

Church of Beloved Ecumenical Catholic Community



September 28, 2024
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
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

26th Week of Ordinary Time

Readings: [Numbers 11:25-29](#); [Psalm 19](#); [James 5:1-6](#); [Mark 9:38-43, 45, 47-48](#)



Anyone who gives you a cup of water to drink because you belong to Christ, amen, I say to you, will surely not lose his reward. –

In the Gospel, Jesus says anyone who does good in His name is part of His mission. In fact, Jesus is so open and inclusive he says, “anyone who is not against me - is for me!” **We are all included in the call** to minister to others in words and deeds! To what ministry(ies) are you being called? This is Ministry Sign-up Time at COB. Everyone is welcome to try some new or continue some old form of service. Come to **Ministry and Munchies** after Mass this week and sign up or re-up for ministry. We welcome your, “Yes!”

On Call for Pastoral Emergencies Schedule.

Mother Alice is on call Sept 28-Oct 3rd. 719-573-4904.

“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.

Ministries and Munchies

It's time for our annual Ministry stewardship! Thanks to our geniuses, Christy and Scott our Stewardship Sign Up is now available on our COB website. We would like to invite all community members to a Ministry and Munchies get together this Saturday, September 28th, after mass... it will be a chance to visit with teams you might be interested in joining and get help signing up with laptops available! Please come and munch, mingle and ministry!

Fundraiser

From Mary Uliberri and team,

What an amazing success the fundraiser was and what fun! Not only was it a community building event, it was a money maker too.

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.

The grand total for the fund raiser was \$2,916!

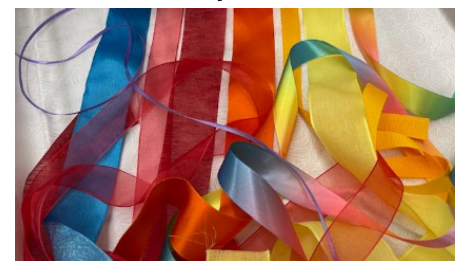
Thank you to everyone involved, the basket makers, the donations for the baskets, the caterers, the entire community for making this fall fundraiser one to do again! The set up and clean up crew, the incredible leadership in our bishops, priests and deacons and I could go on and on about our fabulous community.

Sincerely, Mary Ulibarri and the Fundraising Team.



**Sign up now
for our annual Rice and Beans project on Sat. Oct 5 at 3:30 p.m.
Sign up sheet is on the back table.**

ECC Synod at Estes Park - Ribbon Project - The ECC Synod Planning Team is inviting all ECC members to participate/contribute to the Ribbon Project whether or not you will be attending the Synod in Estes Park in October. Ribbons are waiting for all ECC members so you can mark them with your hopes and dreams for passing the Torch at the Synod. There will be a beautiful Torch sculpture filled with the colorful ribbons representing the hopes and dreams of all ECC members. If you are unable to attend Mass to write on a ribbon just contact a Parish Council member or delegate who will fill out a ribbon for you. COB delegates thank you advance for your participation in this project.



MARK YOUR CALENDARS! ANAWIM Presentation!

The ANAWIM Ministry will host a presentation about LGBTQ+ terminology and gender identity on Saturday, Oct. 19th from 3:30pm to 4:30pm before Mass. The presentation and discussion will be led by Dr. Emmanuel David, CU Professor and son of our own Rico David. The presentation is open to all COB members.



28th Ministry and Munchies Ministry Stewardship gathering after mass

Meets on the 3rd Saturday monthly at

the Fellowship hall at 2:30PM

Contacts: Ralph at

reschkeir@g.com or 303-425-9995

and Nick at pizzafmly@aol.com 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 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.

OCTOBER

5th - Annual Rice and Beans at 3:30 p.m.

8th Tuesday, Parish Council at 4 p.m.

9th Wednesday, Social Justice at 2:00 p.m.

6th Sunday, Centering Prayer and Labyrinth Walk at y a.m.

11th- 14th Holy Synod in Estes Park YMCA

13th Sunday, 9 a.m. All-ECC Mass on YouTube

19th Saturday, Anawim at 2:30 p.m.



The Prayer Shawl Ministry, PSM, is looking forward to share our gifts and talents for the upcoming Hats and Scarves 2024 Social Justice project. We invite anyone who would like to participate by making or donating Hats and Scarves, , kids and adult sizes. Our collection date is October 26, 2024

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

- **10 a.m. Sunday Morning Mass at Synod**

All are invited to attend the Synod Mass on Sunday October 13th in Hyde Chapel at the YMCA of the Rockies Camp in Estes Park.

PLEASE NOTE: The time for this Mass has changed to 10:00am.

Bishop Paul is the presider and Deacon Besem Oben Etchi, PhD will be the homilist and keynote speaker. You do not need to pay the Synod daily registration fee in order to attend Mass. The Mass will also be broadcast on YouTube and will be the Sunday morning Mass for the entire ECC, but those who live in Colorado, even if you are doing nothing else at Synod, you are invited to join in person. Take a drive up to Estes Park, meet others in the ECC from around the nation, make a joyful noise praising God, and join in the worship of Mass like no other. Our God is good. If you have any questions, please contact Fr. Teri Harroun at Light of Christ (pastor@lightofchristecc.org).

- We are in need of drivers to help transport attendees from DIA to Longmont or Estes Park. Even if you are not attending the synod, would you be willing to enjoy meeting a member of the ECC from out of state and be an angel of service? If you are willing, contact Kae.



Food bank for September is the Community Table in Arvada.

They can use canned meat, fish, vegetables, fruit, soups, sauces, jams, jellies, and peanut butter. They also can use personal care items: soap, shampoo, deodorant toothpaste and brushes, etc.

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 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](#).

Church Council News:

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/instagram>
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

Your council will be meeting Tuesday, October 8th in the Fellowship Hall. These meetings are open to all. All are welcome

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 at 719-573-4904 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.

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 October 6 at 7:00 AM. We'll decide if we will pray inside. Bring your own lawn chair. All are welcome. Contact Mother Alice for more info.

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:

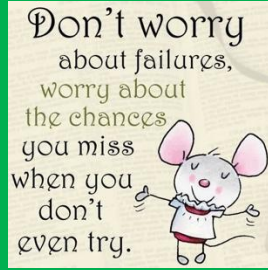
Oh my Jesus, I turn toward the holy tabernacle in my heart where You live and love me. I love you. Come and visit me with Your grace. Spiritually come more fully into my heart. Purify me. Sanctify me. Make me more like You. May I receive You in your fullness and reflect You in the world. Amen

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=VTI4V2ZYSVZrSzdSODE0UII3emRjZz09>

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



Dear Lord – as I face a day of making difficult decisions, I come to You for guidance. Help me make decisions that are astute and fair and that will benefit everyone involved. Amen

Nothing is impossible - except dribbling a football.

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 <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: <https://churchofthebeloved-ecc.org/signup>. If you are not logged in, it will prompt you to do so. If you have questions, contact Christy. Thank you!