The UCC Longmont Spring Congregational Meeting

Will be held following the morning worship service **on Sunday, May 4, 2025**. At this meeting, the congregation will elect the officers and Church Council members for the coming year and will receive the 2024 Annual Report.

Born to Read

Join us in **Room 10** on **Thursday, May 10, 2025**, from **9:30 a.m. to noon** for a special bag-filling session! Your support helps us deliver over **100 bags each month**, spreading the joy of reading to our community.

We look forward to seeing you there!

contact Marian Parsons (jmparsons@lpcnextlight.com) or Mary Baskett (marybaskett4@gmail.com) if you have questions.



Children and Youth

Children's Church- Children's Church meets this week during worship.
Children begin in the sanctuary and then are invited to leave if they'd like.
Children are always welcome to remain in the sanctuary for the service.

Youth Group (grades 6-12)-There is no youth group meeting today due to the intergenerational retreat.

Questions? Ask Rob Cronin - email: <u>youthministry@ucclongmont.org</u> or cell: 612-481-4252

Financial Contributions Welcomed

Your generosity supports our mission and ministry at UCC Longmont! If you'd like to donate today, you can give online at https://ucclongmont.org/giving/ or using the QR code.

There are also boxes on the back wall if you'd like to give by check or cash.



Welcome!

A very special welcome this morning to visitors and guests and a welcome back to those who haven't been here for a while.

We would love to know you are here!

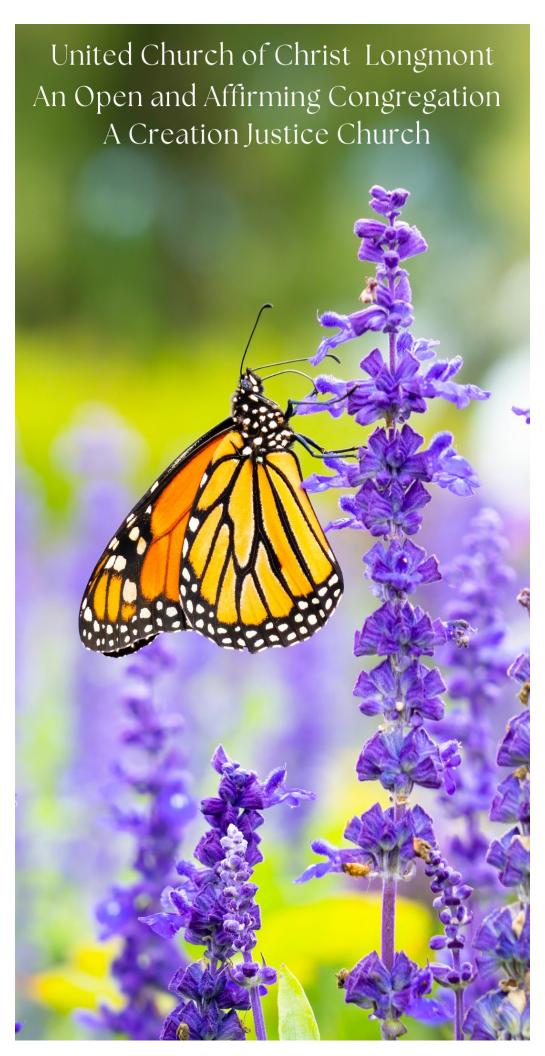
Use the QR code to subscribe to the e-newsletter, request a name tag, and ask questions in the comment section. Go ahead, give it a try!



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April 27, 2025

Gathering Music

Welcome

10:15 am Sunday Service

Robert Hjelmstad

Rob Cronin

No matter who you are, or where you are on life's journey,

You are welcome here!

Hymn & Bringing in the Light

The Presence of Our God is Here Sing! #10

Call to Worship

Kirk Thomas

One: Alleluia! Christ is risen!

All: Christ is risen indeed! Alleluia!

One: We have not seen the risen Christ,

All: But we see him in the lives of those transformed by grace.

One: We have not seen Jesus face-to-face, All: But we have seen him in the faces of everyone whose love encourages us.

One: We have not touched the wounds from the cross,

All: But we have been called

to bring healing to the scarred of the world.

Gift of Music Si mes vers by Reynaldo Hahn

Scripture & Reflection John 20:19-31

Hymn of Response O Christ Jesus, Sent from Heaven NCH #47

Lifting Our Prayers

Mother of us all, who dwells within and beyond, Sacred is your name. May your holy vision for collective flourishing come to fruition among us. May your dreams of justice, love, compassion, and connection be enfleshed on earth. Provide us today with what we need to be nourished in body, soul, and heart. Forgive us for the harm we cause as we seek to forgive those who have harmed us. Lead us away from everything that destroys and liberate us from the hands of evil.

For you are the ultimate source of hope.

Your power-with exceeds all power-over.

Your presence incites eternal wonder.

All praise to you, our comfort and strength.

Amen.

Community Matters Steve Tani

Sending Hymn We Lift Up Our Hearts Sing #179

Benediction

Postlude

This Week's Schedule

Today, April 27, 2025

- Intergenerational Retreat April 26-27
- Sunday Service -10:15 am
- Plant Based Cooking— 11:15 am-12:00 pm
- Youth Group—No Youth Group today

Tuesday, April 29, 2025

• May Day Basket Event-6:30-8:00 pm

Wednesday, April 30, 2025

- Rev. Amelia Drop-in Office Hours 10:00-11:00 am
- Bell Choir 5:30 pm–6:45 pm
- Voice Choir 7:15 pm-8:45 pm

Office Hours

• Monday-Friday- 9:00 am-12:00 pm

Prayers

Prayers for Julie Nosek for her shoulder surgery on May 1st. Prayers for the family of Rose Macy following her passing. Prayers for Lysa Burianek and her family after the death of her sister, brother-in-law and niece. Prayers for the family of Mike Holdaway following his death. Prayers for Miryam Hammond for healing. Prayers for Wayne and the entire Simmons family following the death of Deb Simmons. Prayers of peace and support for Ning, Phyllis Rostykus's mother, and their family while Ning is in hospice. Prayers for JoAnn Bell following Jim Bell's passing. Prayers for Heidrun, a friend of Marie Smith's daughter, who has colon cancer. Prayers for healing for Jim Schwendeman, and for Heather Yokum and their family as they support Jim. Prayers for John Flanders for healing. Prayers for Heather August (please check Caring Bridge for updates). Prayers for Hope Del Valle (Linda Zavala's niece) as she recovers from a stroke. Prayers for Arlie Ostrander. Prayers for spouses and family members needing to be healthcare advocates and caregivers. Prayers for healing and renewal for our Earth.