



## Backpack Blessing TODAY

Our annual Back pack blessing is here! Please be in prayer for all the children who will be returning to school this week.

The August Newsletter is out! You can find a copy in your email inbox, the website or in the breeze way. **Why stop there?** Please take a copy and give it to our church family members who are not able to make it to church to pick up their own.



### Oops!

Spills happen, it is part of life. If you have a spill please let Nancy Johnson or one of the ushers know and we will get it taken care of.



### Quick Care

Quick Care is cancelled for August 20 only and will return again as scheduled on August 26!

### Caregiver Position Available

Montrose United Methodist Church is looking to hire another nursery caregiver. Applicants need to be available to work a variable schedule usually on Sunday mornings, Thursday mornings, Friday nights. Anyone aged 16 to 100 who love to work with children and their parents should check out the job description and then apply in the church office.



### Prayers

**CELEBRATIONS:** Wendy Jones is returning to work after 8 months recovery of bilateral knee repair;

**HEALTH AND HEALING:** Mary Pilkington has shingles; Hana, 19, rheumatoid arthritis, Kelsey Salinas, Hurshman's nephew's fiancé with kidney failure; Jana Powell's doctor is considering a nerve block for her pain; Keith Lamb still has swelling in his legs; Tonja Clark's daughter, Casey, has Crohn's disease Elliott's granddaughter, Hannah, with Lyme disease; Joan Rivers; Gin Miller; Jana Powell; foot surgery for Melba Teague in GJ has been postponed; Kimberly Herschkowitz as she nears the first anniversary of her husband's death

**WE PRAY FOR THOSE BATTLING CANCER:** Jim Heath, return of cancer in his brain; Chuck's biopsy showed cancer, but it can be cured. Skip Willis, Clare's son, bone cancer in his leg; Hurshman's daughter-in-law's father, Tim colon ; Dick and Sandy Eastman's son-in-law, Paul Raffa, prostate; Tom Blacklock, leukemia; David Mitchel, liver; Brad Bingaman's stepfather, Jim with bladder; Steve Cooper, colon; Carolyn Hopkins, brain tumor; Sharon Behm, breast; Arleen Friedman; Don Delgado's brother, Bob, lung; Jean Bramer, colon; John Fornj, Elizabeth, breast cancer with bone metastases; Kelly Ray, second occurrence of brain tumor; Ron and Liz Hitzler; Timothy Combs, brother of Sara Combs; Lyle Bass lymphoma; Shirley Tafoya, pancreatic; Cheryl DuPont, breast; Busy Burgess double mastectomy and chemo; Melissa Jones, breast

**IN HOSPICE:** Wade Lee, Kathy Koeltzow's cousin, in the hospital with kidney and liver failure; Jennifer Lynn; Reva Caudill, Marcus's mother, stage 4 metastatic cancer; Darline Mugge, hip; Mike Clark, esophageal cancer, prayers for his daughter, Kristen.

**DEATHS:** Lee Elliott's sister, Sandy Parker and family, in the death of her husband, Bob.

### ADDRESSES:

**Kurt and Kathy Zelazny**, Rachel and Douglas, 1838 Election Way 81401  
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August 16, 2015

**Ushers:** 8:15 a.m.: Casey & Abby Harrison, Dick & Elaine Baker

9:45 a.m.: Marva Pittman, Tayllor Pittman

11:15 a.m.: Elaine Babcock, Penny Lowe, Clare Willis, Rod Britten

**Flowers:** Steve & Trish Gray For our 27<sup>th</sup> Anniversary (8/20)

**Worship Leaders:** 8:15 a.m. Elaine Baker

11:15 a.m.: Bob McCulloch

### New Sermon Series

Podcast of each Sunday's Sermon is available on the following Tuesday of each week, on our church website. (Past sermons are also available.)

