

WELCOME TO WORSHIP AT FIRST CHURCH

All Are Welcome Here – We Strive For It.

In the Spirit of Jesus Christ, First United Methodist Church of Fort Collins, commits to offering a community in which persons of diverse age, color, culture, sexual orientation and gender identity, economic status, and physical or mental ability are all welcomed and affirmed. To all who have known pain of exclusion or discrimination from church or in society, we ask forgiveness and offer a place of respite and welcome.

If you are new to our church and would like more information, please ask one of our greeters or ushers or visit the **Welcome Center**. They can direct you to classrooms, nursery, restrooms, food, and fellowship, as well as introduce you to our staff. We would be honored to get to know you better and learn about your life and spiritual needs. Our community may not know you yet, but we already love you and hope you will make this your spiritual home. Thank you for joining us today, and God bless you!

Liturgists 8:00 Martha Conant, 9:30 Emily Land, 11:00 Kate Norton

Nursery/Childcare

A well-staffed nursery is available for infants and toddlers during all worship services. Pagers are available upon request. Preschool and elementary-aged children are invited to our Sunday School programs during the 9:30 a.m. service and are welcome in all worship services or the childcare area during 8:00 and 11:00 a.m. services.

FAITH FORMATION OPPORTUNITIES ON SUNDAY MORNINGS

Children's Sunday School Classes – 9:45 a.m.

Please sign in your children at the Children's Ministries check-in desk, south entrance, before the 9:30 a.m. worship service begins. Children sit with their parents/guardians during worship in the Sanctuary until the conclusion of Children's Time. Then, parents of preschoolers escort their children to Room 121, and children in grades K-5 meet their shepherds outside the Narthex. The shepherds will escort elementary children to their classrooms. Parents, please pick up elementary children from the upstairs Village Classrooms following the service.

For children attending our worship services, children's worship bags, bulletins, and notebooks are available in the Narthex, just outside the Sanctuary.

Sunday Morning Adult Groups – Please join us.

8:00 a.m.: Adventures in Faith Men's Group – Village Commons

9:30 a.m.: Samaritan Class – Parlor; Serendipity Class – Village Commons; Upper Room Class -- Upper Room (~~Room 235~~)

11:00 a.m.: Open Hearts Class – Village Commons; CrossWalk Community – Youth Large Group Room

ORDER OF WORSHIP: 8:00 • 9:30 • 11:00

Gathering Music 8:00 *Joyful, Joyful* arr. Jerry Nelson
9:30 & 11:00 *Holy God, We Praise Thy Name* R. Hobby
Every Time I Feel the Spirit arr. R. Elliott

Welcome Dr. Melanie Rosa

Prelude *Come, Holy Spirit, Come* J.S. Bach

Invocation Rev. Cynthia Paquette

† **Call to Worship** Liturgist

† **Hymn of Praise** *O Spirit of the Living God* UMH
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9:30 Children's Time
Hymn *Spirit of the Living God* UMH 393

11:00 Baptism Jack James Ryan Johnson

Anthem 8:00 *Spirit of God* Garnas-Holmes
Ivy Taylor, soloist
9:30 & 11:00 *Every Time I Feel the Spirit* Dawson
Sanctuary Choir

Pastoral Prayer and Lord's Prayer Rev. Cynthia Paquette

9:30 & 11:00 Prayer Response
Hear Our Prayer, O Lord Lloyd Larson
Sanctuary Choir

Scripture Romans 8:22-27 Liturgist
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Offering
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every \$1 bill goes directly to those in need.*

8:00 *Honor the Lord with Songs of Praise* Davis & Fisher
Ivy Taylor, soloist
9:30 & 11:00 *Fill Me, Lord* Brad Nix
Sanctuary Choir

† **Doxology** *Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow* UMH 94

Scripture Acts 2:1-24 Rev. Cynthia Paquette
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Sermon "Winds of the Spirit" Dr. Melanie Rosa

† **Hymn of Dedication** *Spirit of God* TFWS 2117

† Benediction

Postlude *A Song of Jubilant Praise* F. Ritter

ANNOUNCEMENTS

CONGRATULATIONS GRADUATES

Adam Ross Bell, BA in Philosophy, Colorado State University
[Rebecca Dunagan, M.Div., United Theological Seminary](#)
Sam Grauberger, BS in Forestry, Colorado State University
[Keilani McConnell, BM in Music, Colorado State University](#)
John Anthony Murzyn, IB High School Diploma, Poudre High School

CHURCH AND SOCIETY

Peace with Justice Sunday will be celebrated at First Church on Sunday, May 27. Information is available at the Church & Society table in Fellowship Hall.

SENIOR ADULT MINISTRIES

Double Nickel Luncheon will be June 1 at noon in the Fellowship Hall. Kate and Rick Norton and Rich Fisher will give a program on their recent mission trip to Kenya. Lunch is \$4. All are welcome.

CONGREGATIONAL CARE

Grief Group meets every Tuesday at 5:00 p.m. in the Conference Room. After the meeting, we go to dinner on the second and fourth Tuesdays. This group offers support and discussion with others who have experienced loss.

