



Church of the Transfiguration

The Episcopal Church in Evergreen

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THE GOOD NEWS

JULY 2018

THE PARISH OFFICE IS OPEN WEEKDAYS FROM 8:00 AM - 1:00 PM

Ministry Schedule

Sunday Eucharist

In the Sanctuary
8:00 am & 10:15 am (with Choir)
In the Meadow at 9:30 am on
July 8, August 12 & September 9

Evening Prayer

In the Sanctuary
Second & Fourth Monday, 5:30 pm

Children's Chapel

No Chapel in July & August
Will resume in September

Lectio Divina

No Lectio Divina in July & August
Will resume in September

Anointing & Healing

In the Sanctuary
Last Sunday, 10:15 am Eucharist

Centering Prayer

In the Chapel
Every Monday, 8:00 am
Maria Rosa Galter
mariarosagalter@gmail.com

Bible Study

No Bible Study in July & August
Will resume in September
Robin Tems, robin.tems@yahoo.com

Prayer Shawl Ministry

At St. Raphael's House
First Wednesday, 1:00 pm
Georgine McCarthy
gmccarthy0982@comcast.net

Camino Divina

Alderfer Ranch (by the barn)
Every Thursday 8:30 am
Maria Rosa Galter
mariarosagalter@gmail.com

Summer Services in the Meadow

One service at 9:30 am with pot luck cookout afterward!



July 8

August 12

September 9

Come and join in the Fellowship!

Happy July 4!

A Message from the Rector

Sometimes life can seem to pretty bleak, especially with constantly disturbing news. Recently, I was able to experience some unexpected joy from an unusual source: Bluegrass music!

Joey, a teacher at the Montessori School of Evergreen, requested the use of the Meadow for an evening of "Bluegrass by the Creek." With permission from the church, he recruited two of his Evergreen High School friends, a brother-sister musician combo. They arrived with their instruments and played bluegrass/jazz for about 50 friends. A talent duo, Joey's friends played at the Telluride Bluegrass Festival last week!

"See, I am making all things new. Write this, for the words are trustworthy and true." Rev. 21: 5.

Our family commitments, jobs, schedules, summer vacations and the many details of our busy lives make it easy to overlook the beauty around us. In rushing through the day, we often don't give ourselves a chance to be renewed and re-created.

Summer is here and the weather is wonderful! Open your eyes and ears to its sights and sounds. Set aside time to enjoy the beauty of God's gifts: the green grass, the exquisite flowers, the enchanting forests, the delightful sound of birds, the fascinating wildlife and these amazing, spacious mountains! Take time to focus on renewing and re-creating yourself this summer!

Fr. Michael +

Start Cleaning Out those Closets & Organizing that Garage!

The Transfiguration Bargain & Boutique is Saturday, August 25 from 9:00 am-3:00 pm

We need Vendors! Set up a table, sell your wares & keep the profits!

Booth spaces are \$20 for parishioners. All booth proceeds benefit our CoT Outreach Ministries. Grill proceeds benefit the Youth Group.

Please sign up to rent a space or volunteer for this fun fundraiser!

The contact person is Stephanie Park at stephaniepark911@gmail.com.



Music on the Lake

July 11 Arena Rock All Stars
 Brian Grace Band

July 25 The Wrecklunds
 Blue Moon Bluegrass

August 8 Jake Gill
 Sugar ridge

August 22 Tunisia
 The Guestlist

Bring your lawn chairs, snacks & drinks!

July 8th, 9:30 am
Service in the Meadow & Pot Luck Cookout

Please bring a dish to share
for the Pot Luck cookout.

Burgers, hot dogs &
drinks are provided!



The Social Event contact is Katherine Sumner at:
treenie1992@gmail.com.

New Day for Centering Prayer

Centering Prayer will now meet
every Monday at 8:00 am in the
Chapel. Contact Maria Rosa Galter:
mariarosagalter@gmail.com

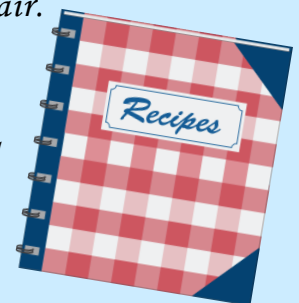


"Therefore, let us keep the feast." We need your Recipes for the CoT Cookbook!

*The CoT Cookbook will be for sale in November at the Alternative Gift Fair.
To assemble the cookbook in time, we need 200 recipes by July 31!*

*Pull out your favorite go-to recipes! You know: the one you always bring
to parties or the special holiday treat you make every year with the kids!*

*Please contribute by dropping your recipes at the church
or e-mailing them to: Sara Gadeken: sgadeken@aol.com.*



The proceeds from the cookbook will benefit the Transfiguration Outreach Programs.

EChO Summer Lunch Program

Your Help is Needed!

Transfiguration provides salads and sandwiches for the EChO Summer Lunch Program the third week of each month.

Please join us in the Church kitchen on
Sunday, July 15 @ 8:45 am
and on
Wednesday, July 18 at 9:00 am.

