

ROMANS 12:6-8

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*to serve*

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*for making  
Snowmass Chapel  
your home!*

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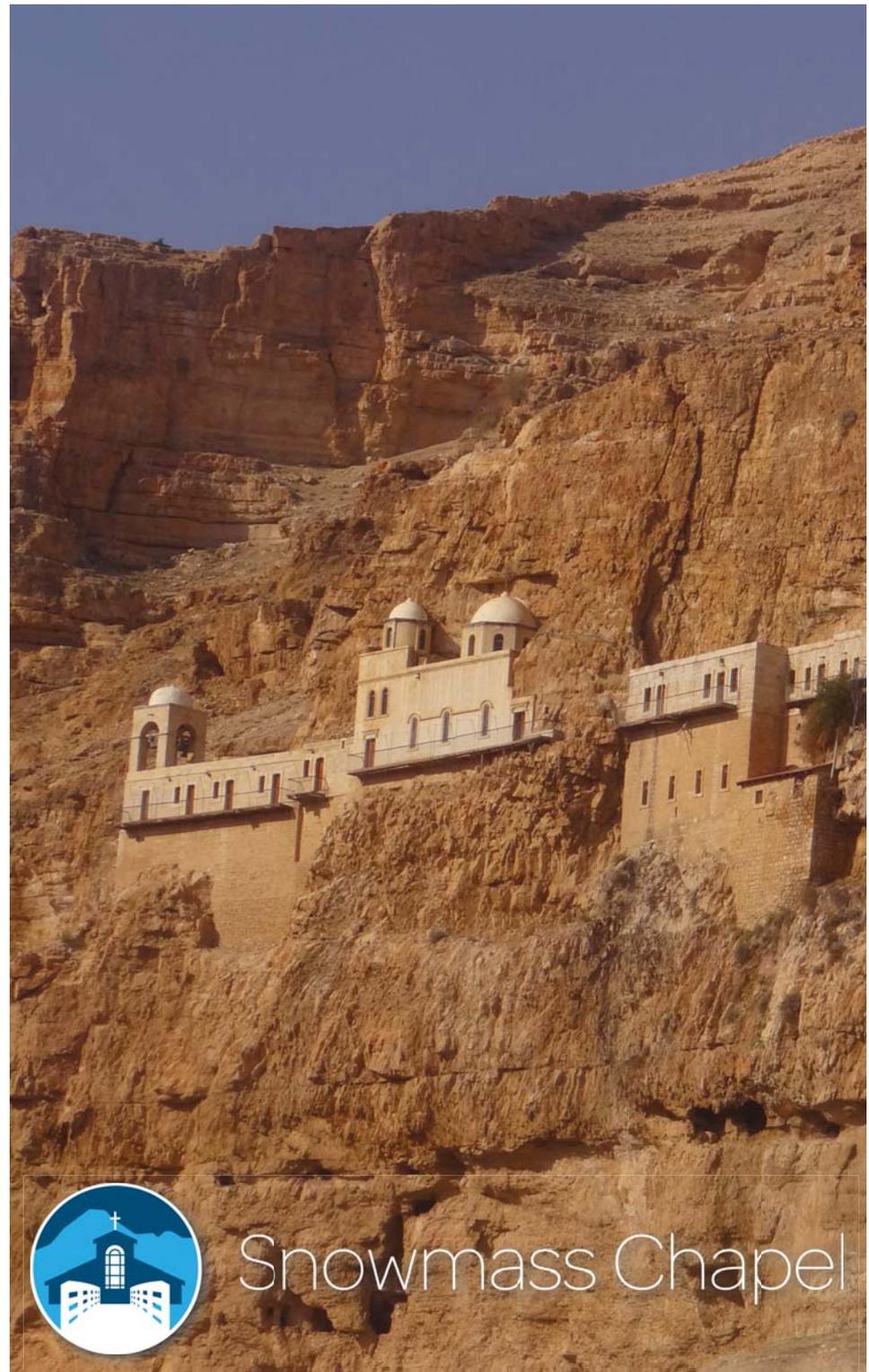
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*Non-Denominational Worship Service Sundays at 9am*



# Welcome to Snowmass Chapel!

We are so glad you're here. No matter who you are or where you are on your journey of faith, you are welcome here. Our focus at Snowmass Chapel is on the love of God made visible through Jesus Christ. We hope you will palpably feel the spirit moving in and through you as we worship together today.

