## Ministry Teams

If you have interest in volunteering, please contact these folks:

Adult Education - Darren Knowles

Direct Assistance - Craig Sommers and Debbie Reed

Facilities Projects - Darcey Van Wagner (Architectural Review Committee),

Matt Baron (Building), or Dave Harguth (Grounds)

Fellowship - Ivannah Johnson and Angie Nofziger

Memorial Receptions - Angie Nofziger and Lola Hershberger

Music – Arlen Hershberger

Nursery Volunteers - Andi Gingerich

Outreach - Debbie Reed

Peace School Cooperative - Ann Leonard and Ivannah Johnson

Social Media - Deb Schaffer and Donna Swartzendruber

Ushers – Ralph Nafziger and Brad Shelly

Visitation - Marylou Shelly and Ivannah Johnson

Worship - Ardell Swartzendruber

# **Provisional Mission Statement:** Connecting With Compassion



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Welcome to

## First Mennonite Church

Denver, Colorado



December 31, 2017

Beyond 2017

That you may know the love of Christ that surpasses knowledge, so that you may be filled with all the fullness of God.

## **Contemplative Worship Preparation** 9:15 AM

## Entering Worship 9:30 AM

Welcome, Call to Worship, and Lighting of Advent Candles

Introductions and Passing of the Peace

Come, let us all unite to sing Blue hymnal 12

#### Faith Reflection

Children's Time for children 3<sup>rd</sup> grade and younger

Jesus loves me ...they are sweet and he is strong...

Afterward, nursery care is available in B2 downstairs for children 1-4 yrs.

Alleluia Green hymnal 41

And I will raise you up Blue hymnal 596

Chimes

Scripture Reading: Matthew 6: 28-34

Meditation "Beyond 2017"

Chimes

My life flows on Blue hymnal 580

## **Community Sharing**

Offertory

Sharing and Pastoral Prayer

My soul cries out Purple hymnal 124

Benediction

### Leadership for this Service

Meditation & Children's Story – Pastor Duncan Smith
Worship Leader – Lynn Amstutz
Song Leader – Aimee Voth Siebert and Family
Pre-Service Music and Offertory – Aimee Voth Siebert and Family
Pastoral Prayer – Pastor Glenn Balzer
Usher coordinators – Norm & Lois Dewhurst
Audiovisual – Evan Miller

Thanks to all who have given generously of their attention & talents to make this service a time of encouragement & challenge in our walk of faith.

## After the worship service in the Community Center

- ♦ Join us for refreshments and help support our youth
- ◆ Purchase grocery cards to help support the FMC Ministry Plan. Remember to pick up your reloadable King Soopers card.

## No Education Hour today

#### Welcome to our Visitors

Ushers will help you find your way. Check out the information at the Welcome Center and Open Table.