

New Here?

If you are new to Fellowship of the Rockies today, we hope you feel welcome and at home...even if you have never been to church before. Our desire is for you to discover a life changing relationship with Jesus Christ while being embraced by a community of believers. We believe this happens best as we Connect, Commit, and Serve together in His name.

There are two action points I would like you to consider. First, please fill out the Community Card and bring it to the Welcome Center so we can better connect with you and give you a welcome gift. Second, I would like to personally invite you to attend one of our Intro Gatherings, explained in the Getting Connected section below.

I look forward to meeting you in person in our Welcome Center after one of our services. Let's Celebrate the Journey.
- Pastor Stewart

Fellowship of the Rockies is One Church of Multiple Campuses.
8th Street Campus - 1625 S. 8th St. Colorado Springs, CO 80905
Fountain Campus - 7755 C and S Rd. Fountain, CO 80817

Getting Connected - Intro Gathering

At Fellowship of the Rockies we desire to do Life Change Together.

Our Intro Gathering is a great starting point for you to understand how to better connect with Christ daily and plug into a small group. It is also where you will receive information about our church's vision, values, and membership process. We believe wonderful things happen as we commit to Christ and His local church family. Finally, we know every person has been gifted by God to make a difference in the church and in the world. During this Gathering, you will discover how you can serve Christ in the church and live it out in the world.

The Intro Gathering is not just a "class." It is an interactive time where you can ask questions about the church or faith in general. It normally lasts about an hour. Everyone who desires to join our church family must attend the Intro Gathering. Childcare is provided. Our next Intro Gathering will be held on Sunday October 15 at 11:45am. A free lunch will be provided.

Adults

Harlan@forchurch.org - Harlan Else - Executive Pastor

Fall Ministry Fair, Sunday mornings, August 20th - September 10th

Today we will continue with our Fall Ministry Fair. This is an opportunity to sign up for adult small groups, including Bible Studies, Women's Ministry, Men's Ministry, Co-Ed Home Groups, and Topical Groups. Tables are set up outside the Worship Center with descriptions and sign-up sheets.

Coming September 17th – EQUIPPED!

Equipped is a four-week message series and group study for the entire church that will help you become equipped with "Every Good Thing from God" that is needed for accomplishing His work and to be pleasing in His sight. If you haven't already done so, sign up for a group. You can sign up after church or contact Harlan Else at 633-4659 or Harlan@forchurch.org for help in selecting a group.

Life Roads is expanding our reach!

If you are between the ages of 18-29, single or married (without kids) we want you to join us every Thursday night at 2 Doors Down, 6:30 - 8pm for a time of Bible study, meeting new friends and building community. Can't wait to see you!

55+ Bistro Annual Juniper Valley Excursion! Sunday, September 10th at 12:30pm

All Seniors 55+ are invited to enjoy Sunday dinner at Juniper Valley Restaurant. We will meet in the church parking lot to carpool to the restaurant. Dinner is a family style meal of either chicken or ham. The cost including tip is \$15, which can be given to Pastor Harlan on the day of the outing. Please sign up on your community card or call the church no later than Wednesday, September 6th.

FOR Kids

Karen@forchurch.org - Karen Else - FOR Kids Ministry Co-Director

Lindsey@forchurch.org - Lindsey Longrie - FOR Kids Ministry Co-Director

Registration for AWANA is open!

Register your children for Awana at forchurch.org/awana or pick up the form in the Welcome Center. Awana clubs meet every Wednesday from 6:00 - 7:45pm beginning September 13th. Preschoolers must be 3 and potty-trained before September 13th.

for youth

Randy@forchurch.org - Randy Unruh - Youth Pastor

Sunday Mornings - Elevate!

This is a time of worship, craziness, and life lessons for our Jr. and Sr. High students. We will meet at 10:30am at 2 Doors Down.

