

9:00 Worship

WELCOME TO OUR CHURCH

Please record your attendance and pass the pad to your neighbor.

SONG OF PRAISE "Everlasting God" Brown & Wiley
Marty and The Methodists

SONG OF WORSHIP "Rejoice In the Lord Always" Ylvisaker

*HYMN OF PRAISE "Hosanna! Hosanna!" 2109

GREETING OUR NEIGHBORS

MOMENT FOR CHILDREN Jim Marshall
*Loving Child Care is available for infants to age 3 in Room 103.
Children's Church for ages 4 to Grade 2 is held in Room 13, downstairs.
As the children leave we will sing "Jesus Loves the Little Children".*

RELOCATION UPDATE Mike Smith

SHARING OUR BLESSINGS WITH OTHERS Jim Marshall
When we receive freely and give generously, everyone is blessed.

OFFERTORY "Above All" Baloché & LeBlanc
Marty and The Methodists

*RESPONSE "Honor and Praise" 2018

SCRIPTURE LESSON Mark 15:25-39 Jim Marshall

SERMON "Crucifixion" Dr. Melanie Rosa

PASTORAL PRAYER

SPECIAL MUSIC "My Jesus I Love Thee"
April Nichols

*HYMN "Jesus, Keep Me Near the Cross" 301
At this time kids in grades 1-6 are invited to go downstairs for Faith Power! A really cool Sunday School. All other classes begin at 10:00.

*BENEDICTION

*RESPONSE "Change My Heart, O God"

Please join us in Great Hall for fellowship and refreshments.

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION TODAY

All classes meet from 10:00 until 10:50. Please see an Usher for locations.

Classes for Children and Youth:

- **Infants to Age 3** – Loving Nursery care in Room 103.
- **Age 3 through Kindergarten** - With Sandy Johnson in Room 104 (by the south stairs).
- **Grades 1 through 6** – FaithPower! Downstairs in Fellowship Hall.
- **Grades 7 through 12** – Gary Dyer & Jim Marshall in the Youth Room

Adult Classes:

Ongoing Adult Bible Study:

New members are always welcome for the Sunday morning Adult Bible Study, led by Jim Moore in Room 109. This group is looking into the book of Luke.

Women's Support Group

The Women's Share/Support group meets every Sunday morning at 10:00 in the room off Great Hall. This supportive group of women discusses various books and topics to guide them through their spiritual growth. Today's topic will be: "How to help others who are hurting." We will be using guidance from our Stephen Ministry and other books as well as experience from the group. Drop in's are always welcome. Gayle Grimes will be the facilitator.

Flowers for our Worship are given by the Wooldridge family in celebration for those with March birthdays and sincere gratitude to Jesus for His sacrifice to save us.

YOUTH

4:00 - Silas

5:00 Youth and Parents Dinner

Sign up in the hall today for Easter Lilies for our worship next Sunday. You can also call the church office to be added to the list.

PRAYER CONCERNS: Health Concerns: Fran Naber, Don Redmon, Greg Dyer, Everett Verdoorn, Shirley Capps; family and friends of Lorene Mueller on her death last week; father of Ken Gies in hospice care.

If you have a Prayer Concern/Joy, please speak to one of the Pastors or call our Prayer Chain (Marabeth Dial @ 303-986-0716, or Jeanne Morse @303-986-2402) or the Church Office @303-237-7768.

Please remember to turn your cell Phones and pagers off.

The Sunday Flame

March 16, 2008

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Holy Week

March 20th – 6:30-7:30 p.m. Maundy Thursday Service
Relive the Last Supper of Jesus as we celebrate the transformation of the Passover Feast into the sacrament we know as Communion.

March 21st, 7:00 p.m., Good Friday, "A Service of Shadows"

Join the Chancel Choir as they present in music the Passion of Christ in "A Service of Shadows" by Lani Smith.

March 23rd – Easter Worship 9:00 and 11:00 a.m.
Sermon: "Victory"

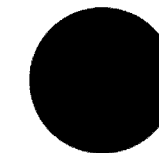
Easter Egg Hunt during Children's Church 9:15 a.m.
Easter Breakfast served by our youth 8:15-10:45

GIVE UP FOOD FOR LENT!

