

## NEWS AND EVENTS

### Welcome to Mountain Springs Community Church

We warmly welcome you here today. We are very informal, so grab a cup of coffee and join us as we celebrate God's grace in Jesus Christ. Please join us for refreshments and fellowship following the worship service.

### Today's Message

George Herbert once wrote:

"You have given so much to me,  
Give me one more thing—a grateful heart...  
Not one thankful when it pleases me,  
As if your blessings had spare days;  
But such a heart, whose pulse may be your praise."  
George Herbert, "Gratefulness" The Temple

Scott Hoezee wrote, "Grateful people are truthful people." Perhaps the truthfulness comes when we recognize we owe our lives and everything we have and are to God.

### Communion

This morning we celebrate the sacrament of Holy Communion. We welcome all who confess that Jesus Christ is their Savior and Lord to join us for the celebration.

### Benevolence Offering

We give Benevolence offerings whenever we celebrate Holy Communion. The pattern of Benevolence offerings on Communion Sundays goes all the way back to the early church. It is a way for us to remember and reflect the sacrificial love of Jesus Christ, by giving for the care of those in need.

### Lent – Ash Wednesday

This Wednesday, February 14 is the beginning of a seven week time called LENT. This is a time to focus and remember that Jesus Christ gave himself up for us because he loves us so much. You are invited to join us for a service of Ashes this Wednesday at 7:00pm.

### Women's Bible Study

The Women's Bible Study will not meet this Wednesday, due to the Ash Wednesday service. The study will resume next week, February 21 at 7pm. Please prepare Lesson 11. Any questions just ask Holly.

### Pub(lic) Theology

The next session of Pub Theology will be Thursday, February 15 at 8:00pm. We will meet at Hoppers Grill and Brewing, 890 E Fort Union Blvd; Midvale, 84047. The topic is open, but perhaps we could talk about "Grateful People are Truthful People."

### February Special Offering

This month's special offering will be for The Macote Entrepreneur Center in Guinea Bissau. This center was started with the assistance of only a few people and organizations. The school began classes in May 2017 and generous gifts from Mountain Springs were a key part of getting the school up and running. The school has classes in English, business and computer skills with over 280 people enrolled so far. Macote is deeply appreciative for all the help he has received. As a start up school, it is having challenges in meeting the operating budget for this year. Though the costs of operating the school have been kept low, there are expenses for housing, food, staff and facilities to be met until the school is established and self-sustaining. Please consider how you can contribute toward the ongoing success of the Macote Entrepreneur Center. The special offering will be Sunday, February 25.

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## February 11, 2018

**Bible Reading** Colossians 2:6-7  
**Message** Grateful People are Truthful People

### Calendar

**Today**  
10:00 am Worship  
11:45 am IMPACT  
**Wednesday**  
7:00 pm Ash Wednesday Service  
**Next Sunday**  
10:00 am Worship

Please check the web calendar for the extended schedule.

### Today's Helpers

Prayer Team Clair & Hildred Abee  
Nursery Byron & Vonda DeStigter  
KOTK 3yr-1<sup>st</sup> grade Heather Lloyd  
KOTK 2<sup>nd</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> grade No Class  
Worship Readers Sandra Sanders & Holly DeVries

### Next Week's Helpers

Prayer Team Claudia Travis & Michelle Veurink  
Nursery Josh & Lyndsay Anderson  
KOTK 3yr-1<sup>st</sup> grade Lynn Gutzwiller  
KOTK 2<sup>nd</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> grade Byron DeStigter  
Worship Readers Byron & Vonda DeStigter

### Birthdays

\*William Gutzwiller February 11  
\*Tom Hysong February 15  
\*Dean Kennedy February 15  
\*Kendall Gutzwiller February 17

Childcare is available in the Nursery on the lower level. Children ages 3 years through 6<sup>th</sup> grade will be dismissed to the Kids of the Kingdom program before the message.

Please forward bulletin announcements to Lorna Sprick [office@mountainspringscommunitychurch.org](mailto:office@mountainspringscommunitychurch.org) by Thursday noon.

Use this QR code to sign our guestbook or to ask a question.



**Basketball Game**

Kevin Biel, a senior at ICS, will be playing in his final home game of the regular season this Friday, February 16 at 8:00pm. You are all invited to come cheer him and the rest of team on to victory.

**Meal Ministry**

Sandra Sanders has returned home. It is our hope to be able to help the Sanders with meals and transportation to doctor appointments. Please check your email for updates from the deacons. If you would like to sign up to help with a meal, go to this link. <http://www.signupgenius.com/go/70a094fa8ad23a20-sanders>

**World Renew Project**

Mike VanMilligen is planning for our church to participate in a World Renew Project October 14-20. The location and exact dates will be determined later by the recommendations of the World Renew organizer. More details later.