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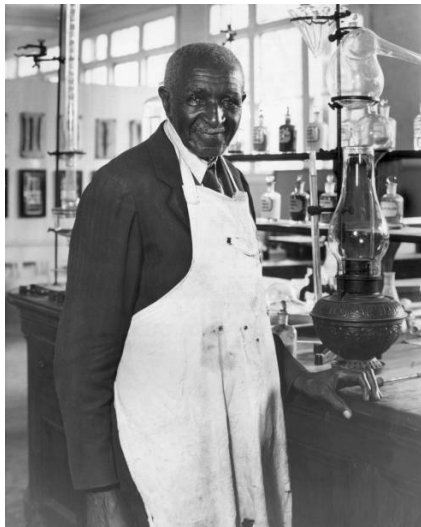
Follow Jesus. Love All. Serve Others.

TLPC NEWS



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A MESSAGE FROM PASTOR PAT



Admirable: George Washington Carver

While serving as a science professor at the Tuskegee Institute, GWC saw a problem to address: cotton farmers were “wearing out” their soil and were no longer able to grow cotton. The nitrogen was depleted, and an economy based on cotton was in peril.

There was a plant known for its ability to fix nitrogen into the soil—the humble peanut—but farmers were unwilling to plant it because there was no market for peanuts. Carver began experimenting with peanuts, trying to find as many uses as possible for the nuts, the oil, and even the shells. His tenacity was rewarded with dozens and dozens of uses for peanuts, and farmers began to plant them. They replenished the nitrogen into the soil, and the cotton industry was saved!

And can you imagine your life without peanuts today? It's next to impossible, right? We owe these wonderful blessings to this Christian man who used his considerable intellect and work ethic to solve a huge problem!

Faithfully,
Pastor Pat
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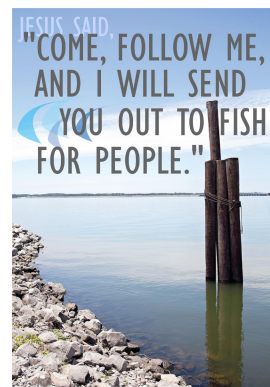
Please Join Us In Worship Tomorrow Morning at 9:00 AM

Pastor Pat Mecham will be leading us in worship tomorrow at **9:00 am**.

We will hear about the time Jesus went fishing. And, we will learn what Jesus does when asked to leave a sinner.

Pastor Pat's sermon is titled:
"Fishing with Jesus."

Please join us at 9:00 am in-person or on Zoom!



TLPC's Annual Congregational Meeting



SAVE THE DATE!

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 23
9:30 AM at
10079 Church Street
(immediately after the
9:00 am worship service)

TLPC's Annual Congregational Meeting will be held Sunday, February 23 in the church sanctuary at 10079 Church Street immediately after an abbreviated 9:00 am worship service
Your attendance is important...

All TLPC members and friends are invited and encouraged to attend!

In addition to discussing important congregational topics and concerns, congregation members will be voting to approve the 2025 TLPC budget.

The meeting agenda and TLPC's 2024 Annual Report (including the 2024 year-end financial results and the 2025 budget) will be emailed to you prior to February 23.

We're looking forward to seeing you on Sunday, February 23!

TLPC KIDS & YOUTH!

Information, worship and faith formation resources
for kids, youth, and parents



As parents, we want to make sure our children have all the opportunities to achieve their best in

school, experience athletic teams, follow their dreams and interests in music, dance, science, and art, and to have quality family time! At TLPC, we want to partner with you to ensure that your children have a strong spiritual foundation as well.

You can view and print this week's Sunday School activities by clicking the buttons below:

[Sunday School Materials for Pre-Readers](#)

[Sunday School Materials for Readers](#)



UPCOMING EVENTS AT TLPC

Everyone needs God's word and comfort... Please invite your friends, relatives, and neighbors to worship with us!

Sunday, February 9

- **9:00 am: Sunday Worship and Holy Communion on Zoom or in-person at 10079 Church Street. Pastor Pat Mecham will be preaching; his sermon is titled, "Fishing with Jesus."**
- **10:30 am: "Speaking the Truth in Love" Book Study downstairs at 10079 Church Street.**

You can view this week's service and bulletin by clicking the buttons below:

IN-PERSON BULLETIN (PLEASE VIEW ON A MOBILE DEVICE OR PRINT AND BRING WITH YOU TO THE 9:00 AM IN-PERSON SERVICE)

PLEASE NOTE: TLPC has a new link to view Sunday morning worship services on Zoom. If you have "bookmarked" the old link, please replace it with the new link accessed by clicking the "WORSHIP ON ZOOM" button below.

You can worship with us on Zoom by clicking the button below on Sunday at 9:00 am Pacific Time:

WORSHIP ON ZOOM

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If you are unable to attend in-person or on Zoom, you will find hundreds of beautiful and meaningful worship services videoed over the last three years by clicking the VIEW ONLINE WORSHIP SERVICES button below. Please choose the one that corresponds to the calendar, a favorite, or one you have missed... and continue to worship with us online!

VIEW ONLINE WORSHIP SERVICES

Wednesday, February 12

- **10:30 am: Men's Bible Study via Zoom** - All are welcome! Please contact Mark Heyne (mheyne8@gmail.com) for more info. **You can attend via Zoom by clicking the "ATTEND MEN'S BIBLE STUDY" button below at 10:30 am on Wednesday:**

ATTEND MEN'S BIBLE STUDY

- **6:30 pm: TLPC Council Meeting via Zoom** - All are welcome to attend - You can attend via Zoom by clicking the "ATTEND COUNCIL MEETING" button below at 6:30 pm on Wednesday:

ATTEND COUNCIL MEETING

Sunday, February 16

- **9:00 am: Worship and Holy Communion on Zoom or in-person at 10079 Church Street. Pastor Stanley Pesis will be preaching.**
- **10:30 am: "Speaking the Truth in Love" Book Study downstairs at 10079 Church Street.**

CLOSING THOUGHTS



Once again, the kingdom of heaven is like a net that was let down into the lake and caught all kinds of fish.

Matthew 13:47

Are you ready to help Jesus "fish"?

PRAYER REQUESTS

We would like to pray for you! Please call or email Marie Colbert and indicate if your request is confidential or if you would like the Prayer Team or the congregation to pray for you:

marcolbert@gmail.com

STAYING IN TOUCH

Are you looking for a way to contact us? Please click the button below for a list of who to contact at TLPC:

TLPC CONTACTS

mariejunc@gmail.com

*Rejoice in hope, be patient in tribulation,
be constant in prayer. Romans 12:12*

YEAR END 2024 FINANCIAL RESULTS

REVENUES = \$128,445 Actual (compared to
Budget of \$150,000)
EXPENDITURES = \$86,464 Actual (compared
to Budget of \$148,570)
SURPLUS/DEFICIT = (surplus) \$41,981

Thank you for your faithfulness!

GIVE NOW

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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 support TLPC's mission to "*Follow Jesus. Love All. Serve Others.*" in Truckee and across the globe. Giving is easy! Click the button below to give now... Thank you for your faithfulness!

GIVE TO TLPC

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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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