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A MESSAGE FROM PASTOR JEANIE



Have you ever been listening to the news or reading the newspaper when you come upon a story that makes you feel like you have been punched in the stomach? That happened to me the other day when I read an article from the Presbyterian Church News Service about our Stated Clerk, the Reverend Dr. J. Herbert Nelson. As Stated Clerk, Rev. Nelson holds the highest office in our denomination. It is his job to speak for the Presbyterian Church. He is a man of deep and

informed faith, absolute integrity, and is, in my opinion, the best preacher of this century. I had the honor of serving with J. Herbert and his wife in Puerto Rico in the aftermath of Hurricane Maria. He was the speaker at a preachers conference that I organized at Zephyr Point last year. I know him well.

The article that so upset me was about an incident that Rev. Nelson experienced while speaking at a youth conference at Buena Vista University in Iowa, where he was pulled over by the police and questioned. **To learn about what happened to this incredible man of God, you can read the article by clicking the button below.**

It has been 75 days since George Floyd was killed. Citizens were outraged and there were peaceful protests in our own community. I know that I had high hopes that this time it would be different, that we as a nation would come together and face the sin and systematic racism in our nation. 75 days.

This is a very important topic for all people, but especially those of us who follow Jesus. **This Tuesday at 7:00 pm during our Together Tuesday Zoom meeting, we will be sharing our thoughts on racism. Please read this article and join us Tuesday evening for a brave space to discuss this critical topic.**

Blessings and Courage,
Pastor Jeanie

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 its 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

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Read the Article

OUTDOOR WORSHIP STARTS SUNDAY, AUGUST 9 AT 10:00 AM!

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

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!

OUTDOOR WORSHIP GUIDE

OPERATION GRATITUDE & SUPPORT

TLPC's Operation Gratitude & Support is making a difference in our community! To learn more about the impact your prayers and support have had, please click the button below to read an article that has been submitted to local newspapers.

Operation Gratitude & Support

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 9

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

Pastor Jeanie preaches this week; her sermon is entitled "Take Heart." You can view this week's service and bulletins by clicking the buttons below.

[VIEW ONLINE WORSHIP SERVICES](#)

[ONLINE BULLETIN](#)

OUTDOOR BULLETIN

Tuesday, August 11

- 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 12

- 6:00 pm: TLPC Council Meeting. All are welcome to attend... Please email mheyne8@gmail.com to request a link to the Zoom meeting.

Sunday, August 16

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

Closing Thoughts

Come, let us bow down in worship, let us kneel before the Lord our Maker. Psalm 95:6

Please join us in worship this Sunday - online or outdoors!

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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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