## 5 things you need to know about the Snowmass Chapel

We strive to make worship compelling, diverse, relevant, life-changing and **focused on God.**

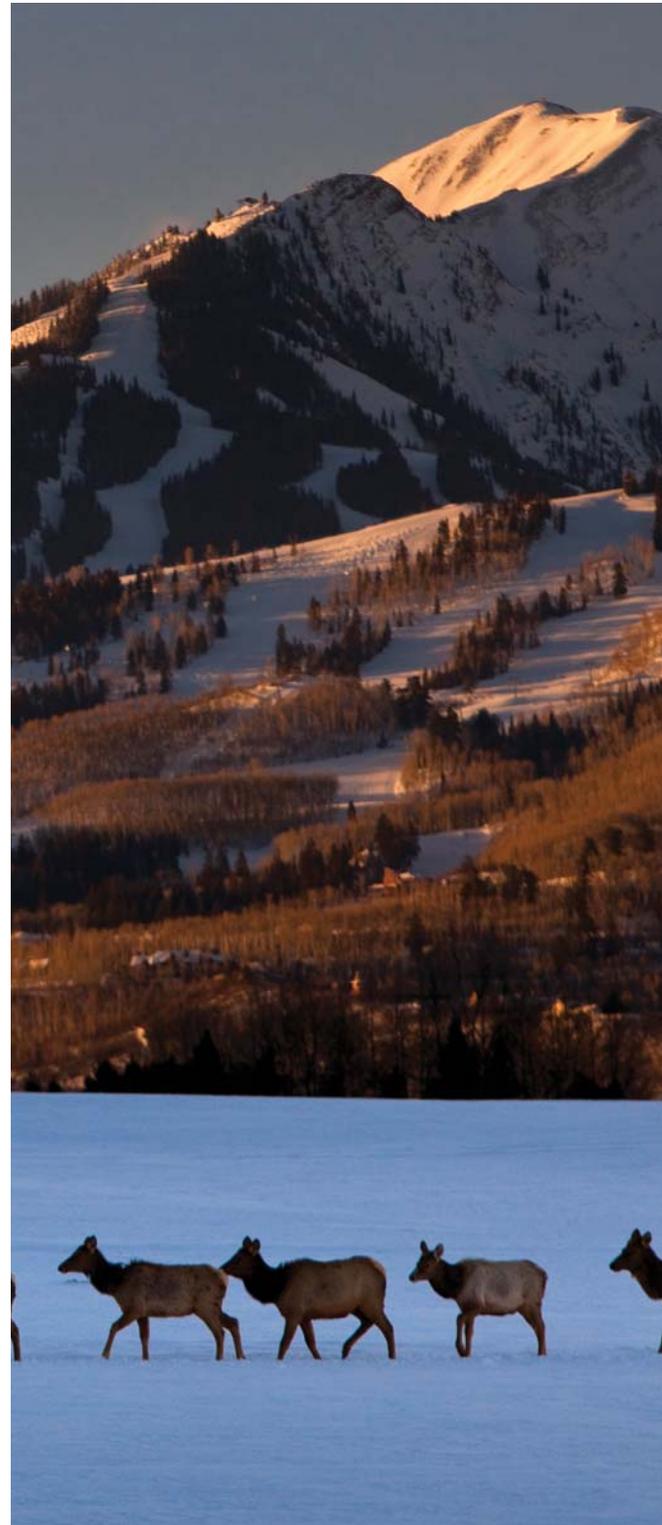
**We love kids.** Kids are invited to the altar for Kids Sermon, followed by Sunday School for 3 year-olds thru 5th grade. Creekside Room is available for babies and tots who need a quiet space. All kids are welcome in church any time!

*Love God.  
Love People.*

**That's what we do.**

No matter *who you are*, or *where you are* in your journey of faith, *all people are welcome* at the Snowmass Chapel.

