

Our Vision

We are a faithful Christian community following the words and example of Jesus as we carry out the mission God has entrusted to us.

Message: "Press On"

Sermon Notes 10/5/14

Transitional Pastor Paul Johnson

Old Testament: Exodus 20: 1-4/7-9/12-20

New Testament: Phillipians 3: 7-14

1. Both the Jewish and Christian faiths share the Ten Commandments. On World Communion Sunday, would our theology allow us to share the Lords Table together?

2. The introduction to The Ten Commandments starts with profound and Universal power and comfort. What is it is?

3. Phillipians 3: 7-14 is called by some theologians "Paul's Holy Ambition" . There are 10 commitments. What are they?

1) _____	2) _____
3) _____	4) _____
5) _____	6) _____
7) _____	8) _____
9) _____	10) _____

4. Where do they reflect the 10 Commandments? How can they help us press on?

5. How do they inform our congregation at this time in our transition Journey?

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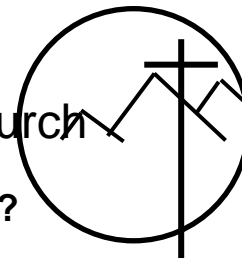
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Mountain Community Mennonite Church



Theology Series: Who is the God you know?
10/05/14

Our Mission/Purpose

The purpose of Mountain Community Mennonite Church is to nurture the love of God within ourselves, each other, the community and the world through the reconciling peace of Christ. Jesus is at the center of our faith. Community is at the center of our lives and reconciliation is at the center of our work.

All Are Welcome

Our Focus Scripture for 2014

Colossians 3:12 -15

As Gods chosen ones, holy and beloved, clothe yourselves with compassion, kindness, humility, meekness and patience.

Bear with one another and, if anyone has a complaint against another, forgive each other; just as the Lord has forgiven you, so you must forgive.

Above all, clothe yourselves with love, which binds everything together in perfect harmony.

And let the peace of Christ rule in your hearts, to which indeed you were called in the one body. And be Thankful!

Our Core Values

Peace Building/ Growing/ Serving/ Discovering/ Accepting/ Believing

Who is the God You Know?

October 05, 2014

Paul Johnson
Worship Leader: Sharon Baker

Transitional Pastor
Song Leader: Lynn Roth

We Gather

Welcome and Announcements

Time of Quietening

Call to Worship

Worship Leader and Congregation

Leader: The heavens are telling the glory of God

People: May our worship reflect God's glory.

Leader: The firmament proclaims God's handiwork.

People: May we see each other as the handiwork of God.

Leader: Let our prayer and praise, our singing and proclamation project the love of God.

People: We commune with Christians around the world, with Christians throughout time.

Leader: With Christians across geography and across time,

People: Let us worship!

We Grow In Worship

Opening Prayer

Worship Leader

Opening Hymn

Lynn Roth

Joys and Concerns

Paul Johnson

Congregational Hymns

Lynn Roth

Offering and Offering Prayer

Worship Leader

Moments with Children

Rae Shellenberger

Prayer of Confession

ALL: Gracious God, we too often focus on the differences among us, rather than celebrating what we share in common. Forgive us. Help us to remember we are siblings to all of humanity, each and all of us created in your image. When we choose conflict, redirect our thoughts and actions to your love and your call to love each other. **Amen.**

Worship Leader

Assurance of Pardon

Worship Leader

Leader: As children of God, we are loved tenderly. God longs to bring us into God's embrace. By the life and love of Jesus, you are forgiven and free.

Congregational Hymn

Lynn Roth

Lord's Table

Pastor and Elders

Scripture

Exodus 20:1-4, 7-9, 12-20
Philippians 3:7-14

Worship Leader

Sermon

"Press On"

Paul Johnson

We Go Out to Serve

Sending Song

Lynn Roth

Sending Prayer

Paul Johnson

Your worship service today was planned by the MCMC Worship Commission.
Thank you for your participation today!

Events Calendar

Tuesday's	1 st & 3 rd , Prayer Meeting at 6:00 at D. Brenneman's
Friday's	Women's Bible Study, 0930-1130. Contact Rae for info.
Saturday's	Men's Coffee- Saturday@6:30 AM Breakfast at Serrano's
Tuesday	Elder's Meeting@12:00 p.m. on October 21st at MCMC
Wednesday	Feast and Fun@10:30 a.m. on October 15 th at MCMC
Friday/Saturday	MCC Relief Sale, October 17 th and 18 th at Rocky Ford

Announcements

MCMC Financial Update: To achieve the proposed 2014 budget of \$70,288, donations of \$1352 are needed per week. Last week's donations were \$1112.00.

