

This Week @ TLC:

Today, July 3rd: **Fourth Sunday after Pentecost**

10 a.m. Worship/Holy Communion; Coffee fellowship after

Mon., July 4th/Independence Day: Church offices closed

Tues., July 5th: **10:30 a.m.** Bible study

Wed., July 6th: **9 a.m.** Quilters

Thurs., July 7th: **5:30 p.m.** Book Club in TLC Gathering Area

Next Sun., July 10th: **5th Sunday after Pentecost**

10 a.m. Worship/Special offering for Youth Missions

10:30 a.m.—1:30 p.m.: Mission breakfast for Casa de Fe
(free-will offering for orphanage in Ecuador)

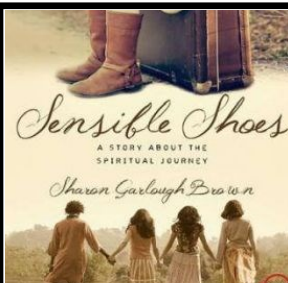
Coming up:

Pr. Robert will be on vacation July 11th-17th. If you have an emergency that requires pastoral care, please contact the TLC office or another ELCA pastor.

Tues., July 19th: **12 p.m.** WELCA

Sun., July 24th: WELCA Bake sale following Worship

Wed., July 27th: VC Crazy Days—WELCA will have a food booth in front of Valley Paint & Glass serving sweet rolls in the morning (beginning at 7 a.m.) & walking tacos (beginning at 10:30 a.m.).



Join us for another TLC Book Club!!!
July 7, 14, 21, 28: 5:30 p.m.
TLC Gathering Area

Sharon Garlough Brown tells the moving story of four strangers as they embark together on a journey of spiritual formation:

Hannah, a pastor who doesn't realize how exhausted she is.

Meg, a widow and recent empty-nester who is haunted by her past.

Mara, a woman who has experienced a lifetime of rejection and is now trying to navigate a difficult marriage.

Charissa, a hard-working graduate student who wants to get things right.

You're invited to join these four women as they reluctantly arrive at a retreat center and find themselves drawn out of their separate stories of isolation and struggle and into a collective journey of spiritual practice, mutual support and personal revelation.

Along the way, readers will be taken into a new understanding of key spiritual practices and find tangible support for the deeper life with God.

The deadline to order a book through the church has already expired, but you can still order the book yourself & attend the book club! Check on Amazon for availability.

GATHERING TO WORSHIP

July 3rd, 2022 - 10 a.m.

Fourth Sunday after Pentecost



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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: Merciful God, we confess that we have not followed your path but have chosen our own way. Instead of putting others before ourselves, we long to take the best seats at the table. When met by those in need, we have too often passed by on the other side. Set us again on the path of life. Save us from ourselves and free us to love our neighbors. Amen.

***Gathering Hymn:** "We All are One in Mission" #576 ELW

***Apostolic Greeting C: And also with you.**

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

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

WORD

First Reading: Isaiah 66:1-14

Responsive Psalm Reading: Psalm 66:1-9

Second Reading: Galatians 6:1-16

***Gospel Acclamation:** p. 205 ELW

***Gospel Reading:** Luke 10:1-11, 16-20

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

Sermon

Hymn of the Day: "Lord, You Give the Great Commission" #579 ELW

Apostles' Creed p. 104 ELW

Prayer Song: "Come, Bring Your Burdens to God" Text: Barbara Clark

Come, bring your burdens to God; come, bring your burdens to God;

Come, bring your burdens to God, for Jesus will never say no.

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Prayers of Intercession C: Hear our prayer.

MEAL

Our Tithes/Offerings to God

***Offertory Hymn:** "Let Justice Flow like Streams" #717 ELW

***Offertory Prayer**

***Great Thanksgiving**

p. 206-207 ELW

***Lord's Prayer**

p. 208 ELW

Holy Communion/Kneel or stand at Communion rail



All are welcome to join us in celebrating the Sacrament of Holy Communion, believing the Risen Christ is present with us in the bread and wine, assuring us of GOD's love and forgiveness.

Please receive the bread in your hand and place your empty cup in the side basket. Gluten-free bread/juice are available. If to be served in your pew, please raise your hand after pianist is served.

***Post-Communion Prayer**

SENDING

***Blessing C: Amen!**

***Sending Hymn:** "To Be Your Presence" #546 ELW

***P: Go in peace... C: Thanks be to God!**

Postlude

IN OUR THOUGHTS/PRAYERS: Family/Friends of **Bob Pearson**, (died 6/19; funeral @ TLC on 6/23); **Cindy Schaefer, Ethel Heckman, Kate Lehr** (Pat Beil's grand-niece); **TLC Call Cmte.; our Country & Public leaders; Casa de Fe orphanage (Ecuador); Our ELCA/Synod** (Presiding Bishop Eaton/Rev. Tessa Moon Leiseth); **Missionaries, Diplomats, people of Ukraine, PEACE**

"TRINITY FAMILY" TO PRAY FOR THIS WEEK: Joie Heckman, Margaret Heise, Chad Henningsgard, John Hill, Phillip Hill

Our "THANKS!" to those who serve today:

Scripture reader/Communion Assistant: Kathy Hoefs

TLC Council Greeter & Usher: Kim Wittenberg

Accompanist: Amy Anderson



Ushers, scripture readers, coffee fellowship hosts needed!

If you are able to help on a particular Sunday morning, please sign up at the back sanctuary table (next to sound system cabinet). Thanks for your help!