

Mountain Views *August 20, 2017*

We would like to give thanks to our liturgists and AV teams: Jan Winquest, Jean Bowen, Kris Flewelling, Dick Habighorst, Art Saltarelli, Bruce Thompson, and the Kaufmans.

Casey Feldkamp Farewell

Today will be the last Sunday to enjoy Casey's piano playing in worship before she moves on to her new accompanist positions in Lakewood. Thank you, Casey, for your wonderful music at Mountain View!

Ministry Fair: Sunday, August 27

As we head into a new program year, we invite you on Sunday, August 27 to check out the ministry fair, where our program teams will display materials and you can find about small groups to get involved with, hear about mission and outreach opportunities, and hit the ground running for fall.

Invite a Friend Sunday: September 10

When was the last time you invited a friend to come with you to worship? It can be hard to do, but the challenge to care enough about someone else to ask them to come with you to church is well worth it! People will understand what really matters to you, and they will know how much you care. Invite a friend to worship for our kickoff (and the ice cream social -- see below!) and show them how special Mountain View is!

Mountain View Preschool 50th Anniversary Ice Cream Social: Sunday, September 10, following 10:30 am worship

Next month we will celebrate the golden anniversary of the preschool with a fun ice cream social with treats provided by Sweet Cow. Look in your bulletin the day of for a special coupon for a free treat and come enjoy an afternoon with our preschool friends.

Lifetouch Photo Sessions: September 27, 28, 29, 30, October 1, 4, 5, & 8th

This fall we will be rolling out a new updated church photo directory! You may sign up by calling the Church Office (303-494-5025). Sign

up sheets will be available between services starting next Sunday. The dates and times are: Wednesday, September 27: 1:00 -9:00 pm; Thursday, September 28: 1:00 - 9:00 pm; Friday, September 29: 1:00 - 9:00 pm; Saturday, September 30: 9:00 am - 5:00 pm; Sunday, October 1: 9:00 am - 5:00 pm; Wednesday, October 4: 1:00 - 9:00 pm; Thursday, October 5: 1:00 - 9:00 pm; Sunday, October 8: 9:00 am - 5:00 pm.

Walk Where Jesus Walked!

The Institute for Discipleship at Southwestern College, Winfield, Kansas, is sponsoring an exciting trip to the Holy Land May 14-23, 2018. The basic tour through Educational Opportunities Tours, guided sightseeing and round trip international airfare from Wichita, Kansas start at \$3,898. Toni Gray, Nelson Chen and Ina Gray plan to tour. For more information or an e-mailed brochure, contact Toni Gray, 303-786-9720, tbookworm@comcast.net

September Calls for Mexican Food

The Solo's recommendation for Wednesday September 6 is the Ajuaa Mexican Restaurant at 7960 Niwot Road. To get there, take the Diagonal Hwy north to Niwot Road and go east to 79th, or, take Lookout Road to 75th and then north to Niwot Road via 79th. It is in the shopping center by the gas station. The reservation is for 11:30, but it is a 20-minute drive from the Church so those who wish to carpool should meet in the Mt. View parking lot shortly after 11 for departure by 11:10 am. All Mt. View ladies of about age 50 or older (single or not) and their friends are welcome. Please make your reservation with Jo Ann Joselyn (jjoselyn@earthlink.net; 720 562 8027) by Monday, September 4.

Nursery Attendant Needed

We are hiring a new nursery attendant to provide care for children ages birth-3 years during worship services and church events. This person will coordinate with the nursery staff and work with the children's ministry director. Candidates must be available at least two Sunday mornings each

month. (8:30 am - 12:00 pm), as well as one Friday night each month (5:00 - 9:00 pm). Candidates must have CPR/first aid certification, or willingness to obtain, and pass a background check. Experience with children, especially infants and toddlers, is preferred. If you are interested, please send a letter with relevant experience and certifications to the Church Office, office@mtview.org.

Financial Peace U

Dave Ramsey's Financial Peace University (FPU) is coming to Mountain View United Methodist Church this Fall! Classes will be Monday nights starting September 18. Class materials (memberships) may be purchased through the church office or online. For more class information, please feel free to reach out to Pastor Sarah at: smerchant@mtview.org.

Music Ensembles Return

The Mountain View music ensembles will be resuming rehearsals in the next two weeks. No auditions are required, only a desire to make beautiful music to the glory of God.

