

March 22, 2025 5:00 PM

#### To Love and Be Loved

An Inclusive Community welcoming each and all s 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 Bishop Paul: 720-254-2083

# Our Leadership:

Parish Council: Tammy Gabel, Greg Goerke, Susan Reese, Maryann Klasinski Toni Talarico Parish Council meetings vary

# **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

Third Week of Lent
Exodus 3:1-8; 13-15, Ps 103; 1 Corinth 10:1-6, 10-12; Luke 13:1-9





This Saturday is Mass for All Ages, followed by potluck. The children and youth and Eucharistic Ministers will engage in a discussion of Eucharist with Deacon Christy while those in the fellowship hall engage in conversation about ministry teams with Kae. We hope for full

participation – and, of course, the meal will be delicious :)

On Call for Pastoral Emergencies Schedule.

## **Ministry Teams**

Social Justice – chair – rotating by project We come together monthly in prayer and discussion to discern how to distribute our community's generous tithe and offer projects for our church members to serve those in need. We meet once a month and day and time are flexible.

Marketing/Communication Chair –Ken B

Our goal is to be seen and heard by – and then inspire – potential members of COB.

Ongoing Spiritual Formation of Kids and Adults Ministry: To form our lives on the pattern of Jesus, growing disciples of all ages Chair – vacancy Membership and Hospitality: To build relationships among members and welcome all as God's Beloved

Liturgy and Music – To gather as the Body of Christ to give thanks, be enlivened by the Wor. d and song, be nourished and transformed, be strengthened by community, and to b sent out to a networking waitingworld. Bishop Kae and Greg 720-3232-1562, Marilyn Davey

**Lector Coordinator** Linda Pavlak and Tammy

**Greeter Coordinator: Eucharistic Minister Coordinator-**

**Finance Ministry** Wise stewardship of the financial resources of the community Chairperson: Greg Goerke

Administration and Building
Maintenance Ministry: the nitty gritty
support that keeps us rolling along

### **Ministries of Care**

**Grief and Loss** - A ministry that offers support for individuals and families facing a life changing journey...Chair –vacancy

Prayer Shawl Ministry – A healing ministry of prayer and caring by knitting, crocheting, or sewing prayer shawls/blankets Linda Pavlak Bishop Kae is on call March  $18^{th} - 31^{st}$  720-232-1562 Mother Alice will be on vacation March  $20 - 27^{th}$ .

"On call" means available-by phone 24 hours a day for urgent concern and emergencies. If you have an urgent need in the middle of the night, please CALL, as we may not hear a text. Both Kae and Alice usually take Sunday and Monday off.



During March and April we will be engaged in a special Lenten Activity in support of Project Angel Heart. Please join us in that effort by seeing the special flyer sent out with the Bulletin during this time. We will be collecting "change" weekly all during Lent for their benefit. Please take a container home with you to keep the needs of the seriously ill in mind and heart.

If you would like to contribute to the outreach by check, write the check to Church of the Beloved and add PAH to the note. In that manner, we'll be able to track our total Lenten gift to the agency. Thank you, Social Justice Team



22<sup>nd</sup> Highline Canal cleanup 9-11AM sign up online – see below 22<sup>nd</sup> Mass for All Ages and potluck - 26<sup>th</sup> Reconciliation service at 11AM 28<sup>th</sup> Reconciliation at 7 p.m 29<sup>th</sup> Welcoming new members

**APRIL** 9<sup>th</sup> Stations of the Cross at 6:30 p.m.

- 12 Vigil of Palm Sunday 5 p.m.
- 17 Holy Thursday at 7 p.m.
- 18 Good Friday at 7 p.m.
- 19 Easter Vigil at 8 p.m.
- 20 Easter morning Mass at 8:30 a.m.

Save the Date: Saturday, March 22, 9-11 a.m. Northglenn's



Farmers' Highline Canal Cleanup – Volunteers needed

The Church of the Beloved will be participating again in Northglenn's annual Farmers' Highline Canal Cleanup on March 22<sup>nd</sup> 9:00 -11:00 am. This year, the area that COB will be cleaning is "Gundy"

Gunderson Trail at Grant Ditch". This is the canal just east of I-25 stretching to Washington Street, directly NORTH of the church. This is the area that the Church of the Beloved had historically cleaned up in previous years. We will park and meet in the church parking lot. If interested. For questions, contact Nick Pizzuti. The city will provide lunch for all volunteers following the event at EB Rains Park (117<sup>th</sup> and Community Center Drive / Grant St.)

