

**Holy Communion**

**January 3, 2016**

**9:00 AM CONTEMPORARY SERVICE**

Gathering to Worship

Call to Worship

Worship Assistants, Youth

Prayer and Praise

Offering

Scripture

1 Samuel 1: 4-20

Sermon

"A Church Dedicated to Radical Hospitality"

Pastor Phil Rogers

Holy Communion

Closing Music

Benediction



Next Sunday's Sermon:

"Life is Like a Ten Speed Bicycle"

1 Peter 4:8-11

Pastor Stephanie

**10:30 AM TRADITIONAL SERVICE**

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Opening Hymns

"We Three Kings" #254

"One Bread, One Body" #620

Special Music

Selected Music Kay Lloyd, Flute

Cobus du Toit, piano

Guided Prayer

Prayer Response #402

"Lord, I Want to be a Christian"

Offering

Doxology #94

Scripture

1 Samuel 1: 4-20

Hymn #601

"Thy Word Is a Lamp"

Sermon: "A Church Dedicated to Radical Hospitality"

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Closing Hymn #2236

"Gather Us In"

Benediction

**LONGS PEAK WEEKLY CALENDAR**



Today, Jan 3 YOUTH OUTDOOR TRIP

9:00 AM Adult Sunday School

10:25 AM Children's Sunday School

Monday, Jan 4

9:00 AM Exercise Class - Fellowship Hall

11:00 AM Marjorie Horn Memorial Service/Reception - Sanctuary/FH

6:30 PM Grief Share - Room 137

6:30 PM Trustees - Room 135

7:00 PM Pub Theology/Shoes & Brews - 63 S. Pratt Ave.

7:00 PM Dixieland Gospel Band Rehearsal - Sanctuary

7:30 PM Alanon - Rooms 128-129

Tuesday, Jan 5

9:00 AM Community Bible Study - all church

6:00 PM Praise Team Rehearsal - Sanctuary

6:00 PM SPR - Room 129

6:45 PM A cappella Rehearsal

7:30 PM Choir Rehearsal

Wednesday, Jan 6

6:15 AM Men's Breakfast - Fellowship Hall

10:00 AM Staff Meeting - Room 137

12:00 PM Worship Team - Room 137

6:00 PM Light Supper - Fellowship Hall

7:30 PM AA - Rooms 128-129

Thursday, Jan 7

9:30 AM Women's Bible Study - Room 137

6:30 PM Leadership Organizational Meeting - Fellowship Hall

Friday, Jan 8

9:15 AM Exercise Class - Fellowship Hall

9:30 AM Women's Connection - Room 137

Saturday, Jan 9 OUR CENTER LUNCH

7:30 AM Men's Study - Rooms 128, 129

1:00 PM Frances Youngman Memorial Service/Reception -

Sanctuary/FH

**CONNECT WITH  
LONGS PEAK UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**

Attendance Date \_\_\_\_\_  9:00  10:30

Mr./Mrs./Ms. \_\_\_\_\_

Children Attending \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_

Is this  1st time?  2nd?  3rd?  Member  Regular Attender

I heard about Longs Peak through \_\_\_\_\_

PLEASE TEAR OFF AT PERFORATIONS (Side and Top) AND PUT IN OFFERING PLATE

**Who We Are**

Rev. Stephanie Kidwell - Lead Pastor

Rev. Josh Walker - Associate Pastor

Rev. Phil Rogers - Youth &  
Young Adult Ministry

Kathy Crier - Care and Hospitality Director

Kay W. Lloyd - Music Director

Jo Ann Hauger - Children's Ministry Director

Rev. Sandy Stewart - Deacon

Catherine Romero - Business Manager

Sharon Cantrell-Jaap - Admin. Assistant

Bobbi Christensen - Nursery Coordinator

Dan Gamble - Publications

Dr. Cobus du Toit - Pianist

Jim Moore - Custodian

Alina Saucedo Attending Clergy

Pastor Charlene Smythe, Retired

Rev. Granville Smythe, Retired

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## WE'RE GLAD YOU'RE HERE!

