

# OCTOBER 15, 2017

## 10:45 A.M. ORDER OF WORSHIP

Music as People Enter

Welcome and Announcements

Call To Worship

DUMC Choir

\* Opening Praise

“Take My Life, and Let It Be”

#399

“Open Up The Heavens”

\* Congregational Fellowship

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord’s Prayer

#895

Offering

Offertory

"Let My Words Be Few"

Pete Robinson

Scripture

James 3: 1-12

Sermon

“Soul Damage”

Rev. Steve Autrey

\* Closing Hymn

“Lord, I Need You”

\* Benediction

Music as People Exit

*The flowers in the sanctuary today are in loving memory of Jerry Caruso, by Joann Caruso and family.*

*\*Congregation stand as able.*

*Please silence your cell phones and other communication devices during the worship service. Thank you.*

### **Leading Worship Today:**

*Rev. Steve Autrey, Senior Pastor*

*Rev. Anita Sain, Associate Pastor*

*Adam Rose, Director of Worship Arts*

*David Adams, Associate Director of Worship Arts*

## Worship Notes

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# DENVER

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH  
"A Harbor of Hope in a Chaotic World"

## **WELCOME!**

*We are so glad that you have chosen to attend Denver UMC. If you have any questions, or would like to learn more about our church, please visit one of our Welcome Centers, located in the Main Sanctuary Narthex or the Family Life Center Lobby.*

### **Sermon Series: Sticks and Stones Are Not the Problem**



Today we start a new sermon series called "Sticks and Stones Are Not the Problem." The concept comes from the children's rhyme, "Sticks and stones may break my bones but words will never hurt me." This rhyme is a blatant lie. Words are often the most painful weapons we can use against each other. How many of us are carrying deep and hurtful wounds caused by someone's malicious words uttered years ago. This series is a reminder that our behavior matters and through Christ we are called to pay close attention to what comes out of our mouths as a leading indicator of what is in our hearts.



**Table Talk – Wednesday, October 18th** at 6:00 p.m.  
Menu: BBQ sandwiches, slaw, baked beans and corn, as well as PB&J for the kids and kids at heart! Cost: \$4 per person/\$15 MAX per family/ Children under 4 – FREE.  
Bring a friend with you!



**The Missional Network Fall Festival** will be **October 21st** from 5:00–8:00 p.m. at New Covenant UMC in Mt. Holly. All are welcome to attend. If you would like to volunteer, contact Linda Stroup at (704) 913–2812.

### Weekly Budget Update

Received as of 10/10/17 = \$839,398  
Needed by 12/31/17 = \$1,059,848

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## This Week's Activities

For a full listing of calendar events, visit our website at <http://www.denverumc.org/calendar>.

### Sunday, October 15th

- 9:00 a.m. Cookbook Sale – Mission Center/ FLC Gym
- 4:00 p.m. Youth Leaders meeting – FLC 204
- 6:00 p.m. Youth – FLC Gym

### Monday, October 16th

- 9:00 a.m. Ladies Sewing group – CORC
- 12:00 p.m. Chair Yoga – CORC
- 6:30 p.m. Card night – Welcome Center
- 6:30 p.m. Monday evening Men's group – FLC 204
- 7:00 p.m. Joy Marie Circle – CORC

### Tuesday, October 17th

- 9:00 a.m. Guatemala hygiene kit prep – CORC
- 6:30 p.m. That the world may know Bible study – FLC 204

### Wednesday, October 18th

- 9:00 a.m. LKN Piecemakers – CORC
- 10:00 a.m. Wednesday morning Women's Bible study – Sanctuary
- 2:00 p.m. Crafting Time for Bazaar – CORC
- 6:00 p.m. Table Talk – Family Life Center
- 6:45 p.m. Children's Christmas play practice – CORC
- 6:45 p.m. Choir practice – Sanctuary
- 6:45 p.m. Life Groups – Campus Wide
- 7:30 p.m. Praise Band rehearsal – FLC Gym

### Thursday, October 19th

- 9:00 a.m. Art Inspired Ministry – CORC
- 9:00 a.m. Prayer Team – WAB 101
- 6:30 p.m. GriefShare support group – WAB 101
- 6:45 p.m. Sisters in prayer Bible study – FLC 204

### Friday, October 20th

- 6:30 a.m. Friday Men's group – WAB 101
- 7:00 a.m. Friday Men's group – Stacy's
- 10:00 a.m. Friday morning women's Bible study – FLC 204

## News and Happenings

**DUMC Cookbooks** will be on sale on **TODAY** in the Mission Center, or in the FLC Gym after the 9:30 a.m. service. The cost for each book is \$11. Proceeds will support CORC renovations. For more information or to order a book, call Lisa Morris at (704) 966-0435.

**DUMC Children's Fall Festival – October 28th** from 1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. Fun for all ages! Sign up for Trunk-or-Treat, chili cook-off, & baking contests. Candy donations would be greatly appreciated. Please bring your donations to the Pre-k Welcome Desk or the church office. For more information or to sign up, contact Jennifer Ingalls at [jennifer.ingalls@denverumc.org](mailto:jennifer.ingalls@denverumc.org).

**Old Sanctuary Renovations** – Renovations continue in the Old Sanctuary. During the construction phase, all events and ministries that use this space will be housed in other areas on campus.

**October is Pastor Appreciation Month!** – Clergy appreciation by a congregation is a demonstration of gratitude to God for our pastors. We invite you to express your personal gratitude for these shepherds of our church family through spoken words of thanks, notes or tokens of appreciation. Take time this month to show our leaders of Denver UMC how grateful we are for all they do!

**A message from the DUMC Endowment Committee** – You can share your faith beyond your lifetime by including DUMC in and signing your estate planning documents now. You will have the joy of knowing that whatever you do not use in this life and designate for DUMC will continue in ministry after your death.

### Dates to Remember

October 21	Missional Network Fall Festival at New Covenant UMC
October 22	Operation Christmas Child shoeboxes will be available in the Mission Center and Family Life Center
October 27-28	ROOTED Youth Fall Retreat
October 28	Denver UMC Fall Festival
November 4	Denver UMC Fall Bazaar
November 9	Charge Conference
November 12	First Steps (New member class)
November 16	Caregiver support meeting
November 18	Student Bonfire
November 19	Thanksgiving Meal and Service Project