

What's happening at flatirons?

Information for all events and programs is available at the Information Center or Children's Ministry Kiosk in the Lobby or online at flatironschurch.com

Summer BBQ's | for **Anyone Interested in Attending or Hosting a Summer BBQ** | Throughout the Summer | **Location** Surrounding Communities | Go to flatironschurch.com/flatironslist

Community Facilitator Workshop | for **Everyone** | Wednesday, August 11 | 6:30-8:30pm | Church Lobby | Childcare not provided | Are you considering posting a group on flatironslist? Do you have questions or are not sure how to post a group? Join us as we walk through these questions and more! flatironschurch.com/workshops

Food Drive | Help meet the needs of people in our community during the 2010 Sister Carmen Food Drive! Students will be distributing grocery bags with a list of needed items at all services next weekend. Food collection will take place weekend Aug 21/22.

Return Your BRiX Brick | for **Everyone** | If you missed the Walbertsons Open House, don't worry! Return your name-covered BRiX brick in the Lobby over the next few weekends.

Circle of Friends | for **Children with Disabilities** | Every Saturday 6:30pm service | If you are the parent of a child with disabilities and want them to be paired with a Friend, please email circleoffriends@flatironschurch.com so we can provide a trained volunteer to help facilitate the best possible experience for your child.

Babies in the Auditorium | Whether crying of hunger or giggling for joy, your baby is capable of creating quite the commotion. Please let our Children's Ministry give you—and those sitting around you—a chance to enjoy the service without distraction. We also offer a Cry Room and the Lobby if your child chooses to "express themselves" during the service. Thank you for your help in creating an excellent environment.

To Parents of all kids going into 2nd grade or 5th grade: Promotion to the next grade will happen on August 21st-22nd. **To Parents of all current Toddlers or Preschoolers:** When your child turns three or your child turns five, they are welcome to join the next class.

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fusion | for **Singles** | Saturdays | 8:00 – 9:30pm | Location varies weekly

Merge | for **College Age (18-24)** | Sundays | 6:30pm | Childcare not available | Merge Community groups available weekdays on campuses throughout the Front Range

Revolution | for **High School** | Tuesdays | Doors open at 6:45pm; Program begins at 7pm | Pirates vs. Ninjas Group Game from 8-8:30pm (come dressed for running around and possibly getting wet) | Pick-up at 8:30pm | Student Center

Controlled Chaos | for **Middle School** | Wednesdays | Doors open at 6:45pm; Program begins at 7pm | Pirates vs. Ninjas Group Game from 8-8:30pm (come dressed for running around and possibly getting wet) | Pick-up at 8:30pm | Student Center

Shift | for **Everyone** | Fridays | BBQ at 5:45pm | Program 7:00 – 9:30pm | Lobby | When life is spinning out of control because of pain in a marriage, divorce, addictions, relationships, depression or anger. When life needs to change.

Do you want to meet new people?

People often ask what the best way is to get to know people here at flatirons! Stop by the Info Center in the Lobby for more information about volunteering or check out our Community Groups resource online at flatironschurch.com/flatironslist

August 7 & 8, 2010 | "Making Wise Choices" | Speaker: Jim Burgen

Want to be in the know?

For age-specific events or programs, please stop by the Information Center in the Lobby or visit us online at flatironschurch.com. Our website is a great place to find detailed information about upcoming events, opportunities, and support along with tools to help you build a deeper relationship with Christ and with new friends.

What you are about to experience

At flatirons we teach Biblical truths to help people find a better way to do life with Jesus Christ. Wherever you are in your spiritual journey, our desire is for you to experience the love God has for you.

Did you come with kids? | The room you have entered is designed for adults (Middle School and older). Children, 4th grade and younger, will be much more comfortable in our Children's Ministry which is designed just for them! There, your child will engage in age-appropriate teaching, games, music and more. You can check your child in for a Children's Ministry classroom at any of the touchscreen computers located in the Lobby. **If needed, there is an area in the Lobby for parents with children 12 months and younger.** If you have further questions, please stop by the Children's Ministry Kiosk in the Lobby today.

Volume | If you find the music too loud, please visit the Information Center in the Lobby for ear plugs. Ear plugs are also available at the Auditorium doors.

Offering | Jesus taught that one of the ways we worship God is by giving our lives away... our time... our talent... and our treasure. Each week we receive an offering. Every dollar given here at flatirons goes directly to fund our mission to bring the awesome love of Christ to those in our community and our world. Those of us who consider flatirons our church home give with a generous and joyful heart to support this mission and the ministries of the church. Offering buckets are available at auditorium doors at the conclusion of each service.

Communion | For nearly 2000 years, followers of Jesus have used bread and wine/juice as symbols to remember that Jesus gave his own body and blood to pay for all of our mistakes and shortcomings. At flatirons, we frequently participate in communion together. On weekends that communion is not offered as part of our service, communion bread and wine (juice) may be found on tables at the rear of the auditorium. You are welcome to visit one of these tables anytime during today's service.

Prayer Requests | Prayer request cards are located at the communion tables. The flatirons Prayer Team would love to pray for your request or you can submit a request online at flatironschurch.com

BRiX | Building Relationships in Christ. For updates, resources, and info regarding our new building, visit the Info Center in the Lobby or check out flatironschurch.com/brix

Animals in Auditorium | We welcome certified service animals into our facility. **However, we ask that you keep all other pets at home.**

Distractions | To allow you and those around you to be more fully engaged in today's service, please turn off or mute all cell phones. Please use the Lobby area for any necessary conversations.

Sign Language Interpretation | Available at the front left section of the Auditorium at the Saturday 5:00pm service and Sunday 9:00am service. Interpreters are also available for most events and workshops upon request. Contact signlanguage@flatironschurch.com

This Weekend

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Jesus taught over and over that faith which leads to a better life is not simply a matter of believing the right set of religious facts or information. Life changing faith is about taking what you believe to be true about life and about God and APPLYING it to your daily circumstances. In this series, we are going to be looking at several of those key truths that, when applied, can actually make a difference in our lives.

Scripture

⁷The fear of the LORD is the beginning of knowledge, but fools despise wisdom and discipline.
Proverbs 1:7 (New International Version) Page 441

⁵Trust in the LORD with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding;

⁶in all your ways acknowledge him, and he will make your paths straight.
Proverbs 3:5-6 (New International Version) Page 442

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COMMUNITY CHURCH | 400 W South Boulder Road, Suite 100, Lafayette, CO 80026
Office: 303-664-5524 | flatironschurch.com
Weekend Services | Sat 5:00 & 6:30pm | Sun 9:00, 10:30, 11:55am | Merge 6:30pm
Mailing Address | 1376 Miners Dr., Suite 106, Lafayette, CO 80026

¹⁵Be very careful, then, how you live—not as unwise but as wise,¹⁶ making the most of every opportunity, because the days are evil.¹⁷ Therefore do not be foolish, but understand what the Lord's will is.
Ephesians 5:15-17 (New International Version) Page 813

1. In light of my _____, what is the wise thing to do?
2. In light of my _____, what is the wise thing to do?
3. In light of my _____ and _____, what is the wise thing to do?

Notes

Questions?

If after listening to today's service you have questions or just need to talk with someone, please come down to either side of the stage where there are people who would love to talk and pray with you.

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