## **Colorado Family Church May 2019 Highlights**

Michael Hentrich June 4, 2019



Dear families,

It's June already! We hope everyone had a good month of May and we'd like to take a few months a recap some of the local activities that happened.

First of all, we started off May with the 5th Annual Spring Refresh! Over 110 people came to work and play hard this year. Ben and Hwa Jeong prepared delicious Korean Tacos for everyone, we did a neighborhood trash pickup, and we did a lot of work around the church staining tables, painting the Under 4 Sunday School room, painting railings, fence building, and more! We tried for the first time to do a clothing swap, and we filled five tables full of clothes! If haven't already, check out the photos! It seems like everyone had a lot of fun and we definitely got a lot done.



That same week in Grand Junction, Gale Alves participated in an interfaith prayer for the National Day of Prayer with other religious leaders and faith representatives. This event received local media attention as a unique gathering of drew together a diverse group of people. You can read more about it here.



We also want to thank and recognize Alice Fleisher and Peggy Yujiri for attending the recent Blessed Family Ministry leadership retreat in Las Vegas. The Blessed Family Ministry deals with all things related to care and resources for marriage, the Blessing, and family life. We are grateful to both Peggy and Alice for being willing to learn new resources and become more effective in their efforts for our local community.



That same weekend, our young moms organized a beautiful Mother's Day celebration at the church, complete with heartfelt sharing, flowers, and deeply moving musical offerings.



Hisako Geschwind held a meeting with people who are working on Tribal Messiahship to share testimonies and help one another with using the website.



A half-day Divine Principle workshop was held on the 25th. Dr. Hentrich talk the workshop, which was an overview of the basic Divine Principle content. Thank you to the organizers, Krista Smith for emceeing, and we also had a couple college students who came and listened to the content that day.

Last but not least, as the final hours of the month were ticking away, a new baby joined our community. A big congratulations to Yongil and Mira and the whole Fleisher family. His name is Evan Bernhard Ohayve Hasadek Fleisher.



We had some great messages this month as we progressed through our series on "The Value of our Faith and Sharing It With Others". The final message of the month was on "Internal Truth and External Beauty" and was the unveiling of our exterior renovation plan, something we have been working on for quite some time. The slides are available online as well. Thank you all for your feedback and comments. If you missed any of them, you can watch them on our YouTube Channel or Facebook page.



We've done some beautification and maintenance work this month as well. This includes projects that were done or started during the Spring Refresh and that also continued throughout the month. You may have also noticed that we have new chairs in our dining room and the fence is nearly completed.



