

About First Mennonite Church

First Mennonite Church is affiliated with the Mennonite denomination. The Mennonites are named for Menno Simons, one of our early church leaders, and are rooted historically in the "Anabaptist" movement (Switzerland, 1525). Some primary Anabaptist values then and now are following Jesus Christ in life through service, rejection of violence, living simply and joy in participatory worship.

Pursuing God's dreams by the power of the Holy Spirit, in the way of Jesus Christ. ~ Vision of Mountain States Mennonite Conference

Vision: Healing and Hope

God calls us to be followers of Jesus Christ and, by the power of the Holy Spirit, to grow as communities of grace, joy and peace, so that God's healing and hope flow through us to the world.

~ Vision Statement of Mennonite Church USA



First Mennonite Church of Denver

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For more information about today's schedule, the weeks to come, or about our congregation, please visit our Welcome Table in the foyer. *If you are not receiving the FMC Weekly, a weekly e-newsletter from the church, go to the church's website at www.fmcdenver.org to subscribe. Look for the box in the upper right corner and enter your information.*

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Welcome to First Mennonite Church

Denver, Colorado



August 15, 2010

Worship 10:00 AM

Report from MSMC Annual Assembly

Congregational Discussion 11:00 AM

May this be a place of hope and transformation for all who enter here.

Gathering Music

Opening

Come let us all unite to sing - HWB 12 (v. 1, 3)
My hope is built on nothing less - HWB 343

Welcome and Introductions

Call to Worship

Passing the Peace

(Option: “*Namaste*” - *The divine in me recognizes the divine in you.*)

Invocation

Introit

*(The prayer cloth will be given to someone in our congregation
as a sign of our prayers for them.)*

Children’s Time

Centering

Chimes sound three times:
for what is old, for change, for that which is new

Let there be light, Lord God - STJ 67

Exploring

Bible Reading - Matthew 14:22-33 - Kristine Dyrsten

Meditation - “Risk, Outreach, and the Power of Gathering”

Wade in the water - HWB 446

Living

Congregational Sharing and Prayer
(Lane Miller 50th)

Sending Prayer for Sarah Dieter

Offering

Sending

The Lord lift you up - STJ 73

Benediction

Leadership for this Service

Worship Leader - Kori Leaman-Miller

Meditation - Vern Rempel, et. al.

Song Leader - Sara Michael

Gathering Music, Introit & Offertory - Vern Rempel

Introit Procession - Barb & Rod Stutzman Family

Children’s Time - Tory Doerksen & Naomi Nishi

Flowers - Sarah Newcomer

*Thank you to all who have given generously of their attention and talents
to make this service a time of encouragement
and a challenge in our walk of faith.*

*We welcome our visitors today.
You will find visitor cards in the pew racks.*

*If you would like to request pastoral care for yourself or someone else,
you will find request cards in the pew racks.*

Please join us after the service for coffee and donuts.

Congregational Discussion - 11:00 AM

There will be time for discussion about the Master Plan
with voting afterwards, in the Community Center