



THIS WEEK IN WORSHIP

Erin Shull, Director of Worship

Colossians 3:16 states, "Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly, teaching and admonishing one another in all wisdom, singing psalms and hymns and spiritual songs, with thankfulness in your hearts to God." As we come together this Sunday, the previous messaging from Colossians expresses what will be reflected in our worship.

The concept behind a *Service of Song* is the notion of incorporating more music to provide the congregation with plenty of opportunity to sing together. Each service will feature several special music selections, all of which will cultivate an atmosphere of praise.

Starting this Sunday, the beloved Arbor Outdoor Service will take the place of what has been the 9:00 a.m. Contemporary Service in the FLC. This worship setting is informal and will still offer contemporary music at the same early hour, the difference being outside surrounded by God's creation as we meet under the Arbor each Sunday from **June 7th - September 27th**. FRIENDLY REMINDER: Although we have several folding chairs available, it is advised to bring your own lawn chair to ensure any new visitors have a seat! This summer, a brand new integration of a songbook will be implemented. This booklet will contain lyrics to fourteen chosen songs that will rotate throughout the summer months, giving repetition to our singing. To preview the entire song list for this summer's Arbor Service, [click here](#).

This Sunday's 11:00 a.m. Traditional Service in the Sanctuary will feature a variety of melodies that are guaranteed to inspire. Our Chancel Choir will be singing more than usual, offering a special *call to worship*, presenting a groovy mid-service *special music*, and delivering a moving *choir anthem* piece as well. Additionally, they will lead the congregation in revamped versions of the great hymns of faith!

Pastor David will give a Homily entitled "**What if There is More?**", stemming from his selected Scripture of **Luke 24:27**. We will also be receiving Communion during services. As we sing this week, may our words echo our hearts and allow us to surrender in authentic offerings of praise. Please plan to come this Sunday at either 9:00 a.m. or 11:00 a.m. to lift your voice, adding it to the glorification of the One who deserves it all.

Blessings,
Erin Shull
Director of Worship

Farewell Party for Steve

Join us Sunday, June 14th at 5 p.m. in the Family Life Center (FLC) to say farewell to Pastor Steve and family. We will have a cookout-style dinner with hamburgers, hot dogs, and all the fixin's.

- If you plan to attend, **please RSVP** to Wendi Sweet at wendi.sweet@denverumc.org with the number of people in your family **by this Sunday, June 7!**
- Everyone is asked to bring a **NON-REFRIGERATED** dessert to the FLC on Saturday, June 13th, between 12 p.m. and 5 p.m. to be shared on Sunday.
- Stop by the table in the FLC following the 9 a.m. service, or the Hub following the 11 a.m. service, to be part of a surprise for Pastor Steve!
- If you wish to give a love offering to Pastor Steve, you can donate online through the [giving page on our website](#), or via cash or check. Please be sure to mark your donation "Love Offering - Steve."



May 31, 2026 Combined Worship Attendance	
10:00	250
Children	0
Total	250
Average Online Views	40



GIVING REPORT

updated financial news



Ministry Operations UPDATED 5/31/26

DONATIONS RECEIVED FOR THIS FUND GO TOWARDS MINISTRY AND OUTREACH, IN ADDITION TO ALL NECESSARY STAFFING AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR HOSTING WORSHIP SERVICES AND MAINTAINING OUR CHURCH GROUNDS AND BUILDINGS.

BUDGET INCOME EXPECTED TO DATE: \$509,200
ACTUAL INCOME RECEIVED TO DATE: \$511,187

2026
MINISTRY OPERATIONS ANNUAL BUDGET: \$1,382,987

For questions about giving, please reach out to Cameron Wilson at finance@denverumc.org. We appreciate your generosity and support!

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CALENDAR

we'll see you there!

For information about upcoming events, go to <https://www.denverumc.org/events>

UPCOMING EVENTS

JUNE 7	Deadline to RSVP for Farewell Celebration for Steve Autrey wendi.sweet@denverumc.org
JUNE 9 6-8 PM	Young Adult Ministry Service Project overbay.amy@gmail.com
JUNE 10 10AM	Ladies Bible Study Begins sara.lee@denverumc.org
JUNE 13 10AM-1PM	Generation to Generation Event outreach@denverumc.org
JUNE 14 5PM	Farewell Celebration for Steve Autrey wendi.sweet@denverumc.org
JUNE 18-21	Annual Conference denver@denverumc.org
JUNE 21	Father's Day 
JUNE 21 4PM	Prayer Shawl Ministry shawnwyatteudy52@gmail.com
JULY 2	DUMC Office Closed 
JULY 6 10:30 AM	Helping Hands Meeting helpinghandsdenvernc@gmail.com



Events Calendar

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Don't miss these announcements - scroll down for more information!

- **Young Adult Service Project - June 9**
- **Generation to Generation Event - June 13**
- **NEW Family Days in July/August!**



LIFE AT DUMC

things to know, celebrate, & look forward to!



