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A MESSAGE FROM PASTOR JEANIE



Dear Ones,

I know how Paul must have felt when he wrote these words to the Church of Philippi, "I thank my God every time I remember you." It has been five long months since we were together in person. Our Council together with the Worship Team has been working, praying, discerning, reading, Zooming, and praying even more to determine when it is in the best interest of our

congregation to begin worshipping again in person. We believe that time is now.

Our first outdoor worship service will be on Sunday, August 9th at 10:00AM!

We understand that there is a wide spectrum of risk and comfort level in our congregation. In order to honor those who are not able to meet together, we will be continuing an online worship. Although the building has been locked, the church has never been closed and worship has never been prohibited. If you are in an "at risk" group or if you are not able or willing to join us outdoors for any reason, we encourage you to continue to worship with us online!

*With Love and Courage, "For Such a Time as This."
Pastor Jeanie
Ph: (916)996-6236*

TLPC outdoor worship will be very casual. We are planning for meaningful and enjoyable worship; however, the experience will be somewhat different from what we are accustomed to. **To learn what to expect and how to prepare prior to attending outdoor worship, please click the button below to view a list of instructions and**

YOUR CHURCH OFFERING

We are hoping you are able to continue your regular weekly offering. We also ask you to prayerfully consider an additional contribution to help TLPC cover it's expenses. Giving is easy! Click the button below to give now... Thank you for your faithfulness!!

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STAYING IN TOUCH (WITHOUT TOUCHING)

Click the button below for a list of who to contact at TLPC.

TLPC CONTACTS

guidelines... It's important you review this list before attending. Thank you!

OUTDOOR WORSHIP GUIDE

OPERATION GRATITUDE & SUPPORT

Next week we will continue to share our gratitude to the Emergency Day Respite Center, the new resource center that combines many of the ministries of the Food and Resource Support Center and the Emergency Warming Center. We will be creating gratitude bags for the five staff members of the Respite Center as well as praying for and writing notes to the five staff. Notes of gratitude can be written to:

**Cathie Foley
Church of The Mountains
10069 Church St.
Truckee, CA 96161**

In addition, Cathie has shared that the Center is in need of prepackaged snacks. Prepackaged peanut butter crackers, small packets of tuna fish, and crackers or small bags of chips are especially needed. Gently used warm weather clothing and shoes are also needed. Donations can be dropped off at the Respite Center, downstairs in the Veterans Hall on Tuesdays, Thursdays, or Fridays between 10:00 and 2:00.

Race Equity Challenge

Please Join Us!

How can we work to "unite all things in Christ" (Ephesians 1:10)? Please join us in 21 days of reading articles, listening to podcasts, and watching short videos leading to a greater understanding of racial tensions in our nation. The challenge is very flexible, simply choose one of the resources each day for 21 days. Additional information, is displayed on the right side of the TLPC website home page or by clicking the button below.

Race Equity Challenge

UPCOMING EVENTS AT TLPC

Everyone needs God's word and comfort... Please consider forwarding links to worship services to your friends and neighbors!

Sunday, August 2

- 10:00 am: Worship and Holy Communion - Pastor Jeanie preaches this week; her sermon is entitled "I Am The Bread of Life." You can view this week's service and bulletin by clicking the buttons below.

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- 10:30 am: Prayers of the People and fellowship via an on-line Zoom Meeting. A link to the Zoom Meeting will be emailed to you.

Tuesday, August 4

- 7:00 pm: Together Tuesday. An opportunity for fellowship via an on-line Zoom Meeting. Instructions for participating in the Zoom Meeting will be emailed to you prior to the meeting.

Wednesday, August 6

Sunday, August 9

- **10:00 am: Worship and Holy Communion online or outdoors at 11662 Hope Court!**

Gifts From Our Presbytery and Synod

Both of our denominations have given TLPC funds that Council has decided to use toward improving our communication and technology capabilities! The Nevada Presbytery gave each congregation \$2000 and the Sierra Pacific Synod (ELCA) awarded TLPC a \$1,500 Technology Development Grant. This money will be used to improve our worship and communication capabilities, including improving the newsletter (we hope you like the new format!) and purchasing improved recording equipment for online worship services. Thank you to both the Presbytery and Synod and praise God!

Closing Thoughts

The King will reply, "I tell you the truth, whatever you did for one of the least of these brothers and sisters of mine, you did for me." Matthew 25:40

As part of *Operation Gratitude & Support*, please add a petition to your daily prayers this week for the staff of the Emergency Day Respite Center and for those who are homeless in our community.

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If you have requests for announcements to be included in future editions of TLPC NEWS, or if you have ideas on additional topics to be included in future issues or ways we can improve, please call or email Mark Heyne: 612.741.9119 / office@tlpc.org Thank you!

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