

June 15, 2024 5:00 PM Saturday

## 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 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

# 11 Week of Ordinary Time

Ezekiel 17:22-24; Psalm 92; 2 Corinthians 5:6-10; Mark 4:26-34



Have you ever planted a seed? You probably prepared the soil and sprinkled water, too. But what energy or power actually made the seed grow??? Certainly not you. Night and day, growth happened....mysteriously. And so it is with the reign of God. Let's explore this parable of Jesus together.

# On Call for Pastoral Emergencies Schedule.

June 8 – 15 Mother Alice 719-573-4904 June 16 – June 29<sup>th</sup> Bishop Kae 720-232-1562

"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. Mother Alice will on vacation, preparing for and moving to her new home June 22 through July 4.



Lady's lunch is back! We will be meeting monthly. Our lunch is on June18 at noon at Applebee's on 120<sup>th</sup> and Grant in Northglenn. If you can attend, please let Pat know by email by June 16th. I need to know a head count to let the restaurant know. rpt1553@aol.com

# Full Moon Labyrinth Experience: June 21st at 8 p.m.



Did you ever wonder what the Labyrinth was all about, but are not a morning person? Come join us on June 21st at 8:00 PM. We will gather in the Fellowship Hall for a conversation about the Labyrinth and then walk the Labyrinth under the light of the Full Strawberry Moon. All Ages are welcome. We will be celebrating the first full day of Summer and the first Full Moon of Summer with a special

treat and a Prayer Experience that is like nothing you have ever had. RSVP to Maureen.

# **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 Word and song, be nourished and transformed, be strengthened by community, and to be sent out to a networking waiting world. Bishop Kae and Greg 720-3232-1562, Marilyn Davey

**Lector Coordinator** Linda Pavlak and Tammy

# **Greeter Coordinator:**

**Eucharistic Minister Coordinator-**

## 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

## **Anawim Ministry**

LGBTQ+ (Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender and Queer/Questioning+) support ministry for members, families, and friends. Power of Prayer – Praying the Rosary
Mary, Jesus' Mother has asked we pray the rosary for
peace. We pray a weekly Rosary on Thursdays at
7PM on zoom. *Thank you*. Please join us Join our
Meeting on our regular Zoom link.

And/or pray the Rosary with Church of the Holy Family on Wednesdays at 6:00 pm. with Cara Thompson Join Church of the Holy Family's Zoom Meeting: <u>link</u>.

# SOCIAL JUSTICE OUTREACH:



**PRIDE UPDATE:** Thank you to all who helped with the Adams County PRIDE booth: Ralph, Nick, Kate, Shannon, Christy, Cabrini and Kateri, Alice and Kae.

Regional PRIDE booth downtown June 22/23: staffing needed. Share your support of ALL and our Catholic values of inclusivity. EVENT HOURS: Saturday,

June 22: 11:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. and Sunday, June 23: 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Space Assignment: A 05. The event site map may be found at: <a href="https://denverpride.org/exhibitor-map-equipment-request-form/">https://denverpride.org/exhibitor-map-equipment-request-form/</a>
The password is Pride50. Contact Vicar Michael Nicosia ASAP if you are willing to take a shift to staff the booth

- Members of the social justice team are supporting a family from
- Venezuela seeking asylum. They are legally in the process and are sponsored by CHAN (Colorado Housing Asylum Network) and are our neighbors in Thornton. The family of four needs some medical and dental work. The next three Saturdays, we will have a basket for cash donations which will be distributed directly to the health providers. More details to come.
- Our food bank of the month is Good Shepherd Presbyterian. We encourage you to bring non-perishable food each week as an offering. When you do your shopping for your family, include a few items for those who are experiencing hunger and food insecurity. We got "out of the habit" of bringing food during the pandemic and hope to get back in our mindset/heart of remembering the least among us.



- 15<sup>th</sup> honoring Fathers
- 15<sup>th</sup> Anawim meeting at 2:30 p.m.
- 18<sup>th</sup> Parish Council at 4 p.m
- 18<sup>th</sup> Ladies Lunch at Applebees at noon on120th & Grant
- 21st Moonlight Labyrinth Walk at 8 p.m.

22/23rd PRIDE Parade and Festival downtown Denver

Meets on the 3rd Saturday monthly at the Fellowship hall at 2:30PM Contacts: Ralph at

rreschkejr@q.com or 303-425-9995 and

Nick at <a href="mailto:pizzafmly@aol.com">pizzafmly@aol.com</a> or 303-929-6213

# **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

**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 or Deacon Buddy 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.

CHURCH OF THE BELOVED Monthly Financial Summary For The Month of April 2024

	Monthly		Year-To_Date	
<u>Income</u>	Actual	Budget	Actual	Budget
Member Offerings	5,203	6,583	26,457	26,332
Fund Raising & Other Income	0	292	247	1,168
Interest & Dividends	0	83	0	332
Special Appeals	1,080	292	1,530	1,168
Total Income	6,283	7,250	28,234	29,000
Expenses				
Rent & Insurance	1,229	1,192	4,917	4,768
ECC Tithe, Conference, Vicar Stipend	846	959	2,783	3,836
Social Justice	1,608	527	3,001	2,108
Religious Education	0	42	0	168
Liturgy, Music, Presider Stipend	507	400	1,301	1,600
Office, Bookkeeping, Meeting	470	235	983	940
Pastor & Associate Salary, Retreat	3,421	3,700	14,568	14,800
Other Expenses	0	195	0	780
Total Expenses	8,081	7,250	27,553	29,000
Excess (Deficiency) Income Over Expense	-1,798	0	681	0

you have questions about our financial summary, contact Greg G

# ECC Biennial Holy Synod October 10-14, 2024, Estes Park, CO

All are welcome to attend:) Registration information will be available soon and we need lots of local volunteers..

# **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 or email Mother Alice



## Midweek Mass:

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

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.



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 July 7<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 AM. near the labyrinth.
Bring your own lawn chair. All are welcome. Contact
Mother Alice for more info.

## **Quick Links**



ECC link: http://www.rmrc-ecc.com

## COB link

https//churchofthebeloved-ecc.org

### Facebook:

www.Facebook.com/ChurchOfTheBelovedECC

# Instagram:

https://www.instagram.com/churchofthebelovedecc/nstragram

USER NAME: churchofthebelovedecc

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

## 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 Friday

Pat's email: rpt1553@aol.com

## 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 fully. 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 GREEN 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 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=VTI4V2ZYSVZrSzdSODE0Ull3emRjZz09

Dial in by calling: 1 346 248 7799

Meeting ID: 719 573 5454
Passcode if requested: 10500

HOW TO SIGN UP FOR MINISTRIES ON OUR WEBSITE: Here are the steps to the new ministry signup process (which is through our COB website):



- 1. Register with your name and email and create a password at <a href="https://churchofthebeloved-ecc.org/register/">https://churchofthebeloved-ecc.org/register/</a>
- 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 you!



Lord – when someone comes to me with a problem, give me the patience to listen, the compassion to understand and the wisdom to resist giving advice. Amen

A person's brain begins to work the moment he is born and never stops until he gets up to make a speech.