



*Spiritual home. Inclusive community. Unconditional love. Welcome!*

First United Methodist Church, Loveland, Colorado

January 10, 2021

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## **HUMAN RELATIONS SUNDAY IS JANUARY 17**

United Methodist celebrate on specific days to unite and make clear the commitment of the church as the people of God, and to give everyone the opportunity to contribute to special programs approved and supported by the Church. How do your gifts support Human Relations? We are called to make an impact in communities where our brothers and sisters in Christ lack the resources or tools to reach their God-given potentials. Our gifts are part of building beloved communities through faith-based volunteer programs, community developers and programs that work with at-risk teens. For more than half a century, United Methodist has observed this churchwide special Sunday in recognition of the message Jesus demonstrated during his life: ***Each of God's children are equally important.*** For stories on how you make a difference visit [UMC.org/yourimpact](https://www.UMC.org/yourimpact).

## **DISCIPLE BIBLE STUDY 2 - LUKE AND ACTS**

This class will be starting January 19 on Tuesday nights at 6:30 pm through Zoom. If interested, [please register for a book here](#). For more detailed information on the class, [please visit this page](#). If you have any questions please contact Ann Kessler at (970) 290-2796 or [by email](#).

## **GROUPS ESPECIALLY FOR SENIORS**

Dr. Clay Carter is offering a series of classes designed especially for seniors. Each group will be held every other week.



- Life Storying – Guided Autobiography Workshop** 2nd & 4th Tuesdays, 1:00-2:30 pm on Zoom; limited to 8 participants. [Read more here.](#)
- Older, Wiser, HAPPIER** – Bi-weekly Meetings 2nd and 4th Thursdays, 1:00-2:30 pm on Zoom. [Read more here.](#)
- Life Stages: Facing Truths and**

**Finding Hope** on 1st & 3rd Fridays, 1:00-2:30 pm on Zoom; limited to 7 participants.  
[Read more here.](#)

☐ **Choosing Happiness** 1st & 3rd Mondays 1:00-2:30 pm on Zoom; limited to 10 participants. [Read more here.](#)

Or [download a brochure](#) with details on all of these groups.

### **DAILY SCRIPTURE READINGS**

Do you have a plan to read from the Bible and spend some daily time with God?

[Download Steve Goodier's Daily Scripture Readings](#) for suggestions on daily readings to enhance a regular time of study or prayer.

### **UPPER ROOM DEVOTIONAL READING FOR JANUARY AND FEBRUARY**

[You may download your January-February Upper Room Devotional now.](#) This is a wonderful opportunity to experience the historic devotional booklet from the United Methodist church, especially since we can't get into the church to pick up paper booklets.

### **NEED A MASK?**

Masks with the church logo are now available and donations are appreciated. If you are interested in a mask, please contact Andrea Ortega [by email](#).

## ***PERSONALS***



### **PRAYER CONCERNS**

- Maxine (age 95), friend of Marcia Davis, suffering from COVID-19.
- COVID-19 sufferers and those adversely affected by the pandemic



***BIRTHDAYS IN OUR CHURCH***  
***January 7 - 14***

Georgia Chenoweth  
Jacob Cherry  
Karissa Fidler  
Jake Hornick

Larry Jones  
Mary Kelman  
Cache Legault  
Doug Pennock

Jerry Tayler  
Cindy Utley  
Nancy Westbrook  
Jack White

## **ONGOING CLASSES AND GROUPS**



### **WORSHIP VIDEO LINK**

The [FUMC website](#) will have this Sunday's video link posted sometime Saturday.

### **CHAT WITH THE PASTORS EVERY SUNDAY**

You can laugh and talk, share stories, discuss the most recent sermon or just listen - every Sunday at 9:15 am. [Details and Zoom link](#)

### **SEARCHERS CLASS**

On Sunday, January 10 our guest will be Morgan Villnave, the community relations person for the Larimer County Food Bank. She will be bringing us up to date on the excellent work of our Food Bank and it's current needs. Hunger in our country is at an all time high. Several FUMC folks work at the Food Bank with the work done there essential for so many individuals and families. Please join us on these two Sunday mornings. The Searchers class expects to continue to be a vital class for the work of our church. Zoom link is on the website.

Meeting ID: 882 2553 4319

Pass code: 092355

### **HOLY HAPPY HOUR MEETS MONDAYS**

HHH meets Mondays at 5:30 pm. Contact Tom Thompson for more information at (801) 518-5392 or [revtgt@hotmail.com](mailto:revtgt@hotmail.com). [Details and Zoom link](#)

### **OASIS STUDY**

Join us as we gather and celebrate being LGBTQ+ Christians, friends and allies on

Sunday, January 10 from 4:30-5:30 pm on Zoom. [Zoom link.](#)

Meeting ID: 838 2998 9065

Passcode: 744795

**EXERCISE CLASS WITH ANITA WILLIAMS**

Join us Monday, Wednesday, and Friday at 10:30 am each week on Zoom. Contact Ann Kessler at (970) 290-2796 or [akessler@fumcleveland.com](mailto:akessler@fumcleveland.com) with questions. [Details and Zoom link](#)

## **OTHER IMPORTANT NEWS**



### **THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING FUMC!**

YTD you have helped raise \$4,701 thru King Soopers Community rewards and \$93.42 thru Amazon Smile! It's easy to support FUMC when shopping on Amazon! If you would like to sign up for King Soopers Community Rewards please follow these steps:

Log in or create an account at KingSoopers.com.

Click Community Rewards at the left or bottom of the page.

Search UK667 and click enrollShop online or instore to support FUMC!

For assistance please call (303) 698-3403

### **ONLINE GIVING IS HERE**

Our Church now has online payment capability. Just go to our website, [www.fumcloveland.com](http://www.fumcloveland.com) and click on the menu tab labeled "Donate." You will be able to donate using either your debit or credit card or through PayPal, if you wish. We thank you in advance for trying out this new way of giving. Nice way to watch those airline miles grow.

**CAN WE HELP YOU?** As we are growing forward and staying safe at home, you may still have needs at your house. If you would like a helping hand with groceries, prescriptions, or other errands, please remember there is a group of church volunteers who would love to help you. Call Julie Monroe at 662-321-3003.