

Ice Cream Social: Today!

Celebrate the start of a new church year and getting back to school with ice cream from Sweet Cow (it's really good!) today! We'll celebrate outside with our friends from the preschool following the 10:30 am worship service. All are invited!

We need you to help out with the Trustees All Church Workday!

September 14, 8:00 am - 12:00 pm
Trustees need you! Next Saturday, September 14, the Trustees are going all-out to prepare the church for our fall season. We'll be pruning bushes, painting fences, weeding, cleaning, patching, and fixing. All are needed and welcome.

Wednesday Night Women's Bible Study: The Epic of Eden

In *The Epic of Eden* Video Study, Dr. Sandra Richter communicates a history of God's redeeming grace, weaving together a story that runs from the Eden of the Garden to the garden of the New Jerusalem. Please join us for this study. Our first meeting is Wednesday, September 18. We meet 1st & 3rd Wednesdays of each month at 6:30 pm in Room 205. For more information, please contact Connie Balazs at 303-666-1842 or brbalazs@comcast.net.

WOW Meets Today and September 22

WOW will meet both September 8 and 22 at 11:15 am in the Flatirons Room. We will begin a new book, *Joyful: The Surprising Power of Ordinary Things to Create Extraordinary Happiness*, by Ingrid Fetell Lee. All church women are invited to join us and share in our "Roses" and "Thorns." For more information, contact Jean Bowen at 303-443-3225.

Saturday Stitches and Jelly Rolls:

Saturday, September 21, 9:00 am - 12:00 pm Frasier Parlor
Bring your UFO (unfinished object) to work on or your sewing machine and join us for a Jelly Roll race.

UMW Fall Salad Potluck Luncheon: Saturday, September 21, 11:30 am, Barker Hall

The Wesley Annes and Mary Martha circles will be joined by our At Large, Strangers as Neighbors and WOW members, plus guests to share food, fellowship and listen to an important program from Mary Ann Watson about income inequality. Questions? Contact Betty Baal at 303-466-6805 or bandbbaal3@q.com.

An Introduction to Being a Liturgist: Sunday, September 22, following 10:30 am Worship

Have you ever thought about becoming a liturgist? Maybe you worry that standing up in front of the congregation would be awkward. Maybe you have question about what you need to prepare. All these things and more will be answered at a meeting in the Sanctuary after the 10:30 am service on Sunday, September 22. Pastor Stephanie, members of the Passionate Worship Team, and seasoned liturgists will be on hand to tell us how they see the role of liturgists, and share stories of those when they performed this valuable service the first time. We hope many of you will come. And, no, you will be under no obligation to sign up just because you wanted to learn more about it.

BUMMP Salmon & Turkey Dinner: Saturday, September 28, Lafayette UMC

Mark your calendars for the annual dinner, which is early this year: Saturday, September 28 at Lafayette UMC. We'll enjoy wild-caught Alaskan salmon and turkey. Tickets will be sold this month. Keep a look out for opportunities to volunteer to help this important fundraising effort for Boulder United Methodist Mission Partners.

Music Ensembles Return & Rehearse

Wesley Ringers Handbell Choir: Tuesdays from 6:30 – 7:30 pm in the Sanctuary.
Chancel Choir: Wednesdays from 7:00 – 8:30 pm in the Sanctuary
Spirit Singers Youth Choir: Sundays beginning September 8 from 11:40 am – 12:40 pm in the Youth Choir Room

Mt. View Preschool Returns to Session

Mt. View Preschool is beginning its 52nd year, an expression of our commitment to the community and education. Just a reminder anyone entering the Preschool Area during Preschool Hours (M-F 9:00 am - 4:00 pm) must sign in at the Director's office. Please refrain from using the preschool entrance unless you are meeting in the View room or conference room. For questions, please contact Stephen Williams, Chair of Trustees.

Mental Illness Presentation: Sunday, September 29, 9:00-10:15 am Frasier Parlor

Please plan to attend a special presentation on mental illness from the National Association of Mental Illness as two guest speakers share their compelling stories about living with mental illness and achieving recovery. We will be inspired and offer hope to thers.

Condolences

- A memorial service for Ed Quincy will be held on Saturday, September 14 at 2:00 pm with a reception to follow in Barker Hall.

This Week's Schedule

Sunday, September 8

Worship at 8:00, 9:03, & 10:30 am
9:00 - 10:00 am Adult Forum (205)
9:00 - 10:00 am S&OS (FP North)
9:15 - 10:15 am Lively Latte (208)
10:30 - 12:30 pm Men's Group (208)
10:30 - 11:30 am: Youth Sunday School (202)
10:45 - 11:45 am: Children's Sunday School
11:15 am - 12:30 pm WOW (205)
11:40 - 12:40 pm Spirit Singers (108)
5:30 - 7:00 pm Youth Cookout (off-site)

Monday, September 9

8:00 am - 12:30 pm Handweavers (BH)
3:00 - 8:00 pm Violin - Brady (202)
4:30 - 5:30 pm GBYO (FP)
4:30 - 9:00 pm GBYO (S)
5:30 - 6:00 pm GBYO (VR)
5:45 - 6:45 pm GBYO (BH)
6:30 - 8:30 pm NAMI (208)
7:00 - 9:00 pm Reserved (205)