Support for our neighbors: Colorado Rapid Response Network Hotline 1-844-864-8341. This is a 24-hour hotline to report Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE) activity. A trained team from non-profit

agencies will respond. For more information, click <u>HERE</u>. The Council of Churches created a blog post of resources here which you may also share: <u>Resources for Congregations with Immigrant Ministries | Colorado Council of Churches</u>. Kae and Alice attended webinars to aid us in the

# **Anawim Ministry**

LGBTQ+ (Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender and Queer/Questioning+) support ministry for members, families, and friends. Meets on the 3rd Saturday monthly at the Fellowship hall at 2:30PM. Contacts: Ralph at <a href="mailto:rreschkejr@q.com">rreschkejr@q.com</a> or 303-425-9995 and Nick at <a href="mailto:pizzafmly@aol.com">pizzafmly@aol.com</a> or 303-929-6213

Pastoral Care members: Greg Madden, Alice Bradley, Christy Chady, and Kae Madden

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 Kae oif 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.

plans and policies that may need to be in place at the church. A work in progress.

### **Church Council News:**

These meetings are open to all. All are welcome Next Meeting: April 7, 4PM



Mary, Jesus' Mother has asked we pray the rosary 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

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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.

#### **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



#### Midweek Mass:

Remember that we are celebrating Mass together via zoom on Wednesday mornings at 9:30 a.m. See the zoom link below



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



Centering Prayer/Meditation and Labyrinth
Sunday April 6<sup>th</sup>, 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.

# PREPARATION FOR LITURGY.

In person: We are grateful to be together and enjoying gathering in person. As you know, masks are optional. We have colored bracelets that can indicate your comfort level with hugs – green, yellow, and red.

Zoom-ers: There is a worship aid attached so that you may participate full If you are unable to join us in person, as you prepare your sacred space at home, you may want to "set your table" with a beautiful **Purple** cloth, bring a cross, a candle, bread and wine/juice. For those who are so moved, we invite you to pray the prayer of Spiritual Communion:

Oh my Jesus, I turn toward the holy tabernacle in my heart where You live and love me. I love you. Come and visit me with Your grace. Spiritually

## **Quick Links**



ECC link: <a href="http://www.rmrc-ecc.com">http://www.rmrc-ecc.com</a> COB link

https://churchofthebeloved-ecc.org Facebook:

www.Facebook.com/ChurchOfTheBelov edECC

#### Instagram:

https://www.instagram.com/churchoft hebelovedecc/nstragram USER NAME: churchofthebelovedecc

Bishop Kae is available by appointment Tuesday through Saturday and on call 24/7 unless notified otherwise.

you.

Bishop Kae's email is: pastor@churchofthebeloved-ecc.org maddengk@msn.com

Pat: Church Key: 303-452-1553 Announcements in the bulletin must be in by Wednesday before distribution on Fridav.

Pat's email: rpt1553@aol.com

come more fully into my heart. Purify me. Sanctify me. Make me more like You. May I receive You in your fullness and reflect You in the world. Amen You are welcome to email the link below to friends and family, and please refrain from posting it on social media for security. It remains the same for every liturgy.

For Mass: Join Zoom meeting

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/7195735454?pwd=VTI4V2ZYSVZrSzdSODE0Ull3emRiZz09

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

## **HOW TO SIGN UP FOR MINISTRIES ON OUR WEBSITE:** Here are the steps

Ministry & Service

Opportunities

to the new ministry signup process (which is through our COB website):

1. Register with your name and email and create a password

at https://churchofthebeloved-ecc.org/register/

2. Click on your name in the lower right corner, then click on the "Sign Up" button.

3. Select the signup(s) you'd like to sign up for, then scroll to the top and click "Save and Continue." It will automatically add your name and email address. However, if you are signing up for another family member, you can change this information.

You will need to be logged in to see the signup list and add/delete signups. The URL that can be bookmarked for this (after registering) is: <a href="https://churchofthebeloved-ecc.org/signup">https://churchofthebeloved-ecc.org/signup</a>. If you are not logged in, it will prompt you to do so. If you have questions, contact Christy. Thank



Dear Lord – I don't want to give in to my feelings when I am in the depth of selfpity. Guide me out of the darkness and help me to come into Your light. Amen

Everyone believes in trial by jury until they are called for jury duty.