

This Week @ TLC:

Today, Jan. 22nd: **Third Sunday after Epiphany**

9 a.m. Sunday School (PreK-gr. 6)

10 a.m. Worship

11 a.m. Annual meeting of TLC; potluck meal afterwards.

Mon., Jan. 23rd: *Pr. Diane's Sabbath*

Tues., Jan. 24th: **10:30 a.m.** Bible Study; *Feb. newsletter articles due*

Wed., Jan. 25th: **9 a.m.** Quilters **3:30—5 p.m.** Kids Club @ Faith

6:30—8 p.m. Confirmation class @ OSLC

Next Sun., Jan. 29th: **Fourth Sunday after Epiphany**

9 a.m. Sunday School (PreK-gr.6)

10 a.m. Worship

11 a.m. Coffee fellowship (*Thanks for hosting, Margaret Heise!*)

Coming up:

Thurs., Feb. 9th: Giving Hearts Day (*more info to come!*)



Food, glorious food... It is probably no surprise that Confirmation students are hungry after a day of school (and sports practice). Faith and Our Saviors Churches have graciously fed the students sandwiches and snacks. When Trinity

begins hosting confirmation class in February, let's do the same. Donations of money or individually packaged snacks would be greatly appreciated. For more info, contact Rebecca or Pastor Diane.



New offering booklets (for 2023) are now available for pick up at the back sanctuary table next to sound system cabinet.



First Communion classes for 5th graders will be starting Feb. 1st. If you, or someone you know, is interested please contact Pr. Diane.

GATHERING TO WORSHIP

January 22, 2023

Third Sunday after Epiphany



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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: Holy One, source of our renewal, we confess that we are wrapped up in sin, and cannot free ourselves. We have not practiced your righteousness. Our hearts have turned away from you. For the sake of the world you so love, forgive us, that we may be reconciled to one another for the glory of your holy name. Amen.

***Gathering Hymn:** “*The Church’s One Foundation*” #654 ELW

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

***Canticle of Praise:** “*Glory to God in the Highest*” p. 148 ELW

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

WORD

First Reading: Isaiah 9:1-4

Responsive Psalm Reading: Psalm 27:1, 4-9

Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 1:10-18

***Gospel Acclamation:** “*Alleluia. Lord, to whom shall we go?*” p. 151

***Gospel Reading:** Matthew 4:12-23

***Responses:** “*Glory to you, O Lord*”/“*Praise to you, O Christ.*”

Sermon

Hymn of the Day: “*You Have Come Down to the Lakeshore*” #817 ELW

***Apostles’ Creed** p. 105 ELW

Prayer Song: “*Lord, Listen to Your Children Praying*” text by Ken Medema
Lord, listen to your children praying, Lord, send your Spirit in this Place; Lord, listen to your children praying, send us love, send us pow’r, send us grace.

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Prayers of Intercession C: **Receive our prayer.**

THANKSGIVING

Our Tithes/Offerings to God

***Offertory Hymn:** “*Create in Me*” #186 ELW

***Offertory Prayer**

***Lord’s Prayer**

SENDING

***Blessing** C: **Amen!**

***Sending Hymn:** “*O Jesus, I Have Promised*” #810 ELW

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

Postlude

In Our Thoughts/Prayers: Inez McCrea, Gloria Wittenberg, Linda Westby, Chad Henningsgard, LaVonne Lawrence, Joe Jongeward; our Country & Public leaders; Casa de Fe orphanage (Ecuador); Our ELCA/Synod (Presiding Bishop Eaton/Rev. Tessa Moon Leiseth); Our military women/men (Steve Frizell); Missionaries, Diplomats; Peace

“Trinity Family” to pray for this week: Marge Bessette, Elaine Beyer, Marla Boom, Marshall & Ashley Boom (Mercer, Korbyn)



Our “Thanks!” to those who serve today:

Scripture reader: Randy Schlecht **Accompanist:** Naomi Schlecht

Ushers: Shawn & Kim Wittenberg

Thank you to all who brought a food dish to share for our potluck meal today and to those who set up or worked in the kitchen!!

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