

Our Mission: Light of Christ Ecumenical Catholic Community is a vibrant, inclusive and welcoming community for all who, following the teachings and example of Jesus Christ, seek compassion, justice and peace in the world. We seek to live our faith through liturgy and prayer, community building and collaboration, study and service. All Are Welcome!

Saturday July 29, 2017
Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Responsorial Psalm

Saturday
Lord, you have the words
of everlasting light.

Prayer Response

Oh God, walk with us.



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MASSES

Saturdays 5:00 pm

2nd and 4th Sundays 11:45 am

Wednesdays 9:00 am

(In the LOC Room)


**LIGHT
OF
CHRIST**
Ecumenical Catholic Community

ORDER OF WORSHIP -SATURDAY

Opening Liturgy

Gathering Rite (please stand)

Entrance (please stand).....Gather Us In (Gather Hymnal) #743

Gloria.....Mass of Creation (Gather Hymnal) #138

Opening Prayer

Liturgy of the Word

First Reading: (please be seated)

Lector.....The Word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

Responsorial Psalm:Psalm 19: Lord, You Have the Words (Gather Hymnal) #20

Second Reading: (please be seated)

Lector.....The Word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

Gospel Acclamation:.....Mass of Creation (Gather Hymnal) #141

Celebrant:.....The Lord be with you.

All: And also with you.

Celebrant: A reading from the holy Gospel according to...

All: Glory to you, Lord.

Gospel: Celebrant:.....The Gospel of the Lord.

All: Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Homily (please be seated)

Profession of Faith: (Nicene Creed)

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, of all that is seen and unseen. We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten not made, one in Being with the Father. Through him all things were made. For us men and for our salvation, he came down from heaven; by the power of the Holy Spirit he was born of the Virgin Mary, and became man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered, died and was buried. On the third day he rose again in fulfillment of the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end. We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the Giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son. With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified. He has spoken through the Prophets. We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

Prayers of the People (please be seated)

Sign of Peace (please stand)

Liturgy of the Eucharist

Presentation of the Gifts: (please be seated).....Only This I Want (Gather Hymnal) #701

Celebrant: Pray my brothers and sisters that our sacrifice may be acceptable to God the Almighty Father.

All: May the Lord accept the sacrifice at your hands for the praise and glory of God's name, for our good and the good of all God's Church.

Eucharistic Prayer: (please stand)

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

All: And also with you.

Celebrant: Lift up your hearts.

All: We lift them up to the Lord.

Celebrant: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

All: It is right to give God thanks and praise.

Holy Holy.....Mass of Creation (Gather Hymnal) #147

Memorial Acclamation.....Mass of Creation (Gather Hymnal) #148A

Doxology: All: Through Him, with Him, in Him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit. All glory and honor is Yours, Almighty Father, forever and ever.

Amen.....Mass of Creation (Gather Hymnal) #149

The Lord's Prayer:.....Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed by thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. Forgive our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Lead us not into temptation and deliver us from evil, (pause for Presider) for the kingdom, the power and the glory are Yours now and forever. Amen

Lamb of God:.....Mass of Creation (Gather Hymnal) #152

Communion **It is our tradition at Light of Christ as we recognize the real presence of our Lord in this meal, that it is the Risen Christ who welcomes everyone to His table. Therefore, we invite you to come and share this sacred meal.**

Communion Song: (please be seated).....Make Me a Channel of Your Peace (Gather Hymnal) #721

Meditation Silent Reflection

Prayer after Communion

Final Blessing (please stand)

Recessional Song:.....Bring Forth the Kingdom (Gather Hymnal) #640

OUTREACH OPPORTUNITY



Fr. Mathew Suckhen of the ECC Diocese of California will be passing through Colorado during the month of August to collect shoe donations for the people of

Jamaica. The shoe drive is sponsored by "Friends Can Make It Happen" and many of the ECC communities are taking part in it. **The Outreach committee here at LOC is looking to collect gently-used shoes for children, women and men in all sizes starting August 1st through the 19th but you can start dropping your donations off starting next weekend, there will be a collection box located in the Narthex for your shoe donations.** For more information or questions, contact Carol Krieg at 303-651-0565 or contact the Church Office.

FLICKS, FRANKS & FRIENDS

All are welcome to join us for a free movie and hot dogs on the first Friday of each month. On Friday, August 4 at 6:00 pm in the Fireside Room we'll be watching **Fences** that stars Denzel



Washington and Viola Davis. It's a film about a working-class African American father who tries to raise his family in the 1950's and his struggles with race relations in the U.S. For more information please contact Pete Conti at 303/776-3084 or petefconti@gmail.com.

HEALING TOUCH CLINIC



HEALING TOUCH SESSIONS are offered by North Front Range Healing Touch practitioners **every first Thursday of the month in the Sanctuary** at Bethlehem Lutheran Church. There will be a clinic

Thursday, **August 3rd**. One-hour sessions are open to the public; appointments are available at **7:00 pm and 8:00 pm**. Suggested donation is \$20. For information and to schedule an appointment call Nicole Kasemir at 303/478-1617.

