



**Adult Bible Study 9:00 a.m.**  
**Worship Services 10:00 a.m.**

Services held at the  
Boulder City Senior Center  
(813 Arizona Street, Boulder City)

## *Boulder City United Methodist Church*

The Announcements and Coming Events insert in your bulletin offers a listing of the exciting events coming up in the near future in the life of our church.

*The flowers have been placed on the altar by Virginia Riley*

### **Next Sunday**

#### **Message:**

“Prayer for a Graduate”

#### **Scriptures**

Ephesians 3:14-21

Each person gives to the church in different ways.  
For this, the church is truly thankful.

**Music Ministry:** Richard Fazio and Devin Streator

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*For you were called to freedom, brothers and sisters; only do not use your freedom as an opportunity for self-indulgence, but through love become slaves to one another.  
(Galatians 5:13)*

*John Ritenour, Pastor*

*May 30, 2010 10:00 a.m.*

*If you are visiting our services for the first time, we invite you to fill out a visitor card. The congregation joins with Pastor Ritenour in welcoming you.*

# Boulder City United Methodist Church

May 30, 2010

10:00 a.m.

## Worship in Music and Word

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<b>Prelude</b>	Devin Streator	<b>Message for Young Christians</b>	Linda Fox
<b>Gathering</b>	Barbara Link	<b>Pastoral Prayer</b>	Instrumental Response
<b>The Peace</b>	<i>Greeting and passing the words of God's peace</i>		
<b>*Processional</b>	Acolytes Light the Candles	God is With Us	
	<i>You are invited to stand as the light of Christ is brought into our worship</i>		
<b>*Choral Call to Worship</b>	Bulletin Insert		
	<i>How Majestic Is Your Name (sing twice)</i>		
<b>*Greeting</b>	Sue Burkholder, Liturgist		
	<i>The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you.</i>		
	<i>And also with you.</i>		
	<i>The risen Christ is with us.</i>		
	<i>Praise the Lord!</i>		
<b>Scripture Reading:</b>	Hebrews 12:1	NT pg. 212	
<b>Reflection</b>			
<b>*Hymn:</b>	<i>For All the Saints (vs. 1-4)</i>	UMH No. 711	
<b>*Opening prayer</b>			
	<i>O God, source of all that makes life possible, giver of all that makes life good: we gather to give our thanks, yet we confess that we have often failed to live our thankfulness. What we have we take for granted, and we grumble about what we lack. We have squandered your bounty, with little thought of those who will come after us. We are more troubled by the few who have more than by the many who have less. Forgive us, O God. In this hour of worship, accept our thanksgiving and teach us to make gratitude and sharing our way of life; through the grace of Jesus Christ. Amen.</i>		
<b>*Affirmation of Faith</b>	UMH No. 883		
<b>*Glory Be to the Father</b>	UMH No. 70		
<b>Gifts and Offerings</b>			
<b>*Offertory Response</b>	UMH No. 95		
	<i>"Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures here below; praise him above, ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen."</i>		
		<b>Message for Young Christians</b>	Linda Fox
		<b>Pastoral Prayer</b>	Instrumental Response
		<b>Scripture Reading:</b>	James 1:17
		<b>Reflection</b>	NT pg. 215
		<b>Hymn:</b>	<i>America the Beautiful</i>
			UMH No. 696
		<b>Scripture Reading:</b>	Psalm 121:1-8
		<b>Reflection</b>	OT pg. 539
		<b>Hymn:</b>	<i>Eternal Father, Strong to Save</i>
			Bulletin Insert
		<b>Scripture Reading:</b>	Galatians 5:13
		<b>Reflection</b>	NT pg. 179
		<b>Hymn:</b>	<i>My Country 'Tis of Thee</i>
			UMH No. 697
		<b>Scripture Reading:</b>	Psalm 27:1
		<b>Reflection</b>	OT pg. 476
		<b>Hymn:</b>	<i>God of the Ages</i>
			UMH No. 698
		<b>Communion</b>	Jesus invites <b>all</b> to His table
		<b>The Lord's Prayer</b>	
			<i>Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.</i>
		<b>Scripture Reading:</b>	2 Corinthians 5:18-21
		<b>Reflection</b>	NT pg. 170
		<b>*Closing Hymn</b>	<i>Battle Hymn of the Republic</i>
			UMH No. 717
		<b>*Recessional</b>	Acolytes Take the Light of Christ to the World
		<b>*Benediction</b>	
		<b>Postlude</b>	

*\*Indicates an opportunity to stand in worship if you are able*



## Announcements and Coming Events May 30, 2010

<b>May</b>						
<i>Sun</i>	<i>Mon</i>	<i>Tue</i>	<i>Wed</i>	<i>Thu</i>	<i>Fri</i>	<i>Sat</i>
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<b>2</b> Birthday Sunday	<b>3</b> 6:30 p.m. Book Study Group	<b>4</b> 7:00 a.m. Men's BK Coffee	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b> 6:00 p.m. National Day of Prayer	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>
<b>9</b> Mother's Day Potluck Sunday	<b>10</b>	<b>11</b> 7:00 a.m. Men's BK Coffee	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>15</b>
<b>16</b>	<b>17</b> 6:30 p.m. Book Study Group	<b>18</b> 7:00 a.m. Men's BK Coffee	<b>19</b>	<b>20</b> 6:30 p.m. Council Meeting	<b>21</b>	<b>22</b> 11:30 Women's Spring Lunch BD Hotel
<b>23</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>25</b> 7:00 a.m. Men's BK Coffee	<b>26</b>	<b>27</b> 5:30 p.m. Hacienda Buffet Night	<b>28</b>	<b>29</b>
<b>30</b> Music Sunday	<b>31</b>					

**2010**

Today is a *Service of Music and Word*, held the last Sunday of a month with five Sundays. Please stand or sit during the hymns as the spirit leads you.

