

“TO YOU WHO BELIEVE”

1 John 5:12 – Whoever has the Son has life; whoever does not have God’s Son does not have life.

Who has the Son?

1. Those who place their hope for heaven entirely on Jesus.
2. Those who live with a new nature.

If you have the Son, ...

1. Eternal life is promised.

1 John 5:13 – I have written this to you who believe in the name of the Son of God, so that you may know you have eternal life.

2. Prayer is powerful.

1 John 5:14-17 – And we are confident that he hears us whenever we ask for anything that pleases him. And since we know he hears us when we make our requests, we also know that he will give us what we ask for. If you see a fellow believer sinning in a way that does not lead to death, you should pray, and God will give that person life. But there is a sin that leads to death, and I am not saying you should pray for those who commit it. All wicked actions are sin, but not every sin leads to death.

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3. Victory over sin is possible.

1 John 5:18-19 – We know that God’s children do not make a practice of sinning, for God’s Son holds them securely, and the evil one cannot touch them. We know that we are children of God and that the world around us is under the control of the evil one.

4. Christ is the priority.

1 John 5:20-21 – And we know that the Son of God has come, and he has given us understanding so that we can know the true God. And now we live in fellowship with the true God because we live in fellowship with his Son, Jesus Christ. He is the only true God, and he is eternal life. Dear children, keep away from anything that might take God’s place in your hearts.

Coming soon:

1. **Day of Worship and Thanksgiving:** Join us on Sunday, November 23, for a special day of worship and thanksgiving. If you are ready to go public with your faith, sign up to be baptized at danriverchurch.org/baptism. We will also observe Communion as a church family.
2. **Christmas Decorating:** Make plans to stay after church for a few minutes on Sunday, November 23, or stop by the church between 10:00 am and 4:00 pm November 24–25 to help us decorate DRC for the Christmas season. Let us know if you can help at danriverchurch.org/serve.
3. **Christmas Movie Night at DRC:** Invite your friends to Movie Night on Friday, December 5, at 6:30 pm: cookies, hot chocolate, pictures with Santa, and more. This year’s movie: *The Best Christmas Pageant Ever*.
4. **Night of Joy 2025:** Don’t miss Night of Joy on Friday, December 12. Stop by the display to sign up to volunteer, to find out how you can give, and to see how you can make a difference this Christmas season.