

March 4, 2018



"A Harbor of Hope in a Chaotic World"

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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KNOW GOD

Easter Lily Order Forms If you would like to order an Easter Lily in memory or in honor of a loved one to decorate our sanctuary on Easter Sunday, please fill out an Easter Lily Order Form located at one of our Welcome Centers and place it in the offering plate or return it to the church office with payment **no later than March 15th**. The lilies may be taken home with you on Easter Sunday morning after the 10:45 a.m. service. The cost for each lily is \$10.00. *Please make checks payable to Denver UMC and designate it "Easter Lily."*

The Ark Encounter - "And God said, build an ark." Ever wonder what that boat was like. Or . . . what was it like when God spoke creation into being? Take a trip with us and find out. You are invited to KY to visit the ark and creation museum on a chartered tour **May 14-16**. Invite your family and friends to join you on this great adventure. Contact Judy Brockman for more information at jabrockman@bellsouth.net or 704.483.8346.

Co-Ed Bible Study - What is it like to truly become like Jesus? "Discover the fierce passion of our early Christian brothers and sisters to walk like Jesus -- even when the path became treacherous." Join the co-ed study, "That the World May Know" weekly on Tuesdays at 6:30 p.m. in FLC 204. Each class is an independent study, so you can join at any time. Contact Karry Brockman at 770.330.7140 or karryb@bellsouth.net.

BUILD RELATIONSHIPS

Table Talk - March 7 - Meal: 6:00 p.m. in the Family Life Center gym (\$4 per person/ \$15 max per family).

This week's meal: Baked Chicken.

No reservations needed. Hope to see you there!



JOY Group Outing will enjoy a guided tour of the Catawba County History Museum in Newton and have lunch at the Blue Moon Tavern on Thursday, **March 8**. Carpools leave **DUMC at 9:30 AM**. The tour is \$5 and **reservations should be made by March 6**. Contact Judy Brockman at 704-483-8346 or jabrockman@bellsouth.net.

Easter Eggstravaganza - Saturday, March 31, from 1:00-3:00 p.m.

Please donate candy and egg fillers to the Pre-K Welcome Desk or church office by March 25th.



2018 Operating Budget = \$1,183,884

Received as of 2/28/18 = \$171,733

UNLEASH COMPASSION

Fall Craft Show - Our first planning meeting for this fall's craft show will be on **March 7th at 2:00 p.m. in FLC 204**. Bring ideas and suggestions! Contact Janis Mlynarski 215.290.3739 or janis.mlynarski@gmail.com.

Slow Cooker/ Instant Pot Cook-off - March 24, from 6:00 - 8:00 p.m. Join us for an evening of all-you-can-eat homemade crockpot/ Instant Pot dishes for just \$6 per person /\$20 per family. Vote for your favorite! Great night of fun, fellowship, and food! All proceeds to benefit our International Missions Trips. For more information contact Bob Popoff at robert.popoff@ltc-west.com.

Mission opportunity to Nicaragua - April 9 - 23, for 1 or 2 weeks. Working on a Church in Villa Roma. For information call Roger Sailors at 704.472.6711.

Donate Your Coupons to Backpacks for Kids - Donate your manufacturer's coupons from Sunday's paper to help us feed hungry kids in the community. We use them to purchase food and hygiene items for underprivileged kids at a deep discount. Drop them in the coupon bin in the office or preschool area. Contact Julie Doss at julieadoss@gmail.com to help cut and sort coupons.

This Week @ Denver UMC

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

Sunday, March 4th

4:00 p.m. Easter Cantata rehearsal - Sanctuary

Monday, March 5th

10:30 a.m. Helping Hands meeting - WAB 200

12:00 p.m. Christian Chair Yoga - CORC

6:30 p.m. Card night - Welcome Center

6:30 p.m. Monday Evening Men's group - FLC 204

Tuesday, March 6th

10:30 a.m. Chicken Pickin' - FLC Kitchen

6:30 p.m. That the World May Know Bible Study - FLC 204

7:00 p.m. Handbell practice - WAB 200

Wednesday, March 7th

10:00 a.m. Wednesday Morning Women's Bible Study - WAB 200

2:00 p.m. Fall Craft Show organizational meeting - FLC 204

6:00 p.m. Table Talk - Family Life Center Gym

6:45 p.m. Choir practice - Sanctuary

7:30 p.m. Cantata Choir practice - Sanctuary

Thursday, March 8th

9:30 a.m. Prayer Shawl Ministry - WAB 101

12:00 a.m. JOY Group Outing - Catawba County History Museum

6:30 p.m. GriefShare Support Group - WAB 101

6:45 p.m. Sisters in Prayer Bible Study - WAB 200

Friday, March 9th

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