COLUMBARIUM

Please join us in the Columbarium for a short memorial service on May 27, immediately following the 11:00 a.m. worship service. We will honor those who have passed into the arms of our Lord this past year.

UNITED METHODIST WOMEN

Days for Girls team will meet once per month during the summer: May 22, June 26, July 24, August 14; 9 a.m. to noon. Our missionaries who recently returned from Meru, Kenya said many more kits are needed. We need your help with this important mission.

Do You Like To Eat? We have a painless way for you to buy food and help the church at the same time. Please stop by the table in Fellowship Hall to purchase Grocery Cards for Safeway, King Soopers, or Sprouts. A small percentage of each card sold benefits UMW ministry efforts.

ADULT FAITH FORMATION

Today, the Open Hearts class will be video conferencing in real time with participants of the Inn Project at First Church, Tuscon. The Inn Project provides food and temporary shelter to Central American asylum seekers who are brought to First Church by U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement. Come to listen, learn, and ask questions. We meet in Village Commons at 11:00 a.m.

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MUSIC MINISTRY

Thank you to all who attended the fund-raising concert on April 29 and to those who donated to the music ministry. We raised over \$5,000! Thank you!

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CHILDREN'S MINISTRIES

Vacation Bible School: June 11-15 from 9-12

Last Day for Early Bird Pricing is today. Cost today: 1 child \$50, 2 children \$65, 3 children \$75. After May 20 prices go up to \$75, \$90, \$105. Register online at <http://2018.cokesburyvbs.com/fumcfortcollins>. Turn in your fee at the Church Office. Full time volunteers--your children attend free. For more information contact Barb Grauberger at <mailto:childrensdirector@fcfumc.net>.

Kids' Closet is getting a deep cleaning and face lift thanks to a Foundation Grant and helpful staff and volunteers. They will be closed May 25 and 29.

COMMUNITY AND WORLD MISSIONS

Our **Bookmobile** will travel on Tuesdays this summer, with stops at 10 and 11 a.m. and 6:30 and 7:15 p.m. We hope that you will choose one or more sessions to come read with a child in need. Please come to an orientation (with pizza) at 6:00 p.m. on Thursday, May 31 in Fellowship Hall 3. RSVP with your preferred pizza to Janet at ajkrech@msn.com or (970) 225-0330 by May 30.

URGENT CARE PHONE LINE: (970) 294-6595

Call if you 1) urgently need to speak to one of the pastors, 2) have a death in the family and need a pastor's visit, 3) need a pastor to pray with you before an unexpected surgery, or 4) are being admitted to the hospital and need a pastoral visit urgently. This phone rotates between the pastors and is to be used only for emergencies.

STEWARDSHIP

Ways to Give to First Church:

- Did you know that you can have your contributions to First Church automatically deducted from your bank account? This provides convenience for you and consistency for the church. Please contact financialsecretary@fcfumc.net or visit fcfumc.net and click "Give Online" for more information.
- Did you know that you can give to First Church easily and securely online? Please visit fcfumc.net and click "Give Online" to get started.
- Did you know that you can text to give at (970) 355-3021? Simply text a message with \$ and the amount you would like to contribute. Then follow the instructions texted to you to complete the transaction



Pastors

Dr. Melanie Rosa, Lead Pastor
Rev. Cynthia Paquette, Executive Pastor

Deacons

Rev. Sue Harmon, Chaplain, Poudre Valley Hospital
Rev. Kaitlin Elmore, Chaplain, Suncrest Hospice

Music Staff

David Adkins, Director of Music Ministries & Communications
Karen Stoody, Organist & Associate Director of Music Ministries
Anthony Weber, Director of Children's Choir (Joyful Noise Choir)
Brenna Martin, Director of Children's Choir (Cherub Choir)

Program Staff

Barb Grauberger, Director of Children and Family Ministries & Childcare Coordinator
Rebecca Dunagan, Director of Youth Ministries
Rev. Scott Grantland, Wesley Foundation Director
David Reid, Director of Adult Faith Formation & Library
Liza Judd-Salimbeni, Kids' Closet Coordinator
Laura Lechtenberg, Director of Preschool
Gail Farnum, Director of Mother's Day Out

Administrative and Facilities Staff

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Jim Doser, Worship Technology Lead
Elise Harkey, Office Manager
Catherine Pawlikowski, Membership Secretary & Volunteer Coordinator and Interim Financial Secretary
Henry Reyna, Facilities Manager
Juanita Cruz, Custodian
Josh Osterbur, Custodian
Max Reyes, Custodian
Kathy Suiste, Custodian

Coming Next Week: May 27
Trinity Sunday/Peace with Justice Sunday

"The New You"
Romans 8:12-17; John 3:1-6, 12-17
Music: Keilani McConnell, flute

We are delighted to have you with us today.

Sunday Worship: 8:00 in the Chapel, 9:30 and 11:00 in the Sanctuary.

Faith Formation opportunities listed on the next page.

Food and Fellowship in the Fellowship Hall just south of the Sanctuary.

May you be blessed because you joined us today!

FIRST United Methodist CHURCH

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May 20, 2018
Pentecost
"Winds of the Spirit"

