

All-Church Photo: Today, 10:15 am
Stick around between services today to be part of a new all-church photo!

Green Earth Team Environmental Speaker Series
JANUARY 19: Environmental Responsibility at the Heart of Christian Faith

For many Christians, creation care or Earth stewardship has seemed like a recent and optional add-on to our faith and ethics. At the Adult Forum today Rev. Peter Sawtell will show how environmental responsibility, as a "ministry of reconciliation," needs to be recognized at the very heart of our Christian calling, especially in this time of great ecological crisis. Rev. Sawtell, the Executive Director of Denver-based Eco-Justice Ministries, has been a speaker and discussion leader at Mountain View several times in recent years.

Just For Fun Groups: Deadline to Signup is today

A wide variety of new groups just for fun are being offered -- try something out! Use the insert at the welcome desk or contact the Church Office (office@mtview.org) to sign up. This Sunday, January 19, is the deadline to hand in your choices.

Mountain View Mission Trip to St. Croix, V.I May 2 - 9 - Presentation today at 11:00 am, Room 110

St. Croix, V.I. is in great need of help to rebuild and restore roofs following Hurricane Maria which hit two years ago. Belinda Strickland and Kevin Kidwell are leading a trip to St. Croix May 2-9 to help with the continued work efforts. If you are skilled in carpentry, roofing, or electrical, we need you. If you have no great construction skills but can work in the sun and feel called to help, we need you. Come to the information meeting presented by Kevin Kidwell this Sunday at 11:00 am in and get more information.

This week in Crossfyre: Game Night!
This week in Crossfyre we are participating in the MLK Jr. March for

Peace & Celebration in Lafayette on Monday, January 20. We will meet at FUMC Lafayette and walk to Angevine Middle School for the celebration and start of the walk at 1:00 pm. The walk ends at the Lafayette Recreation Center.

WOW Meets January 26, 10:15 am, Room 205

WOW will discuss *Daring Greatly*, by Brené Brown, and select our book for February reading and discussion. All church women are invited to join us and share our "Roses" and "Thorns." For more information, contact Jean Bowen at 303-443-3225.

Confirmation 2020

Youth are invited to participate in Confirmation classes, retreats, and activities to help them begin to understand what it means to be a part of the United Methodist Church, to embrace the Christian faith, and to live as followers of Jesus. We will begin Confirmation classes for 2020 on February 9. All youth are invited to be a part of Confirmation.

Mary Martha Welcomes 2020

On January 21 (note the new day of the week), the Mary Martha circle will meet in the FMRC Health Care conference room at 10:00 am. For more information, contact JoAnn Joselyn at 720-562-8027.

Strangers as Neighbors Watches America; I Too: Tuesday, January 21, 6:30 pm, Room 202

The Strangers as Neighbors study group will watch a recent documentary, *America; I Too*, about three undocumented immigrants who are arrested and detained and who must fight the legal system to avoid deportation. Please plan to join us for the viewing and discussion and to plan our next steps forward. For more information, contact Trudy Gygi at 303-521-9927.

Echo House Collection

The yearly collection of supplies for the Echo House Family Shelter will be held each Sunday in January. Echo

House provides short-term transitional housing for families. Items especially needed are high efficiency laundry, detergent, dish soap, body soap, paper towels, toilet paper, tissues, diapers in sizes 4 & 5, pullups, shampoo and conditioner, disposable razors, hairbrushes, toothpaste, and 13-gallon trash bags.

Ham Dinner: Sunday, January 26, 5:00 pm, Frasier Parlor

All are welcome to the annual Home Builders ham dinner. Chef Arthur will prepare the ham. Please bring a side dish or dessert. More information from Jo Ann Joselyn jjoselyn@earthlink.net.

Bishop Karen Preaches at Mountain View: Sunday, February 2, 9:03 & 10:30 am Services

Please join us in welcoming Bishop Karen coming to Mt. View to preach. These special services will be followed by a lunch celebrating Mt. View's 60th anniversary in Barker Hall (more on that below). Mark your calendars!

Celebrating Mountain View's 60th Anniversary: Sunday, February 2, following 10:30 am worship

Come celebrate the anniversary of our church! Former Pastors and staff as well as the entire congregation will be invited to the festivities. RSVP in the Narthex for the lunch by January 26.

King Soopers Update

Do you need a little help transferring your King Sooper's card? Glen Strand and Frasier Thompson will be available in the Narthex with their laptops for the next few weeks to help you. The new grocery card can help us earn mission money.

Prayers

- Karl Cunningham
- Paul & Betty Eller

Joys

- The rose on the Altar today is in celebration for JoAnn Mattson on her new baby, Ava Muriel Seabloom, born on January 2, 2020.

