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We love kids in worship! However, if you prefer, a nursery is available for infants to kids age four on the first floor of the A-Building. A greeter is happy to escort you there. Kids' Church for kindergarten through fifth graders returns Easter Sunday, April 21.

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Exit a rear door of the worship space, take a left, and the restrooms are on the right near the end of hall.

WiFi (DFUMC-Guest)

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GENEROSITY REPORT

3/31 Attendance.....270
3/31 Operating.....\$16,057
Capital Campaign.....\$562,132
Faith Promises.....\$18,626



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Items Needed for Homeless Care Packages | The Cornerstone Class is in need of non-perishable food, personal hygiene items, caps, devotionals, and t-shirts. To donate, place items in our bin (B-Building office lobby) or contact Mike Anderson at 770-337-1365.

Quarters Needed for Service Project | We will be taking a team on Servant Saturday to share some love from DFUMC at the laundromat. Please drop the quarters (rolled or loose) in the "DFUMC on Mission" bin in the B-Building office lobby or contact Angel Douglas at angelbdouglas27@gmail.com or 770-241-5838.

Servant Saturday, April 13 | Join in as we serve our community from 8:30-11:30am with a Prayer Walk, Drink Station at Kroger, Loving Hands organizing/sorting, Good Samaritan floor cleaning and our Acts of Kindness at the local laundromat. Register now at www.douglasvillefumc.org/servant.

Easter Egg Hunt, April 14 | Lots of fun for those preschool through 2nd grade. Parents, please drop off your children as you normally do in their Sunday School classes by 9:45am and we will bring them down to the Courtyard at 10:00am.

Palm Waving Kids, April 14 | Kids three years old through fifth grade are invited to wave palm branches at the beginning of our one combined Palm Sunday worship service at 11:00am in the Sanctuary.

One Combined Service, April 14 | We welcome The Rust College A'Cappella Choir to sing on Palm Sunday at one combined service at 11:00am in the Sanctuary.

Easter Baptisms, April 21 | If you have not yet been baptized and would like to be on Easter Sunday at 10:00am, contact Heather at HeatherJ@douglasvilleFUMC.org.

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AN INVITATION TO FOLLOW JESUS

Jesus loves you and desires to be in relationship with you. Jesus offers you abundant life (peace, joy, meaning, purpose, love, fulfillment) now and forevermore.

AN INVITATION TO CONNECT

Connections with others are a vital part of a life well-lived. God made you for connection. For disciples, our love for Jesus is the reason connections matter. Why? Because connections provide opportunities for learning, growing and serving together. Connections are life-giving and begin the process of being *seen, known and heard*.

To discuss either invitation, contact Robin Payne at RobinP@douglasvilleFUMC.org or call 770-942-3146.

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