Welcome New Members!

Please welcome our newest members, Christopher & Sharon Williams by transfer from Hill's Chapel UMC, Elias Cobb through Confirmation and Austin Keller by Profession of Faith. Welcome to the Denver UMC family!



Generation to Generation (G2G) Learning Lab

Saturday, June 13 • 10:00 a.m.–1:00 p.m.

Make Pickles. Meet People. Build Community. Denver United Methodist Church invites you to join the next Generation to Generation (G2G) Learning Lab — a hands-on pickle canning workshop that's all about connection and creativity.

Led by a guest instructor from the Agriculture Extension Agency, participants will learn how to safely make and can pickles, explore simple food preservation techniques, and pick up practical tips to use at home.

But this event is more than just pickles — it's about people. You'll leave with a jar of homemade pickles and new friendships that last far beyond the workshop.

Who Can Join? Adults and anyone 11 and up with a parent are welcome. No experience needed — just come as you are! Space is limited to 25 participants, so be sure to register early to reserve your spot. To sign up, contact Carol Brown at carol.brown@denverumc.org.

Generation to Generation: Rebuilding Community Through Hospitality.



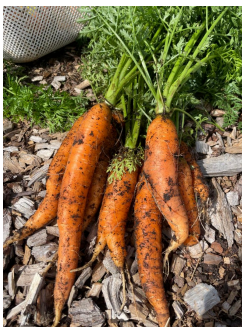
Young Adult Ministry Service Opportunity

All young adults are invited to join us for our next service project on Tuesday, June 9, at 6 p.m. We will be working in the community garden and delivering produce to the Hills Chapel Food Pantry! All are welcome, and invite a friend!



OUTREACH

unleashing compassion



Community Garden Update

Last week we harvested and donated about six pounds of carrots, along with some more peas! We love the variety of fresh, healthy produce being given to our neighbors, but we need help! If you'd like to spend some time in the garden, you can click [here](#) to sign up or email carol.brown@denverumc.org for details.

Helping Hands

building community through service

Helping Hands Local Outreach Opportunities

The needs of our neighbors don't take summer breaks, and neither does Helping Hands! Volunteers are needed to sort children's clothing donations at the Asbury Resource Center, the Hesus House of Hope Homeless Shelter is asking for packaged snacks for residents to enjoy as they arrive each evening, and a nurse volunteer is needed to perform ultrasounds for Harbour Health! Please check out the June

[HandUp newsletter](#) for information about how to fill these needs and more! Contact helpinghandsdenvernc@gmail.com with questions.



Little Dresses, Big Mission!

Another 56 little dresses made by our Sewing Ladies were donated this week and will go to little girls around the world! You can support this ministry by joining the group on Mondays at 9:00 am in WAB 105 (no experience needed) or by donating pretty cotton fabric or funds to purchase it. Email wandareynolds@gmail.com for more information.



DISCIPLESHIP

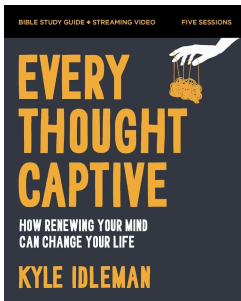
Small Groups, Bible Studies, & Connection Groups

Discipleship Opportunities

Sunday Small Group/Sunday School hour is 10:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.

Visit denverumc.org/ministries/adult-ministries for specific **Sunday school classes, weekday Bible studies, Wednesday night, and small group offerings** with locations, descriptions, and contact information.

Email David Washco with any questions at discipleship@denverumc.org



Women's Summer Bible Study

A ladies' Bible study, "Every Thought Captive" by Kyle Idleman, will start on June 10th. We will be meeting in the Chapel from 10:00-12:00. The study guide is \$21.99. Please contact Sara Lee at 704-230-9004 with questions or if you would like her to order you a book. Childcare is available upon request.



Sunday Morning Study Opportunity Sundays, 10:00 a.m. in the CORC

Have you ever wondered what it means to be a United Methodist? What do we believe? What is our theology, and where did this denomination come from? Everyone is invited to join this time as Pastor Steve leads the conversation. The time starts on Sunday mornings at 10 a.m. in the CORC (old fellowship hall), with a time of fellowship, followed by teaching from 10:10 a.m. until 10:50 a.m. If you are new to DUMC and looking to get connected with others, this is a great way to meet new people and learn about the church. No need to sign up, simply show up!



Men's Alliance - Sunday Nights!

Sunday nights | 6:00 p.m. | Rain or Shine
Join us for a rugged workout and real devotion.
For more information, [email Caleb Hendren](mailto:emailCalebHendren).

Women's Alliance - Wednesday Nights!

Wednesday nights | 7:00 p.m. | Rain or shine
For more information, reach out to Amy Washco at abwashco@att.net. All women are invited!