Next Sunday is *Graduation Sunday*. We will honor this year's high school graduate, Jonathan Streator. Please plan on staying after service for special refreshments and an opportunity to congratulate him.

*Church Barbeque* brought to you by Church Women United – You are invited to a barbeque on Thursday, June 3 at 6:30 p.m. Pastor John and Kitty are hosting the event at their home, 1416 Bronco. Hot dogs, hamburgers, soft drinks and salads (and a few desserts too) will be served up, along with a Cowboy Poetry reading by John Mondt. There is a sign-up sheet on the back table if you would like to bring a salad or dessert.

The next *book discussion* will be held at 6:30 p.m. on Monday, June 7 at the home of Paula Richey, 1502 Georgia Ave. We'll be discussing Part II of *So What's the Difference?* by Fritz Ridenour. The book discusses 20 worldviews, faiths and religions, and how they compare to Christianity. Part II includes a comparison of Roman Catholicism and Eastern Orthodoxy.

*Care Ministry meeting* is scheduled for Tuesday, June 8 at 6:30 p.m. at the home of Pastor John and Kitty.

The *2010 Annual Conference Task Force on Children & Poverty* has as its Mission Project "Partners in Community." We will be partnering with Emergency Aid of Boulder City, and they have identified a critical shortage in the following items: shampoo, soap, deodorant, tissues, toothpaste, toothbrushes, toilet paper, band aids, etc. During the rest of May and through June 20, the Missions and Outreach Committee will have a box at the back of the sanctuary for anyone to donate any of these products. The tally will be reported at our Annual Conference. If you would rather donate funds to be used to buy the needed supplies, an offering box on the back table will also be available for cash or checks made out to the church. SO FAR 193 toiletry items & \$10 was delivered to Boulder City Emergency Aid, collected as part of the "Partners in Community" drive for the annual conference Task Force on Children & Poverty

## Christian Education

*Class for pre-school through Kindergarten* is available during the Sunday School time. The children will hear familiar Bible stories, as well as enjoy hands-on activities appropriate for this age group.

The *Elementary Sunday School* program is for 1<sup>st</sup> through 4<sup>th</sup> grade children. The current program is entitled “Bible Stories from A to Z”.

**Youth Class** Join the youth, ages 5<sup>th</sup> through 12 grades, in the Youth Lounge.

**Adult Bible Study led by Brian Fox.** The book of Job is currently being studied—“Why do bad things happen to good people?”

Please join us every Sunday morning at 9:00 a.m. There is a chair available for everyone!

**ALL CHILDREN AND YOUTH WILL RETURN TO THE SANCTUARY FOR COMMUNION.**

## This Month in Our Church

The **Safe Harbor Newsletter** is available on line at:  
[www.bouldercityumc.org](http://www.bouldercityumc.org).

If you are unable to read it online and have not received a paper copy, please pick one up from the back table.

**New Fund Raiser:** le Sagittaire Café (formerly Two Gals) will donate three percent (3%) of your food and beverage purchase (tax and tip excluded) to the BCUMC Building Fund. The café is open Tuesday through Saturday for lunch and dinner, 11:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m. Please bring a bulletin from the church with you; one bulletin per table is sufficient.

**Look for the sign on the Followship table! Change for Change.** What do a plastic baggie and the change from your pocket or purse add up to in a year? A congregation total of close to \$10,000 towards the Building Fund. Rather than let your change languish in a jar, put it to work. Make it earn its living! Put it in that baggie, mark it with your name, and bring it to church. Once a week or once a month (any longer and it may be too heavy to carry), let your change be our change—a new building for our church.

The May bulletin insert, “*Social Principles of the United Methodist Church*” is available on the back table if you missed it in the bulletin. The insert is included in the bulletin at the beginning of each month to inform our congregation on how and what our church stands for.

## Our Ongoing Ministries

The **Prayer Group** meets Wednesday at 9:30 a.m. at the home of Bruce and Pat Benke, 622 Lake Superior. Please come and join us. There are prayer request forms at the back of the church. They will be given to the Prayer Group and added to the church prayer list. Anyone, anytime, can call John Mondt (293-3739) or Kitty Ritenour (293-6022) to ask for prayer for any need or concern.

The **Caring Ministry** requests that members of our congregation let either John Mondt or Pastor Ritenour know if they become aware of a member or friend of our church who is either hospitalized or ill, or in need of a special visit. Please don't wait until Sunday, call them—Pastor John at 293-7240 or John Mondt at 293-3739.

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## Missions

The **Communion Coin** for May will be dedicated to the **Potosi Pines Camp**.

**Potosi Pines Camp** is a retreat center and youth camp operated by the Desert Southwest Conference of the United Methodist Church.

Located 30 minutes southwest of Las Vegas, the camp offers year-round accommodations for meetings and retreats, as well as a summer of camp experiences for youth from grade 2 through 12.

A basket has been placed on the altar if you wish to donate the loose change in your purse or pocket to these special needs funds. New programs are designated each month.

**Chatty Hatters** meet at the Senior Center each Thursday at 1:00 p.m. This is an opportunity to continue our ministry of providing hats and scarves for those in need through the Las Vegas Social Ministries. Come and enjoy the company of others as you knit, crochet or weave the hats and scarves (or other projects).