

Connecting people to God with the message of God's love!



The Rocky Mountain Synod of the ELCA (of which we are a part) is one of the largest in the church. This distance brings some great challenges for our life together. Some of them we can mitigate with the internet – we've used online meetings to do the work of Reference and Counsel for at least the last 5 years now. Some of them we've learned to arrange travel for, like Candidacy Committee. And some, well, we just deal with, like our distance from the Synod Office.

But it also comes with some amazing benefits. A colleague of mine that I work with often lives and works in Salt Lake City, and I learn from him how the Lutheran church has to work in a place with a majority Mormon population. I learn from my colleagues in Denver how the church works in a sprawling metro area. Others get to learn from me how we do church in the sometimes isolated world that is Wyoming. We learn from each other in ways that we might not if we were, like in Minneapolis, a synod the size of a single city.

This May, our Synod Assembly is in Albuquerque. I expect to have some different experiences there than when it's in Denver, or SLC. And next year, we will have a number of regional assemblies connected over the internet, which means some of us will gather in Cheyenne. We continue to learn new ways to do church together, and I'm looking forward to sharing what I learn with you.

Pastor Joshua

Covenant

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2nd Verna Hilderbrand
 Jeff Brown
 4th Reno Taylor
 Dave Miller
 5th Deana Haeffelin
 15th Terry Meier
 16th Dart Thomas
 18th Aiden Walters
 20th Pat Preuit
 21st Judy Windmeier
 Kevin Sluss
 Lisa Young
 26th Judy Race
 27th Cody Garcia
 29th Joel McKee
 30th Reva Hammersmark
 31st Stu Hammersmark
 Jim Prince
 Maxine Koerwitz

MISSION STATEMENT

We covenant ourselves to gather around Word and
 Sacrament for mutual support and strength in Christ, that
 by God's grace we:
 Proclaim the gospel of the Kingdom
 Nurture the community through Christian Education
 Provide settings for Christian fellowship, and
 Equip the membership to be Christ's servant people within
 God's world.



7th Del & Liz Bitterman
 9th Kevin & Sue Sluss
 12th Perry & Melissa Garcia

Office Hours:

Pastor Bruns—Mon - Thurs.: 9 am - 12 pm
 Office: M - F: 9 am - 12: pm
 Sunday Worship: 9:00 am Sunday
 Sunday School: 10:00 am Sunday
 Adult Bible Study: 4:00 pm Thursday
 Adult Book Study: 10:30 am Sunday

Hudsen Ehde
made his First
Communion
on March 31st.



Congratulations
Hudsen!!

	ELDER		ASSISTANT		GREETERS
5-5	Service at All Saints Episcopal Church	5-5	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx	5-5	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
5-12	Rena Kittelson	5-12	Joel McKee	5-12	The Thomas'
5-19	Tandi Wise	5-19	Rick Robbins	5-19	Judy Windmeier & Don Dingman
5-26	Rick Robbins	5-26	Tandi Wise	5-26	
	ACOLYTE		READER		USHERS
5-5	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx	5-5	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx	5-5	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
5-12	Hudsen Ehde	5-12	Arlene Robbins	5-12	The Robbins
5-19	Mekayla Garcia	5-19		5-19	Don Dingman
5-26	Mekenna Garcia	5-26	Connie Thomas	5-26	CA Thomas
	MUSICIAN		ALTAR CARE		VISITATION
5-5	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx	5-5	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx	5-5	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
5-12	Lisa Young	5-12	Hollee Bosch	5-12	Rick Robins
5-19	Mary Seim	5-19	Judy Windmeier	5-19	Nadine Morris
5-26	Nancy Schumann	5-26	Gail Thompson	5-26	Lloyd Koerwitz
	FELLOWSHIP		SUNDAY SCHOOL		
5-5	xxxxxxxxxxxxx	5-5	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx		
5-12	The Robbin's	5-12	Last Sunday School, Planting Flowers		
5-19	Judy Windmeier	5-19	Graduation Celebration for Daniel Hutchins		
5-26		5-26			

MAY

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
			1 BIBLE STUDY 2:00 PM CHOIR 6:00 PM	2	3	4 MEN'S BREAKFAST @ TASTY TREATS 7:30 AM
5 TAIZE 7:00 PM	6	7 PRAISE BAND 6:00 PM	8 BIBLE STUDY 2:00 PM CHOIR 6:00 PM	9 CHURCH COUNCIL 7:00 PM	10	11
12 MOTHER'S DAY LAST DAY OF SUNDAY SCHOOL TAIZE 7:00 PM	13	14 DIAPER DAY 9:00 AM WELCA BIRTHDAY LUNCH 11:30 AM BIG A PRAISE BAND 5:30 PM	15 BIBLE STUDY 2:00 PM CHOIR 6:00 PM	16	17	18
19 CELEBRATION FOR DANIEL HUTCHINS AND TRAE BITTERMAN WHS GRADUATION 2:00 PM TAIZE 7:00 PM	20	21 PRAISE BAND 5:30 PM WORSHIP COMMITTEE 6:30 PM	22 BIBLE STUDY 2:00 PM CHOIR 6:00 PM	23	24	25
26 TAIZE 7:00PM	27 MEMORIAL DAY	28 LAST DAY OF SCHOOL!! PRAISE BAND 6:00 PM	29 BIBLE STUDY 2:00 PM CHOIR 6:00 PM	30	31	

