 17<sup>th</sup>—Rainbow House: Melinda Fausto  
April 21<sup>st</sup>—Kristi Tritt: Minister at ABWE, A Global Missions Agency for Evangelism & Church Planting  
May 19<sup>th</sup>—The Women of Jeremiah's House: Sally Kelley, Pud English  
June 23<sup>rd</sup>—Luncheon at Dahlonga Library, Members bring covered dish. Chair Yoga! Welcome Nacoochee Methodist Church Mary & Martha Group  
July 21<sup>st</sup>—Field Trip to Camp Meeting, Lumpkin Campgrounds, Dawsonville  
August—NO MEETING  
Sept. 15<sup>th</sup>—Awakening Collegiate Fellowship: Nathan Dickens  
Oct. 20<sup>th</sup>—CHP: Melissa Line, Pledge Prog.  
Nov. 1<sup>st</sup>—Half-Cake Bake Sale Fundraiser  
December—NO MEETING

## Sewing Hearts Circle

Sewing Hearts Circle are women who join for a time of sharing, friendship, fun, talking, and praying, while all the time making and stuffing "Heart Pillows". You don't have to know how to sew to make a "Heart Pillow". You can cut out the pattern and/or only stuff the pillows and at the same time enjoy Christian fellowship. The pillows are distributed to children, teens, and adults, who need something to touch as a reminder that "God Loves Them"! We meet once a month on a Friday morning. If you or someone you know is in need of a heart pillow, they will be distributed the second Sunday of each month from 8:00-12 noon. For more information contact Betty Fisher at [bettyfisher5262@msn.com](mailto:bettyfisher5262@msn.com).



Dahlongeaga Methodist Church Children's Ministry

## December Calendar for D-Town Kidz

Wed, Dec. 3—**Wednesdays in the Word** -5:45-7:30 pm (3<sup>rd</sup>-5<sup>th</sup>)

Sun, Dec. 7—**No Kidz Church (K-5<sup>th</sup> Grade)** – Worship with families in service.

Classes still available for babies – PreK

**Family Campfire Christmas** 5:30-7:30 pm. Wear your flannel, bring a camping chair, and come join us outside by the fire for roasting hot dogs and s'mores, crafts, Christmas caroling, and a hayride!

Wed, Dec. 10—**Wednesdays in the Word** -5:45-7:30 pm (Last one till January)

Sat, Dec. 13—**Live Nativity** 6:00-8:00 pm

Live nativity, animals, crafts, cookies, & photo booth

Sun, Dec. 14—**Kidz Church & Lil' Kidz Church** at 9:30 am.

We will have Breakfast in Bethlehem! Kids will be dropped off & picked up as normal in classrooms.

Sun, Dec. 21—**Kidz Church & Lil' Kidz Church** at 9:30 am – We will have a birthday party for Jesus!

Wed, Dec. 24 **Christmas Eve Services**

5:00 pm (Family Service), 7:00 & 11:00 pm (Candlelight).

At the 5:00 service, kids ages 2-years -5<sup>th</sup> grade will participate in the service and dress as nativity characters. If your family plans to attend this service, please let Vanessa know so she can assign your child a character to dress like. We have costumes here at the church! **We will have childcare for our littles under 2 at the 5:00 service.**



*Merry Christmas and a  
Happy New Year from  
the Advisory Board and  
Preschool Staff!*

*The Preschool & Office will be  
closed for Christmas Break  
Dec. 15th- Jan.1st*

*School resumes on Monday,  
January 5th, 2023.*

From the Advisory Board and MMO/Preschool, A special "Thank you" to all of you who made our Wolf Mountain Christmas Dinner Fundraiser a success. We appreciate your love and support for the MMO/Preschool Ministry.

