

This Week @ TLC:

Today, Aug. 10th: ***Ninth Sunday after Pentecost***

10 a.m. Worship

10:30 a.m.—12:30 p.m. Mission Breakfast for Casa de Fe:
pancakes & sausage (all free-will offering proceeds benefit an orphanage in Shell, Ecuador)

Help is needed putting chairs away (after the Mission Breakfast) to prepare the lower level for the 8/16 Rummage Sale.

Mon., Aug. 11th: *Pr. Diane's Sabbath*

Tues., Aug. 12th: **10 a.m.** Bible study @ Bridgeview Est.

10—10:45 a.m. Free food @ City Park for youth under 18 yrs. old;
this event sponsored by YMCA.

4:45 p.m. Christian Ed meeting **6:30 p.m.** Church Council

Wed., Aug. 13th: **9 a.m.** Quilters

Thurs., Aug. 14th: **10 a.m.** Shirley Hoff funeral @ St. Raphael chapel

Fri., Aug. 15th: **11 a.m.** Last day of Free sack lunches @ OSLC (*all ages*)

Sat., Aug. 16th: **8 a.m.—4 p.m.** Rummage Sale for Casa de Fe @ TLC
(*Coffee & rolls for sale in the morning*)

Next Sun., Aug. 17th: ***Tenth Sunday after Pentecost***

10 a.m. Worship/Holy Communion

11 a.m. Coffee fellowship (*Rose Wendt hosting*)



TLC 140th Anniversary Booklets are now available!

If you would like to receive a TLC 140th Anniversary booklet, you can pick one up at the church office or at back Sanctuary table.



School Supplies Needed!!

We are gathering items for Lutheran World Relief School Kits. Our goal this year is 80 kits in honor of LWR's 80th Anniversary. See items for needed items.

Ruler (with inches & centimeters) **Crayons** (16 or 24 count)

Ballpoint pens (no Gel; blue or black ink please)

Pencil sharpeners

Scissors (blunt ended only)

Notebooks (70-sheet)

Erasers (2.5")

Please do NOT donate items with these symbols: religious, military (including flag or camouflage), or group names. Please drop off items to TLC by **Sept. 30**.

GATHERING TO WORSHIP

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WELCOME TO WORSHIP! Welcome to you who are visitors among us; please sign our guest book, take a "Welcome" bag home, and do come worship with us again. *To those of you looking for a church home, we invite you to join this community of faith, as we seek to grow and serve in God's grace and love.*

***: Please stand, in body or spirit.**

Large print bulletins are available at the back table.

"Busy Bags" for small children's use during Worship on back hand rail.

GATHERING

Prelude

Welcome & Announcements

***Confession & Forgiveness**

L: Merciful God,

C: you free us to love others, but we neglect our neighbors and follow our own way. You lead us by the Spirit of joy and peace, but we turn away from the abundant life you offer. You surround us with patience, kindness, and generosity, but we grow weary in doing what is right. In your mercy, forgive us. Do not give up on us. Heal us, break our bonds, and show us the path of life. Amen.

***Gathering Hymn:** *"How Great Thou Art"* #856 ELW

***Apostolic Greeting (C: And also with you.)** p. 203 ELW

***Canticle of Praise:** *"Glory be to God in Heaven..."* p. 204 ELW

***Prayer of the Day** (*Today's Readings* insert)

WORD

First Reading: Genesis 15:1-6

Responsive Psalm Reading: Psalm 33:12-22

Second Reading: Hebrews 11:1-3,8-16

***Gospel Acclamation:** *"Good Soil"* #512 ELW

***Gospel Reading:** Luke 12:32-40

***Responses:** *"Glory to you, O LORD"/"Praise to you, O Christ."*

Sermon

Hymn of the Day: *"Will You Come & Follow Me"* #798 ELW

***Apostles' Creed** p. 105 ELW

Prayer Song: *"Spirit, Open My Heart"* text by Ruth Duck

Spirit, open my heart to the joy and pain of living.

As you love may I love, in receiving and in giving.

Spirit, open my heart.

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Prayers of Intercession: (P: God of grace; C: hear our prayer.)

THANKSGIVING

Our Tithes/Offerings to God

***Offertory Hymn:** *"Create in Me a Clean Heart"* #188 ELW

***Offertory Prayer**

***Lord's Prayer**

SENDING

***Blessing (C: Amen!)**

***Sending Hymn:** *"Soon & Very Soon"* #439 ELW

***P:** Go in peace. Live by the Spirit. **C: Thanks be to God!**

Postlude

In Our Thoughts/Prayers: Fam/Friends of Joie Heckman (funeral @ TLC on 8/06); F/f of Shirley Hoff (died 8/06; funeral 8/14, 10 a.m. @ St. Raphael chapel); Marleen Pytlik, AnnaMae Triebold, Michelle Carlblom, Don Clark, Sheila Miller (Jennifer Bacher's friend), Nicole Wieser, Jenny Morical; Casa de Fe; Peace

"Trinity Family" to pray for this week: Tyler & Cassandra O'Brien (Carter, Tristan), Lee & Rhonda Olsberg, Carol Olson

Our "Thanks!" to those who serve today:

Pastor: Rev. Diane Krumm

Accompanist: Diane Kracht

Greeter: Kim Wittenberg

Scripture Reader: Sharon Anundson

Ushers: Randy & Naomi Schlecht

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