

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 September 30, 2017
Twenty Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time*

Responsorial Psalm

Saturday

*To You, O Lord, I lift my soul,
to you, I lift my soul.*

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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

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 25: To You, O Lord (Gather Hymnal) #26

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).....Deep Within (Gather Hymnal) #419

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).....I Am the Bread of Life (Gather Hymnal) #822

MeditationSilent Meditation

Prayer after Communion

Final Blessing (please stand)

Recessional Song:.....Though the Mountains May Fall (Gather Hymnal) #595

GROUTH YOUP



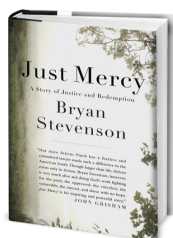
Growth Youp will be traveling to Church of the Beloved in Northglenn on Friday evening, **October 13th. We will leave LOC at 6:15pm and return at 10:30pm.** We are attending a regional youth gathering where we will share fellowship with other ECC youth and participate in an outreach project sorting rice and beans into 1 pound packaging. We will bring some of the rice and beans back to Longmont and donate them to the Round Pantry the next week. **All middle school and high school youth are welcome to attend. Please RSVP to Fr. Teri in the Church Office by October 11** so she can arrange enough seats for the carpool down to Northglenn.

WOMEN'S SPIRITUALITY GROUP

The LOC Women's Spirituality group has begun meeting the 1st and 3rd Thursdays of the month. Our next get together will be on **Thursday October 5 at 1:00 pm in the Fireside Room.** This year we are not doing a book but exploring other prayer and spiritual resources. All women are invited to join us, even if you can't come to every single gathering. We would like to get to know you better, have prayer and fellowship. If you have any questions, call Teri in the Church Office.



DON'T BE LEFT OUT!



Join the community buzz about Bryan Stevenson's book, author of Just Mercy. People who are reading it are captivated by the people and the challenges Stevenson faces while fighting for criminal justice and mercy for prisoners. **We will offer two opportunities to discuss the book: Thursday, October 4, 7:00- 8:30 PM (Fireside Room) and Thursday, October 12, 10:15-11:45 am (Sanctuary Corner).** Study Guides are available in an envelope in the Narthex if you want to look at some suggested questions for discussion. There will not be enough time to address all of them, but they are good to ponder on your own. **Pick up a copy of the book from the library and join us.**

PASTOR HOURS THIS WEEK

Pastor Hours are intended to help you, and to serve you. The Pastor Hours for the upcoming week are:

**Tuesday October 3rd
9:30 to 11:00 am
Wednesday October 4th
10:30 am to Noon**



FLICKS, FRANKS & FRIENDS



All are welcome to join us for a free movie and hot dogs on the first Friday of each month. Join us on **Friday, October 6 at 6:00 pm in the Fireside Room** we'll be watching **20th Century Women** starring **Annette Bening, Elle Fanning and Billy Crudup.** It's a semi-autobiographical movie about a teenage boy, his mother and two other women who help to raise him in 1970 Southern California. For more information please contact the Church Office or Pete Conti at 303/776-3084 or petefconti@gmail.com.

FOOD, CONVERSATION & COMMUNITY

Feedback from people who have attended the People to People dinners has been consistently positive & enthusiastic. So, we want to continue to offer these get togethers on a regular basis. We're looking for **2-3 host families to open their homes for a dinner party in November.** The host decides the date, time, number of guests, & prepares a simple main entree. Guests bring the side dishes to round out the dinner. If you would like to be a host for a dinner, contact Helen Majzler at 303-494-9029 or helen.majzler@gmail.com.



MENTAL HEALTH FIRST AID SIGN-UP



Sign up to join us here at Light of Christ on **Friday Evening October 20th from 5-9pm and Saturday afternoon October 21st from noon-4pm** as we partner with the City of Longmont to offer a **Mental Health First Aid workshop.** Just as CPR helps you offer aid to an individual having a heart attack - even if you have no clinical training - Mental Health First Aid can help you save someone experiencing a mental-health related crisis. **Sign up by October 18th by letting Fr. Teri in the Church Office know that you will be attending.** We have 15 seats reserved for Light of Christ members.

STEWARDSHIP

August	End of Month	Year To Date
Donations	\$8717.00	\$71,122.80
King Sooper Cards	\$361.25	\$2008.22
Interest	\$93.48	\$925.99
	\$9171.78	\$74,057.01
Expenses	\$9,997.16	\$70,972.87
Balance	(\$825.38)	\$3,084.14



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.

Please keep in your prayers:

Joe Soukup, Irene Yap, Bernadette Ryan, Meg Lauer.

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!

C A L E N D A R	Sunday, October 1 ♦ No Sunday Morning Mass	Monday, October 2
	Tuesday, October 3 ♦ Stephen Ministry 6:00 pm LOC Room	Wednesday, October 4 ♦ Wednesday Morning Mass 9:00 am LOC Room ♦ Fellowship Group 10:00 am Fireside Room ♦ Contemplative Prayer 6:30 pm Fireside Room ♦ Just Mercy book Discussion Group 6:30 pm LOC Room
	Thursday, October 5 ♦ Women's Spirituality Group 1:00 pm Fireside Room ♦ Men's Group 7:00 pm LOC Room ♦ Healing Touch Clinic 7:00 pm Sanctuary	Friday, October 6 ♦ Liturgy Meeting 1:00 pm Fireside Room ♦ Flicks, Franks & Friends 6:00 pm Fireside Room
	Saturday, October 7 ♦ Saturday Mass 5:00 pm Sanctuary ♦ After Mass Hospitality 6:00 pm Narthex	Sunday, October 8 ♦ Sunday Morning Mass 11:45 am Sanctuary ♦ After-Mass Hospitality 1:00 pm Narthex
	For more calendar information go to www.lightofchristecc.org	

DAILY READINGS

Sunday, October 1
 Reading: Ezekiel 18:25-28
 Psalm: 25:4-9
 Gospel: Matthew 21:28-32

Tuesday, October 3
 Reading: Zechariah 8:20-23
 Psalm: 87:1-7
 Gospel: Luke 9:51-56

Thursday, October 5
 Reading: Nehemiah 8:1-12
 Psalm: 19:8-11
 Gospel: Luke 10:1-12

Saturday, October 7
 Reading: Baruch 4:5-29
 Psalm: 69:33-37
 Gospel: Luke 10:17-24

Monday, October 2
 Reading: Zechariah 8:1-8
 Psalm: 102:16-23
 Gospel: Matthew 18:1-10

Wednesday, October 4
 Reading: Nehemiah 2:1-8
 Psalm: 137:1-6
 Gospel: Luke 9:57-62

Friday, October 6
 Reading: Baruch 1:15-22
 Psalm: 79:1-9
 Gospel: Luke 10:13-16

Sunday, October 8
 Reading: Isaiah 5:1-7
 Psalm: 80:9-20
 Gospel: Matthew 21:33-43

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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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Stephen Ministry: StephenMinistry@lightofchristecc.org
 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