



November 15, 2025
5:00 PM

To Love and Be Loved

An Inclusive Community welcoming each and all as the beloved of God. We are ecumenical; we celebrate the rich heritage of Catholic spirituality while honoring all spiritual traditions. We strive for justice and peace and respond to the call of discipleship by loving deeply and in prayer and service.

Contacts:

Church of the Beloved
303-489-7046
Emergencies:
Bishop Kae: 720-232-1562
Mother Alice: 719.573.4904

Our Leadership:

Parish Council: Susan Reese, Toni Talarico, Nan Bawn, Jeannie Truillo, *Ralph Reschke and Amy Frisbie. Greg will continue as our Treasurer only.*

Synod Delegates:

Amy Frisbee, Alice Bradley, Fr. Frank Quintana, Toni Talarico, Tammy Gabel, Linda and Frank Pavlak

Rocky Mountain Regional Council

Representatives: Alice Bradley and Dennis Giblin. Meetings are held the 1st Thursday

Church of Beloved Ecumenical Catholic Community

33rd week in Ordinary Time

Malachi 3:19-20a; Ps 98; 2 Thessalonians 3:7-12; Luke 21:5-19

Franciscan Blessing

May God bless you with discomfort,
At easy answers, half-truths,
And superficial relationships
So that you may live
Deep within your heart.

May God bless you with anger
At injustice, oppression And exploitation of people,
So that you may work for
Justice, freedom and peace.

May God bless you with tears,
To shed for those who suffer pain,
Rejection, hunger and war,
So that you may reach out your hand
To comfort them and
To turn their pain to joy

And may God bless you

With enough foolishness

To believe that you can

Make a difference in the world,

So that you can do

What others claim cannot be done

To bring justice and kindness

To all our children and the poor. Amen.

On Call for Pastoral Emergencies Schedule.

Bishop Kae is on call from the Nov.10- Nov.10-24th

Mother Alice is on call from Nov 24th – Dec 8th



AT A GLANCE

23rd 11:45 a.m. Hanging of the Greens for Advent

24th 2 p.m. Advent Liturgical Environment

27th Thanksgiving Mass at 9 a.m.

29th First week of Advent Mass

Dec 6 Mass for All Ages and potluck

See the website for ministry teams

Home Visits/Communion- We have both clergy and lay members who are happy to come to your home if you are sick, discouraged, isolated, or in need of a friend. Visitors may also bring Eucharist. Please contact Mother Alice if you would like a visit and we will set it up. We do not forget you and we respect your privacy – so don't hesitate to request a visit. Visits are confidential.

Listening Team

On rare occasions, when a conflict arises of a sensitive and/or ethical nature and the issue cannot be resolved by normal means, the Parish Council may engage our 3-person Listening Team, an unbiased, confidential, investigative team. At the Church of the Beloved, we want you to know your voice will be heard.

At Eucharist on Saturdays throughout November...

This month began with our celebration of the Feasts of All Saints and All Souls Days. We will continue to have our Remembrance Book out in which you may write the names of loved ones who have died. You may also light a candle before Mass at the front of the church for those saints living and dead and take notice of our altar cloth on which members of our community wrote names of those who have died. The Communion of Saints is all around us, gathered with us especially at Eucharist.

Feeling A Pinch: \$ Need Assistance??? In these days, members may need some help making ends meet. We stand with our members; your distress is our distress. Truly. If you are experiencing food insecurity, need help with prescription costs, partial rent or mortgage, funds for gas, meals, transportation, **just leave a message on our church phone.** Your message will be kept confidential and one of our clergy members will be in touch with you. We have financial reserves and other means for assistance. The church number is 303.489.7046.

Marketing Committee is Seeking Pictures Taken at the Fundraiser and other Recent COB Events - Hi! Have you taken any fun pictures at a COB event lately like the fundraiser? If you have any to share, please contact or text them to Mother Alice. Also, "Please be sure to let Mother Alice know if you'd like to opt out of having your picture displayed on the webpage."

Help us share the love! If Church of the Beloved has been a meaningful part of your life, please take a moment to leave a Google Maps review. Your words help others discover our welcoming, inclusive community and the joy we find in worship and service together. This is often the first place newcomers find out about our community!

King Soopers Community Rewards 3rd quarter 2025:

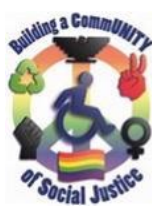
37 households participate, and \$198.60 was donated to COB. Thanks to all who helped by shopping at KS and using COB as your designated charity!