- Spirit Singers will begin rehearsals on Sunday, August 27 from 11:45 am - 12:45 pm in Room 113.
- Wesley Ringers will begin rehearsals on Tuesday evening, August 29 from 6:30 - 7:30 pm in the Sanctuary.
- Chancel Choir will begin rehearsals on Wednesday evening, August 30 from 7:00 - 8:30 pm in the Sanctuary.

Contact Steven Burchard at 303-726-9630 for further information.

Seraphim Choir: Sunday August 27

Seraphim (our women's summer choir) will be singing during the 10:30 am service. The group will rehearse at 9:30 am that morning in the choir room. Come join us for a fun, music-making time and lots of camaraderie! Information? Contact Tula at tula.roberge@gmail.com

Prayers:

- Don & Ginger Wisdom
- Dulcie Harris
- Dale & Jo Ann Mattson

This Week's Schedule

Office Hours: Monday-Friday, 9:00 am - 4:00 pm

Sunday, August 20

Worship at 8:00, 9:03, & 10:30 am
9:00 - 10:00 am: Adult/Youth Sunday School
10:15 - 10:30 am: Hymn Sing (S)
10:45 - 11:45 am: Children's Sunday School (109)

Monday, August 21

5:15 - 6:45 pm: Intentional Faith (205)
6:30 - 8:30 pm: Finance Committee (208)
7:00 - 9:00 pm: Reserved (205)

Tuesday, August 22

9:00 am - 4:00 pm: Clergy Meetings (205)
11:30 am - 1:00 pm: Staff Meeting (FP)
3:30 - 7:00 pm: Bridge House Dinner (BH)
6:00 - 8:00 pm: Reserved (205)
7:00 - 9:00 pm: Radical Hospitality (208)

Wednesday, August 23

9:00 am - 12:00 pm: There with Care (BHK)
6:30 - 7:30 pm: MA Meeting (FP)
6:30 - 8:00 pm: Wednesday Night Women (205)

Thursday, August 24

8:00 am - 12:00 pm: Pickles (BH)

Friday, August 25

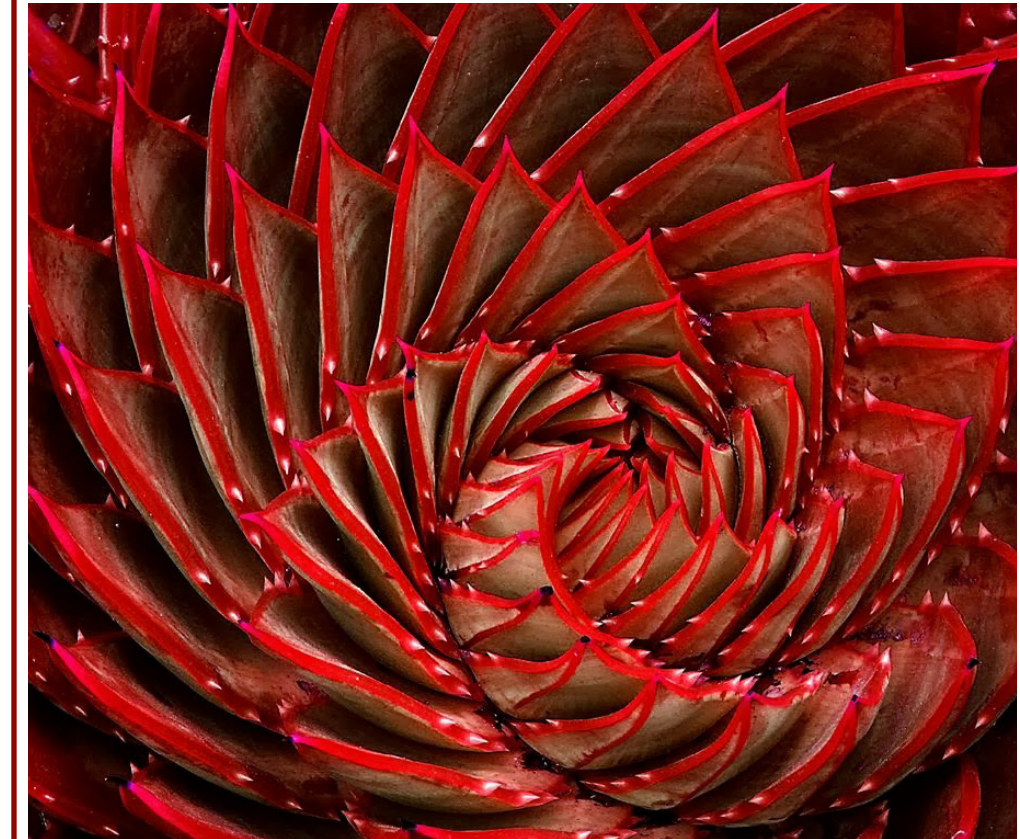
No events Scheduled

Saturday, August 26

7:30 am - 1:00 pm: Restorative Justice (FP & Classrooms)
5:00 - 6:30 pm: Head for Home (S)
7:30 - 10:00 pm: NA Meeting (FP)

