

OCTOBER
2018

THE Beacon

ALL
NEW!



New Bulletin:



We are pleased to announce our new bulletin format. Not only does this new booklet include the order of worship, but you will also find helpful resources

such as a **notes page**, **weekly devotion guide**, **full spread announcements & ads**, and a **staff directory**. We are sure that this will be a great new way for us to engage with one another throughout each sermon series! Bulletins will also be available online at: tlumc.org/sermons

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Upcoming Events

October 2018

This calendar is just an “at a glance” of our monthly schedule. For a complete list of events and activities, please visit tlumc.org/calendar

Tues	October 2nd	Church Council	6:30 PM
Sat	October 6th	EPG Meeting	9:00 AM
Sat	October 13th	CPR Training	8:00 AM
Mon	October 15th	XLT (Night of Worship)	6:30 PM
Tues	October 16th	Outpouring	7:00 PM
Sat	October 20th	UMM Breakfast	8:30 PM
Sat	October 20th	TLUMC Missions Night & Tri-Tip Dinner	5:30 PM
Tues	October 23rd	Finance Committee	6:30 PM
Thurs	October 25th	**Be Still: A Day-long Retreat for Women	9:00 AM
Thurs	October 25th	Board of Trustees	6:30 PM
Sat	October 27th	**Prime Timer Potluck	5:30 PM
Mon	October 29th	UMC Way Forward Information Meeting	7:00 PM

WELCOME TO TRI-LAKES UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

TRI-LAKES UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
20256 Hunting Downs Way, Monument, CO 80132
719.488.1365 - tlumc.org

Sunday Worship Service Times
8:00 AM - Traditional Worship in Sanctuary
9:30 AM - Contemporary Worship in Sanctuary
11:00 AM - Traditional Worship in Sanctuary

Sermons are available to watch/listen at tlumc.org,
or on the TLUMC App, available for Android and iPhone

Sunday school classes are at 9:30 AM for all ages.

Considering Membership @ TLUMC?
Visit tlumc.org/membership or
call 719.488.1365 for more information.

Want your article in our next Newsletter?
All content for inclusion in the November Beacon is
due by October 15th. Please visit tlumc.org/forms and
complete the Communications Request form to
submit your articles.

All content is subject to approval.

Thank you!



NEW OFFICE HOURS

STARTING OCTOBER 1ST

SUNDAY

8:00 AM - 1:00 PM

MONDAY - THURSDAY

8:30 AM - 12:00 PM

1:00 - 4:30 PM

FRIDAY & SATURDAY

CLOSED



MISSIONS

NIGHT & DINNER

GUEST SPEAKERS & TRI-TIP

OCTOBER 20TH

5:30 PM

TLUMC Missions Night and Tri-Tip Dinner - October 20 at 5:30pm - Join us for an evening of great food and celebrating missions at TLUMC! Our United Methodist Men will be grilling their famous Tri-Tip dinner and, after dinner, we'll have a time of learning about two key mission projects our church supports. We're excited to announce that our friends from Kenya, Josiah and Sarah Kirusuah, will be here with us to say "thank you" for our efforts in helping to build a new church in the Masai village of Oloilele and to update us on their current projects in ministry among the Masai people. Our Romania team will supply dessert that evening and give some testimony about their trip this past summer. It's going to be a great evening, so plan to join us!



New Sermon Series

October 7th Through November 26

John Wesley defined a Methodist as one who “has the love of God shed abroad in his heart by the Holy Ghost given unto him.” For Wesley and for the Apostle Paul, the key to living the Christian life is be led by the Holy Spirit and, if we’re living that life, it will be known in the “fruit” we produce--the fruit of the Spirit. In this sermon series, our pastors will take a deep dive into the “nine essentials” of the Christian life: love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, and self-control. Join us to learn how you can cultivate this fruit in your life and learn to walk in the way of the Spirit!

Wesley Heritage

April 30-May 8, 2019



2019 England Travel Study Program
More Information - tlumc.org/wesley

UMC Way Forward Information Meeting

**October 29th
7:00 PM**

UMC Way Forward Information Meeting - Monday, October 29th at 7:00 PM. The United Methodist Church is at a crossroads as a denomination over issues of doctrine, biblical authority, and human sexuality. In February 2019, the denomination's General Conference will meet in a special session to determine the way forward. In this information session, Pastor Bob Kaylor will outline the various proposals before the General Conference and answer questions related to the UMC and how actions at General Conference might affect our church in the months ahead. All are welcome to attend.