**We like to connect!** Sign up for our weekly newsletter, and find up to date information about events and programs at **[snowmasschapel.org](http://snowmasschapel.org)**



### Prayer Corner

Men & Women of the U.S. Armed Services  
Patti Arnold  
Gwen and Fred  
Vicki Bauer  
Ernest & Donna Boone  
Tammy Braman  
Catherine  
Ned and Jan Cochran  
Levi Cook  
Mardee de Wetter  
Giovanna Demonte  
DeRienzo family  
Fred Dick  
Linda DiLuco  
Baby Brynn Effler  
Eulich Family  
Dallas Everhart  
Nancy Fail  
Flanscha family  
Florence Flynn  
Emily Garcia  
Ginny  
Green Family  
Mary Hardwick  
Jensen family  
Al Kaplinski  
Karla Kipling  
Sonja Kiser  
Langley family  
Debra Majoria  
Chuck Maker  
Mar  
John McGregor  
Mariane Miller  
James Moore  
Nell and Gary Moore  
Moss Family  
George Norman  
Elsa Ortiz  
Jill Perry  
Marcia Plotkin  
Linda Popper  
Danetta Powell  
Penny Richey  
Sarah  
Saul, Vicki & Family  
Stacey Ross  
Caleb Silberburg  
Strasbourg family  
Mary Wandling  
Sharon Wells  
Johnny Wright and Baby Duke  
Debbie Zelman

## SPECIAL MUSIC BY KAROLINA SYROVATKOVA, PIANO

Hailed for her “musical spontaneity and technical bravura,” Karolina Syrovatková, Czech pianist and educator is recognized for her innovative approach to performance and pedagogy. Robert Freeman, a former Director of the Eastman School of Music states that “her growing reputation as a performer and teacher represents the Czech Republic at the highest possible level anywhere in the world.” Her vision and teaching philosophy is deeply rooted in both the pianistic lineage of European and American schools and in the well established principles of the Alexander Technique. In addition to an active performing and teaching career, Karolina’s multifaceted musical vision has led her to launch classical music series both in the US and in Europe. Her musicianship and musicological research have been broadcast by Czech and US stations, such as the Czech TV, GCTV and Austin’s KMFA Fortepiano Radio Series. Diverse audiences on four continents (Europe, China, North and South America) have deeply connected with Karolina’s advocacy and passion for music in solo and chamber settings.



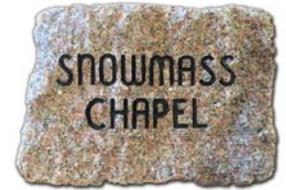
Karolina began her professional music studies at the Prague Conservatory in the Czech Republic. Her success at home opened doors to further studies in the United States. She first achieved a Bachelor’s degree Summa cum Laude from the University of Maryland under the tutelage of Professors Sloan and Gowen and then a Master’s degree with highest honors from the University of Texas at Austin in the studio of Prof. Anton Nel. Karolina recently received her Doctorate in Piano Performance Summa cum Laude at the University of Texas in Austin in the studio of Anton Nel. Her final project titled *In Search of the Vanished Present in Janáček’s Cycle of Piano Miniatures “On the Overgrown Path”* has been nominated to receive the “best lecture recital award.” She is currently working on a research and recording project of the entire piano works of Leoš Janáček.

While at UT Austin, Karolina was awarded a full teaching assistantship and coordinated as well as taught classes for the University of Texas Piano Project. Also an avid chamber musician, she won the Sidney M. Wright Endowed Presidential Scholarship Competition in Piano Accompanying.

Karolina has frequently appeared in concerts and master classes in Europe, the United States and China. Also interested in conducting, Karolina performed at the EAMA festival at “L’École Normale” in Paris as well as enjoyed being a musical director and organist of the Adelphi Presbyterian Church in Maryland. In 2013, Karolina also co-founded the Hallettsville Cultural Event Center’s classical series in Hallettsville, Texas which provided the region with the highest quality performances.