At Longs Peak United Methodist Church, our Mission is to make disciples of Jesus Christ in the United Methodist tradition for the transformation of the world through worship and study, the cultivation of spiritual depth in Christ, connection with others, and service to our community and to the world.

Visitor Guides, Church Activities and Classes are available at the Welcome Center in the Narthex (lobby).

Nursery is available for infants and toddlers under age 4 and is staffed by two attendants or you may comfort your child in the Cry Room to the north of the Sanctuary with a window to see and hear the service.

Children are always encouraged to join us in worship! Those under the age of 7 are invited to pick up a blue Busy Bag filled with quiet worship activities. Children's Church meets during 9:00 AM service on 2nd and 4th Sundays.

Sunday School for ages 3 to 12<sup>th</sup> grade meets from 10:25-11:30 AM. Preschool and elementary students must be signed in/out by a parent. See the bulletin board in the Crossroads for information about where each class meets. Contact Jo Ann Hauger at kids@lpumc.org for more information.

Prayer Request Slips may be found in this bulletin; tear off at the perforations and place in offering plate or you may activate the Prayer Chain via instructions or use the PINC pew card for confidential prayers.

Hearing Amplification Headsets are available at the Sound Booth.

Recorded Sermons, if you would like to hear a sermon from the series that you have missed, they can be found on our website, www.lpumc.org.

Learn more about us at www.lpumc.org, Facebook & Twitter

Electronic church contributions, if you would like to donate electronically, please go to our website www.lpumc.org

### WEEKLY HOLY COMMUNION

We will celebrate the presence of Christ at Communion every Sunday at both services. Gluten free bread is available at the front station. Everyone is invited to join in Communion following the sermon.

### WEDNESDAYS

Dinner is on us at 6:00 PM. We will be serving a light meal every Wednesday in Fellowship Hall. You don't have to bring anything except yourself...and a friend (love offerings are most welcome). Our OPEN TABLE is open to everyone. It is a great way to meet our church family! See you there!

### NEWSLETTERS

Monthly newsletters are sent via email. Contact sharon@lpumc.org to receive one. Printed newsletters are available throughout the church.



### EXTEND THE TABLE

Recipients: Lillian Dawson, Frances Granath, Joanna Kunselman, Bernie Lovell, Evelyn Martin, Billy Mitchell, Vi Onken  
Stewards: Marcia Allen, Karen Bunker & Alexis, Michelle Crain, Helen Douglas, Jolene Mechtly, Amy Miner, Carol & Dave Monhollen

## YOUTH GROUP NEWS

TODAY- Youth making lunches for Attention Homes, after second service

Jan 10- Make a Difference Day, 5:30-8pm

Jan 17-18 Lock-In at Park Hill UMC and MLK Day Parade

Jan 24- Potluck and Sharing Our Stories with Dale Sherrod

Jan 29-31 Youth Leadership Conference, register with Pastor Phil

Jan 31- No Youth

**QUESTIONS:** Contact Pastor Phil at youth@lpumc.org 303-328-7791

## ANNOUNCEMENTS & UPCOMING EVENTS

### Week of January 3, 2016

**ALL CHURCH MINISTRY TEAM TRAINING & KICKOFF JANUARY 7, 2016:** All LPUMC ministry team members are invited to attend the 2016 kick-off on Thursday, January 7th at 6:30 PM. During this quick-paced 90 minutes, participants will have the opportunity to participate in developing the 2016 vision for the various LPUMC ministry teams. Activities will include:

- Overview of committee responsibilities and an introduction of the 2016 chairs
- Ministry team breakouts where each committee will hold its first meeting of 2016
- Coordinate committee meeting calendar and brainstorm 2016 vision
- Sharing of 2016 priorities, goals, and vision

NEW FOR 2016! Everyone in the congregation is invited to attend. Come learn more about the Church Council, Finance, Staff-Parish Relations, Trustees, Nominations & Leadership Development, Faith Forward Fund, Memorials, Missions, Children's & Family Ministry Council, and Worship committees.

