

## Welcome, Visitors!

Please take a moment to complete a digital visitor card so we can get to know you. Scan the QR code to the right or text VISIT to 720-680-0700.



If you need help finding the bathroom, the water fountain, kids activity bags, doughnuts during fellowship hour, etc., please ask a pastor or an usher. They will be happy to help!

## Giving

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Welcome to

# First Mennonite Church

Denver, CO



## Mutual Flourishing: The Fruits and Nuts of It All

August 14, 2022

*That you may know the love of Christ that surpasses knowledge,  
so that you may be filled with all the fullness of God.*

We invite you to join the congregation in singing the songs marked with 🎵.

### Entering Worship

Prelude Music

*St. Columba (Before the Waters Nourished Earth)* (arr. J Carter)

*Be Thou My Vision* (arr. M Hayes)

Welcome & Announcements

🎵 *Jesus Calls Us* Voices Together 30

Call to Worship VT 1050

By Wild Goose Worship Group, 2000

Leader: From where we are to where you need us:

**All: Jesus, now lead on.**

Leader: From the familiarity of what we know to the wonder of what you will reveal:

**All: Jesus, now lead on.**

Leader: To transform the fabric of this world until it resembles the shape of your kingdom:

**All: Jesus, now lead on.**

Leader: Because good things have been prepared for those who love God:

**All: Jesus, now lead on.**

Passing the Peace

🎵 Call for Children: *Let the Children Come to Me* VT 512

Children’s Time

🎵 *Gloria* VT 94

Invocation

### Faith Reflection

Chimes

Scripture John 15:1-17

🎵 *O Blessed Spring* VT 522

Meditation “Mutual Flourishing: The Fruits and Nuts of It All”

🎵 *What a Friend We Have in Jesus* VT 628

Chimes

### Community & Sharing

Offertory

*Terra beata (This Is God’s Wondrous World)* (arr. J Carter)

Benediction

🎵 *Seeds* VT 777

Congregational Sharing & Introductions

Pastoral Prayer

🎵 *Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah* VT 606

### Leadership for this Service

**Worship Leader:** Kim Kauffman

**Meditation:** Jordan Penner

**Song Leader:** Sonia Graber

**Musician:** Romaine Anderson

**Children’s Time:** Glenda Kauffman

**Pastoral Prayer:** Darren Knowles

**Sound Tech:** Evan Miller

**Video Tech:** Derek Miller

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*Thanks to all who generously shared their attention and talents to make this service a time of encouragement and challenge in our walk of faith.*

### After the Service

**10:45am Fellowship Hour** (Community Center)