

Re-creation

Who doesn't love vacations? We like to go and get away and do something out of the ordinary. Sometimes we'll head for the ocean and lay on the beach, other times we'll go to the mountains and climb and hike and paddle, and other times we'll visit relatives and friends and sit and talk and renew friendships.

What they should all have in common is recreation. Recreation is an interesting word, though we generally use it in a bland, non-descript sense. But the word has wonderful potential if you put the accent where it should be: *re*-creation.

If our vacations serve their real purpose, we should come back re-created — our bodies rested, our minds renewed, our spirits lifted. Isn't that why God told his people to keep the Sabbath holy? They were to do no work. They were to turn their minds and hearts toward the Lord. The Sabbath was intended to be a day of refreshment and renewal.

We need those times of re-creation, not so that we can wear ourselves out stuffing the days full of activity and return more exhausted than ever, but so that we can come back refreshed and able to function even more effectively.

It's not really in our nature. We feel guilty for taking vacations and apologize for being gone and hate leaving our work for someone else to do in our absence. But we need time away, we need rest and renewal, and God needs time to re-create our hearts and minds, away from the routine and busy-ness of our work.

When you head out for vacation this summer, leave your work behind, take some time to rest and most of all, come back re-created.

John Roberts

Upcoming Events

Today - The Boulder Valley Church of Christ is here for their Spring Youth Retreat. Our youth are invited to join them in their activities over the weekend.

March 24 - Men's Breakfast in the Fellowship Room - 7 am.

April 1 - Annual Easter **Pancake Breakfast**—8:30-9:45. No Bible classes that morning. **Easter Egg hunt** for the kids following services.

April 8—Kingdom Builders Pizza Party—all KB kids and parents please stay after services to celebrate how hard the kids have been working in KB. We will also use this opportunity to have the kids work on the skits for Senior Banquet and Deena would like to meet with parents to discuss and get input on the summer plans.

April 22—Kingdom Builders lunch—All KB kids, please stay after service to work on Senior Banquet Skits, we should be finished by 2pm.

June 3—Senior Banquet

Congratulations to Derwin Watson on his baptism into Christ last Sunday, March 11!

Our directory is on the process of being updated. If you have an email address a digital pdf copy will be sent to you. If you would like a hard copy and/or don't have access to the internet, please let Darcy know.

Suggestion Box

There is now a suggestion box in the foyer for anyone to offer suggestions on how the Glenwood church can have greater effectiveness in God's kingdom.

Opportunities to Serve

Children's and Teen Classes

Infant through 2 yrs	Rosa Collier	Rm 204
3 yrs to Kinder	Jean & Jessica Hawkins	Rm 104
1st - 3rd grades	Debbie Loter	Rm 105
4th - 6th grades	Nichole Ives	Rm 107
7th - 12th grade	Kurt Carruth	Rm 103

Welcome to Kingdom Builders!



Calling all youth from 5^h grade to our seniors, Deena Stanley downstairs in the Teen Room. Currently Deena is teaching a study titled, "Choices That Determine Destiny." Together with our youth, she will be studying a method of making godly choices in everyday living and helping the youth to see the importance that friends play in their decision-making process.

Parents & Grandparents Take a moment when you are downstairs to check out the bulletin board spotlighting the kiddos artwork created during Sunday School and Kingdom Kids. We have some very talented little ones!

Kellie Higgins' brother Johnnie Aab lost two fingers in an accident and will be out of work for 2 months. Here is his address if you would like to send him a card of encouragement:
Johnnie Aab
24271 WCR 59
Kersey, CO 80604

Praying for Our Missionaries

Let's remember our Mission Teams that we help support through prayer and giving. Their needs are many, their hearts are HUGE!!

La Roca, Tijuana, Mexico...Carlos & Rossy
Rio de Janeiro, Brazil...Larry & Connie
Campus Crusade, Florida...Russ & Jo Anne
Youth for Christ, Colorado...Pete, Zack, Rosa, Oscar

For Our Guests:

We are thrilled that you have joined us this morning. We hope that your time of worship and fellowship will be a blessing to you. As our guest, we would like to ask you to **fill out a guest card** that you will find in the rack on the back of each pew. When the offering tray comes around, just drop it in as your contribution to us.

If you have any needs we can help with, or if you are looking for a church family where you can worship and serve God, please let us know how we can serve you.

For Your Children:

A Nursery is available for babies through age 3 at the back of the auditorium (on the east side).

Kingdom Kids is for children who are ages 4 years through 4th grade. They will be dismissed to go downstairs after the offering.

Kingdom Builders is for 5th grade through teens. Meet in teen room after the offering.

