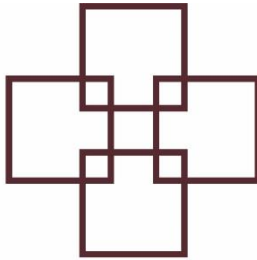


**VISION STATEMENT: DOVER CHURCH WILL BE A CATALYST FOR
WHOLISTIC TRANSFORMATION LOCALLY AND GLOBALLY.**



DOVER CHURCH

**PURPOSE STATEMENT: WITH A COMMITMENT TO BECOME HEALTHY DISCIPLES
WHO MAKE HEALTHY DISCIPLES –**

WE WILL LIVE IN AUTHENTIC COMMUNITY, ALLOWING JESUS [THROUGH HIS
WORD, BY HIS SPIRIT] TO TRANSFORM US AND LIVE THROUGH US, SO THAT...

- ... OTHER'S LIVES WILL BE TRANSFORMED,
- ... WE WILL CONTINUE MATURING/GROWING TOWARD CHRISTLIKENESS,
- ... WE WILL SERVE HIS PURPOSES IN HIS POWER, WHILE DEVELOPING
LEADERS AND SENDING THE CALLED.

Dover Church

December 1, 2019

This Week at Dover:

Today

9:00 AM	Sunday School
10:00 AM	Coffee & Fellowship
10:30 AM	Worship Service
6:30 PM	Youth Group

Wednesday

9:30 AM	Moms in Prayer
6:30 PM	Awana
6:45 PM	Youth Group

Friday

5:45 PM	Connected by Heart meets in Alton
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Today's Service Team:

Pastor- Pastor Tim Poferl

Greeters- Paul & Barb Lubbers and Mona Holm

Ushers- Darrell & Georgia Johnson, Dick & Pat Jongewaard

Coffee- Jay Schuiteman

Prelude- Ashley Van Essendelft

Worship Team- Judy Poferl, Kauline Groskreutz, Steve Mason,
Sam May, Darby Schuiteman

Audio/Visual- Brande Pals / Doug Vogel

Children's Ministry Updates

Today - Children's Church at 10:30 AM (for kids age 4 – 2nd grade)

Teacher: Jen Vogel

Helpers: Elise McManimon, Kienna Lassen, Simeon Bundt

Next Sunday – Children's Church at 10:30 AM

Teacher: Brande Pals

Helpers: Kyra Lassen, Hannah Nunn, Sarah May

Dover Announcements

Annual Meeting Results- Both proposals passed and all nominations received approval from Dover members. We are pleased to announce that our new elders are Verlyn Netten, Ed Mortenson, Tom Kunstle, and Jon Groskreutz. Our new deacons are Merlin Bylsma and Jon Schuiteman. Angela Worthley is our governing board secretary and Brande Pals is the treasurer.

Ladies Missionary Connection meets on Tuesday, Dec. 10 (not Dec. 3) from 9:30 AM – 11 AM at Georgia's home, 501 Providence Ave SE, O.C.

Women's Christmas Open House is on Dec. 12 from 7 PM – 9 PM at Bev's home, 1908 Albany Ave NE, O.C. All Dover Women are welcome!

Mentoring Program- Women, please sign up for the "Flourish" mentoring program.

Calling all musicians!! (1) We are looking for individuals to do special music next month. It could be preludes, postludes, as well as during the service. If you would like to share your musical gift, please contact Judy or Kauline. (2) Anyone interested in singing a Christmas choral piece on Sun., Dec. 15, please see Kauline for music. We will practice Thursday, Dec. 5 at 7:00 pm.

CAN YOU HELP? Our ministry to widows and single women over 50 is having its Christmas party on Dec. 6. Some of our ladies have real financial needs. We are hoping to bless them with gift cards from Don's, Fareway, local gas stations, Walmart, and local restaurants. If you could provide a card or two, it would be much appreciated. Monetary gifts placed in an offering envelope marked "widows" may be given to the Benevolent Fund to help cover party expenses. Gift cards should be delivered to the church secretary by Dec. 1. Thank you for anything you can provide.

Community Announcements

Atlas Orange City Area will host the ATLAS Christmas Store. Through donations, the store offers greatly reduced prices to provide a shopping opportunity for those feeling a financial strain. In the narthex, there are tags listing a suggested donation. Please consider taking a tag, then purchasing the item and dropping it off at the ATLAS office (322 Central Ave. NW) by December 3. Questions or interested in volunteering? Please call ATLAS at 737-4090. Thank you for your generosity!

Get involved at Dover! If you are interested in Baptism, Membership, Child Dedication, or any of the following ministries: Children, Youth, College, Women's, Men's, or any other ministry, please feel free to contact one of the elders, or contact the church office by email at office@doverchurch.org or by phone at (712) 737-8442.

FINANCIAL UPDATE	LAST WEEK	YTD
Mission Fund	\$ 5,993	\$ 101,452
Benevolent Fund	\$ 235	\$ 6,900
General Fund Need	\$ 5,520	\$ 259,440
General Fund – Actual Giving	\$ 8,431	\$ 282,516
General Fund Expenses	\$ 15,328	\$ 308,991

Ways to Give

In Person - Place checks or cash in an offering envelope and drop it in the offering plate as it goes by.

Online - Visit the www.doverchurch.org website, click on 'Online Giving' or scan the QR Code below to set up a one-time or recurring donation.



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