Sunday, January 19

Worship at 9:03, & 10:30 am
9:00 - 10:00 am Faith Matters (205)
9:00 - 10:00 am S&OS (FP North)
9:15 - 10:15 am Lively Latte (208)
10:30 - 11:30 am Youth Sunday School
10:45 - 11:30 am Sunday School
11:40 - 12:40 pm Spirit Singers (108)

Monday, January 20

9:30 - 11:30 am OLLI (108, 109, 111/113)
1:00 - 3:30 pm Girl Scouts (FP)
1:00 - 3:00 pm OLLI (111/113)
3:00 - 8:00 pm Violin - Brady (202)
7:00 - 9:00 pm Reserved (205)

Tuesday, January 21

9:30 am - 1:00 pm OLLI (108, 109, 111/113)
11:30 - 1:00 pm Staff Meeting (110)
1:00 - 3:00 pm OLLI (108, 109, 111/113)
5:00 - 7:00 pm Girl Scouts (BH)
6:30 - 8:00 pm Strangers as Neighbors (202)
6:30 - 7:30 pm Bell Rehearsal (S)

Wednesday, January 22

9:30 - 11:30 am OLLI (108, 109, FP)
10:30 am - 1:30 pm There with Care (BHK)
11:00 - 9:00 am Violin - Berg (202)
1:00 - 3:00 pm OLLI (FP)
2:45 - 7:45 pm Violin - Morris (112)
5:30 - 7:30 pm Cub Scouts (109)
7:00 - 8:30 pm Choir Rehearsal (S)

Thursday, January 23

9:30 - 11:30 am OLLI (109, 111/113)
12:00 - 9:00 pm Violin - Berg (202)
1:00 - 3:00 pm OLLI (108, 109, 111/113)
2:00 - 3:00 pm Book Study (110)
6:00 - 8:00 pm Girl Scouts (BH)
6:00 - 8:00 pm Cub Scouts (110)
6:30 - 8:30 pm Finance Committee (208)
6:30 - 7:30 pm Book Study (FP)