## Youth Ministry

DMC Youth strive to live **LIFE**.  
**Love Everyone**  
**Inspire Many**  
**Fulfill God's Call**  
**Empower Others**

### WINTER SCHEDULE

#### Sundays During School Year

##### MS Worship & HS Small Group

Sunday Afternoons 4—6pm

Meet at DMC field/Fellowship Hall

#### Wednesdays During School Year

HS Worship & MS Small Groups

MS Dinner & Small Groups-5:45-7:30pm

HS Dinner & Small Groups-5:45-8:00pm

#### December

7th—Youth

14th—Progressive Dinner

Wednesday 17th—Tacky Sweater/  
White Elephant Party. LAST YOUTH  
ACTIVITY OF 2025!

Dec. 21st—No Youth

Dec. 28th—No Youth

#### Ski Trip Info:

Middle School Ski Trip: January 1st  
through 3<sup>rd</sup> to Beech Mountain, North  
Carolina. \$225 to go, \$100 deposit to  
secure your spot due December 3<sup>rd</sup>.

High School Ski Trip: January 16th  
through 19<sup>th</sup> to Winterplace, West  
Virginia. \$325 to go, \$100 deposit to  
secure your spot due December 14<sup>th</sup>.

#### Contact Information

Bailey Tam, *Director of Youth Ministry*  
bailey@dahmc.org/706-962-2614



# Community Helping Place Spirit of Christmas Outreach

## Community Helping Place Spirit of Christmas Outreach Mission



*Spirit of Christmas* is the Community Helping Place's holiday outreach program which provides eligible families food to make a Christmas meal, vouchers for clothing & books, and gifts for the children (ages birth to 18). Your donation of food, toys and money will go a long way in providing a special Christmas for these families. There is also a suggested toy list below; this is not an inclusive list. You are welcome to use your own creativity; we just ask for no clothing as we do not get sizes of each child.

There are volunteer opportunities to help donate food and gifts, and distribute the food & gifts.

### DISTRIBUTION VOLUNTEERS

DMC is helping distribute gifts and food on Thursday, December 11, from 10am—1pm. We are in need of 5 volunteers.

### VOLUNTEER CONTACT AND INFORMATION:

Debi Holloway, 706-867-9621. Please state you are with DMC. If Debi isn't available, please leave a message. All activities will take place at CHP in the lower back parking lot in the red building.

### DONATIONS

**After November 30th, please take your UNWRAPPED gifts and donations directly to CHP.** CHP will begin packing all the food and gifts for each family Monday, December 1st, therefore they need these unwrapped gifts delivered this date.

### FOOD and PERSONAL CARE PANTRY STAPLES NEEDED

The number of people needing the food pantry has increased. Last year we served, on average, 270 families each month. This year we are serving an average of 300 families per month. On top of that, the amount of food we are able to receive from the food banks has decreased. I say this so you are aware that the need is greater now and keeping up with the demand is more challenging. If you are able to donate anything to our Food Pantry, we would be grateful. Items especially needed are canned meats, fruits and vegetables, pasta sauce, peanut butter, jelly, macaroni and cheese.

**Due to the generous giving the food pantry is not in need of donations. However, the personal care panty could use this following: Shampoo, Conditioner, Body Wash, Toothpaste, Deodorant.** Donations may be placed in the collection bin located in the hall outside the Fellowship Hall.

## **DONATIONS NEEDED**

### FOOD LIST

Each of the 200 families receive the following:

2 fruit cans  
2 cans corn  
2 cans Cranberry sauce  
1 can chicken broth  
1 can yams  
1 box instant potatoes  
1 box cornbread mix  
1 box of stuffing  
1 box cake or brownie mix  
2 boxes mac & cheese  
1 container of frosting