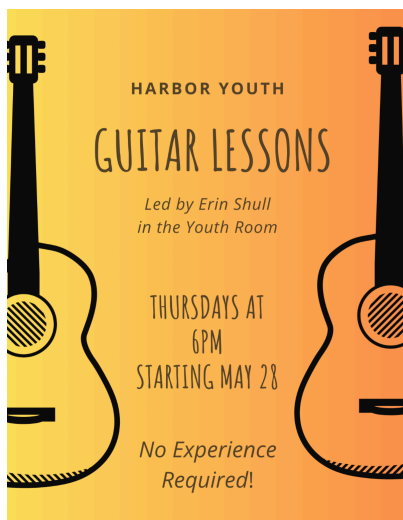
HARBOR YOUTH

DUMC's 6-12th grade ministry



Youth Sunday School

Get ready—something fun is happening in Youth Sunday School! We're watching an exciting video series (Alpha Youth series - check out the trailer!) designed just for youth, with real-life topics, engaging discussions, and a space where your voice matters. Join us Sunday mornings at 10 am in the youth room as we hang out, grow in our faith, and explore what it really means to follow Jesus in everyday life. Bring a friend and come be part of it—you won't want to miss this! Email Adam at Adamoverbay1@gmail.com or Dean at deanmosteller@gmail.com for more information!



Harbor Youth Guitar Lessons

All youth in grades 6-12 are invited to join us for guitar lessons with Erin Shull on Thursdays at 6 pm. No experience required! We are hoping to grow our music ministry--come be a part of it! Sign up here to let us know you're coming:

[Sign Up for Guitar Lessons!](#)

June

June 21
Father's Day

July

July 4
Independence Day

July 11
Family Days

July 18
Family Days

July 19-23
NTS Summer Camp

July 25
Family Days

August

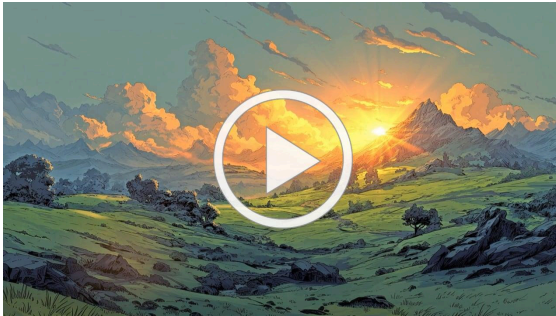
August 1
Family Days

August 30
Combined Worship
Service at 10am

[Click to sign up for Harbor Youth updates!](#)

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NTS Summer Camp /July 19-23
We're going back to NTS camp at Erskine College, in Due West, SC! This year camp will be looking into the life of David in the Old Testament and the theme is "Pursuit." We hope our students see God's pursuit of them and, in turn, become people chasing after a God who chases after us, redeems us, and prepares us for greatness. As they see themselves in this story of pursuit, we pray they walk away being known as people after God's own heart!

Registration must be completed by a parent or legal guardian over the age of 18 and is complete when all the required information is entered, and either payment is made in full, or the \$150 non-refundable/non-transferrable deposit has been made.

Registration is \$435 until July 5. Final registration is \$455 for those last 2 weeks before camp. **Registration closes at 6pm July 18!** *You will receive reminder emails of payment due 14 & 7 days before the due date if there is a balance on your account.*

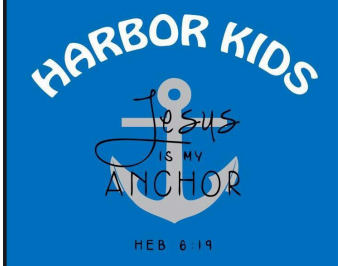
[Click here to register for NTS Camp!](#)



HARBOR KIDS

DUMC's birth - 5th grade ministry

We are committed to helping your child grow in every aspect of their relationship with Jesus Christ and knowledge of His Word. Thank you for your support and prayer!



Harbor Kids is open every Sunday 8:45 a.m. - noon!
We have programs at 9:00 & 11:00 a.m. and at 10:00 a.m., join us for hands-on activities to help serve our community!



Register for Family Days

NEW - Family Days!

This summer, instead of a traditional VBS, we are using those resources to invest directly into families with rising 6th-graders and under. We're hosting four special Saturdays filled with fun, connection, devotions, and shared experiences. From exploring, serving, and playing together to building stronger relationships with one another and with God, Family Days is designed to help families create memories that last long after summer ends.

While the church will be helping offset expenses for participating children and their immediate families, these events are open to **everyone in our church and community**. Whether you're a parent, grandparent, empty nester or young adult, we'd love for you to join us! These events are FREE but please register so we can be prepared! Contact Cortni at kids@denverumc.org with any questions!

- July 11 - Patch's Playhouse for pottery painting
- July 18 - Mountain Creek Park playground
- July 25 - Community Garden Service Project
- Aug 1 - Catawba Science Center

Click to sign up for updates from Harbor Kids!

Follow Harbor Kids on Instagram!

Staff & Leadership Connections

Click [here](#) to connect with our staff and Church Council

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