Each week this congregation participates in the Lord's Supper, following the teaching of Scripture and the pattern of the church in the New Testament. This is a time for those who have committed themselves to follow Jesus as Lord to remember His sacrifice for us and to renew our allegiance to Him. Everyone sharing this intention is welcome to participate.

<u>Last Week Contribution</u>	<u>Weekly Budget</u>	<u>YTD +/-</u>
\$2,648	\$3,608	\$ 1,012

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Please Pray For:

Current Prayer Requests:

Rachel Garot's son, Derek suffered a stroke on 3/9. He is in University Hospital in Denver.

Collier/Dowdy families— recent tornado in Tennessee where much of their extended family lives.

Jordan's friend—Lisa's mother recently diagnosed with late stage cancer.
Kellie Higgins' brother Johnnie—recovering from surgery following an accident where he lost a portion of three fingers. No insurance, long recovery ahead.

Deena Stanley's aunt Pat—has been moved to a nursing home and is on a rehab schedule. She is still in extreme pain and weak.

Jamie Campa—recovering from surgery for a broken wrist.

Debbie Loter's dad Cecil— waiting for recent test results

Mason Haputli—recovering from cataract surgery.

Carruth family- Lela's friend is going through family issues, **grandmother** recovering from gallbladder surgery, and cousin Sara.

Russ Licht is doing well following his transplant. Follow his progress at caringbridge.org.

Leona Croissant recovering from knee replacement.

On-going prayer requests: Please contact Darcy with updates

David Bishop and Sharon Bishop and aunt Eva & David's co-worker's son

Jesse
Pam Brown's mom Myra West & Dennis' uncle Doug Houg

Matt Burt and family

Jamie Campa

Grant Carruth

Collier family— Bob's mother Barbara

Patsy Dowdy

Guernsey Family

Hagemann's friend -Kim Cornelius

Jerry Hays

Charlotte & Margaret Hicks and friend

Deena & nephew/cousin

Higgins/Smith Family

Robert Michael Stone

Linda Holloway

Dennis Hunstad's father Don, mother

Carolyn and cousin—Debbie

Chris Lynch

David Collier's father-in-law, Jerry

Rosa Collier's brother Bill White

Croissant's friend Laura and Cousin Hudson

Marilyn Landrum's ex-brother-in-law Lewis' son, Richard & great-granddaughter Sylvia

Loters—Debbies father—Cecil

Olivia Jones' friend Debbie

Paul Kite

Kathy Lough's brother & sister-in-law

Mark & Susie and Greg's mom Lavean

Roxanne Lough & Travis Jadwin's

Aunt Alice and niece Lindy

Amanda & Major Ogg

Mike Peppers

Nancy Reinisch and family

Rich Roper & family

Kurt Rich's sister-in-law, Angie

Saathoff's friend Jesslyn

Deena Stanley

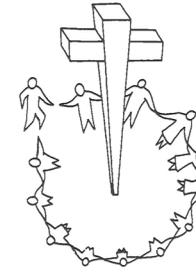
Larry Tarrant

White's grandson Jayden

Our missionaries: **Russ & Jo Anne Licht** (Campus Crusade for Christ), **Larry and Connie Zinck** (Rio de Janeiro, Brazil), **Carlos and Rossy Montoya** with **La Roca Ministries, (Tijuana)**, **Youth For Christ** (Glenwood Springs).

Our nation's leaders and those serving our country: **Tate Stanley, Anthony Pittman;** Kathy Lough's nephew, **Taylor Rowan;** Jean Hawkins' nephew, **Joshua Catellier;** Lisa Schultz's, nephew **Patrick Byers;** Margaret Hicks' step-grandson **Austin Atkenson,** , Debbie Loter's nephew **Chris Wiggs,** friends **Shane, Vanessa Hinojos & Kyle Gill.** Rosa Collier's nephews **Trey Chisolm & Chris Griffin,** Wade's brother **Troy Higgins,** **Kate Loman;** Ann's grand-daughter

We have a group of people who serve this congregation by praying for any situation, person, or need. You can activate the chain by contacting Jean Hawkins or Zona Hays or any member of the prayer chain.



Glenwood Church of Christ

A church where you can...

*experience God's love
grow in God's family
serve in God's kingdom*

March 18, 2018

Worship in Song

Matt Eldred

We Have Come to Worship Him

The Steadfast Love of the Lord

Greeting & Prayer

Wade Higgins

A New Anointing

Build Your Kingdom Here

Stronger

Be Unto Your Name

Communion

Blessed Be Your Name

Sermon

Brad Eason

Mighty to Save

Announcements & Closing Prayer

Jim Barnett

Scheduled Meeting Times

Sunday

9:00 A.M. Bible Class
10:00 A.M. Worship
Various times Life Groups - in homes

Wednesday

6:00 P.M. Bible Study