### New Sermon Series—"God's Peace for Perplexing Problems"

August 16—"Breaking Bitterness" Luke 15:25-31

August 23—YOUTH SUNDAY

August 30—"Finding Forgiveness" Matthew 27:1-5

September 6—"Protecting Your Purity" 2 Timothy 2:22-26

September 13—"Calm for Couples" 1 Corinthians 7:1-7

September 20—"Serenity in Singleness" 1 Corinthians 7:8-9, 32-35

September 27—"Peace for Parents" Deuteronomy 6:4-9

October 4—"No Fear of Finances" 1 Timothy 6:6-10, 17-19

October 11— Belize Mission Team Presentation

**Church Office Hours:**  
**Closed Monday and Friday**  
**Tues 9:00-4:30, Wed. 9:00-4:00, Thurs. 9:00-4:30**  
*Open during the lunch hour*  
**Attendance Sunday August 9, 2015 Total Attendance: 228**  
**8:15 Service: 104 9:45 Service: 56 11:15 Service: 68**  
**Adult Sunday School: 15**

**SUNDAY WORSHIP TIMES: 8:15 a.m. 9:45 a.m. & 11:15 a.m.**

**Weekday Opportunities**

**Mondays:**

**Adult Caregivers Support Group** 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> 1:00 p.m.  
 Meet in the library downstairs

**Tuesday:**

**Grief Support gathering – 10:30** a.m. in the library  
 Nancy Romero 303-512-1449

**Prayer Shawl Group** 1-3 p.m. in the library

**Wednesday:**

**Music:** 5:30 Handbell choir begins  
 6:45 p.m. Sounds of Faith choir,  
 8:00 p.m. Celebration Voices choir

**Thursday:**

**Quick Care** 9:00 am -12:00 noon  
**Community Prayer Group** 10:45 a.m. Room 1  
**Crafty Ladies** 1-3p.m. in Room 1  
**Emmaus Reunion (Support) Groups**

**Women's Groups (Open to ALL Women)**

--Mondays 5:30-6:30p.m.  
 Reinhard residence 2238 American Way  
 --Thursdays 7:00-8:00 a.m.  
 Looney Bean Coffee Shop 3480 Wolverine Rd.

**Men's Group (Open to ALL Men)**

--Fridays 6:30-7:30a.m.  
 Looney Bean Coffee Shop 3480 Wolverine Rd.

**Sunday Opportunities**

6-7:30 p.m. Youth Group-Gaga ball- meet in Baldrige Hall

**Meetings this week:**

Tuesday, August 18  
 6:00 pm Stewardship/Finance  
 7:00 pm Trustees

**THANKS TO THE BLACK CANYON BARBERSHOP CHORUS  
 AND THE SWEET ADELINES FOR A WONDERFUL CONCERT**

They raised \$577.00 for the Pastor's Discretionary fund and shared such great music with the community. Our sanctuary still has some virtual music notes hanging from the ceiling.



The UMW women of our church will be attending a worship, fellowship, study event at Diwozhiibiikoooh United Methodist Church in Montezuma Creek, Utah on August 29. This is one of the churches that serve the Navajo Nation

Reservation. They have asked us to bring sheets or blankets (new or used) that will fit twin or double beds - no queen or king. These are desperately needed in that area. If you have anything you would like to donate for the women to take with them, please drop them off at the church office no later than Thursday, August 27.

(If you would like to join us, contact Connie Pittenger or Annie Hauck. We will leave on Friday afternoon and spend the night in Cortez (rooms are already reserved). We will return Saturday evening. Fee is \$50, lunch included.

**Large Plants**

The large plants in Baldrige Hall need new homes. Please take a look around and if you see a sticky note that say "Please, take me home!" on a plant you would like you are welcome to take it home!!



**Community Garden Tours Today!**



The MUMC Community Fellowship Garden Committee would like to invite you to a tour of the Garden today after each service. We'd love to show you Phase One (Phase Two to be

completed in 2016) of the plan, answer any questions you might have and show you our prolific beds! **Meet us at the Garden where lemonade and cookies will be served.** A member of the garden committee will be there to show you around.

**Hand Bell Choir**

Bell Choir will be starting back up Wednesday August 19 at 5:30! This is a great time to join this group of fun loving jokesters who happen to be a choir! **No music experience necessary we are willing to train new people.** Playing the bells can be as easy as counting 1, 2, 3, 4!



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