**THE IRA ROLLOVERS:** Congress has made the IRA Charitable Rollover permanent. You can make a gift from your IRA account to help support the work of Longs Peak UMC and benefit too. The rules: Each IRA owner over 70-1/2 may make a transfer of up to \$100,000 per year to a qualified charity. The Rollovers are tax free and not included in adjusted gross income. It may fulfill part or all of your required minimum distribution (RMD). For more information, contact the Rocky Mountain United Methodist Foundation, 303-778-6370 or email Dale@RMUMF.org

**GRIEFSHARE: Monday, Jan. 4th:** The first and third Mondays of the month through May 2 from 6:30 to 8:00 pm in room 137. You can join any session. Cost-\$15 for workbook. Contact Wendy Reed 303-775-7252 for more information.

**NEW BOOK STUDY STARTS JAN 10<sup>TH</sup> AT 10:30 AM:** Join Bruce Armstrong in this study exploring how people have interpreted Romans through the ages. Compare what Paul writes in Romans to what theologians like Augustine, Luther and Calvin say in trying to understand Paul in their time. Learn about Paul's radical vision of God's relationship to both Christians and Jews and to their relationship to each other, thanks to the "love of God in Christ Jesus." Sign up; books are available!

**WHERE IS GOD WHEN TRAGEDY AND SUFFERING STRIKE?** Join Pastor Josh for a four week book study where we will discuss the age-old question of how to understand the will of God. Rejecting simplistic answers and unexamined assumptions, Adam Hamilton in his book "Why?" lays out core ideas for comprehending God's plan for the world. The book study starts Jan 13<sup>th</sup> at 6:40PM. Sign up sheet and books are located in the crossroads. The cost: \$9.

**LIFE IS.....** a sermon series beginning January 10 to help us ponder words of wisdom from a variety of voices including Charles Schultz, Gilda Radnor, and George Gershwin. Join us to understand what life is to Christians.

## CHILDREN & FAMILY NEWS

ACOLYTE Jan 3 - Audrey Hoida

Jan 10 - Deadline to enter Lip Sync Battle (see Crossroads)

Jan 10 - Children's Church (9:00AM service)

Jan 29 - Dress Rehearsal for Lip Sync Battle

Jan 30 - Lip Sync Battle Chili Cook-off and Program

**Include LPUMC in Your Summer Plans - Save These Dates**

June 13-17 - Music Drama Camp

June 26-30 - Vacation Bible School at the SURF SHACK

July 24-29 - Buckhorn Camp! Pioneer 2 session for elementary students (entering grades 3-5); Eclipse session for middle/high school students (entering grades 6-12)

**QUESTIONS?** Contact Jo Ann Hauger kids@lpumc.org or 720-985-1247

## PRAISES AND PRAYERS

-Marjorie Horn passed away Dec. 28, 2015; Memorial Service will be on Monday, Jan. 4, 2016 at 11:00 am with lunch reception (Kathy Crier's mother)

-Frances Youngman's Memorial Service, January 9 at 1:00 pm with reception

-Olive Woltman, hospitalized at Good Samaritan (Nancy Woltman)

-JoAnne Goelz, prayers for adjustment to living in the assisted living home (Huff Family)

-Peace on Earth (Rick & Sandy Stewart)

To Activate the Prayer Chain:  
Mon-Thur. 9 am - 3 pm, 303-776-0399, ext 102 or  
Call Bobbi Christensen  
303-827-1456 or email bobbi9773@gmail.com  
Click on the Prayer Request button on our website

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Prayer Request  For Prayer Chain  For Bulletin (with recipient's permission)

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(For confidential prayer request, use PINC card in chair pocket)

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