Sign up or show up at the church to help!

This is an easy, fun way to be a part of the Transfiguration Outreach Ministry!



Youth Mission Trip to Denver July 22-27

Please pray for our Youth Missioners and Adult Advisors as they work in Denver at the St. Francis Center, Metro Caring and with other service organizations.

The Youth will learn about the societal dynamics that lead to homelessness and poverty, as well as advocacy and faith in action.

They will stay at St. John's Cathedral.

Annabelle Herrick
Dominic Herrick
Sereno Calvello
Ramiro Calvello
Stephanie Park



Evergreen Garden Club

High Altitude Garden Tour
Saturday, July 21st
10:00 am-3:00 pm

Tickets cost \$20. ECW will meet at Evergreen Fire & Rescue Training Center, 1802 Bergen Pkwy. at 9:00 am to purchase tickets & carpool.

Rain or shine the Tour goes on! Wear comfortable shoes, bring your camera and get ready to be impressed!

RSVP to Janice Theobald
jktheobald1@gmail.com,
call 281-380-6343,
or sign up at the church.



Saturday, July 14

All ladies are invited to attend the Boulder County Farmer's Market & Lunch at the Boulder Tea House!

Meet at 8:00 am in the Church parking lot to carpool to Boulder. We'll browse the Farmer's Market from 9:00-11:00 am & then enjoy lunch at the Boulder Tea House.

RSVP to Janice Theobald
jktheobald1@gmail.com or
call 281-380-6343 or sign up at the church.



Upcoming ECW Schedule

All women are welcome!

- July 14* Boulder Farmer's Market & lunch at the Tea House.
- July 17* Ladies dinner out, 6:00 pm, Keys-on-the-Green.
- July 21* Evergreen Garden Tour, 9:00 am-3:00 pm, tickets are \$20 and may be purchased the day of the event. Sign up at the church or contact Janice Theobald.
- August 18* Denver Botanical Garden tour, sign up at the church.
- September 11* Ladies dinner out, 6:00 pm, location to be determined.
- September 15* Fourth Annual Pie Social.
- October 13* Women's Retreat, Facilitated by The Rev. Sarah Berlin, 9:00 am-2:00 pm.
- November 10-11* Alternative Gift Fair.

Ideas for activities are always appreciated. This calendar is subject to change. ECW Chair is Janice Theobald at jktheobald1@gmail.com.

July Anniversaries!



Mike & Jennifer Herrick	13
Jon & Mary Carlson	15
Mike & Jerri Avery	26
Michael & Cathleen McManus	28



We are thankful for the courage of our Forefathers who struggled for our Independence.



July Birthdays!

Sandy Walden	1
Alex Avery	2
Colleen Black	5
Laney Reznik	5
Marcia Walsh	5
Mary Ann Primrose	6
Pat Crist	11
Sara Synder-Poole	16
Walker Briggs	16
Anne Keen	20
Bill Houston	26
Michelle O'Laughlin	29
Larry Kilborn	30
Steve Bergene	31



Outreach Sunday ~ July 8

Fill your grocery bag with School supplies:

- 3 Ring binders ~ 2" or 3"
- Loose-leaf paper
- 3"x3" Sticky note pads
- 3" x 5" note cards



Staples for the Food Pantry are always needed!

Ladies Dinner Out

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Keys-on-the-Green

Tuesday, July 17

6:00 pm



THE *Episcopal* CHURCH



From: The office of The Rt. Rev. Robert O'Neill
Bishop of the Episcopal Diocese Colorado



Regarding: A Call to Action: Family Separation at Our Borders

The Office of the Bishop has received a number of inquiries regarding the practice of separating innocent children from their parents who are seeking asylum in our country. Bishop O'Neill believes that this practice is appalling, cruel, unconscionable, in no way justifiable and should be stopped.

At the 2015 General Convention, the Episcopal Church passed resolutions on immigration including one to “support expanded immigration relief for youth and parents designed to keep families together.” The Office of Advocacy and Social Justice encourages all Episcopalians to show support and voice their opposition to the inhumane practice of family separation currently being enforced by our government.

You are urged to learn more about what the Episcopal Church is doing to address issues of justice that affect us all by visiting the website for the Office of Government Relations at advocacy.episcopalchurch.org. To learn about our Church's work in advocacy and social justice and to lend your voice, you can sign up to receive alerts from the Episcopal Public Policy Network.

Ways to advocate for changing the current immigration policy:

- Call, write or email your Member of Congress: Stop Family Separation and Defend Access to Asylum.
- Access the Interfaith Toolkit to Stop Family Separation and Protect Family Unity at <http://bit.ly/EndFamilySeparationToolkit>.

Places to donate:

- Human Rights First
- CARA
- KIND
- RAICES, Sign up to volunteer with the RAICES Action Network.