HEARTSAVER CPR/AED & FIRST AID TRAINING



**OCTOBER 13, 2018
8:00AM - 4:00PM @ TLUMC
COST - \$30.00**

(Cost includes course, completion card, and book)

**Register Online @
tlumc.org/registration**

Children's Ministry

NURSERY is available for infants - pre-school age children for all three Sunday worship services from 7:45 AM - 12:15 PM.

CHILDREN'S SUNDAY SCHOOL

begins September 9, 2018 @ 9:30-10:30am.

Nursery - 4 year olds meet in Nursery/Preschool Area

K - 6th graders meet in Faith Forest

A graphic of a tree with green leaves and brown roots. The roots are stylized to form the words 'TLUMC' and 'ROOTS' in a large, bold, black font. The background is a light brown wood grain.

Attention 5th & 6th Graders!

ROOTS - the TLUMC Group for 5th & 6th Graders.
Games, Fun, Fellowship. Bring a Friend!

Fall Schedule:

Sundays 5:00-7:00PM Room #104

September: 23rd
October: 14th & 18th
November: 11th & 25th
December: 9th (Christmas Party)

For more info contact Nancy: ce@tlumc.org

All children are invited:

Costume Parade and Treats

Meet at Bethesda Gardens

Assisted Living and Memory Care

55 Beacon Lite Road

Saturday October 27 2:30-3:30pm

Please come in costume and bring a bag to collect candy - we will parade through the hallways and Trick or Treat at the residents rooms.

Please bring a treat to share with the residents after the parade.

Questions ? Contact Nancy - ce@tlumc.org

A graphic with a dark background and a large red circle in the center. The text 'ACOLYTE MEETING' is written in white, serif, uppercase letters across the circle. Below it, the date and time 'SUNDAY OCTOBER 14 4:00 PM' are written in white, sans-serif, uppercase letters.

ACOLYTE MEETING

SUNDAY
OCTOBER 14
4:00 PM

For all children grades 3-6 who are currently serving as an Acolyte or would like to learn more about becoming an Acolyte. Meet in the Sanctuary.

Youth Ministry

Keep an eye on the schedule below and join us. Friends are always welcome!

Sunday Mornings:

9:00 AM – Breakfast Club: Eat breakfast and hang out with your friends.

9:30 AM – Middle School/High School Sunday school in the Lower Level

**** Sunday school will meet on October 7th, 14th, 21st, and 28th**

Wednesday Evenings:

Youth Group for students in 7th – 8th grade

October 10th - MS Youth Group (7:00 - 8:30 PM)

October 17th - MS Youth Group (7:00 - 8:30 PM)

October 24th - MS Youth Group (7:00 - 8:30 PM)

October 31st - NO MS Youth Group

Sunday Evenings:

Youth Group for students in 9th – 12th grade

October 7th - HS Youth Group (5:00 - 7:00 PM)

October 14th - HS Youth Group (5:00 - 7:00 PM)

October 21st - HS Youth Group (5:00 - 7:00 PM)

October 28th - HS Youth Group (5:00 - 7:00 PM)



Visit tlumc.org/youth for the latest updates.

The Beacon



TLUMC is looking for groups/ministries to submit articles about their **completed** activities and events for next month's issue. We usually receive a lot of great information about what's coming up, however, it would be great to see some stories and testimonies of the work our Church has done to build followers of Jesus in our community. A great way to frame your submissions is to ponder the question, "where have I seen or experienced God in my areas of involvement?" and to document those stories for our entire church to read. We look forward to hearing what you've been up to!

TRI-LAKES UMC

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XLT

community | worship | adoration

10.15.18
6:30 - 8 pm

Food & Fellowship @ 6:30 - 7:00 PM

Worship @ 7:00 - 8:00 PM

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Be Still

A Retreat For Women

Cost: \$25 (Checks Payable to TLUMC)

Thursday, Oct. 25th // 9:00 AM - 4:30 PM
Historic Pinecrest Lodge - 106 Pinecrest Way, Palmer Lake

Questions?

