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Congregational News

Sympathy - To **Bill Wilkens** on the death of his father, Robert Wilkens, who passed away on July 17th.

Vacation Bible School - With over 160 kids in attendance, VBS was an amazing week getting submerged in God's love!! *Thank you to everyone who donated VBS items, and to all of our wonderful volunteers who gave of themselves so generously to make the week a great success.* We could not do this without your help!

Men's Ministry Breakfast - August 6th at 7:30 a.m. in the Family Life Center. Special guest speaker is former NBA player and 2 time All-American, Mark Price. Fathers are encouraged to bring their sons (middle school and older). To better accommodate for food needs, please contact Patti Carr at 704-483-1601 or patti.carr@denverumc.org if you plan on attending.

Budget Update:

2016 Budget: \$1,007,423
Received to date: \$506,877
Expenses to date: \$544,818

Thank you to all of our families for your help in closing the deficit through the Bold Prayer initiative. We have made positive headway in bridging the gap. However, much work remains as we seek to live into God's dreams for Denver UMC through our faithful giving and God's generosity.

Office Volunteers Needed - Are you looking for a way to serve? Please consider volunteering in the church office. Hours are flexible. Contact Patti Carr at patti.carr@denverumc.org for more information.

Preschool openings - DUMC Preschool has openings for 2 Lead Teachers beginning in August. There is an opening for 2-day 1's and one for 4-day 2's. If you are interested, please contact Sara Lee at 704-230-9004.

DUMC HAPPENINGS

DUMC Youth Summer Fun & Faith!

For more information or to sign up, contact Anita at anita.sain@denverumc.org

- **Carowinds** - August 3rd, 8:30 a.m. - 7:00 p.m. Cost \$55.85 or use your season pass. **Deadline to sign up is TODAY!**
- **Soup Kitchen** - August 10th, 9:15 a.m. - 1:30 p.m. Come help serve lunch at the Corner Table Soup Kitchen. **Deadline to sign up is July 31st. 15 spots available.**

Golden Disciples

Contact Judy Brockman at jabrockman@bellsouth.net.

- **Movie Night** - July 28th at 7:00 p.m. at The Terraces Clubhouse. Feature movie is "Race".
- **Book Club** - August 1st at 1:00 p.m in FLC 204. We will review the book "Like Dandelion Dust" by Karen Kingsbury. This group is open to anyone in the church.

Camp Meeting Kickoff

August 3rd at 6:00 p.m. in the sanctuary. Come kick off this year's camp meeting by singing some of your favorite hymns!

Love Denver

August 20th
10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.
East Lincoln High School.

DUMC will be part of the area churches supporting the families in our community by supplying back-to-school items. This ministry is in need of Guides to greet families, determine their needs and take them to the appropriate area. To volunteer for this community ministry, visit their website lovedenver.net and click on the Volunteer link.