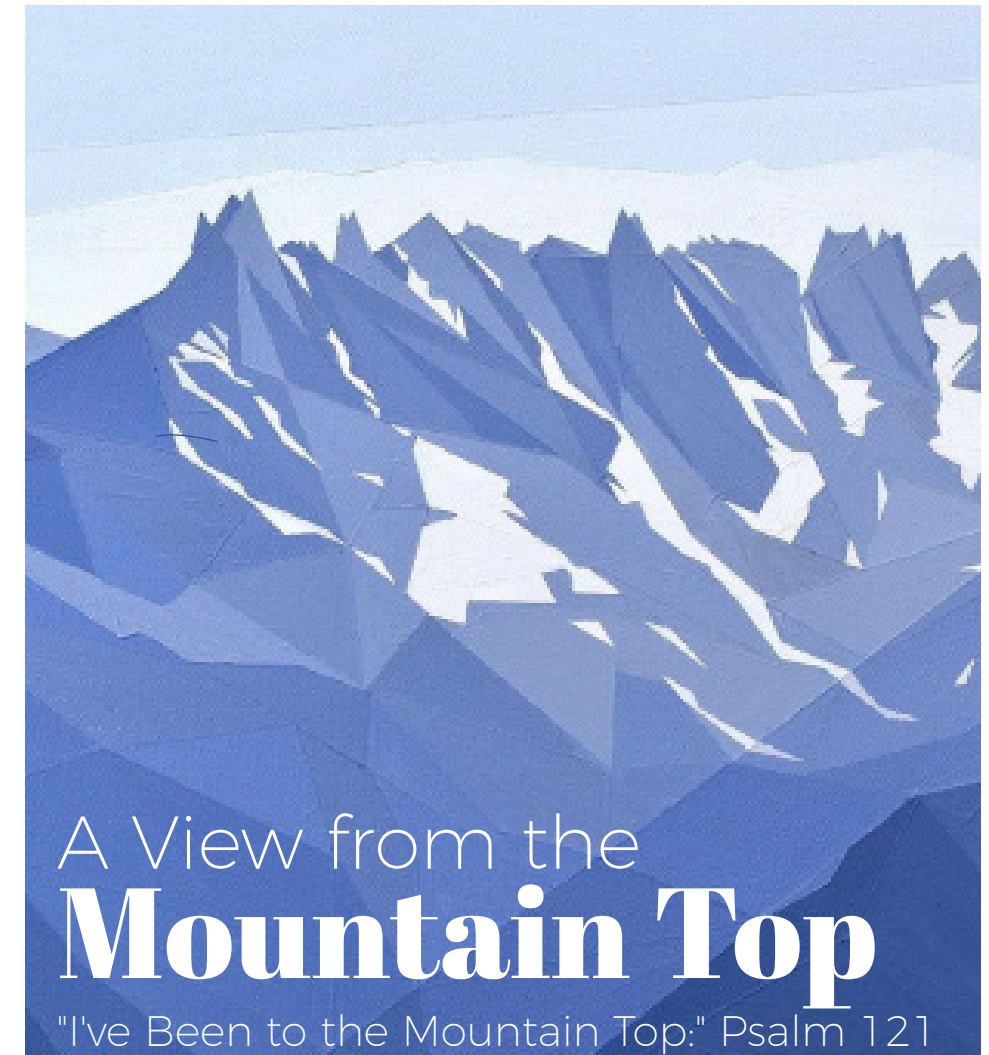
Friday, January 24

4:00 - 6:30 pm Suzuki Strings (S, BH, 108, 109, 111/113, 112, 202)
4:15 - 6:30 pm Suzuki Strngs (VR, 207, 210, 215/216)
5:30 - 9:00 pm Fun Club (FP)

Saturday, January 25

5:00 - 6:30 pm Head for Home (S)
7:30 - 10:00 pm NA Meeting (FP)

January 19, 2020



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8:00 am Early Service

Gathering Hymns *My Lord, What a Morning (v. 1, 3)* UMH #719
Lift Every Voice and Sing UMH # 519

Greetings
Welcome
Mission Moment
Prayers of the People
Our Lord's Prayer

Centering Hymn *Wade in the Water* TFWS #2107

Offering
Doxology UMH #94

Prayer of Dedication
Scripture Focus Psalm 121 Bible p. 498

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

Sermon *"I've Been to the Mountain Top"*
Pastor Stephanie Kidwell

Closing Hymn *O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing(v. 1-3, 7)* UMH #57

Benediction
Lay Liturgist: Connie Balazs
Piano: Linda Chambers

9:03 am Praise Service

Centering with Breathing Deep the Breath of God
Songs of Praise
Greetings
Welcome
Mission Moment
Prayers of the People
Our Lord's Prayer
Song of Praise & Offering
Scripture Focus Psalm 121 Bible p. 498

Message *"I've Been to the Mountain Top"*
Pastor Stephanie Kidwell

Special Music
The Sending Forth
Closing Song We Are Blessed

10:30 am Traditional Service

**Please stand, as you are able*

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An Announcement from our past - January 17, 1960

A Letter from our Governor:
"When the sun rose this morning there were twelve Coloradoans missing who were alive when the New Year opened just 11 days ago. These are the the Coloradoans who have already died in traffic accidents in 1960..

There is one approach that has not yet been tried on a state-wide basis to convince people that they must be more thoughtful when driving thier automobiles: a direct appeal to them through their church affiliations to let the highest moral precepts guide them in their traffic habits. I have proclaimed next weekend "Safety Sabbath." This observation has been made possible by the cooperation of the state-wide denominational groups"

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Prelude *"Contemplation on "Tallis' Canon"* R. Purvis
Brian du Fresne, Organ

Welcome
Mission Moment

*Greetings
*Introit *Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise (v. 2)* UMH #103

*Call to Worship Responsive
Leader: We gather to worship God,
People: Who creates us and loves us;
Leader: Who gifts us with diversity and makes us for community;
People: Who gives Jesus Christ to show us how to live;
Leader: Who inspires children, youth, young adults, and people of all ages,
People: To seek justice, share power, and live together in love and equality;
Leader: Who invites us to join the struggle for wholeness and wellbeing for all,
People: and whose presence, grace, and love sustain us in our living.
Leader: We gather to worship God.
People: To God be all glory, honor, and praise!

*Opening Hymn *Lift Every Voice and Sing* UMH #519

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

This Sunday in Christ's Carousel
This week in Christ's Carousel we will continue to explore the Parable of the Talents in our Joyful Jams and Science Lab workshop. We will do some science activities and play music instruments as we talk about "hidden" talents.

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 *Wade in the Water* TFWS #2107

Invitation to Offering
Offertory *Improvisation on "We Shall Overcome"* B. du Fresne
Brian du Fresne, 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 Psalm 121 Bible p. 498

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

Anthem *Somebody's Knocking At Your Door*
Chancel Choir Spiritual arr. Joy Patterson

Sermon *"I've Been to the Mountain Top"*
Pastor Stephanie Kidwell

*Heritage Hymn *O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing (v. 1-3, 7)* UMH #57

*Benediction
Taking the Light of Christ's Blessings into the World

Postlude *"Built on a Rock"* E. Childs
Brian du Fresne, Organ