

Mountain Views August 27, 2017

We would like to give thanks to our liturgists and AV teams: Martha Swanson, Ryan Schmitz, Jo Ann Joselyn, Dick Habighorst, the Eustes', and the Gygis.

Ministry Fair: Today!

As we head into a new program year, we invite you 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.

Sign up for church directory photo sessions: September 27, 28, 29, 30, October 1, 4, 5, & 8th

Sign ups for photo sessions for the new church directory have begun! You may sign up during the weekends using the boards in the Narthex, or during the week either by calling or emailing the Church Office (303-494-5025/office@mtview.org) or online at mtview.org/events/photos. 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.

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.

Slides of China Trip: Wednesday, September 13, 12:00 pm, Frasier Parlor

Tom Phare will be taking us through China, with slides of his recent trip. All are welcome to the pizza lunch presentation, noon on Wednesday September 13 in Frasier Parlor. Contact the Church Office if you plan on attending: 303-494-5025. Suggested donation: \$5.

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.

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. Childcare is available! 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.

Local Tutoring Program

Be a tutor. Make a difference. This free community tutoring program serves students from Southern Hills Middle School and Fairview High School. Volunteers are needed in all subjects, all levels. Requirements are a willing spirit and a heart for young people (and a background check). Tutoring is held at St. Paul's United Methodist Church (one block from the schools). Tutoring begins September 6. For more information go to www.stpaulsboulder.org or contact Rebecca Glancy, Tutoring Program Coordinator, at rebeccajglancy@gmail.com. An hour a week can change a life!

Prayers:

- Dulcie Harris
- Dale & Jo Ann Mattson

Joys

- Congratulations to Stephen & Desiree Williams, who are expecting a new baby.

This Week's Schedule

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

Sunday, August 27

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

Monday, August 28

4:00 - 6:00 pm: Reserved (208)
5:15 - 8:45 pm: GBYO (S, FP)
6:30 - 8:00 pm: Stewardship (208)
7:00 - 9:00 pm: Reserved (205)

Tuesday, August 29

11:30 am - 1:00 pm: Staff Meeting (FP)
3:30 - 7:00 pm: Bridge House Dinner (BH)
6:00 - 8:00 pm: Infinite U (111/113)
6:00 - 8:00 pm: Reserved (205)
7:00 - 9:00 pm: Lay Leadership (208)

Wednesday, August 30

9:00 am - 12:00 pm: There with Care (BHK)
7:00 - 8:30 pm: Choir Rehearsal (208, S)
6:30 - 7:30 pm: MA Meeting (FP)

Thursday, August 31

No Events Scheduled

Friday, September 1

3:45 - 6:15: Suzuki Strings (S, BH, VR, FP, Classrooms)

Saturday, September 2

10:00 am - 12:00 pm: Wesley Annes (FP)
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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"The opposite of faith is not doubt. It is certainty" -- Anne Lamont



"Who Do You Say That I Am"

By Pastor Steven K. Warren

Scripture: Matthew 16: 13-20

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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 Christ is the World's Light UMH #188
 Offering
 Doxology (see screen or 10:30 service) UMH #94
 Prayer of Dedication
 Scripture Focus Matthew 16: 13-20 Bible p. 798
 Scripture Response Leader: The Word of God, for the people of God.
All: Thanks be to God.
 Sermon "Who Do You Say That I Am"
 Pastor Steven K. Warren
 Closing Hymn Here I Am, Lord UMH #593
 Benediction
 Lay Liturgist: Martha Swanson
 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
 Sunday School Moment
 Ritual of Friendship
 Sharing of Joys and Concerns
 Silent Meditation and Prayer
 Song of Praise and Offering
 Scripture Focus Matthew 16: 13-20 Bible p. 798
 Message "Who Do You Say That I Am"
 Pastor Steven K. Warren
 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 *Nettleton* by Gilbert Martin
 Susan Carl, 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 tell one another about your experience viewing the eclipse earlier this week.
 Sunday School Moment
***Call to Worship (Responsive)**
 Leader: God's command is clear: to love God with heart and soul and mind and strength.
People: God's command is clearly to love others as we love ourselves.
 Leader: Let us worship God, who created us in love, and whose love brings forth our strength.
People: Let us praise God, who shapes His love into forgiveness and offers possibility for all God's children.
***Opening Hymn The Church's One Foundation UMH #545**
 Children's Time
Following this time, children age 3 through 5th grade are invited to participate in worship in our Playground 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 Christ is the World's Light UMH #188**
 Invitation to Offering
 Offertory *Be Thou My Vision* arr. by Richard Walters
 Jenni Hlawatsch

*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 16: 13-20 Bible p. 798

Scripture Response

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

Special Music *Hakuna Mungu Kama Wewe* Seraphim Choir
 East African worship song arr. Kirk Aamot

Sermon "Who Do You Say that I Am"
 Pastor Steven K. Warren

***Hymn of Dedication Here I Am, Lord UMH #593**

*Benediction

Taking the Light of Christ's Blessings into the World

Postlude *Nun Danket Alle Gott* by S. Karg-Elert
 Susan Carl, organ

Sermon Notes:

The flowers on the Altar today are from the Kirkpatricks in honor of Carter's birthday.

