

9:00 A.M. WORSHIP

- * Singing Our Praises
- Welcome and Announcements
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- God's Word For Our Lives Luke 14:25-33 NLT
- Offering Our Gifts and Ourselves Special Music
- Opening Our Hearts To God
- Message
- The Lord's Supper
- * Closing Song & Blessing

Serving Christ and you today at 9:00 AM:

Liturgist: Rod Edmonds
Worship Coordinator: Jude deLaubenfels
Pianist: Lavena Ross
Special Music: Anna Suppe' & Jeff violin & cello duet

Co-Pastors: Rev. Carol Lillie and Rev. Dave Lillie

10:30 A.M. WORSHIP

- Call to Worship
- * Hymn "O Worship the King" UMH #73
- Announcements & Informal Moments
- God's Word For Our Lives Luke 14:25-33 NLT
- Children's Time
- Offering Our Gifts and Ourselves Special Music
- * Hymn "O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing" UMH #57
- Opening Our Hearts To God
- Message
- The Lord's Supper
- * Hymn "Leaning on the Everlasting Arms" UMH #133
- * Closing Blessing

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Serving Christ and you today at 10:30 AM:

Liturgist: Harold Wright
Music: "Psalm XX" -Marcello "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name" - Hopson
Organist: Lois Abbuhl
Special Music: Anna Suppe' & Jeff violin & cello duet

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IF YOU ARE VISITING WITH US TODAY:

SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES: Classes for children, youth and adults are available at 9:00 a.m. A listing of classes is posted in the calendar of today's bulletin. If you need assistance locating classes, please ask one of our HOSTS who are located at the Hospitality Center in the Gallery.

AVAILABLE FROM THE USHERS: Hearing amplifiers, LARGE PRINT bulletins, Bibles, hymnals and children's activities. The ushers wear an 'usher' button and are easy to recognize.

MEMBERSHIP: If you are interested in becoming a part of our congregation, or desire more information about our church, please fill out our Friendship Pad located in each pew and mark the appropriate box - Desire a Call or Wish to Join.

On the first Sunday of each month, the people of First UMC give a "Compassion Offering" to assist an outreach ministry beyond our church walls. This month we are supporting The Wesley Foundation - Campus Ministries. If you would like to give a 2nd mile gift, please place it in the basket / plate located on the white speakers near the communion servers.

The church will be closed tomorrow, September 6, in observance of Labor Day. Happy Laboring!

Today we are having a special coffee time in honor of our good friends, the Erickson family, who are moving to Padukah, Kentucky. They have been a vital part of this church for several years and have served on various committees including Trustees, Finance, SPR and Children & Family Ministry. They have taught the most popular rotations, cooking and carpentry, in the Children's Sunday school program for the last 5 years. We will miss their kindness, friendship, and loving commitment to this church family. We wish them well.

Youth Group: September 12th parent/leaders are meeting at 4:15p.m. Come find out what this year has in store, give your input and see where you can help. Parents are welcome to stay for dinner following the meeting. Call Jeanne with any questions or agenda items 303-956-6609.

Craft Away! Agape Moms are hosting a scrapbooking/craft session. When? - September 18, 10a.m.-2p.m. Where? - Wesley Hall. Who can come? - You! Nursery will be provided. For lunch please bring a dish to share. There will be craft supplies and scrapbook pages for purchase. The proceeds will benefit Agape. Sign up at the Hospitality Center. For more information, call Jana Yoder @ 970 535-0255 or email jsyoder@msn.com.

Attention Adults 24-40ish - Pack a picnic lunch and join Generation Soup on a stroller and family friendly hike to kick off fall. We'll meet on Sept. 25 at 11:00 a.m. at the Cottonwood Marsh trailhead at Walden and Sawhill ponds. For more information and directions, contact Misty Bone at 720 628-7261 or Allyson Bowland at 303 746-3740.

Velma Deyoe, a new resident to the area, is in need of a ride to church. She is living at the Vistas on Hover & 9th Ave. If you can help, please contact Velma's daughter Sharla @ 303 684-6752 to make arrangements.

