

## Prayer Corner

Firefighters and all affected by the Lake Christine Fire  
Men & Women of the U.S. Armed Services  
Albinas and family  
Alice  
Amaya family  
Karen Andrews  
Arnold family  
Gail Attas  
Tom B.  
Boehringer family  
Butler/Coxon families  
The Callahan Family  
Ned and Jan Cochran  
Levi Cook  
Topher de Campo  
de Wetter family  
Fred Dick  
Greg Diehl  
Linda DiLuco  
Baby Duke  
Sue Dulaney  
Nancy Fail  
Flansch family  
Fritz & Clarice  
Emily Garcia  
Arney Graham  
Max Grange  
Charise Green  
Gwen and Fred  
Mary Hardwick  
Peter Helburn  
Dee & Lexi Jensen  
John Johnston  
Rosemary Keefe  
Karla Kipling  
LaSalle family  
Tina Hwang Lee  
Herb Lindsay & family  
Barbara Loudon  
Sheryl Merkel  
The Moore family  
The Moss family  
Nancy  
Nathan  
Bill Parady  
Pausback family  
Marcia Plotkin  
Peter & Rosalie Popper  
Larry Prince  
Baby Rachel  
Saul, Vicki & family  
Pat Smith  
Heidi Spock  
Tien-Yueh  
Bonnie Wasli  
Westover  
Simone Williams  
Johnny Wright  
Young family

## Thank you to today's volunteers!

Greeters - Marie Kelly & Cecilia Garcia  
Worship Leader - Michael Schoepe  
Scripture Reader - Marie Kelly & Elizabeth de Wetter  
Offering & Communion - Dean & Sherri Goodwin  
Presentation of Gifts - Judi Loubier  
Altar Setting - Judi Loubier  
Altar Flowers - Cecilia Garcia  
Children's Ministry - Debbie Shore, Coulter & Jayla Burch, Jude & Jade Hanson  
Refreshments

## Connect with Staff & Board

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**Non-Denominational Worship Service Sundays at 9am**





# Today's Special Music

**Ellen Stapenhorst** began performing in the LA coffee houses of the sixties, and has been part of the Roaring Fork Valley music community since the early seventies. She has shared the stage over the years with many artists including John Denver, Buffy Ste. Marie, the Nitty Gritty Dirt Band and Shawn Colvin. Ellen's musical and personal journey has always reflected her interest in social, environmental and spiritual issues, and having a joyful life along the way. Her fifth album just came out this past summer from Cool Brick Studios in Carbondale.



# What's Happening at the Chapel



## HOUSE MEETING TODAY

We want to hear from you! What are the stories, issues, concerns that you face? What are the realities of this valley-wide community that urgently need our attention? Once we hear from you, our team will combine your stories with those valley-wide as together with the Manus Valley Project we begin to address the opportunities for change. Please join us! Sundays in September, 10:30-11:15am.



**JOIN US FOR THE ANNUAL CHAPEL POTLUCK PICNIC ON THE LAWN SEPTEMBER 16TH AT 11AM**

**BBQ sandwiches will be provided  
Please bring a dish to share**

**Music by Mack Bailey**

We are looking for picnic volunteers. If you are interested in helping please email Ashley at [ashley@snowmasschapel.org](mailto:ashley@snowmasschapel.org).

## PARENTING WORKSHOP SEPTEMBER 24

This is a fun and free workshop for parents that will provide tips for creating and enjoying your totally awesome family. Facilitated by Charla Belinski, and co-hosted by the Aspen Family Connections Center at Aspen School District. Monday, Sept. 24th, 5:30-7:30PM at Snowmass Chapel. Free babysitting and free food. Please RSVP to [Charla@snowmasschapel.org](mailto:Charla@snowmasschapel.org) or visit the website to sign up.



