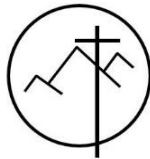


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February 3, 2019

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

Sermon Series: Naming and Reclaiming Power

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.*

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

Order of Service

Speaker

Amy Zimbelman

Worship Leader

Meredith Oakes

Song Leader

Judy Thiessen

We Gather

Welcome

Announcements

Time of Quieting

Call to Worship

Leader: We have come to worship God, the living God,
All: Who calls prophets and teachers to bear witness.

Leader: We have come to praise God, the almighty God,
***All: Who answers the forces of hatred and hurt with the
power of grace.***

Leader: We have come to worship God, all-gracious God,
***All: Who chooses even you and me, to receive and carry
the Word of life and hope. All glory to God!***

We Grow in Worship

Opening Prayer

Opening Hymns SJ #3 Jesus calls us here to meet him

HWB #163 Obey my voice

Prayers of the People and Sharing the Grace

Congregational Hymns

HWB # 142 Brothers and sisters of mine

HWB # 310 How good a thing it is

Offering and Prayer

Peace Moment

**Where have you acted or seen others act for peace this
past week?**

Prayer of Confession

Leader: We want to get to know folks who are not like us,
but we are sometimes afraid.

People: We give up our fear to You, Jesus.

Leader: We want to engage with others as equals, but we
tend to care about status.

**People: We give up our feelings of superiority or
inferiority to You, Jesus.**

Words of Assurance

Leader: Jesus dined and chatted with folks from all walks
of life, and He empowers us to dine as friends with
everyone. May we follow Him in His way.

Scriptures

Luke 19:1-10

Sermon

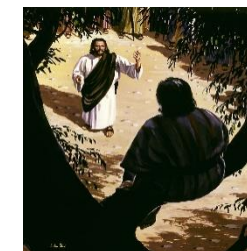
“Dining as Friends”

We Go Out to Serve

Sending Song

HWB # 306 In Christ there is no East or West

Sending Prayer



Sermon Notes

When was a time that you crossed borders to interact with someone and it led to depth of relationship? How do you think that changed you?

Why do you think it's so difficult to have truly egalitarian relationships across lines of class? Why is it so important?



Birthdays and Anniversaries

12 Cheryl Yost

14 Gayle Preheim, Lynn Roth, Marietta Smith

16 Clair Brenneman 17 Mary Johnson

27 Tim and Fran Yoder (A)

Ongoing Events

- For appointments with Pastors Paul or Amy, call 720-880-8773 (Paul) or 719-985-7649 (Amy).
- Women's Bible Study 9:30-11:30am Fridays. Contact Rae Shellenberger at 719.213.6931.
- Men's Coffee Saturdays at 7am at Serrano's.



Upcoming Special Events

The Journey Forward Retreat is around the corner, Sat., Feb. 16, 9am-2:30pm at First Mennonite in Denver. RSVP to Jen Dudenhefer: administrator@mountainstatesmc.org.

Young Adult Snow Camp at Rocky Mountain Mennonite Camp is February 22-24. Amy Zimbelman, co-pastor at MCMC, will share during worship times on the topic, "Someone who looks the part: intersectional identities and vocation." There will be group games, broomball, human curling, singing, and many opportunities to enjoy the beauty of creation. The cost is only \$95 and persons ages 18-30 are welcome! Online registration at www.rmmc.org, or call 719-687-9506.

Upcoming Rocky Mountain Mennonite Camp events:

- **February 15-17** Senior High Snow Camp
- **February 22-24** Young Adult Snow Camp
- **March 15-17** Women's Retreat
- **April 25-28** Spring Mennonite Quilter's Retreat



Announcements

NOTE: Our 2019 annual business meeting is scheduled for next Sunday, February 10, following morning service.

The MSMC community is cordially invited to the ordination of Randy Spaulding, Pastor of Boulder Mennonite. The service and celebration will be Sunday, February 17, 2019 at 5pm at Boulder Mennonite, 3910 Table Mesa Drive, Boulder, CO 80305, with reception to follow. RSVPs and questions: churchadmin@bouldermennonite.org or 303.443.3889.

The Goshen College choir and orchestra will be stopping at three MSMC churches in late February. Mark your calendar for a concert near you:

- Sunday, Feb. 24 — 9:30am, First Mennonite, 430 W 9th Ave, Denver, Colorado
- Sunday, Feb. 24 — 7pm, Beth-El Mennonite, 4625 Ranch Dr, Colorado Springs, Colorado
- Monday, Feb. 25 — 7:30pm, First Congregational United Church of Christ (hosted by Albuquerque Mennonite), 2801 Lomas Blvd NE, Albuquerque, New Mexico



Prayers for Faith & Learning from Mennonite Education Agency

Pray for groups who are planning events in celebration of Black History Month, including "Speaking Out for Climate Justice," which examines climate, racial and moral justice.

Mennonite Mission Network Prayer Request

Mary Raber requests prayer for pastors & wives living in Ukraine's militarized zone. MMN is helping sponsor a retreat for them this month. Pray for safety in travel and that church leaders would be physically and spiritually renewed for continued ministry in difficult conditions.

Opportunities to Help



Tri-Lakes Cares wish list for February includes a "souper bowl of caring": Soups, Stew, Chili, Refried Beans, Pork & Beans, Crackers, Ketchup & Mustard. Thanks again to all who support this worthy mission!