Penny Power – Kids Drive!! Stewardship Commission in cooperation with the Outreach Commission is beginning collection for Penny Power. Our goal is a wheelbarrow full of pennies (filling the wheelbarrow with paper money is also acceptable...)

Our Rocky Mountain Mennonite Relief Sale is approaching and sign-up sheets are posted on the kitchen door. So far, I've just heard from 2 families that will be able to make and donate pies (a big thank you to Mary J., Paul and Faye). We have great bakers here at MCMC and I know there are more of you out there that will contribute in this way, but just haven't thought to mention it yet. Please take a minute to let me know, either by signing up on the kitchen door, or just shooting me an email to let me know about how many you'll be able to make. joanandrollin@comcast.net Thanks! Joan

Feast and Fun on Wednesday, October 15th at 10:30 is making pies for the MCC Sale!!! Please remember to bring the "makings" needed for your pies.

End-of-Life Workshop: Living well, aging well and dying well all require planning. However, the topics of death and dying are very difficult, if not impossible, to talk about – within our homes, churches and even medical institutions. In light of these challenges, Everence has developed an innovative new curriculum which will equip you to bring the topic of end-of-life planning to the forefront. The workshop will be led by Beryl Jantzi, Everence Stewardship Education Director. Join this end-of-life workshop to learn how to lead groups through these important discussions **at Casa Del Sol, La Junta, CO on Sunday, October 26, 2014 from 4:00 pm to 8:00 pm.** Please contact Rhoda Blough at rhoda.blough@everence.com or 970-219-0900 if you have questions and to RSVP.

"The Loss of Turtle Island" is an interactive event designed by MCC to help us understand the history of Native peoples, settlers and churches in the U.S. We are invited to participate in this event on Saturday, October 11, beginning at 4:00 p.m. at Beth-El Mennonite Church in Colorado Springs. The Facebook event page is at <https://www.facebook.com/events/308927535959158/>. You can RSVP there or let Betsy Headrick McCrae (ghmc.betsy@comcast.net, 303-985-3930) know that you will be participating. Don't miss this exceptional chance to experience history that is often not told.

RAWtools has launched its crowd funding campaign at Indiegogo.com. Crowd funding is a unique way to reach many people through the avenue of social media and email. Please visit our campaign at <http://igg.me/at/rawtools/x/6418931> and share it with your friends. The easiest way to spread the news is by sharing on Facebook and Twitter. You can also copy this link into an email and send to friends and family you feel would be interested. There are also links to our campaign on our website rawtools.org. There are opportunities to get tools, toolkits, shirts, work gloves, posters, and much more. A Peace Maker tour is happening in 2015 that is a part of this campaign. Shane Claiborne, Christian Piatt, Ben Corey, and Kurt Willems are speakers at different stops around the country. For us Colorado folks - Christian Piatt will be speaking at a public event at 1st Mennonite Church in Denver on Jan 17, 2015. Ben Corey is speaking at a weekend event of the PeaceMaker tour at Rocky Mountain Mennonite Camp that is exclusive to those who join through the campaign.

On behalf of RAWtools and our directors, please take some time to see what we are doing and contribute if you are able. If not, please share with friends and family! Thanks for your support! - Mike Martin, Executive Director, RAWtools

Join the Colorado Chapter of MEDA on Monday, October 27 at 6:00pm at the Posner Center for International Development (1031 33rd Street, Denver, CO) as they present Mr. Jed Emerson, an internationally recognized thought leader in impact investing, sustainable finance, social entrepreneurship and strategic philanthropy. In addition to hearing from Mr. Emerson, we will review the 2014 goals and accomplishments of the Colorado Chapter of MEDA as well as hearing an update on the latest from MEDA International in advance of Convention, being held in Winnipeg, Manitoba on November 6-9, 2014.

Tear Here – Return to the Altar at Offering Time

Joys, Concerns and Prayers for Peace

I would like prayer for: _____

I have a joy: _____

Elders Pray

Keep Confidential Name : _____

Congregational Prayer

(Not Required)