

# Prayers

## Prayer Concerns

Dave Merrill  
Dunwiddie Family  
Jane Kinyon  
Keith Senn  
Joel Wigstadt  
Larry Granger  
Tim Wuennecke  
Barb Halverson  
Irene Johnson  
Kevin Erickson  
Judy Dill  
Terry Bonertz  
Jerry Hanson  
Doug Ball  
Ray Jones  
Don Lapp  
Carl Nyberg  
Daryl Ulferts  
Jean Nyberg  
Kris Augdahl Church

## Serving in the military

Jamie Lindman  
Max Stenbeck  
Nick Erickson  
Derek Davis  
Brooks Moldestad  
Tijaun Scott  
James Gunderson



## Missionaries

Irene Amon  
Steven & Bethany Friberg  
Philip Nushann

## Sympathy to

Judy & John Gozola and family and Robert & Diane Banik on the death of mother, Margie Banik .

Prayers of sympathy to David & Karla Torp, Alex and Maria on the death of David's mother, Karen Torp.

Transfiguration welcomes all who seek to experience the joy of God's love and grace. We welcome all because God welcomes all: people of every race, culture, sexual orientation, gender identity and relationship status. Our unity is in Christ. Therefore we walk with each other through addictions, physical and mental illness, legal and socio-economic circumstances and other life challenges.

**ALL ARE WELCOME HERE.**

TLC Foundation  
**Memorial Garden**  
www.tlcmemorial.com

A place of peace and reflection, honoring and remembering those close to our hearts. Tributes cover the years 2012 to present.

## TLC Staff

Ed Treat	Pastor
Arthur Murray	Pastor
Grace Pardun Alworth	Intern Pastor
Rob Reid	Director of Music
Pete Erickson	Interim Youth Minister
Marilyn Erickson	Care Ministry
Molly Schuh	Finance Team
Karen Daniels	Organist
Carmen Englert	Organist
Mary George	Vocalist, Choir Assistant
Phetsamone Ekholm	Pianist
Michelle Reber	Church Administrator
Barb Wigstadt	Director ELC
Diane Lehman	Wedding & Funeral Coordinator
Brad Nolte	TLC Media



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# This Week at TLC

## Monday, 21 - Friday, 25

TLC Office Closed

ELC Open Monday – Friday 6:00am – 6:00pm

**ALL MEETINGS CANCELLED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE**

Check the website calendar for ZOOM planned meetings.

## Sunday, 27

10:00 WORSHIP/COMMUNION SERVICE ONLINE

# SCHOOL SPIRIT TASTES GREAT



Make dinner a selfless act by joining us for a fundraiser to support TLC Early Learning Center. Come in to the Chipotle at **10629 France Ave S** in Bloomington on **Sunday, September 27th** between **4:00pm** and **8:00pm**. Bring in this flyer, show it on your smartphone or tell the cashier you're supporting the cause to make sure that 33% of the proceeds will be donated to TLC Early Learning Center.

**Your online ordering code is MK8NCV**

TLC Early Learning Center Fundraiser

09/27/2020

4:00pm to 8:00pm

10629 France Ave. S.

- 1 Access the Chipotle app or order on our website.
- 2 Choose "Pickup" and select the location of the restaurant which is hosting the TLC-ELC fundraiser.  
*Delivery orders or orders placed through other apps will not be counted towards your fundraiser.*
- 3 Build your order with all your faves.
- 4 Once you're ready to place your order, input your unique online fundraiser code at "Enter a promo code" section. Don't forget to click "Apply."
- 5 Provide payment information and submit your order for pickup (not delivery). *Reminder, pickup must be within the hours of your scheduled fundraiser.*

Photos & Videos in Church

Our worship services are public events, all are welcome. Services are captured on video live-stream, recorded and photographed for a variety of social media applications.

TRANSFIGURATION LUTHERAN CHURCH

11000 FRANCE AVE. SOUTH, BLOOMINGTON, MN 55431

# Sixteenth Sunday after Pentecost

September 20, 2020

10:00am Worship

## Gathering in Grace

**Prelude** – Tis A Gift to Be Simple John A. Behnke

Karen Daniels, organist

**Welcome/Living Our Faith** – Intern Pastor Grace Pardun Alworth

**Time for Children** – based on a lesson from the Book of Jonah

**Hymn 733** – Great Is Thy Faithfulness

**Greeting/Prayer of the Day**

**God Moment** – Becky Woll

## Growing in Faith

**Psalmody** – Psalm 145 Cantor – Jill Reid

**Gospel** – Matthew 20:1-16

**Message** – Intern Pastor Grace Pardun Alworth

**Hymn 659** – Will You Let Me Be Your Servant

**Apostles' Creed**

**Prayers of the People**

**Healing Prayers**

**Giving with Joy** – Voices Raised to You (Hymn 845; arr. Carolyn Jennings)

TLC Chancel Choir; Rob Reid, Director

TLC Brass Choir; Karen Daniels, Director and Organist

(Archive Recording from 9/9/2018)

## Setting the Table of Grace

**Confession and Forgiveness**

**Jesus' Words at the Table/Lord's Prayer**

**Receiving of Communion**

**Song** – I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say...Come Unto Me and Rest

(Hymn 611, arr. Anne Krentz Organ)

The Socially-Distanced Handbell Quartet:

Gaylen Pirri, Jill Reid, Marilyn Rundberg, Ryan Hanish

Karen Daniels, pianist

**Blessing/Prayer**

## Going Forth to Serve

**Benediction**

**Hymn 538** – The Lord Now Sends Us Forth

**Sending Forth**

**Postlude** – Jesu, Jesu, Fill Us with Your Love (Anne Krentz Organ)

Karen Daniels, organ

Rob Reid, percussion and Jill Reid, flute

# Welcome

Welcome to on-line worship at Transfiguration Lutheran Church.

