

# 9:00 Worship

## WELCOME TO OUR CHURCH

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

SONG OF PRAISE "I Will Celebrate" Rita Baloche  
Marty and The Methodists

SONG OF WORSHIP "Ancient of Days" Harvill Sadler

\*HYMN OF PRAISE "Spirit, Spirit of Gentleness" 2120

## GREETING OUR NEIGHBORS

MOMENT FOR CHILDREN Gary Dyer  
*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".*

SCRIPTURE LESSON Matthew 6:24-34 Gary Dyer

SERMON "Lengthening Your Life" Dr. Melanie Rosa

SHARING OUR BLESSINGS WITH OTHERS Gary Dyer  
*When we receive freely and give generously, everyone is blessed.*

OFFERTORY "How Great Is Our God" Tomlin/Reeves  
Marty and The Methodists

\*RESPONSE "Give Thanks" 2036

## LITANY OF REMEMBRANCE

HYMN OF DEDICATION "I'll Fly Away" 2282

## \*BENEDICTION

\*RESPONSE "I'll Fly Away" (Refrain) 2282

*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).

### 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 Daniel.

#### Women's Support Group

The Women's Share/Support Group will meet today and will continue a study of David Wilkinson's book "Have You Felt Like Giving Up lately?" There are only 2 weeks left in this study. All women are invited to join us.

### COMING June 8<sup>th</sup> – in the Parlor, 10:00 – 10:50 a.m.

Linda Cheek will lead "Spiritual Classics – Readings on the 12 Spiritual Disciplines". This class will focus on incorporating prayer, worship, communion and other practices to enrich our spiritual lives. The book will be available for purchase at the first class, but is not required. You are invited to join this group at any time between June 8<sup>th</sup> and July 13<sup>th</sup>. Deepen your Spiritual life this summer!

**Our Summer Worship Schedule starts next Sunday, June 1<sup>st</sup> with one service at 9:00 a.m. Mark this on your calendar now and plan to worship every Sunday this summer. Some special things are planned for you!**

## TURN CHANGE INTO CHANGE!

### Help Build a Bridge of Love

The first 3 Sundays in June there will be a change jar in the Narthex. Drop your coins (or paper bills!) into the jar and the money will be donated to the Bridge of Love Project during Annual Conference later this month. The Bridge of Love provides food and schoolbooks for boarding students in the West Angola Conference of the United Methodist Church in Africa. Your change will truly help bring about a change in the lives of these students!

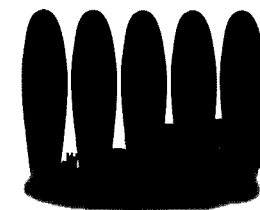
**PRAYER CONCERNS:** Health Concerns: Joe Sepesi, Rosalee Brennan, Helen Peterson (sister of Chuck Palmer), John Germann, JoAnn Fisher (hip replacement), Jasmin Brink, broken ankle; for those suffering from disasters/storms at home and all over the world.

*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.*

# The Sunday Flame

May 25, 2008

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### Vacation Bible School Beach Party

June 16<sup>th</sup> -20<sup>th</sup>, 5:30-7:45p.m.

Supper is served at 5:30 followed by a whole array of beach related activities centered on the "Be-Attitudes" for Kindergarten through 6<sup>th</sup> grade. The cost is \$10.00 per child or \$20.00 per family. Needed: Seashells, empty paper towel and toilet paper rolls as well as empty 2-liter pop bottles for the nifty craft projects. You can leave them in the church office. Donations are needed to help cover the cost of materials and scholarships.

### DOLLAR\$ FOR SCHOLAR\$

A reminder that June 1st is the deadline for the Lakewood UMC Scholarship application. This program makes available \$500 for a full school year to a full-time student. Lesser funds are available to part time students, Graduate students or adult returning students. Call the church office for qualifications and an application today.