### **SUGGESTED TOY**

**Baby's**—Pull-ups all sizes, Wipes, Teething Toys

**Young Girls**—Easy Bake Oven, Anything Frozen

**Girls Age 8-12+ - Art Sets**

**Boys Age 8-12+**

Legos, Nerf guns, Football, Baseball glove, Art sets, Board games, fishing poles

**Teen Girls**—High school reading books, brain teasers, spa basket items,

**Teen Boys**—Good dart boards, high school reading books, brain teasers, tools; all ages-fishing poles

**Middle School age**—Science type things

**General**—Action figures (like the multi packs), anything nerf, board games all ages

**Most Ages**—wireless earbuds

**Board games for all ages but especially for older children and outdoor games for all ages but especially older children.**

# Czech Republic Mission

## “Teaching English, Sharing Jesus: A Mission to Czechia”

English is the primary language of commerce and tourism throughout the globe. Consequently, people throughout the world go to great lengths to learn my native tongue.

The people of the Czech Republic are no different, taking English classes in school, and many attend English camps in the summer to improve their fluency.

When the opportunity arose for DMC to lead one such camp in the old mining town of Jachymov in the hills north of Pilsen, Pastor Robin jumped at the opportunity.

While our primary role was to teach English, the deeper purpose was to present the gospel to kids in one of the most atheistic countries in the world.

We were excited, but not sure what to expect. Most of the mission trips we'd been on involved construction or VBS. This was different.

It would involve hours of research and planning, developing a rigorous curriculum for English language learners, coming up with engaging activities to teach vocabulary, grammar, cultural concepts, and conversational skills for sixteen students.

Evangelická Církev Metodická Pilsen, ECM Pilsen for short, hosted this week-long camp. Our job as facilitators was to teach a full day of English lessons, and facilitate a time of testimony and worship alongside Pastor Milan Mrazek.



At first our conversations were a bit awkward and surface-level. As the week progressed and we got to know each other, many students were intrigued and emotionally impacted by our testimonies. Some heard the gospel for the very first time. They asked difficult questions. They talked about their hang-ups with God, the ways in which Christians had hurt them, and even asked deeper philosophical questions. We often spoke with students late into the night, doing our best to answer their often difficult questions, admitting when we didn't have an answer, and more importantly, simply listening.

Some conversations were more light-hearted, like one with Veronika, a Ukrainian refugee, who could not believe that we'd never seen a hedgehog. Or the conversation with Pastor Milan, who had just learned the idiomatic euphemism, “see a man about a horse.” Or the uproarious laughter as the American team botched the Czech tongue twister, “Strč prst skrz krk.”

The last night of camp was especially memorable. Our group of once strangers, now friends, spent the night singing, listening to testimony, praying, conversing, exchanging contacts, taking pictures, and savoring our last moments together.



The next morning, parents arrived to pick up campers. Tears were shed, and hopes of reunification expressed.

God moved among the Czech youth and many have been attending the youth group at ECM Pilsen since then. Thanks to technology, each of DMC team members are in weekly, if not daily, communication with someone from camp.

Our time in Czechia left an indelible impression on each of us. Each DMC team member will tell you that there is not a day that goes by that they don't long to be back at camp with our Czech friends because of the genuine connection made possible by the Holy Spirit.

To give to our mission in Czech, you can write a check to the church and put “Czech Mission” in the memo.

Watch some video testimonials from some of the students: <https://youtu.be/heus3M03cKQ> or click on QR Code.





## One Child El Salvador

### Celebrating Our First Graduating Class in El Salvador

On **November 21st**, La Magdalena Christian School reached an historic milestone—the **graduation of its first-ever class**. This is a moment that the One Child El Salvador ministry, the school's teachers, and the entire community have prayed for since the very beginning. These students represent hope, perseverance, and the bright future God is building in the region.

A group of OCES members, including **Steve** and several **local Rotarians**, traveled to El Salvador to be present for this special day. Their visit brought encouragement to the students, teachers, and families, and strengthened our ongoing partnership with the school.

We give thanks to God for guiding these young men and women through years of study and for allowing our church family to play a part in their journey. Please continue praying for the graduates as they take their next steps in faith, education, and service.