If interested in membership, please call the church office.

**Pastors and staff are praying for you.** Until we gather again at TLC, please send prayer concerns to Marilyn Erickson at [merickson@tlcmn.com](mailto:merickson@tlcmn.com)



Former TLC Youth and Family Minister, Ben Cherland, is being ordained as a pastor in the ELCA this Saturday, September 19 at 6:00pm! Congratulations, Ben!

Ben would love to have TLC folks join him online for the event. Please show him your support. Monetary gifts and/or cards may be sent to the church.

We will be sure to get them to Ben.

The Zoom link is here: **878 0845 5510**

## September



**Lutheran Social Service**  
of Minnesota

In 1865, Swedish Lutheran Pastor Eric Norelius of Vasa Lutheran Church, near Red Wing, heard about four orphaned immigrant children in need of care with no one to provide it. Pastor Norelius drove a wagon to St. Paul, brought them to his home in Red Wing and thus began something that has spread throughout every corner of Minnesota, known today as **Lutheran Social Services of Minnesota**.

LSS has an annual budget of more than \$98 million, received from individuals' and congregations across the state and funding by the State of Minnesota.

A total of 25 different programs reach out in the name of Christ, to provide loving care and concern for people in all kinds of situations. With the outbreak of Covid 19 there are many people who have fallen into need.

There will be a Virtual Celebration Saturday September 19, 2020, with a Virtual Reception at 6:45PM and Livestream at 7:30PM. You can RSVP at [LSSMN.ORG/Celebration](http://LSSMN.ORG/Celebration) or please contact TCL's Ambassador for LSS Terry Bonertz to join the Virtual Celebration or to Donate:

Terry Bonertz - TCL's Ambassador for LSS

612-491-4311

[terry@involveit.com](mailto:terry@involveit.com)

## Life at TLC

Activities that share the life at TLC have been cancelled until further notice.

All events at TLC have been cancelled until further notice.

Please continue to remember your contributions to TLC as you can during this period. Despite the canceling of activities, we still have expenses and utilities that need to continue, as well as salaries to pay.

**CHURCH OFFICE IS CLOSED.** We will continue to update you as the situation changes. In the meantime, if you have questions, please email or call the office and leave a message on the extension of the person you would like to talk with.

You're invited!

## StewardshipFest Sharing is Caring

Kick off Stewardship Season with your TLC family at the annual StewardshipFest! There will be brats and hotdogs, beverages, live polka music from John Rosenow, and treats for the kids.

Where: TLC Parking Lot

When: Friday October 2, 2020

Time: 5:00pm-6:30pm

Register for this event by emailing

Hildred at [hdungan@comcast.net](mailto:hdungan@comcast.net)



## TLC Youth Announcements

**TLC Children, Youth and Family Listening/Learning Events : September 22, 23, 24 at 6:30pm (Please attend ONE)**

You are invited to share your hopes, dreams and ideas with the TLC CYF Vision Team as they discern the next phase of life in Children, Youth, and Family Ministry!

One product out of the Holy Cow Survey Process was the dream of greater engagement of children, youth and families. The TLC Vision Team will facilitate three listening/learning events to encourage the congregation to articulate those hopes and dreams more specifically. There will be one event for families with children (Pre-K – 6<sup>th</sup> grade), one event for families of youth (7<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup>), and one event for the whole congregation.

Here are the dates of the Listening/Learning Events:

September 22 at 6:30pm (Families with Pre-K through 6<sup>th</sup> graders)

September 23 at 6:30pm (Families with Youth 7<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> graders)

September 24 at 6:30pm (All Congregation Members)

If you cannot make a specific date that best fits your family needs, no worries, feel free to jump into any of the dates. ALL LISTENING/LEARNING EVENTS WILL TAKE PLACE ON ZOOM. A ZOOM LINK WILL BE POSTED ON FB AND THE CHURCH WEBSITE CLOSER TO THE EVENTS. Please join us to make your voice heard in this formative process.



**Bible Study with Grace** Wednesday evenings, at 7:00pm on Zoom. The study meets weekly (no end date scheduled at this time). Check The Weekly for meeting ID and password.



**Give now  
for wildfire relief**

Imagine you're home and you hear a knock at the door. An official tells you to pack your essentials and evacuate, as a wildfire is speeding toward you. This is the situation many of our neighbors in the western part of the country are facing right now.

Fueled by a heat wave and unfavorable winds, devastating wildfires are raging across California, Oregon, Washington and other western states. At least 20 people have died, hundreds of thousands of people are under evacuation orders and more than 3.5 million acres have burned across the three states. Some evacuees face the difficult decision of whether to stay in a shelter during the COVID-19 pandemic.

Lutheran Disaster Response is engaging with at least three Lutheran social services agencies and five synods to assess the situation and determine the best ways to respond.

**Your gifts will support wildfire survivors. Gifts to "U.S. wildfires" will be used in full (100%) to assist those affected by wildfires until the response is complete.**

Checks or money orders can be sent to:

**Lutheran Disaster Response, P.O. Box 1809 Merrifield, VA 22116-8009**

Write "U.S. wildfires" on your check memo line.

Give by phone at **800-638-3522** or [online](#)