Tuesday, September 10

9:00 am - 1:00 pm OLLI (108, 109, 111/113, FP)
11:30 - 1:00 pm Staff Meeting (110)
6:00 - 10:00 pm Handweavers (FP)
6:15 - 8:00 pm Infinite U (111/113)
6:30 - 7:30 pm Bell Rehearsal (S)
6:30 - 8:00 pm NA Committee (208)

Wednesday, September 11

10:00 am - 12:00 pm Clergy Circuit (110)
10:00 am - 12:00 pm OLLI (Narthex)
10:30 am - 1:30 pm There with Care (BHK)
11:00 - 9:00 am Violin - Berg (202)
12:00 - 1:30 pm Men's Lunch (FP)
2:30 - 3:30 pm OLLI (FP)
2:45 - 7:45 pm Violin - Morris (112)
5:30 - 6:30 pm Music Staff Meeting
7:00 - 8:30 pm Choir Rehearsal (S)

Thursday, September 12

9:30 - 11:00 am OLLI (FP)
12:00 - 9:00 pm Violin - Berg (202)
4:00 - 6:30 pm Organ Lessons (S)
5:00 - 8:00 pm Girl Scouts (BH)
5:30 - 7:30 pm Cub Scouts (FP)
6:00 - 8:00 pm Cub Scouts (109, 112)
6:30 - 8:30 pm NAMH (208)

Friday, September 13: No Events

Saturday, September 14

8:00 am - 12:00 pm ALL Church Spruce Up
8:30 - 10:30 am Share-A-Gift Meeting (FP)
10:00 am - 12:30 pm Organ Rehearsal (S)
2:00 - 5:00 pm Quincy Memorial (S, BH)
5:00 - 6:00 pm Head for Home Rehearsal (S)
7:00 - 9:30 pm Pro Musica Colorado (S)
7:30 - 10:00 pm NA Meeting (FP)

September 8, 2019



Building Vital and Open Community on Christ's Foundation

"Back to Basics: The Bible"

Pastor Stephanie Kidwell

Scripture: Romans 15: 4 & 2 Timothy 3:16

**Mountain View
United Methodist Church**

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8:00 am Early Service

Gathering Hymns *Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing* UMH #400
Wonderful Words of Life UMH #600

Welcome

Greetings

Prayers of the People

Our Lord's Prayer (See screen or 10:30 am)

Centering Hymn *Thy Word Is a Lamp* UMH #601

Offering

Doxology (see screen or 10:30 am service) UMH #94

Prayer of Dedication

Scripture Focus Romans 15: 4 & 2 Timothy 3:16 Bible p. 924, 967

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

Sermon *"Back to Basics: The Bible"*
 Pastor Stephanie Kidwell

Closing Hymn *I Love to Tell the Story* UMH #156

Benediction

Lay Liturgist: Connie Balazs
 Piano: Gerry Luethi

9:03 am Praise Service

Centering with Breathing Deep the Breath of God

Songs of Praise Oh Most High
 Holy Spirit, Rain Down

Welcome

Greetings

Prayers of the People

Our Lord's Prayer Unison

Song of Praise and Offering Holiness

Scripture Focus Romans 15: 4 & 2 Timothy 3:16 Bible p. 924, 967

Message *"Back to Basics: The Bible"*
 Pastor Stephanie Kidwell

Special Music Standing Upon the Rock

The Sending Forth

Closing Song We are Blessed

10:30 am Traditional Service

**Please stand, as you are able*

Prelude *Prelude and Fugue in G Major* JS Bach
 Susan Carl, Organ

Bringing in the Light of Christ

Welcome

***Greetings**

***Congregational Introit *O Spirit of the Living God V.1* UMH #539**

***Call to Worship Responsive**
 Leader: We come to this place to meet God.
People: Spirit of the living God, fill us with your light!
 Leader: We come to this place to find respite from a weary world.
People: Dwell in our hearts!
 Leader: We come to this place to worship God.
People: With all of creation we lift our voices in praise!

***Opening Hymn *All Creatures of Our God and King* UMH #62**

Children's Message
Following this time, children age 3 through 5th grade are invited to leave with our Children's Director for Sunday School.

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 *Thy Word Is a Lamp* UMH #601**

Invitation to Offering

Offertory *In His Care* Bill Ingram
 Wesley Ringers

***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 Romans 15: 4 & 2 Timothy 3:16 Bible p. 924, 967

Scripture Response

Leader: The Word of God, for the people of God.

All: Thanks be to God.

Anthem

O Blessed Church
 Chancel Choir

Helen Kemp

Sermon

"Back to Basics: The Bible"
 Pastor Stephanie Kidwell

***Hymn of Dedication**

I Love to Tell the Story

UMH #156

*Benediction

Taking the Light of Christ's Blessings into the World

Postlude

Minuet Finale
 Susan Carl, Organ

G F Handel

You are invited to remain for the Organ Postlude or leave following the Benediction.

Welcome to Mt. View UMC

Mountain View United Methodist Church is a community where we celebrate our differences and accept and care for ALL.

Your race, ethnicity, sexual orientation, gender identity/expression, relationship status, socioeconomic background, age, religion, body shape, size, and developmental and physical abilities are beautiful to us.

We invite you to share and explore now faith can help us make our modern world a better place for every living creature.