### First Graduating Class



## One Child Coffee

Looking for the  
Perfect Christmas Gift  
for Customers, Friends,  
or Family?

**One Child Coffee  
Coffee & Chocolate for a Cause**

This Christmas season, give a gift that tastes good and does good!

Our **One Child Coffee & Paul Thomas Chocolate** collection makes the perfect present for **customers, friends, family, or business associates**.

Each **chocolate bar** is infused with **One Child Coffee Espresso Roast beans**, combining the smooth richness of our premium El Salvador coffee with delicious **White, Milk, and Dark Chocolate**. A set of **three bars** is just **\$15** — beautifully wrapped and ready to share.

For something extra special, our **Gift Box (\$50)** includes **two packs of One Child Coffee** and **three infused chocolate bars**, a ready-to-give or mail package that's ideal for anyone who loves fine coffee and gourmet chocolate.

We'll even **ship the gift box for you!**

You can purchase at church or order online anytime at [OneChildCoffee.myshopify.com](https://OneChildCoffee.myshopify.com)

Every purchase supports **One Child El Salvador**, helping provide education and a brighter future for children at La Magdalena Christian School.

The perfect Christmas gift — a taste of joy that changes lives.





# Sunday Worship

**Worship in the Sanctuary at 8:00 am**

**Worship in the Sanctuary at 9:25**—Children's Ministry available

**Worship in the Sanctuary at 11:00 am**

**Live Streaming 9:25 and 11:00am Service**

<https://dahmc.org/services/#watch-live>

There will be  
ONE service on  
Sunday, December 28th  
at 10AM.

## **Christmas Eve Communion Rail Offerings**

The Christmas Eve communion rail offerings will go towards the Christmas Day meal and the Community Relief fund for helping families with their Christmas needs. Please note your preference when you give.

## **Join the Church Sunday!**

*Join the Church Sunday* will be Sunday, December 14th at all services. Anyone who has been attending the church and would like officially to join the church, please contact [deborah@dahmc.org](mailto:deborah@dahmc.org) or [nancy@dahmc.org](mailto:nancy@dahmc.org) or call the church office.

## **He Knows My Name (...and now you can too!)**

Studies show that hearing your name spoken can lead to a sense of inclusion & feeling known. So, we will begin having Nametag Sundays on the first Sunday of the month, aligning with Holy Communion and our children being present in worship services. Look for nametag stations in the Narthex on both floors of the sanctuary.

## **Sunday Verbal Announcements**

If you would like to have a verbal announcement on Sunday mornings during the worship service, the announcement needs to be emailed to [deborah@dahmc.org](mailto:deborah@dahmc.org) two weeks prior and approved by Steve and Robin.

## **Adult Sunday School Classes**—Third Floor, Education Building

**9:30 a.m.**— Primetime Class—Room: Library—Facilitator: Chris Buice

**11:00 a.m.**— 11th Hour Class—Room: Library—Facilitator: Jeff Ramsland  
New folks always welcome and bring a friend.

## **Assisted Listening Capabilities**

DMC is now offering assisted listening capabilities through Listen Technologies. Please download the app "Listen Everywhere" from the APP or Google Play Store to your smart phone and pair your Bluetooth hearing aids or headphones to your device. Connect to the wifi "Listen" (Password – [canyouhearme](https://canyouhearme.com)). Open the app and select "DMC Sanctuary". For more information, contact Chuck Bell @ [chuck@chuckbellmusic.com](mailto:chuck@chuckbellmusic.com) or stop by the audio booth on Sunday morning.



Honor a loved one in celebration of a birthday, anniversary, or in remembrance with flowers. Sign up table is outside of Fellowship Hall or you may call the church office. The cost is \$110.00. Please make certain that your check is clearly marked "Altar Flowers". To allow the florist plenty of time to prepare floral arrangements, please give two weeks advance notice if you would like a specific color and/or flowers for your arrangement. Thank you.