The Jeffco Action Center is facing bare cupboards while more and more hungry families enter its doors seeking help. They desperately need nonperishable food and Lent is a wonderful time to respond to this need. We hear about other Christians 'giving up' something to remind them of the sacrifices Jesus made for us. Won't you consider 'giving up' something; a meal out, a latte, a movie, and use the money to buy food for our neighbors in need? Let us give up all we can to fill the shopping cart in the narthex several times over by Easter.



Mark your calendar now for our next Interfaith Hospitality Network Rotation (housing for homeless families) March 23rd - 30th. Many hands are needed to make this a success. Sign up today in the hall.



It's easy being Green! With the cost of paper and postage rising and heightened concerns with our stewardship of earth's resources, we would like to offer your family the option of receiving future Flame editions via e-delivery. To be added to the newsletter e-mail list, contact the secretary at: secretary@lumc.net or call the church office. E-mail recipients will receive their flame earlier than the mailing group.

Faithworks Clean Up Day – April 5th, 9:00-1:00

Mark your calendar now and bring the family to spruce up our facility – inside and out. There will also be some delicious food and an opportunity for great fellowship.



11:00 Worship

PRELUDE "When I Survey the Wondrous Cross" arr. Lani Smith
Donita Banks, Piano; Jim Ward, Organ

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CHORAL CALL TO WORSHIP

*HYMN OF PRAISE "All Glory, Laud, and Honor" 280

*RESPONSIVE ACT OF PRAISE Psalm 31 (Response 1) 764

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ANTHEM "Soon-Ah Will Be Done" William Dawson
Chancel Choir

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OFFERTORY "Christ Crucified" Lani Smith
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*HYMN OF DEDICATION "What Wondrous Love is This" 292

*BENEDICTION

*CHORAL RESPONSE

POSTLUDE "Lamentation" Henry Purcell

Please join us in the Parlor for fellowship and refreshments.

OUR MINISTRY THIS WEEK

Sunday, March 16th
8:30-11:00 Social Time
8:45-12:15 Child Care (Infant to age 3)
Room 103
9:00 Worship
10:00 a.m. Sunday School – All ages
11:00 Worship
12:00 Social Time – Parlor
12:30 Brass Ensemble
4:00 Silas
5:00 Youth and Parents Dinner

Monday, March 17th
Flame Deadline

Tuesday, March 18th
9:00 a.m. Quilting
7:00 p.m. Church Council
7:30 p.m. Young Sinfonia

Wednesday, March 19th
9:00 a.m. UMW Planning Meeting
12:00 Bulletin Deadline
6:30 p.m. Disciple
7:30 p.m. Marty & The Methodists

Thursday, March 20th
9:00 a.m. Disciple Class
9:30 a.m. Craft Group
6:30 Maundy Thursday
7:30 p.m. Chancel Choir

Friday, March 21st
7:00 p.m. Service of Shadows

Get your grocery cards for Safeway and King Soopers in Great Hall today and in the church office during the week. (It is best to call first for availability.) A great way to support our church and the Blue Feather Alliance!

Plan now to bring a food item each time you come to church. The item for March is diapers. The Jeffco Action Center bin is in the hall for those donations.

CDs of our service are available after the service in Great Hall. The cost is \$4.00.

The Flame Deadline is Tomorrow, March 17th.

Interfaith Hospitality Network Bowl-a-Thon benefiting Homeless families – Sat., April 12th 11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. Brunswick Zone (1135S. Wadsworth). Mark your calendar now and watch for details.

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Head Ushers..... Frank Williamson and Mark Chandler
Greeters.....Chuck and Virginia Carscallen
Coffee Hosts.....Missions Team



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Crucifixion

Palm Sunday
March 16, 2008

We are delighted to have you with us for worship today. We have two worship services each Sunday at 9:00 and 11:00. Sunday School classes for all ages are offered at 10:00 and coffee, juice, and doughnuts are available in Great Hall.