**14th Annual Colorado Rockies Faith Day
Sunday, July 29th @ 1:10 pm
Colorado Rockies v. Oakland Athletics**



Church of the Hills has invited CoT to join them for Faith Day at Coors Field. Tickets are just \$18 in Section 329 (behind Home Plate). Payment is due by July 1. Checks may be made out to COTH and given to Stephanie Park.

“Take me out to the Ball Game!”

Thank You

The Outreach Committee wishes to thank to everyone who helped with the Outreach Fundraising luncheon for Hiwan Homestead’s Annual Meeting on June 2! Thanks especially to Tom Marker, “Director of the Transfiguration Historical Department” for the excellent tour of St. Mark’s!

Outreach Ministry Calendar

- July 1 Outreach Committee Meeting, 5:00 pm, at the home of Arwen Berry.
- July 8 Outreach Sunday, fill your bag with school supplies & Food Pantry staples.
- July 15 Make salads for EChO Summer Lunch Program, Church kitchen, after the 8:00 am service (around 9:00 am).
- July 18 Make salads for EChO Summer Lunch Program, Church kitchen, 9:00 am.
- July 31 Deadline for submitting recipes for CoT Cookbook.



Youth Group Calendar

- July 1 Youth Group, 12:00-2:00 pm, Douglas Hall.
- July 15 Youth Group, 12:00-2:00 pm, Douglas Hall.
- July 22 JAM, 10:15 am, Douglas Hall.
- July 22-27 Mission Trip in Denver.
- July 29 Youth Group, 12:00-2:00 pm, Douglas Hall.
- August 26 JAM, 10:15 am, Douglas hall.





The Outreach Ministry Projects Supported by Our Church

Matthew 25: 40 Project



Parishioners are asked to donate empty prescription bottles (with the labels removed), placing them in the basket at the church. Susie Williams boxes and mails the bottles to a distribution center where they are sent worldwide for use in dispensing medication.

EChO



Evergreen Christian Outreach was launched on the CoT property almost 30 years ago. This non-profit works with the entire Evergreen community to serve the disadvantaged. EChO assists the less fortunate with a Job Assistance Program, an Enrichment Center, a Retail Thrift Shop and their vitally important Food Pantry. One of EChO's biggest annual fundraisers, the Turkey Trot is sponsored and hosted by our church. More information about EChO may be found at info@evergreenchristianoutreach.org.

Co. Haiti Project



CHP works in partnership with rural Haitian communities to support their rise out of extreme poverty. Transfiguration and CHP have a 25 year relationship. Working with CHP and the community of Petit Trou, Haiti, our church has helped with the construction of the St. Paul's Church/School Campus, drilling wells, establishing a Community Health Service, setting up an Agricultural Seed Bank and much more. Through the years, CoT has been represented on the CHP Board of Directors and presently, Cathleen McManus is a member of the Board.

Intl. Refugees



CoT coordinates with IRC to provide assistance for refugees from around the world. Our church has supported refugees from Afghanistan and Syria. Transfiguration is working with the Diocese of Colorado, focusing on our country's immigration crisis. Marcia Walsh is the CoT facilitator for our church in its efforts to welcome immigrants to the US.

ESP



The Emergency Shelter Program (ESP), initiated three years ago by 12 community organizations, specifically addresses the needs of the homeless. ESP provides food and a warm place to stay during cold weather nights. For one week each month, from October through April, Transfiguration is a host site for this important program.

The History Corner

The Evergreen Conference (1919 - 1990) brought students, clergy and religious music professionals from across the country to Evergreen every summer to attend the music programs and seminars. Canon Douglas played a major role in making the Conference nationally famous.

The property for the Upper Campus (pictured) was set aside by Mary Neosho Williams (Douglas' mother-in-law).

From left to right: Hart House (now Lariat Lodge), Williams House (built by Jock Spence and now the Bear Essence salon), and The Performance Center (now The Center Stage).



- Tom Marker

Have Your Special Event at Transfiguration!

Our picturesque, rustic mountain setting is reasonably priced and perfect for weddings, meetings, retreats, parties and reunions.

The Sanctuary, St. Mark's, the Meadow, Douglas Hall and the Chapel are available for your special occasion!

Anna Schmidt, our Event Coordinator will work with you to create a truly customized event.

E-mail: weddings.church-transfig.net



Church of the Transfiguration Vestry

The Rev. Michael J. McManus, Rector

David McDonald, Senior Warden

John Briggs, Junior Warden

Allison Caldwell, Treasurer

Sara Gadeken, Outreach

Jimmy Mangham, Nominating

Stephanie Park, Youth, Safety, Clerk

Katherine Sumner, EDSE, Social



The Vestry usually meets on the third Tuesday of the month at 6:30 pm in Douglas Hall.



Episcopal Day School of Evergreen (EDSE)

Accepting students
age 12 months - age 6

Janet Reznik, Director
info@edse.org
303-674-1793

Office hours
Tues/Wed/Thur
10:00 am - 2:00 pm

The EDSE School Board
meets the first Thursday
of the month at 5:30 pm
In Stewart Lounge.

School Board Chair is
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