## Save The Dates

*September 2 at 10:30am*  
HOUSE MEETING

*September 5 at 5:30pm*  
CENTERING PRAYER GROUP

*September 9 at 9am*  
BAPTISM SUNDAY

*September 16 at 11am*  
ANNUAL CHAPEL POTLUCK PICNIC ON THE LAWN

*September 16*  
HOUSE PARTY & MOVIE SCREENING, *THE ROAD TO EDMUND*

*September 19 at 5:30pm*  
CENTERING PRAYER GROUP

*September 24 at 5:30pm*  
PARENTING WORKSHOP

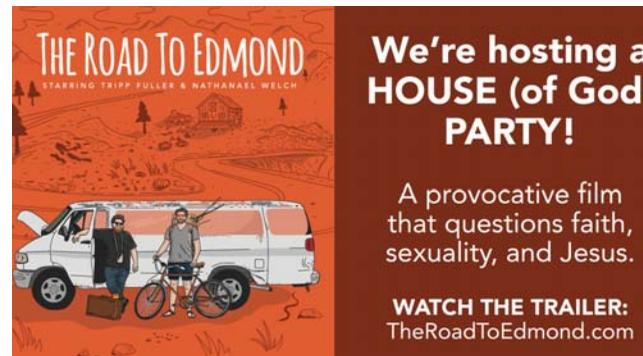
*October 24 - 29*  
CHAPEL-WIDE FAMILY SERVICE TRIP  
El Paso, TX

*Please sign up now to serve on Sundays this fall!*

*It's easy and simple: online at*

[SNOWMASSCHAPEL.ORG/SERVE](http://SNOWMASSCHAPEL.ORG/SERVE)

*or visit the Welcome Wagon to sign up!*



**We're hosting a HOUSE (of God) PARTY!**

A provocative film that questions faith, sexuality, and Jesus.

**WATCH THE TRAILER:**  
[TheRoadToEdmond.com](http://TheRoadToEdmond.com)

## WE'RE HOSTING A HOUSE (OF GOD) PARTY!

Join us for a special screening of "The Road to Edmond," a thought-provoking new film that questions faith, sexuality and Jesus. Be among the first to see it before it hits theaters. This film is appropriate for high school students, at parent discretion, and up, as well as all adults. Please contact Robert or Charla if you have questions. We look forward to seeing you for the movie and discussion!

# Order of Service

September 2nd, 2018 ~ 15th Sunday after Pentecost  
Families First Sunday

## Prelude

*Nothing More*  
Eric Donnelly and Tim Warren (Alternate Routes)

## Welcome, Announcements, and Peace

### Call to Worship

When the busyness of our lives erodes the intentions of our hearts:

*Merciful God, forgive us.*

When our personal agendas take precedence over reaching out to others:

*Merciful God, forgive us.*

When we keep putting off being more active “doers of the word”:

*Merciful God, forgive us.*

When we resist change, knowing that our acting and thinking  
are limited by our prejudice and ignorance:

*Merciful God, forgive us.*

When we only half-listen to those who cry out to be fully heard:

*Merciful God, forgive us.*

And may Your love, Your grace, Your compassion, Your mercy, carry us away this day and lead  
us with love to be Your hands and heart in the world. *Amen.*

## Hymn of Praise

*WS #40, Come All Christians Be Committed*

## Children’s Message

### Opening Prayer

*Grace and peace to you, our children.*

*We will always give thanks for you.*

*We pray for you constantly because we love you.*

*We love you just as God loves you.*

*We know, children of God, that God loves you so much.*

*There are no words to express it.*

*There are no wonders we can perform.*

*But, we know that the power of God is in you.*

*We can see it upon your faces.*

*You remind us of God’s love.*

*Teach us to see the world as you do.*

*Surprise us with the wonders you see.*

*Show us what gifts God has given you.*

*And we will bless you, and protect you, and we will always give thanks for you.*

*We will bless you in the name of our God.*

*We will bless you again and again.*

*Grace and peace to you, our children.*

*Grace and peace to you who show us God’s glory shining through your faces. Amen.*

## Hymn

*#655, Sanctuary*

## Special Music

*Hold On, Little One*  
Ellen Stapenhorst

## Scripture Reading

The Word of the Lord.

*Thanks be to God.*

James 1:17-27 (NRSV)

## Sermon

*Doers of the Word*  
Associate Pastor Charla Belinski

## Offertory & Presentation of the Gifts

*If Not You*  
Ellen Stapenhorst

## Doxology

## Blessing of the Bread & Wine

### 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

*Gracious and merciful God, forgive us for past faults and help us in the present and future to make ourselves more available to the hurting world that surrounds us — the world that begins on our doorsteps. Equip us to be patient and compassionate listeners, proclaiming the gospel not in overbearing ways but sensitively and lovingly. Strengthen us with the Holy Spirit to be fruitful and active witnesses to Jesus in all we do and say. And may God pour grace upon us and bless us forever; May Christ Jesus reveal to us the truth of God’s ways; and may the Holy Spirit fill our lives with passion and love. We go in peace to love and serve the Lord, In the name of Christ. Amen.*

## Closing Hymn

*WS #76 God of Justice*

## Blessing

## Postlude

*Our love in action now begins...*