I would like information on

Connecting In:

- ☐ Children's Ministry ☐ Youth Ministry
☐ Adult Groups ☐ Senior Adults (55+)

Committing To:

- ☐ Trusting Christ as my Savior
for the first time
☐ Being baptized
☐ Dedicating my child to the Lord
☐ Joining this church family

Serving In:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Hospitality Team | <input type="checkbox"/> Office Volunteers |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Greeting | <input type="checkbox"/> Worship Arts |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Service and Life Safety | <input type="checkbox"/> Youth Ministry |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Offering Team | <input type="checkbox"/> Children's Ministry |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cafe Team | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Prayer Team | |

Event Sign-up

- ☐ September 8th Bunco Night in Fountain
☐ Childcare needed for Bunco night
☐ Harvey Prayer Team
☐ 55+ Juniper Valley Sunday Lunch

Wednesday night meals

The Wednesday night meals will resume on September 13th. Stay tuned for more information.

For a complete list of all groups and events come see us at the
Welcome Center or online at www.forchurch.org

Community Card

September 3, 2017

First Name(s)_____

Last Name(s)_____

Address_____

City_____State____Zip_____

Home Phone_____

Cell_____

Email_____

☐ New Information Above

☐ First Time Guest ☐ Regular Attender

I attended: ☐ 9:00am ☐ 10:30am

How did you hear about us?_____

Please indicate:

☐ Married ☐ Single ☐ College Student

☐ Widowed ☐ Military

Age Group:

☐ 18-29 ☐ 30-39 ☐ 40-54 ☐ 55+

Children Living at Home:

Name, Birthday (m/d/y) and Grade

Prayer Request: ☐ Confidential

Other Special Events

Hurricane Harvey Church Partnership

FOR is partnering with CityView Church in Pearland, TX (one of the hardest hit areas in Houston). What does this mean? First, we are going to give them some money so they can help those in need. CityView Church has already provided truckloads of supplies to area shelters including food, water, diapers, socks, and underwear. They have also supplied meals for hundreds, purchased and delivered medicine, and provided pastoral counseling at shelters. We have already sent them \$2,000 from our Benevolence Fund. If you would like to help with something else, you can write a check and put ‘Harvey’ in the memo or use our app or website and select Benevolence. Second, we are going to be praying for them. Julia Stambaugh is going to maintain a prayer update. If you would like to be included in this, just check the Harvey box on your community card.

For now, Pastor Jason at CityView asks for you to pray for first responders, doctors, and nurses as they help people. Pray for those in shelters and those providing relief. Pray for the city and their rebuilding efforts.

Finally, I would ask you to say a special prayer for Jess Fischer, a member at FOR and a Psychologist who is deployed there from Fort Carson for 30 days.

Bunco Night Kick-Off, September 8th, 6:00 - 9:00pm (Fountain Campus)

Ladies, join us for a rip, roaring evening of fun, food, and fellowship as we kick off our Bunco season with a western theme. Bunco is a wild and easy-to-learn dice game and a great way to make new friends. So, don your cowgirl hat and boots, bring a friend, and bring a snack to share. We’ll end the evening with an optional white elephant gift exchange - one person’s junk is another person’s treasure! Childcare will be provided for \$3 per child (\$10 max per family). Please RSVP by September 4th to Sandi Leaf at fountainwomen@forchurch.org or on your connection card.

Healing Journey Class, starting September 11

The Healing Journey Class is a powerful Bible Study designed to help you get free from any type of painful wound or destructive pattern that is preventing you from living the life God created you to live. We will be offering classes for men, women, and married couples on Monday evenings. Those classes will begin September 11th. (Contact Cyndy Sherwood, cyndyhhlmsn.com or Bennett Landers 332-0361). A women’s class will be held on Tuesday mornings beginning September 12th (contact Heather Gray, 331-6676). Childcare is available. Quote from class participant: “This class changed my life. It healed old lies and replaced them with God’s Truth. I felt God’s love for the first time in my life.”

Finances A/O July 31, 2017

Contributions \$559,875

Expenses \$640,616

Shortfall (\$80,741)

Online at FORChurch.org

For more information on ministries, contacting staff, accessing previous messages, online giving, and much more visit us online! Also, on our website is our online community called MyFellowship where you can login to connect with other people from our church and register for events and service opportunities.

Welcome



Fellowship of the Rockies

Life Change Together

Current Message

“Work”

Pastor Stewart McWilliams