

FUMC SENIOR NEWSLETTER

JUNE 2021

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FUMC HYBRID WORSHIP

The indoor 8:30am worship service will now open up to a smaller worshipping crowd. For those of you who do not have a computer or who are not able to attend the FUMC INDOOR WORSHIP services, here are a few pictures of the beginning of the 8:30am hybrid (live streaming and in person) service:



JUNE BIRTHDAYS



JUNE 13TH AT 3:30PM

ICE CREAM SOCIAL WITH
FUMC-TUMC; MEET AT
WEST SIDE PARK (TWO
BLOCKS WEST OF BILL
REED MIDDLE SCHOOL)

JUNE 1

Betty Maupin
Dorey Schmidt

JUNE 2

Darlene Lowe

JUNE 3

Karin Bierstein

JUNE 4

Bob Crossman
Bev Goodier

JUNE 5

Bob Oswald
Garry Perry

JUNE 6

Robert Proctor

JUNE 8

Leroy Cline
Kathy Dufur
Margaret Sumner

JUNE 10

Rex Berg

JUNE 11

Martha Johnson
Jim McCambridge

JUNE 12

Doug Mannering

JUNE 14

Bonnie Coleman
Robert Gindlesparger

JUNE 15

Carole Jack
Patty Leech
Kay Neckel

JUNE 17

Walter Ames

JUNE 18

Lois Ashcroft
Shirley Coffman
Elizabeth Haines
Sue Mullins

JUNE 19

Angie Clarke
Bill Jack

JUNE 20

Pat Cobb

JUNE 21

Norman Coleman
Kay Jones
Val Rhodes
Bart Utley

JUNE 23

Deb Adams
Grace Pyles

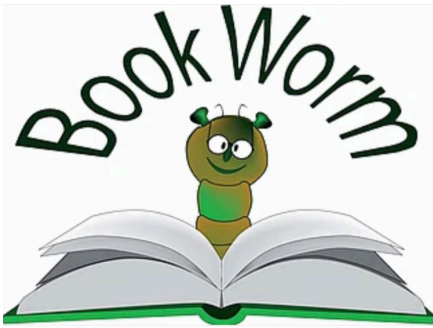
JUNE 24

Eldon Haines

JUNE 26

Jane Gill

Older, Wiser, Happier group meetings have met regularly since January 10, 2019. Clay Carter has led the meetings, but is now stepping back from leadership. At the next meeting on Thursday, June 10, Clay will lead the group in discussing the leadership of the group going forward. The meeting will be at 1:00 pm on June 10 in the church's Coy Hall, 533 North Grant Avenue in Loveland. Anyone who is not fully vaccinated will be asked to wear a covering for nose and mouth. Social distancing will be in effect. Although the church is locked, the code for the west entrance will be sent to anyone who is interested in attending. Enter the numerical code (no extra buttons). A green light on will indicate that the door is unlocked. The west entrance is near restrooms and is easy to access. Call or text Clay for further information and access to the door code: (970) 616-9686; email pclaycarter@gmail.com.

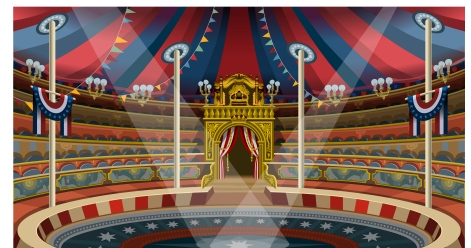


BOOKWORM BOOK CLUB: Contact Kay Neckel, 970-663-3434 or email catneck@msn.com to pick up this month's book, A Man Called Ove by Fredrik Backman, which we will be reviewing on Monday, June 21st at 10:00am in West Coy Hall at FUMC. Backman's book Review states, "If there was an award for 'Most Charming Book of the Year', this novel ... would win, hands down." July's book, Ordinary Grace by William Kent Krueger, will be discussed on July 19th. **Bookworm Book Club will meet every 3rd Monday of the Month at 10:00am in West Coy Hall.**



CENTER RING PRESENTATION by Jack Gill

I am a ZOOMer and a member of FUMC and I am inviting you to come ZOOM with me. Around town, around the state, the nation and, yes, around the world! I am setting up ZOOMer locations around town to which you can travel to enjoy and participate in the ZOOMer life. Not sure what this is all about? Understandable. So, tell ya what I'm going to do. I'm going to put on a Dog and Pony Show and show you about what you will be missing if you don't sign up. Better contact me now at 970-515-5599 or email jack.transformance@gmail.com to make your reservations. Attendance will be limited to the first 1,000. **My first class will be Wednesday, June 9 at 1:30pm**





Soul Feast Group meets
Thursdays at 2:00-3:30pm in Rm 240;
for more information,
Call Barbie: 970-667-7445

Anita Williams teaching her Cardio
class in Coy Hall on Tuesdays &
Thursdays 5:30-6:30pm
for more information,
Call Anita: 970-689-0019



Friday Quilt Group meets outside at the West
End of FUMC from 9:30-11:30am on Friday
mornings.