We will grow in love of God and neighbor and self as Disciples of Jesus Christ in the Wesleyan tradition.

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"When We Matter to Each Other"

By Pastor Sarah Merchant

Scripture: Matthew 19: 16-23

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8:00 am Early Service

Gathering Hymns Congregational Requests
Ritual of Friendship
Sharing the Ministry of Mountain View UMC
Call to Worship (see screen or 10:30 am service)
Joys and Concerns
Prayers of the People
Our Lord’s Prayer (see screen or 10:30 am service)
Centering Hymn *Blest Be the Dear Uniting Love* UMH #566
Offering
Doxology (see screen or 10:30 service) UMH #94
Prayer of Dedication
Scripture Focus Matthew 19: 16-23 Bible p. 800-1
Scripture Response Leader: The Word of God, for the people of God.
All: Thanks be to God.
Sermon “When We Matter to Each Other”
Pastor Sarah Merchant
Closing Hymn *Bind Us Together* TFWS #2226
Benediction

Lay Liturgist: Jan Winquest
Piano: Linda Chambers

9:03 am Praise Service

Centering with Breathing Deep the Breath of God
Songs of Praise (words found on the screen)
Welcome and Sharing the Ministry of Mountain View UMC
Ritual of Friendship
Sharing of Joys and Concerns
Silent Meditation and Prayer
Song of Praise and Offering
Scripture Focus Matthew 19: 16-23 Bible p. 800-1
Message “When We Matter to Each Other”
Pastor Sarah Merchant
Special Music
The Sending Forth
Closing Song

If you are a guest today, please let us know who you are through the Fellowship Pads as they are passed. Thank you.

10:30 am Traditional Service

**Please stand, as you are able*

Prelude *Morning Song* Daniel Pinkham
Gerry Luethi, Organ
Bringing in the Light of Christ
Sharing the Life and Ministry of Mountain View UMC
***Greetings and Passing of the Peace:** Please greet each other with a handshake or an embrace, and with the words, “**May the peace of God be with you.**”
SPRC Moment
*Collect
***Opening Hymn *Many Gifts, One Spirit* UMH #114**
Blessing of the Backpacks
During this time all students, teachers, and administrators are asked to come forward with their backpacks & briefcases
Following this time, children age 3 through 5th grade are invited to participate in worship in our Prayground or return to sit with their families.
Joys and Concerns
Silent Meditation
Pastoral Prayer
Our Lord’s Prayer Unison
**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name.
Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.**

***Hymn of Faith *Blest Be the Dear Uniting Love* UMH #566**

Invitation to Offering

Offertory *Saint Columba* Robert Groves
Gerry Luethi, Organ

***Doxology**

UMH #94

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise God, all creatures here below: Alleluia! Alleluia!
Praise God, the source of all our gifts!
Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts!
Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!**

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Scriptural Meditation

All: May the words of our mouths, and the meditations of our hearts, be acceptable in Thy sight, O God, our Rock and our Redeemer!

Scripture Focus Matthew 19: 16-23 Bible p. 800-1

Scripture Response

Leader: The Word of God, for the people of God.
All: **Thanks be to God.**

Special Music *The Road Home* Stephen Paulus
Trish White, Bonnie Strand, Kris Flewelling, & Jordan Flewelling

Sermon “When We Matter to Each Other”
Pastor Sarah Merchant

***Hymn of Dedication *Bind Us Together* TFWS #2226**

*Benediction

Taking the Light of Christ’s Blessings into the World

Postlude *Intermezzo in B-flat minor, Op. 117, No. 2*
Casey Feldkamp, piano Johannes Brahms

Sermon Notes:

• The flowers on the Altar today are
• from Trudy Gygi in honor of her beloved
• grandparents, Hazel & Vernon Owens