Golfers, this is the last day you can sign up and pay your fees for the Tri-Methodist Church Spring Golf Tournament to be held at the Lake Arbor Golf Club, June 7<sup>th</sup>, 10:00 a.m. A signup sheet is located in Great Hall or you can contact Roy Richardson at 303-986-0886 to answer any questions.



### www.lumc.net

Have you checked out our website lately? You can listen to the Sunday sermon, read or print out a copy of the sermon, read the weekly bulletin and monthly newsletter and catch up on all the current events. If you would like to help us save costs on paper and mailings and would like to receive your newsletter by e-mail, please let Milly know at secretary@lumc.net.

# 11:00 Worship

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| PRELUDE  | “For All the Saints”<br>Jim Ward, Organist | David Cherwien   |
| WELCOME TO OUR CHURCH<br><i>Please record your attendance and pass the pad to your neighbor.</i> |  |                  |
| CHORAL CALL TO WORSHIP   |  |                  |
| *HYMN OF PRAISE  | “For All the Saints”                       | 711              |
| *RESPONSIVE ACT OF PRAISE  | Psalm 121<br>(Response 3)                  | 844              |
| GREETING OUR NEIGHBORS   |  |                  |
| ANTHEM   | “O Sifuni Mungu”<br>Chancel Choir          | Maddux/McCall    |
| SCRIPTURE LESSON   | Matthew 6:24-34                            | Julie Cicak      |
| SERMON   | “Lengthening Your Life”                    | Dr. Melanie Rosa |
| SHARING OUR BLESSINGS WITH OTHERS  |  | Julie Cicak      |
| <i>When we receive freely and give generously, everyone is blessed.</i>                          |  |                  |
| OFFERTORY  | “Amani Utupe”<br>Chancel Choir             | Patsy Ford Simms |
| *RESPONSE  | “Give Thanks”                              | 2036             |
| CHORAL CALL TO PRAYER  |  |                  |
| LITANY OF REMEMBRANCE  |  |                  |
| *HYMN OF DEDICATION  | “When We All Get to Heaven”                | 701              |
| *BENEDICTION   |  |                  |
| *CHORAL RESPONSE   |  |                  |
| POSTLUDE   | “Prelude in Classic Style”                 | Gordon Young     |

*Please join us in the Parlor for fellowship and refreshments.*

| OUR MINISTRY THIS WEEK                       |  |
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| <b>Sunday, May 25th</b>                      |  |
| 8:30-11:00                                   | Social Time                              |
| 8:45-12:15                                   | Child Care (Infant to age 3)<br>Room 103 |
| 9:00   | Worship                                  |
| 10:00  | Sunday School                            |
| 11:00  | Worship                                  |
| 12:00  | Social Time – Parlor                     |
| 12:00  | Care Calling Ministry                    |
| <b>Monday, May 26th</b>                      |  |
| <b>Church Office Closed<br/>Memorial Day</b> |  |
| <b>Tuesday, May 27th</b>                     |  |
| 9:00 a.m.                                    | Quilting – Room 19                       |
| 10:00 a.m.                                   | JAC Quilters                             |
| <b>Wednesday, May 28th</b>                   |  |
| 12:00  | Bulletin Deadline                        |

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| Senior Pastor .....                       | Dr. Melanie Rosa  |
| Minister of Congregational Care .....     | Julie Cicak   |
| Director of Worship and Discipleship..... | Jim Ward  |
| Minister of Missions and Youth.....       | Jim Marshall  |
| Hospitality Coordinator .....             | Katie Vigil   |
| Director of Children’s Ministries.....    | Linda Cheek   |
| Director of Music .....                   | David Heck, Jr.   |
| Organist.....                             | Jim Ward  |
| Marty and The Methodists.....             | David Heck, Jr., Al Hunter, Amy McKean,<br>April and Brent Nichols, Fred Rosa, Will Thomas,<br>Conor Black and Jim Ward |
| Sound....                                 | Max Morse, Linda Lindholm and Terry Whitsel   |
| Video Team.....                           | John Tallerday, Jeff Ward and Gary Grimes   |
| Head Ushers.....                          | Frank Williamson, Mark Chandler, Roy Richardson<br>Dick Stall and Dave Alter  |
| Ushers....                                | Hugh Hansel and Jim Wooldridge  |
| Head Greeters.....                        | Brenda Mueller and Kenny Cates  |
| Greeters.....                             | Tim Brandt, Keith and Marlene Houser  |
| Coffee Hosts.....                         | United Methodist Women  |

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 before you come during the week to check on availability. Thank you for your support.