They are not taking new members at this time.

HOLY HAPPY HOUR MEETS MONDAYS

HHH meets Mondays at 5:30 pm.
Contact Tom Thompson for more information
at (801) 518-5392 or revtgt@hotmail.com
([ZOOM LINK](#))



EXERCISE CLASS WITH ANITA WILLIAMS

Join us Monday, Wednesday, and Friday at 10:30 am each week on Zoom. Contact Ann Kessler at (970) 290-2796 or akessler@fumcleveland.com with questions.

([ZOOM LINK](#))

SEARCHERS ZOOM CLASSES FOR JUNE 2021

Join Searchers on Sunday mornings

9:40 am ([JOIN MEETING](#))

JUNE 6 – WOMEN'S SUFFRAGE STATUE & LARIMER CO ISSUES Jody Shaddock-McNally
JUNE 13 – SUNRISE RANCH – Jane Anetrini
JUNE 20 – PURA VIDA – Jamie Williams
JUNE 27 – PRPA – Decarbonizing the grid. - Alyssa Clemesen Roberts
JULY 4 – NO PROGRAM (4th of July)
JULY 11 – FRANK BALDERSON – Life as a pastor in rural Nebraska
JULY 18 – GOOD SAMARITAN – Lisa Melby
JULY 25 - ALLIANCE FOR SUICIDE PREVENTION – Martha/Shirley
AUG 1 – REV. LESLIE WOOD– Her life story



For July 11-August 1 we will meet in person at the church as long as this is possible. There is no class on July 4.

IT'S A RETIREMENT CELEBRATION!

A retirement celebration will be held for Rev. Steve on Sunday, June 27 from 2:00-4:00 pm outdoors under the big oak tree on the south side of the church. You are invited to drop in as your schedule permits. There will be a short program at 3:00 pm. Come and enjoy music, refreshments and time to say goodbye to Steve and Bev. A basket will be available for cards as well as a Memory Jar where favorite "Steve" memories can be placed. Write your memory ahead of time and bring it with you to drop in the jar or paper will be available that day. Please bring lawn chairs. If you wish to contribute to a monetary gift for Steve from the congregation, you may place a check or cash in a sealed envelope marked "Retirement," and leave it in Mary Hannon's mailbox at church, place it in the offering plate on Sunday or send via the postal service to Mary Hannon, Business Manager, FUMC, 533 Grant Ave. Loveland, CO 80537. Be sure to mark this date on your calendar and join the celebration! Don't forget your lawn chair!

FUMC BUS "ON THE ROAD AGAIN"

In a few weeks, the church is planning to offer rides again to those members of the church family needing transportation on Sunday morning. We are asking everyone (even our regulars from before the pandemic) who would like to ride the bus, or may have questions, to contact Roger Williams at 970- 980-8228 (Please call after 4:00 pm.)

MARKETING & OUTREACH COMMITTEE

Are you passionate about making a difference in the community? FUMC Marketing and Outreach is responsible for developing and executing market campaigns to reach new people and families of all ages in the community and beyond. We strive to communicate that our church is available to help with questions about God and faith and offer a place to worship, find community and support. Commitment: Meet on the last Thursday of each month at 7:00 pm and be available for various events throughout the year such as Foote Lagoon. The optimal size of the committee is six to seven members so we are in need of 2-3 more people. Please contact Andrea Ortega at 970-631-2971 or [Ortega.andrea.m@gmail.c](mailto:Ortega.andrea.m@gmail.com)

Merritt & Judy Pitcher, FUMC Members, are inviting you to this Free Outdoor Concert.

**Poudre River Irregulars
Jazz Band
Free Outdoor Concert
Saturday June 12, 2021
2-4:30 pm**



- **Norma Hammond Amphitheater**
(300 max, grass seating, stage with lighting)



For park rules and regulations please review our rules and regulations brochure or visit us online at cityofloveland.org/rulesregs

Poudre River Irregulars (PRI) Jazz Band invites you to a lively Traditional and Dixieland Dixieland jazz concert. The PRI has presented the highest quality live jazz music for Twenty-six years in NoCO! Enjoy uplifting rhythms in the bandshell at North Lake Loveland Park. Plenty of parking at the park or at Loveland High School. Trad jazz includes forms like blues, ragtime, Dixieland, boogie-woogie, swing, and some big-band music.

**June 12th, Saturday afternoon from 2-4:30 pm
Bring your blanket or folding chair, soft drinks and snacks
No alcoholic beverages or glass containers, please.**

Donations accepted.

[More Info at NoCOJazz.com](http://NoCOJazz.com)