STEWARDSHIP

June	End of Month	Year To Date
Donations	\$8,049.00	\$47,310.55
King Sooper Cards	\$599.77	\$1328.72
Interest	\$93.49	\$742.02
	\$8,742.26	\$49,381.29
Expenses	\$8888.93	\$52,678.25
Balance	(\$146.67)	(\$3296.96)

THE ROUND PANTRY



There were 9 Light of Christ members who helped at the Round Pantry at Westview Presbyterian Church on July 11th. Five Grouth

Youpers and 4 adults. We worked from 3-6pm and it felt good to share the Gospel without using words. The Round Pantry is a food pantry that is open twice a month for anybody who needs some extra assistance. We helped people select food and bag their groceries. We also helped keep shelves stocked. The work was not hard, the people were delightful, and the time went fast. **We will be volunteering again on Tuesday August 8th from 3-6pm. If you would like to join us, please let Fr. Teri know in the church office. There is work at the Round Pantry for everyone who wants to help. Please consider joining us.**

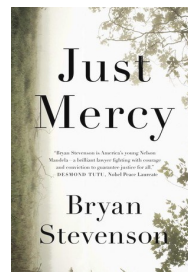
RMRC-REPRESENTATIVE NEEDED

The Parish Council is looking for one person to represent the LOC community at the Rocky Mountain Regional Council. The council



meets once a month and works on issues relevant to the region, the national ECC & are also the representative to the Colorado Council of Churches. It is an opportunity to meet members from other communities to share thoughts and ideas. **If you are interested please contact Fr. Teri Harroun or leave your name and number with Jessica in the church office.**

YOU ASKED FOR IT!



That's right! Many of you asked us to convene a discussion group to talk about the book, **Just Mercy** by **Bryan Stevenson**. The author is a gifted young attorney who founded the Equal Justice Initiative, a legal practice dedicated to defending the poor, the wrongly condemned, &

those trapped in the furthest reaches of the criminal justice system. The author recounts stories of transformation & redemption. Sources of inspiration and hope. This is an engaging and readable text that everyone would find rewarding. **If you would like to order a copy of the book (the cost is \$14.00 with checks payable to Light of Christ) and read along with other LOC members, you will find an Order Form in the Narthex.** Deadline to order books is August 13. We will schedule two dates, to be decided, in October to discuss the book. You can join either a daytime or evening discussion group to share your reflections and hear input from others. If you have questions call Mary Franch @ 303-678-5453.



When a prayer request comes in, we will pray for that individual out loud at all Masses that weekend. Their names will be included here for a month. After a month, we will take the name out of the Prayer Corner unless you contact us in the Church Office. Please contact the Church Office if you have any questions at 303/772-3785.

This section of the bulletin will now be an area where members of LOC can advertise for needing rides, getting help with tasks etc. Please contact the Church Office for details!

Please keep in your prayers:

Bernadette Ryan, Meg Lauer, Walt Curtis, Deacon Buddy Frickey

C A L E N D A R	Sunday, July 30 ♦ No Sunday Morning Mass	Monday, July 31
	Tuesday, August 1	Wednesday, August 2 ♦ Wednesday Morning Mass 9:00 am LOC Room ♦ Fellowship Group 10:00 am Fireside Room
	Thursday, August 3 ♦ Men's Group 7:00 pm LOC Room ♦ Healing Touch Clinic 7:00 pm Sanctuary	Friday, August 4 ♦ Flicks, Franks & Friends 6:00 pm Fireside Room
	Saturday, August 5 ♦ Saturday Mass 5:00 pm Sanctuary ♦ After-Mass Hospitality 6:00 pm Narthex	Sunday, August 6 ♦ No Sunday Morning Mass
	For more calendar information go to www.lightofchristecc.org	

DAILY READINGS

Sunday, July 30
Reading: 1 Kings 3:5-12
Psalm: 119:57-130
Gospel: Matthew 13:44-52

Tuesday, August 1
Rdg: Exodus 33:7-11, 34:5-28
Psalm: 103:6-13
Gospel: Matthew 13:36-43

Thursday, August 3
Reading: Exodus 40:16-38
Psalm: 84:3-11
Gospel: Matthew 13:47-53

Saturday, August 5
Reading: Leviticus 25:1-17
Psalm: 67:2-8
Gospel: Matthew 14:1-12

Monday, July 31
Reading: Exodus 32:15-34
Psalm: 106:19-23
Gospel: Matthew 13:31-35:1

Wednesday, August 2
Reading: Exodus 34:29-35
Psalm: 99:5-9
Gospel: Matthew 13:44-46

Friday, August 4
Reading: Leviticus 23:1-37
Psalm: 81:3-11
Gospel: Matthew 13:54-58

Sunday, August 6
Reading: Daniel 7:9-14
Psalm: 97:1-9
Gospel: Matthew 17:1-9

Church Office:
churchoffice@lightofchristecc.org,
 or call 303-772-3785.

Jessica Wanecek, Secretary
 Office hours are Mon., Tues., Thur., Fri., 9:00 am - 2:00 pm.
 The office is closed on Wednesdays.

Pastor- Father Teri Harroun, M. Div.:
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 or contact Susan Finnegan at 303-834-2202
 or Chuck Cooper at 303-324-3800.

If you would like to get in touch with a
 Parish Council Member, please feel free to contact the
 Church Office at 303/772-3785.

or email : parishcouncil@lightofchristecc.org

The Parish Council members are:

JoAn Acker, Les Smith, Sarah Knoche, Helen Majzler, Gerry Geiger