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# FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

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Dear Friends,

The Music and Arts Ministry at First Congregational Church invites you to *Walk With Me: A Requiem for the Streets*, a concert in memory of the 59 (+) individuals who lost their lives while living on the streets of El Paso County in 2018. The concert will feature John Rutter's *Requiem*. A Requiem Mass is traditionally offered at a funeral service. The Requiem commends the soul of the deceased into God's care, and offers an opportunity for lament and mourning for those who remain behind. In addition to the *Requiem*, we will share songs of both lament and celebration for our community; we will hear the stories of those who have experienced homelessness in El Paso County; and we will listen for God's call on our lives to help house the homeless among us. An offering will be collected with all proceeds going to alleviate homelessness in Colorado Springs.

You are invited to join with us for this concert on May 31 at 7 p.m. in the Sanctuary at First Congregational Church, as audience *and* as performer. We are creating a Community Choir and we want YOU to join us. Come to our rehearsal on May 28, share in some food and fellowship, learn a couple of songs (including John Rutter's fantastic arrangement of "When the Saints Go Marching In"), and join us as we celebrate the lives of folks who might otherwise be forgotten.

## Tuesday, May 28, 2019

5:30 p.m. - dinner in the Founders' Room  
6:30 p.m. - rehearsal in the Sanctuary

## Friday, May 31, 2019

7 p.m. - concert in the Sanctuary

All events are at First Congregational Church, 20 East Saint Vrain Street, 80903

Please feel free to contact me with any questions.

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FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH PRESENTS  
**WALK WITH ME**  
A REQUIEM FOR THE STREETS

59 In memory of the 59 people who died on the streets in Colorado Springs in 2018. Featuring *Requiem* by John Rutter

1. Dirk, Annette, Linda, Keith, John, Jessie, Erica, Lawrence, Michael, Darwin,  
2. Victor, Kevin, Gilbert, Jesse, Brian, Alan, Taylor, Gregory, Enrique, Adam,  
3. Dennis, Patrick, Troy, Christopher, Destiny, Jessica, Kenneth, Shirley, Michael,  
1. Kevin, Sophia, Marlyn, Paul, Justin, Randol, Steven, Michael, Houston,  
2. Kenneth, Mark, Beau, Essence, Kathi, James, John, Betty, Robert, Joseph,  
3. Michael, Jordan, Robert, Chad, Paul, Johnny, Sean, Raymond, Dennis, Kti, Tonja

**FRIDAY, MAY 31 7:00 PM**

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20 E. St. Vrain, Colorado Springs CO

FEATURING:  
FCC Chancel Choir | Bell of St. Vrain Handbell Ensemble | FCC Piano Choir | Community Choir  
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