Fall 2010 Advanced Lay Ministry training classes will be Saturday, October 4, from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. and Sunday, October 5, 2:00-5:00 p.m. at Wellington United Methodist church, 8251 Wellington Blvd., Wellington, CO. Speakers for the conference will be Rev. Donna Newendorp, Rev. Mark Heiss and Rev. Donna Patterson. For more information please call or email John Dietz @ 970 352-5554 jacdietz@greeleynet.com or Chuck Keim @ 303 823-6586 chaskeim@earthling.net.

Need a birthday gift or a gas card for a student? Grocery cards work great for that and the church will receive 5% back from the purchase! We could increase our income up to \$30,000 a year. Purchase your Grocery Gift Certificates/Cards in the Gallery today between services or in the church office during the week. Gift Certificates/Cards are available for King Soopers, Safeway and Pantry Market. This is an area where we have the potential for a significant increase if our members participate regularly.

Tie a Quilt/Say a Prayer: During worship on September 26, we will baptize Carmen Gonzales & her mom Corinne Kluger. There is a quilt draped on a table in the Gallery - as you walk by, please tie a knot and say a prayer for them. The quilt will be presented to them at their baptism.



"Being at peace with yourself is a direct result of finding peace with God."
And the peace of God, which passeth all understanding, shall keep your hearts and minds through Christ Jesus.
Philippians 4:7

A Look at the Week Ahead. . .

SUNDAY, September 5

7:30 a.m.	POG Rehearsal	Sanctuary
9:00 a.m.	Informal Worship	Sanctuary
9:00 a.m.	The Adventurers (Adults)	Room 208
9:00 a.m.	Faith & Reason (Adults)	Room 110
9:00 a.m.	Foundation Builders (Adults)	Parlor
9:00 a.m.	Horizon Class (Adults)	Room 104
9:00 a.m.	JAM Zone K - 5th grade	Chapel
9:00 a.m.	Middle & Senior High	Rms 203, 205
9:00 a.m.	Sunday School Ages 3-4	Room 109
9:15 a.m.	Sunday School K – 5	Education Wing
10:00 a.m.	Coffee Fellowship	Gallery
10:30 a.m.	Traditional Worship	Sanctuary

MONDAY, September 6

CHURCH CLOSED / LABOR DAY

TUESDAY, September 7

9:00 a.m.	Staff Meeting	Parlor
7:00 p.m.	Trustees Meeting	Parlor

WEDNESDAY, September 8

9:00 a.m.	Agape Moms	Gallery
9:00 a.m.	Exercise Class	Room 110
9:00 a.m.	Wesley Anns	Music Room
10:00 a.m.	Care Team	Carol's Office
12:00 p.m.	Bulletin Deadline	

THURSDAY, September 9

12:00 p.m.	Book Club	Room 104
7:00 p.m.	Finance Meeting	Room 104, N
7:15 p.m.	Chancel Choir	Sanctuary

FRIDAY, September 10

9:00 a.m.	Exercise	Room 110
6:00 p.m.	Marriage Built to Last	Gallery, N

SATURDAY, September 11

8:00 a.m.	Men's/Women's Breakfast	WH, K, P, N
9:00 a.m.	Rockband Rehearsal	Music Room

For additional listings of non-church events, please refer to your copy of The Spire or visit the calendar on the web page at www.longmontfumc.org.

Last week's attendance: 9:00 -104 10:30 -149
Total – 253 Sunday School - 54



The Altar Flowers are given by Bea Thompson in memory of her husband Robert.
The Altar Flowers are given by Don & Jean Webb in memory of their parents.

WE ARE PRAYING FOR:

Gretchen Clay
Mach Family
Shirley Concannon
Doug Brown

Our Continued Prayers For:

Our troops world-wide
Sean Mitchell Robert Runn
Zac Dinsmore Andrew Runn
David Edgar Jason Teribery

Jan Chioda
Don Weber
Don Worthington
Art Garrison
Susie Johnstone
Patty Skates
Michelle Symond
Carol Lillie
Tom Young
Mike Pease
Jude deLaubenfels son-in-law
Bea Thompson's adult children
Linda Hashman
Edward George
Rockie Loose
Hank Bradley
Charlie Van Netta
Phyllis Bauer
Bob Williams' grand daughter

PRAYER REQUESTS ~

Please use the lime green prayer request cards located in the pew backs in front of you. Write your prayer request on the card and place it in the offering plate as we give our gifts. During our prayer time, your prayer will be lifted up.

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8:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.; 1:00 – 4:00 p.m.
Friday 8:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.



September 5, 2010

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