

Colorado Family Church February Local Highlights

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Dear family,

February has come and gone, and although this month brought us some unexpected surprises and sadness, we also see many blessings on the horizon that we can be grateful for. Please enjoy below some of the local updates from our community this month.

CELEBRATING THE LIFE OF FUMIKO BRUNER



This month, we paid our respects and said goodbye to our dear sister Fumiko Bruner. Although we will miss her, we look forward to seeing her again in the spirit world where she is very close to our Heavenly Parent. You can watch the [recording](#) and see [photos](#) from the Seonghwa and Won Jeon ceremonies.

WELCOMING OUR NEW SUBREGIONAL DIRECTOR REV. THOMPSON AND HIS WIFE



We were blessed to receive a visit from our new Subregional Director, Rev. Kevin Thompson, as well as his wife Masako. Rev. Thompson shared a [great message](#), held a lively meet and greet time, and also came to support our Seonghwa for Fumiko Bruner. We look forward to many more visits in the future.

KICKING OFF YOUTH MINISTRY 2021



Our youth ministry team has been hard at work developing our education and Sunday School curriculum as well as upcoming activities, Il Shim program, and much, much more. We are so grateful for all their investment into our youth.

PLEDGE SERVICE FOR TRUE PARENTS' BIRTHDAY AND FOUNDATION DAY



We had a simple pledge service and offering table to celebrate some of our church's Holy Days. We celebrated our founders' birthdays and Foundation Day. Thank you to everyone that helped with the offering table and breakfast and to everyone that came and celebrated.

ONGOING INTERFAITH ACTIVITIES IN GRAND JUNCTION



Antonio and Gale Alves continued their ongoing interfaith efforts in Grand Junction this month with a sharing at the recent meeting of the Grand Valley Interfaith Network. In particular, Gale was able to share on our understanding of Jesus to all the eight faiths represented.



This month, we had messages on a variety of topics. Hopefully you found something valuable for yourself. If you missed any of them, you can find them all on our [Facebook page](#) and [Youtube channel](#). For quick reference, this month's recordings are below.

[Spiritual Laws Series: Give and Take](#)

[Rev. Thompson: Living Life 2.0 and 3.0](#)

[Spiritual Laws Series: The Process of Growth](#)

[Spiritual Laws Series: The Process of Growth 2](#)

WELCOMING NEW ADDITIONS TO THE COMMUNITY



Our community is so blessed to welcome our newest family from out-of-state. David and Arehta Fortune arrived in early February with their lovely daughters Leona and Adelina. They moved here from the Bay Area, California. Welcome!

CONTINUED RENOVATIONS AND IMPROVEMENTS

This month we focused the majority of our renovation efforts in our chapel. A considerable amount of electrical and a/v work was required to update our chapel with new retractable, drop-down tv screens. Lastly, we built and installed our final sound absorption panel in the cafe. Since the initial cafe renovation several years ago, we've had a number of complaints about the echo in this room. We are hopeful that these panels allow the room to be better used for its many activities.