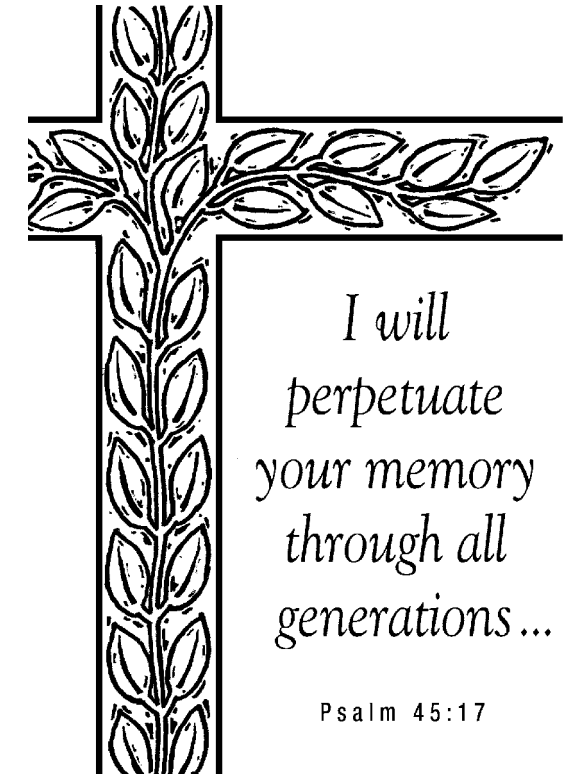
Plan now to bring a food item each time you come to church. The item for May for DenUm is Rice.

The Jeffco Action Center bin is in the hall for their donations. **CDs of our service are available after the service in Great Hall. The cost is \$4.00.**



## Lakewood United Methodist Church

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## Memorial Sunday

May 25, 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.



*We remember these  
loved ones who have  
died since  
May 27<sup>th</sup>, 2007*

Helen Earl  
Tressie Heist  
Dick McColl  
Sandra Husmann  
Jerry Banks  
Ruby Cavness  
Mildred Falk  
Lorene Mueller  
Fran Naber  
Don Redmon  
Diane Meyers  
Ole Smith  
Craig Ridings  
Margaret Minter  
John Schram  
Mildred Germann

**Today we remember with love and  
gratitude those who have finished  
their course in faith.**

## **A Litany of Remembrance**

PASTOR: Today we remember all of those who have gone before us in the faith, who have now finished their course and returned to God. We give thanks for their lives and enduring legacies.

Let us pray....

O God, before whom stand the living and the dead, for all those through whom you have blessed our pilgrimage, whose lives have empowered us, and whose influence is ever with us.

CONGREGATION: We thank you gracious God.

PASTOR: For dear friends and family members whose faces we see no more, but whose love surrounds and sustains us.

CONGREGATION: We thank you gracious God.

PASTOR: For all the members of our household of faith, whose legacy lives on in this place, and who worship You now in heaven.

CONGREGATION: We thank you gracious God.

PASTOR: For those who died in battle, giving their lives for the sake of others, defending the freedoms we take for granted.

CONGREGATION: We thank you gracious God.

PASTOR: May we never forget them, as we continue their legacy for those who come after us.

ALL: We dedicate them to your glory, dear God, and dedicate ourselves anew to the ministry of this church. Grant that we might continue the fine tradition of Christian service in this place, reaching out in service and love for generations to come. Through Jesus Christ our Lord we pray. Amen.