

RECEPTION OF NEW MEMBERS Join us to welcome new members to Parkview Church during worship service on Sunday, November 12. If you are interested in joining Parkview Church on November 12 (or any Sunday), please let Pastor Kari or Pastor Corbin know.

PARKVIEW BOOK GROUP The next Book Group meeting will be at Parkview on Saturday, November 11 at 1:30 p.m. We will discuss David McCullough's collection of speeches, *The American Spirit: Who We are and What We Stand For*. Please RSVP to Sharon Lininger at (303) 343-7488. The book for December 11 is *A Dublin Student Doctor* by Patrick Taylor.

THANK YOU FROM AROMOR APARTMENTS RESIDENTS Thank you for your generous offering of food, coats and gift cards. Our neighbors at Aromor Apartments are so appreciative of all the warm coats and winter gear. They are especially touched because all of the coats are of high quality and make them feel valued. They contrast these gifts with other coats they have been given; it was clear to them that the giver wouldn't have wanted the coat themselves due to the condition. The gift certificates have increased some people's food budget by half and the food bank ensures that they will have food the last ten days of the month which is when SNAP benefits typically have been spent.

SEUSSICAL THE MUSICAL FUNDRAISER Join Archway Housing & Services, Inc., a UCC ministry, at *Seussical the Musical* at Littleton Town Hall Arts Center on Tuesday, November 14 to benefit the Family Services Program. For information about sponsorship and tickets, please go to www.archwayhousingandservices.org/annual-fundraiser/ or contact Jody Huntington at 303-210-7008.

DEADLINE CHANGED FOR DECEMBER THRUST AND PARRY Due to Thanksgiving, the December Thrust and Parry deadline for articles is Sunday, November 12. Please send articles to Susan Houser, Communications Coordinator, at office@parkviewucc.org with "Thrust and Parry" in the subject.

PASTA, POETRY, AND PROSE Join the Poet Laureate of Aurora Assetou Xango, Norma Johnson, Kimberly Ming, Shaun Don thA THRUTH, and Holly Fulton for reflections on race in America served with pasta, conversation, and connection on Saturday, November 11 at 6:30 p.m. at Parkview. This is a free-will donation dinner. Please RSVP to office@parkviewucc.org or 303-366-5224.

VOLUNTEER HOMEWORK TUTORS NEEDED Please join the Parkview Community Ministry team as we learn about the Volunteer Tutor Program sponsored by Archway Housing, & Services Inc, a UCC affiliated organization. A representative from Archway Housing will give a presentation about the tutor program after worship service on Sunday, November 5 in the Community Room. Contact Natalie Nethers at shortstopnate76@comcast.net or Ryan Collins at ryancollins23@mac.com for further information.

BIBLE STUDY LECTURE SERIES "Re-Reading the Bible for Life in Today's World" is a weekend of lectures with Dr. Gerald West and Rev. Beverley Haddad, from the University of KwaZulu-Natal, South Africa, on November 3-5, and November 9 at Plymouth Congregational UCC in Fort Collins. Growing out of the struggle against apartheid in South Africa, and their work in marginalized communities, Dr. West and Rev. Haddad have developed Contextual Bible Study as a tool for liberation. It is a way for everyday readers of the Bible to do close readings of the text in light of modern scholarship, not as a hunt for "way back when" but as a living document applicable now. Registration is \$75 (individual sessions and student/low-income rates also available). Full schedule is at <https://GeraldWest.eventbrite.com>. Questions? Contact the Rev. Dr. Mark Lee, Director of Adult Christian Formation at Plymouth, at mark@plymouthucc.org.