

Hello DFM family and Friends,

When you think of the word *church*, what comes to mind? For many of us, it's buildings, pews, sermons, and schedules. But in the first century, church looked very different. There were no buildings, no printed Bibles, no worship bands, or banners. It wasn't about programs—it was about people. A movement of believers united by one powerful truth: **Jesus is the risen Christ, the Son of the living God.** That was all they had, and it was enough.

At Davison FM Church, we long to rediscover that kind of faith community—a place where we truly love like Jesus, welcome everyone, and help each person find their place in His story. That's why we're launching a new five-week series, "Church: Finding Our Place," beginning this Sunday, August 3, at 10:30 am.

Here's a glimpse of what's ahead—and how you can join us in prayer each week:

- August 3 Every Heart Devoted
  Praying for spiritual awareness of the gospel in our friends, families, workplaces, and communities.
- August 10 Everyone Was Filled with Awe
   Praying for a fresh touch of the Holy Spirit in our worship services, classes, and small groups.
- August 17 Everything in Common

  Praying for unity within our church family, our community, and among local churches.
- August 24 Everyday They Continued to Meet Praying for new life—new vision, new ministries, new partnerships.
- August 31 Enjoying the Favor (Every People)

  Praying for our volunteers, ministries, and upcoming Fall Family Festival outreach.

## ACTS 2:42-47 (NIV)

They devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching and to fellowship, to the breaking of bread and to prayer... And the Lord added to their number daily those who were being saved.

This is more than just a series, it's an invitation to experience what church was meant to be. Let's discover together how **His church can become** *our* **church—and** *your* **church, too.** 

Bring a friend with you this Sunday! We'd love to have you join us in person, but if you're traveling, you can worship online at <a href="mailto:dfmchurch.org">dfmchurch.org</a> or through our free DFMC app (<a href="mailto:dfmchurch.org/get-the-app">dfmchurch.org/get-the-app</a>). The app also lets you stay connected, view upcoming events, and make your financial gift anytime.

I'm excited to worship, learn, and grow with you. See you this Sunday at 10:30 am!

With joy and anticipation,

## **Pastor Shane**

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