# Ministry Highlights March 17, 2019

## The Matthew 25 Challenge: March 31

Join us on a week-long adventure as we identify with and explore the situation for the least of these around the world. Beginning April I, our church will be sent daily challenges for a week to do things that will expand your heart, soul, and mind regarding God's heart for the poor. Everyone is encouraged to participate - families, Life Groups, everyone. Text M25 to 44888 to sign up. Select Launch Date 4/1/2019.

#### Join Us in Prayer: Saturday, March 30 from 6:30 - 8:30 p.m.

As we prepare for the Matthew 25 Challenge, we want to begin in prayer. We will eat together, sing together, and pray together for those around the world who are hungry, oppressed, abandoned, and in need. Hear stories from brothers and sisters in Christ who come from areas in need. Let's turn our attention outward to the cultures and people all around us. We are eating together, so please bring a dinner dish that reminds you of home.

## Do you have a graduating senior in the home?



Please let David know! Contact him at 303.928.7103 or dcarter@fcchurch.org. We don't want to miss out on honoring any of our upcoming graduates.

# **MEN'S MINISTRY**

## Promise Keepers Event: Friday, March 29

Today, men are looking to make a real difference in the world. They desire to live for something greater and deeper. Men are yearning for a more rooted and authentic relationship with God, and to impact their families and communities. This is why we are reigniting the Promise Keepers - A New Era. Join us on Friday, March 29 from 11:30 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. at Villa Parker,10750 Pine Drive, Parker, CO 80138. The event is free BUT you must sign up at the Connection Center.

# Men's Annual Rafting Trip: Saturday June 1

FCC will be hosting a Men's Rafting Trip at Noah's Ark in Buena Vista on Saturday June I. There will be opportunity to camp overnight on Friday or just drive up on Saturday. Adult cost is \$99.00 per person, Boys (12+ only) are \$93.00 per person. This is a great father/son outing opportunity. Contact Tim White for details at 970-430-0751 or timothyswhite@hotmail.com.



### YOUTH MINISTRY - Eleven: 18

## Spring Break Adventure: Eleven: 18 Youth, March 20

With everyone on Spring Break, grab your sleds and let's go sledding! We'll travel in search of snow, then tear it up once we find some. Permission forms can be found in the youth room or Connection Center. Sign up by March 17.

## Friday Night Frenzy: March 22 from 6 - 9 p.m.

Youth, bring a friend and celebrate the end of another Spring Break with us! Roller Ball tourney, Smash tourney, games of Dodgeball, and more. Food provided. This event is free and does not require an RSVP. For more information, contact David.

#### **Summer Mission Experience: 2019 Registration**

Add something valuable to someone's life this summer on our Summer Missions Experience, June 24-29! Open to all youth and their parents, share the gospel in word and in deed as we help renovate and repair homes in Gallup, NM with WorldChangers. Cost is \$410/person; cost can be adjusted with participation in fundraisers. Registration closes March 31.

#### **WOMEN'S MINISTRY**

## Women's Retreat: BE., April 26 and 27

During our time together, we will learn from Psalm 46 what it means to: BE Still With God to BE Away With God, and BE at Home With God. "BE" is an intergenerational women's retreat for women of all ages. Girls 8th grade through high school are welcome to attend with their mothers. The cost includes one night's lodging, snacks, breakfast and lunch. There will be shared rooms with multiple beds in each room. The cost will vary depending on the type of bed you choose to sleep in. You must sign up no later than Sunday April 21. Sign up at the Connection Center. For questions or more information, please contact Trish Smith at titimimi2014@comcast.net.

# Ladies Bunko Night: Friday, March 29 at 6:30

Come on out for a fun evening! No previous experience is necessary. Bring a sweet or salty snack to share and a friend too! Donations will be accepted on behalf of **Thrive Ministry** which sends women serving on the mission field abroad to much needed retreats. Sign up at the Connection Center.



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March 10, 2019 Worship Attendance 359 Giving: \$22,012.00

#### CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

## **AWANA Grand Prix: Sunday March 24**

The Grand Prix is open to everyone, invite your friends and neighbors! Pick up a car TODAY, only \$5.00. Adults, come build your own car so the kids will have someone to BEAT! There are only one workshop left, Saturday March 23 from 10:00 am to 3:00 p.m. In order to race, your cars MUST be checked in on or before Saturday, March 23. If you have any question please contact Dave Bruscher at 3039-28-7110.



#### MISSIONS

## **Operation Christmas Child: April and May Items**

In April and May, we are collecting new items of clothing for boys and girls ages 2-14. This includes t-shirts, flip-flops, pants, socks, underwear, caps, scarves, bandanas, etc. Please remember these gifts are answers to prayer and they bear the Good News of Jesus Christ along with the joy and delight of new treasures. Pray fervently for their hearts to be open to receive Jesus and may the Lord bless you mightily for all your gifts.



## Help a refugee, family or individual

Lutheran Family Services partners with Denver Rescue Mission to help refugees get a good start in the US. You can join a team, or form one with 6 members, to mentor a family in order to introduce them to our culture through activities, meals, outings, friendship. For further information call Anne Stambouli 720 518 6560. YOU will be blessed!

For more information, please go to the Website and check out the details in our Connection Guide. Listen to Sermons online at www.fcchurch.org/resources/sermons.



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