Stay tuned for 2026 Budgeting and "Treasure" Stewardship

UPCOMING EVENTS

December 24th 4 p.m. Christmas Eve Mass with NUCC

January 17th, Christy's ordination to the priesthood 5 p.m. with reception



Our food bank for November is: Community Table in Arvada. Please bring any non-perishable food items you wish to donate to church for the rest of this month. Ralph will make sure they get delivered to Community Table after our November 29th service. Please contact Ralph with any special needs or questions. Thanks! 303-425-9995 or reschkejr@q.com

Quick Links



ECC link: <https://www.rmrc-ecc.com>
COB link
<https://churchofthebeloved-ecc.org>
Facebook:
www.facebook.com/ChurchOfTheBelovedECC
Instagram:
<https://www.instagram.com/churchofthebelovedecc/nstagram>
USER NAME: churchofthebelovedecc

Interested in what is going on around the ECC? ECC Facebook page for members only.

ECC has a private FB page, for ECC members only and we would love for you to consider joining and making posts on the page. *Educational, social justice and current events as related to our gospel values and topics of interest to the entire communion, shared respectfully*, will be welcomed. It is a great way for all of us to stay connected! Here is the link -then click on "join the group."

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/1757980855035329>

Pat: Church Key: 303-452-1553
Announcements in the bulletin must be in by Wednesday before distribution on Friday.
Pat's email: rpt1553@aol.com

Good Shepherd Presbyterian does not accept clothing (hats and scarves). So they referred us to the Kiwanis Club of Broomfield North Metro. <https://k19597.site.kiwanis.org/> So we donated the hats and scarves to that location as well as the other locations previously listed in a prior Bulletin.
Sincerely, Social Justice Committee

NEW FOOD PANTRY PROGRAM

4th Wednesday of each month Colorado residents age 60 years and older who meet the income qualifications are eligible for 35 lb. box of assorted food. Distribution will take place drive-thru style in the Good Shepherd Presbyterian Church parking lot at 10785 Melody Dr. from 9:00 am-11:30am. Call the Food Bank of the Rockies to sign up and have your questions answered. 720-473-6323. Sincerely, The Social Justice Committee.

Support for our neighbors: Colorado Rapid Response Network Hotline

1-844-864-8341. See our website for more information.

Reminder: audio recordings of the gospel proclamation and the homily are available on our website– to listen again or tune in if you missed it.



CHURCH COUNCIL NEWS:

Our next meeting is on Tuesday, DECEMBER 9 at 6:00PM. These meetings are open to all. All are welcome. Thank you to Amy F and Ralph joining the parish council team.



CONTINUING PRAYER:

Mary, Jesus', Mother, has asked us to pray for Peace. We pray a weekly Rosary on Thursdays at 7PM on our regular zoom link. Thank you.

And/or pray the Rosary with Church of Holy Family on Wednesdays at 6:00 pm. with Cara Thompson. Join Church of the Holy Family's Zoom Meeting: [link](#)



Centering Prayer/Meditation and Labyrinth

Sunday, December 7th, 7:00AM in person and on zoom. All are welcome. No experience necessary just a desire to be in God's deep silence in community. We are guessing that we will begin in the sanctuary due to chilly morning temperatures :)

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COB FORMAL MEMBERSHIP. Are you interested in becoming a formal member of the Church of the Beloved Community? Want to know more about what that means? Text, call/ email Mother Alice at 719-573-490 alice.bradley@UCDenver.edu

What do you want to post on a bulletin board at the church? Education, opportunities, thank you notes, etc. And if you want to post something, send it to Pat

For Mass: Join Zoom meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/7195735454?pwd=VTI4V2ZYSVZrSzdSODE0Ull3emRjZz09>

If you would like to dial in by phone without video, call 1 346 248 7799.
You will then be asked to enter the Meeting ID: 719 573 5454
Passcode if requested: 10500

SIGN UP FOR MINISTRIES ON OUR WEBSITE

<https://churchofthebeloved-ecc.org/signup>

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*Loving Lord - make me aware of those
who suffer, those who are unhappy or ill or
lonely. Lift me from my complacency and
arouse in me a helpful spirit. Amen*

*Blessed are they who have nothing to say,
And who cannot be persuaded to say it.*

