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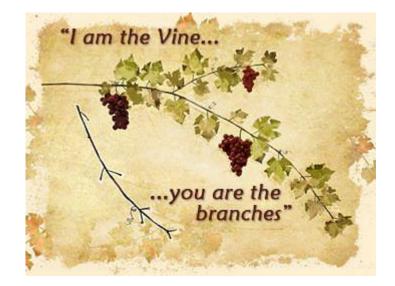
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Welcome to

# First Mennonite Church Denver, CO



Sunday Worship April 28, 2024

# **Branching Out**

That you may know the love of Christ that surpasses knowledge, so that you may be filled with all the fullness of God. – Ephesians 3:19 We invite you to join the congregation in singing the songs marked with  ${\cal I}$  .

Entering Worship	Give Me Jesus	arr. Hayes	Scripture
I Sing the Mighty Power of God		Voices Together 182	Meditation
Welcome			Communion
Christ Candle Procession A Come and See		VT 282	Communion Musi
Children's Time and Baby/Child Dedication			Celebrating Our G
A This Little Light of Mine		VT 762	Offering and Anno
Call to Worship			JO Blessed Spring
Glenda: God calls people from the farthest places of the earth.			Benediction
People: From east and west, from gathered.	Congregational Sh		
Glenda: God invites those with disabilities and the parents of small children – anyone who may be left behind. People: From all ways of life and every experience, the people of God are gathered.			Pastoral Prayer
			🞜 The Lord Bless Y
Glenda: Those who are weeping be led by water brooks, those w People: We hear God's call and	Directly After Serv		
gathered people of God.	-	-	Leadership for th
Silent Faith Reflection			Meditation: Worship Leader:
Invocation			Song Leader: Musician:
Gracious God, Dresser of Vines, we confess that we have been more willing to consume the fruits of others than to bear fruit ourselves. We have refused to give of ourselves when the harvest is uncertain. We have not been fruitful because we depended too much on ourselves and not enough on you. Help us, God, to be channels for your grace, branches who feed on your life-giving Spirit, bearers of your word of love and joy, in Jesus Christ. Amen.			Chimes: Children's Storytime Lead Ushers: Audio Tech: Video/Livestream T Banner Design: Sanctuary Arts: Grounds & Facility/

## **Silent Faith Reflection**

₽ Like the Murmur of the Dove's So	ong			
Scripture	John 15:1-8			
Meditation	Branching Out			
Communion				
Communion Music Jacob's Ladder arr. Hayes & Fairest Lord Jesus arr. Raney				
Celebrating Our Graduating Seniors				
Offering and Announcements				
P O Blessed Spring	VT 522			
Benediction				
Congregational Sharing and Introduction				
Pastoral Prayer				
J The Lord Bless You and Keep You				
Directly After Service	Congregational Meeting (Community Ctr) Childcare Following Worship			
Leadership for this Service	<b>č</b>			
Meditation:	Rev. Ann Rosewall			
Worship Leader:	Glenda Kauffman			
Song Leader:	Emily Martin			
Musician:	Emily Martin			
Chimes:	Annika Stutzman			
Children's Storytime:	Rachel Barnes			
Lead Ushers:	Brad and Marylou Shelly			
Audio Tech:	Steve KandeLind			
Video/Livestream Tech:	Randy Friesen			
Banner Design:	Cindy Kauffman			
Sanctuary Arts:	Jennifer Miller and Rachel Barnes			
Grounds & Facility/Building:	Paul Johnson			
Bulletin:	Lydia Cooper			
Bulletin Art: I am the Vine,	you are the Branches www.pinterst.com			