## BUY A BRICK, LEAVE A LEGACY!

Community members are invited to participate in the FINAL phase of this project that will complete the walkway in the John Denver Memorial Garden on the Chapel Grounds. Personalized brick pavers can be purchased for \$100. Each 9” x 6” paver can be engraved with a name and will become a permanent fixture on the Chapel grounds. Pavers can be purchased in person after Sunday services at the Chapel beginning March 5th through Mother’s Day, May 14th, or until they are ‘sold out’. We will be limited to the sale of 100 bricks!



Questions? Please contact a member of the Brick Paver Committee:

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## ON MOUNTAIN WORSHIP

We meet God on the mountain too! Please join us on Snowmass Mountain for 15 minutes to worship in God’s playground. We gather on Sundays at 12PM outside Gwyn’s High Alpine Restaurant during ski season.



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## BASALT HIGH SCHOOL

On Thursday, March 9th, Basalt High School and Middle School Choirs will be presenting their Winter Concert at 7pm. The two high school choirs make up 1/4 of the school and the 8th grade choir is 80% of the grade. Admission is free and we’d love to have you join us!



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## MEN’S GROUP

Coffee isn’t the only thing we need in the morning. Sometimes we need encouragement from others facing the same set of hurdles we face. Men’s Group is a chance for men to come together and share the challenges and joys of life and encourage each other to “stand firm in the faith” (1 Cor. 16:13). Join us every 1st and 3rd Tuesday morning at 6:30 am. For more information, contact [coulter@snowmasschapel.org](mailto:coulter@snowmasschapel.org).



# Order of Service

March 5, 2017 ~ Lent 1

## Prelude

*Little Preludes, J. S. Bach*

## Welcome, Announcements, and Peace

## Call to Worship

Holy God, by the grace of Jesus Christ  
you know the tests and trials we face.

*Walk with us through this wilderness.*

Come to us with ministers of healing  
and visit us with messengers of hope,  
so that we may return to you in faith, believing the  
good news of the gospel; through Jesus Christ our Savior.

**Hymn of Praise** #293, *Praise the One Who Breaks the Darkness*

## Children's Message

## Opening Prayer

Holy and loving God, as we worship you today, we long for your  
Spirit to both comfort and challenge us, to help us become more  
like you and more loving. In a world that does not understand  
repentance, we pray for new understanding, humility, patience,  
and discipline that will help us die to sin and live for Jesus. *Amen.*

## Hymn

*Christ Be Our Light* (handout)

## Special Music

*Klavierstuecke op. 118, #5 in F Major,*  
Johannes Brahms

## Scripture Reading

Matthew 4:1-11 (NRSV)

## Sermon

*Know Who You Are*  
Senior Pastor Robert de Wetter

## Prayers

O Holy God, we know we have fallen short.  
We turn our backs when we could embrace.  
We remain silent when we could speak.  
We speak when we could listen.

We close the door when we could fling it wide open.

We judge when we could seek understanding.

We cling when we could give.

Forgive us, O God, for being so very human at times. Help us  
to continue to grow into the people you created us to be and to  
love you and other people above all else, through Christ our Lord.  
Amen.

## Offertory

*Klavierstuecke op. 118, #2 in a minor,*  
Johannes Brahms

## Presentation of the Gifts

**Doxology** #815, *Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow*

## Blessing of the Bread & Wine

The Rev. Ian Sanderson

## The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy  
kingdom come; Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give  
us this day our daily bread and forgive us our trespasses as we  
forgive those who trespass against us. Lead us not into temptation,  
but deliver us from evil, for Thine is the kingdom, the power and  
the glory for ever and ever. Amen.

## Communion

We receive the Lord's Supper by intinction. A communion server will hand  
you a piece of bread, representing the body of Christ, which you dip in the cup,  
representing the blood of Christ. All are welcome at the Lord's Table.

\*Gluten-Free wafers available upon request

\*\*All of our communion wine is non-alcoholic

## Closing Prayer

God of love, as in Jesus Christ you gave yourself to us, so may we  
give ourselves to you, living according to your holy will. Keep our  
feet firmly in the way where Christ leads us; make our mouths  
speak the truth that Christ teaches us; fill our bodies with the life  
that is Christ within us. In Jesus' name we pray. *Amen.*

## Closing Hymn

#549, *Higher Ground*

## Blessing & Postlude

*Little Preludes, J. S. Bach*

*Our love in action now begins...*