

THIS WEEK

SUNDAY

- 9:15 A.M. Sunday School / Connect Groups
10:30 A.M. Worship Service
3:30 P.M. Missions Committee Meeting
4:00 P.M. Scholarship Committee Meeting
5:00 P.M. Haitian Church in Kids Wing
6:00 P.M. Deacons Meeting

TUESDAY

- 10:00 A.M. Ladies Summertime Study & Fellowship

WEDNESDAY

- 11:00 A.M. Denman Students Summer Lunch @ DABC



We invite you to give generously
to what God is doing here.



Offering Box



Online: dabconline.org



Mail: 1807 E. Denman
Lufkin, TX 75901

JUNE FINANCIALS

BUDGET REQUIRED TO DATE \$ 659,314

YEAR TO DATE EXPENSE \$ 667,629

YEAR TO DATE INCOME \$ 651,279

TOUCHING ETERNITY \$ 714,925



July 12, 2026
10:30 A.M. Worship Service

Welcome

Call to Worship *Sing to the Lord Medley*

Hymn *Who Can Satisfy My Soul Like You?*

Prayer

Hymn *Blessed Assurance*

Hymn *Goodness of God*

Hymn *I Surrender All*

Message *Dee Daniel*

A Call to Discipleship

Matthew 16:24-27

Invitation *Trust and Obey*

We're glad you are here.

Please use the QR Code to fill out a guest form, check out our website, sign up for events, or give online. If you would like to learn more or join our fellowship, please fill out the Connect Card, visit the Connect Center in the foyer, or speak with a staff member.



UPCOMING ACTIVITIES & OPPORTUNITIES



DISCIPLESHIP

Discover Denman class for new members and visitors will be held on Sunday, August 16 at 9:15 a.m. in the Welcome Center. Sign up in the Welcome Center if you plan to attend.

MEDIA CENTER SUMMER READING CLUB - Warm Up to Books Sign up anytime between June 7 & July 26 (by the church office) *For all ages!* **AND check out the book giveaway too!**



KIDS

DENMAN KIDS MINISTRY is in need of 2 volunteers to help with driving the van on Wednesday evenings once a month on a rotating basis. Please see Jenny to serve here!



STUDENTS

Summer Lunch is at DABC on Wednesday at 11:00 a.m.

Please be in prayer for the students and adults serving at **Camp Happy Days** this week.



SENIOR ADULTS

Senior Adult Game Day & Fellowship meets on the 2nd and 4th Thursdays in the FLC at 10:00 a.m. Bring your favorite game and brunch/lunch dish to share, or just come and join us.

LAMP-LITE THEATRE production of ANNIE on Sunday, July 26th at 2:00 p.m. is our next senior event opportunity. Tickets, \$14 each, are available for purchase in the Welcome Center on Sundays, or in the church office during the week, with cash or a check. We will take vans from the church at 12:45 p.m. to Nacogdoches. (You may want to grab a quick lunch after church.) We will eat after the performance at Auntie Pastas.

ASTROS GAME — September 3 Senior Adults have 40 tickets for the 1:10 game available for purchase at \$75 (includes a \$15 food voucher). Sign up in the Welcome Center and drop your check, made out to DABC, in the black offering boxes or bring by the church office.

SENIOR ADULTS are sponsoring an Alaskan Cruise August 28-Sept 4, 2027. Information flyers are in the Welcome Center and at Senior Activities. This trip is open to all. See Gary Olsby for more info: 559-240-5450.

The Building and Grounds Committee has placed some Facility Repair & Maintenance Request Forms in the Welcome Center. If there is an area that you are aware of that needs attention and/or repair please pick one up, fill it out, and return it to the box provided.



A Call to Discipleship Matthew 16:24–27

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Conclusion: The Line in the Sand

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2. The Complacent Christian: A Call to Consecration
3. The Faithful Disciple: A Call to Commission

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