

# October 21, 2018



## THE BIG PICTURE

*Putting Together the Story of Our Faith*

### *Welcome to Denver UMC!*

We are so glad you joined us today for worship. We invite you to visit our Welcome Center where we will answer your questions and provide directions. If you are a guest with us today, please turn in your completed communication card at the Welcome Desk to receive a special gift.

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# The Order of Worship

## 10:45 a.m. Worship Service

Gathering Music

### WORSHIP IN PRAISE

"Glorious Day"

DUMC Choir

Community Connections

"There's a Wideness In God's Mercy"

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"God I Look To You"

### WELCOME

Welcome and Announcements

UMW presentation

### WORSHIP IN GIVING

Offertory Witness

Music for Offering

"You Say"

Lea Thompson

### WORSHIP IN PRAYER

Prayer

The Lord's Prayer

### WORSHIP IN THE WORD

Scripture

Numbers 14: 11-25

Sermon

"Grace in the Wilderness"

Rev. Anita Sain

### WORSHIP IN THE WORLD

Response

"Nearer, My God, to Thee"

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Sending Out

Postlude

*The flowers are placed in the sanctuary today  
in honor of Bruce Carlton by friends.*

# The Life of Our Church

## KNOW GOD

This morning at the 10:45 a.m. worship service Judy Martin, President of the Joy Marie circle, will present the United Methodist Women's Special Mission Recognition pin to Faye Helton.

A new **LifeGroup** for people who are single or single again has formed and meets at 6:45 p.m. in WAB 101 on Wednesday nights. Contact Brent Wilson at [brent.wilson@yahoo.com](mailto:brent.wilson@yahoo.com) for more details.

## BUILD RELATIONSHIPS

**What do we really know about Islam?** We hear a lot about the Islamic faith through various formats, but what do we really know about the Islamic faith that comes from good and reliable sources? To help us better understand Islam and how we can faithfully respond as Christians, we are offering a special presentation on the topic. Rev. Lutz Keller, a retired United Methodist Pastor, will be leading a presentation **TONIGHT** at 5:00 p.m. in the Chapel. Everyone is invited and we hope to have a great turnout for this very interesting and important conversation.

**Table Talk** - The menu for **October 24th** will be: BBQ, slaw, beans, and dessert.

**JOY Movie Night** - Join us on **October 25th** at 7:00 p.m. at The Terraces Clubhouse. The featured movie is "Woman Walks Ahead"

**Fall Festival** - Please join us on **October 27th** from 4-6 pm for our annual fall festival. See Jennifer Ingalls to sign up for trunk-or-treat or chili cook off.

## UNLEASH COMPASSION

**Operation Christmas Child** - Shoe boxes will be available at the Mission Center and FLC gym **Today and October 28th**. Shoeboxes will need to be returned to the church on November 18th. For more information contact Wendi Popoff at [Wendi.popoff@yahoo.com](mailto:Wendi.popoff@yahoo.com).

You are invited to attend an informational meeting on the topic: **A Way Forward**. Meeting dates are: **October 28th** at First UMC, 311 3rd Ave NE, Hickory, and November 4th at Park Street UMC, 120 Park Street, Belmont. All times are 3:00 - 5:00 p.m.

Please join us for **First Thursday Lunch** on **November 1st** from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. in the Family Life Center. It's open to the entire community, so invite your friends! All proceeds help local children and their families. Join us Tuesday, October 30th at 10:00 a.m., in the FLC kitchen to pick chicken for the event. All are welcome!

**Servants With a Heart** - On **November 11th** we will pack meals for those in need in the Family Life Center. Anyone age 5 and older is invited to help. **You MUST sign up for your shift**. There are some "sit down" jobs as well for anyone who is unable to stand. Stop by the Mission Center (located to the left of the Sanctuary) today after services to sign up. Shift times are: 8:00 - 9:15 a.m., 9:30 - 10:30 a.m. and 10:45 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. Invite a friend and join the fun!