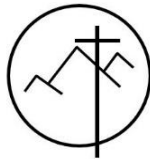


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Sunday, January 01, 2017

Join Us – We share God’s love by: Following Jesus,
Reconciling Community and Building Peace

Great Expectations

God’s day of radiance is at hand.
Come, walk in the way of God’s heart.

Epiphany



9:15am *Gathering for Worship*

9:30am *Worship Begins*

11:10am *Discovery Hour*

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Silver Key - Golden Circle Nutrition Program

Senior Lunch in the Sanctuary 12:00-12:30pm Mon-Fri

Reservations (719) 884-2304 Before 5:00am

Mountain Community Senior Services (719) 488-0076

*Your worship service today was planned by the MCMC
Worship Commission.*

Order of Service

Speaker Marc & Jenna Schlegel-Preheim

Worship Leader Gayle Preheim

Song Leader Judy Thiessen

We Gather

Welcome

Announcements

Time of Quieting

Call to Worship

Leader: Day has dawned! The light of Christ has come into
the world.

**People: We see God’s radiance in creation and in our
lives. We rejoice in God’s boundless riches given
for all. We worship and adore our Savior, Christ
the Lord.**

All: Come! Let us walk in the way of God’s heart!

Praising

Epiphany Witness: Psalm 72:1-7, 10-14 Anne Krill

Opening Prayer

Opening Hymns
HWB #220 Worship the Lord in the beauty

STS #30 Arise, your light is come!

Prayers of the People and Sharing the Graces

Congregational Hymns
STS #41 Blessed are they (verses 1-4)

Offering and Prayer

Prayer of Confession

Leader: Radiant God,

**People: We yearn to walk in Your way, but often choose
our own path of turmoil and pain. Save us, Lord,
from the pride and foolishness of choosing our
own course, that we may humbly and confidently
follow Your lead, through Jesus Christ, Amen.**

Words of Assurance

Leader: Throughout the tumult of life, God holds you close
in love. Rejoice, because God’s wisdom is your
guide, God’s compassion is your strength. God’s
love is your redemption.

All: Come, let us walk in the way of God’s heart!

Hearing God’s Word

Scripture Responsive Reading

HWB #834 Matthew 5:1-16

Leader & Congregation

Sermon

We Go Out to Serve

Sending Song HWB #346 Dona nobis pacem

Sending Prayer

Leader: Come! Walk in the way of God’s heart. The dawn is
breaking! Christ has come to set us free. He will
show us the way. Alleluia!

Sermon Notes



Sermon downloads available at <http://mcmcpl.org>



Birthdays and Anniversaries

1 Linda & Rick Pankratz (A) 2 Marti Hampton
8 Karen Wiens 10 Hadley Hiebert, Steve Diller
15 Rollin Murphy 17 Teresa Barnes
19 Mary Veatch 29 Steve Hiebert, Judy Thiessen
31 Ian Klein, Ken Smith



Special Note

From Anne Krill (card on bulletin board in sanctuary):

Dear loving congregants,

Your gifts make a great difference in our experience of the holidays. You share your sense of the truth of unity, community, and compassion! Blessings in love and peace.

Love, Anne Krill, Sidney and Tony!



Ongoing Events

- Pastor Paul will be in the office Tuesday. Please call for appointments.
- Women's Bible Study 9:30-11:30am Fridays. Contact Rae Shellenberger at 719.213.6931.
- Men's Coffee each Saturday at 7am at Serrano's.
- "More than a Meal Ministries" 8am Saturdays at Legacy Wesleyan Church, 502 N. Walnut St., Colorado Springs, CO 80905.



Upcoming Special Events

The annual MCMC business meeting will be held on Sunday, January 29, 2017 at 10:53 AM. Copies of the agenda will be distributed to mailboxes. Please plan to attend, and thanks in advance for your participation!



Announcements

Elders are asking clusters to meet within the next month. They would like to visit with each cluster to hear thoughts on the past year and to consider the idea of a long-term pastoral team. Elders hope to visit each cluster before the annual business meeting at the end of January. Thank you!