Margie - 719-244-6992 - mfrostman58@gmail.com

Nancy - ce@tlumc.org

Spend a relaxing day, reflecting on God moments in your life, sharing with friends, and enjoying a fabulous lunch in a breathtaking setting close to home. Restorative stretching, hiking, and massage (additional cost) are optional activities. Sign up in the Great Room: Limited space available

For more information please contact Margie Frostman- DiFiore, 719-244-6992, mfrostman58@gmail.com Or Nancy Fritzsche ce@tlumc.org

United Methodist Men



The UMM will have their **monthly meeting on October 20th.**

Come at 8:30 AM for breakfast and fellowship and stay for the meeting.

TLUMC will be collecting food and other items to support Tri Lakes Cares throughout the month of October. Please leave any contributions you have in the donation boxes in the Great Room. TLC is especially in need of the following items for their snack pack program: Individual bags of cheez its, goldfish, pretzels & chips, Granola bars, Peanut butter or cheese crackers, Pudding cups, Fruit cups, Rice krispie treats.



AUDIO VISUAL

TECHNICIANS

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY

For all services we are looking for more who are willing to be trained and then work either the sound or the slides on Sundays. This is open to anyone from Juniors in high school on up. If you would like to learn more or are interested in volunteering please contact Clint Perry our media director at worship@tlumc.org or sign up in the Great Room.

Prime Timers (55+)

Who are the Prime Timers?

We're not going to call ourselves senior citizens, but we are the 55 and over crowd of Tri-Lakes United Methodist (and we always welcome anyone to join us for any of our activities!) We try to plan activities that include those who are extremely mobile and those who aren't so mobile, so there's always a huge variety on the calendar for the year. We've had a Royal Gorge Train Ride, trip to Cherokee Ranch, Halloween Parties, Bunco Parties, Over-drive racing, educational talks, Full Moon walks and ice cream,



trip to the Wolf Preserve, Streetcar and Trolley Museum, Carriage Museum, Garden of the Gods walk and on and on and on. We'll have a January 2019 kick-off luncheon to gather suggestions for the next year. We're all about fellowship and keeping track of each other as we age—but we're not slowing down in the process. Look for our sign-up sheets in the Great Room! Please let me know if you have any questions. Linda Aldrich, Isaletters@comcast.net or 719-694-8719



Prime Timers (continued)

Halloween Potluck Party and Old Scary Movie Night

Saturday, October 27, 5:30 P.M.

Bela Lugosi, Lon Chaney and the Creature from the Black Lagoon are waiting for you to join them for old black and white hair-raising movies. Plan for a great time with a potluck first and then eating popcorn and snacks while watching great old classics. (Thanks to Judy Keller who has the movies, and we'd welcome any additions to the mix.) We'll meet at Linda and Felipe's house, 15946 Bridle Ridge Drive, Monument, for a potluck first (bring whatever you'd like to share) and then settle in for some spooky fun. There's no sign up sheet—just show up! Costumes are more than welcome and encouraged, but not required! Questions or directions? Call Linda at 719-694-8719 or contact at Isaletters@comcast.net (To get to Bridle Ridge, take Jackson Creek Parkway going north and turn right on Lyons Tail, go up the hill and turn left on Kischener. At the stop sign, turn left on Bridle Ridge. It's okay to park in our driveway.)



Annual Christmas Jars Project

It's time to get in the holiday spirit by starting your Christmas

Jars if you haven't already been collecting your change. We started this collection five years ago and raised money to help brighten the season for church families for the Christmas season.

The idea is based on a book in which rising newspaper reporter Hope Jensen uncovers the secret behind the "Christmas Jars" - glass jars filled with coins and bills anonymously given to people in need physically or spiritually. We will also be giving a copy of the book along with the Christmas Jar full of quarters, dimes and nickels (please no pennies). Let's try to top last year's collection of over \$700 and challenge the congregation to donate as well. We can certainly brighten this Christmas with this surprise gift for a family/families.





OUTPOURING

A LOCAL VERSION OF "TED TALKS"

presents



Dr. William Berry, Jr.

Retired USAF Colonel

Served in East Asia and taught at the Air Force Academy, the National War College, and the Asia Pacific Center for Security Studies.

Topic:

US foreign policy and the Korean Peninsula. -

What could be more current and dynamic?

Learn the latest about this important part of the world.

Tuesday, October 16th @ 7 PM

Pikes Peak Brewing Co 1756 Lake Woodmoor Drive

Questions?

Call John Crouse - (719) 488-2317

Prayer Shawl Gathering

October 16th @ 1-3 PM

TLUMC Great Room

Optional:

Bring your own lunch

11:30 - 1:00

More info @

tlumc.org/news

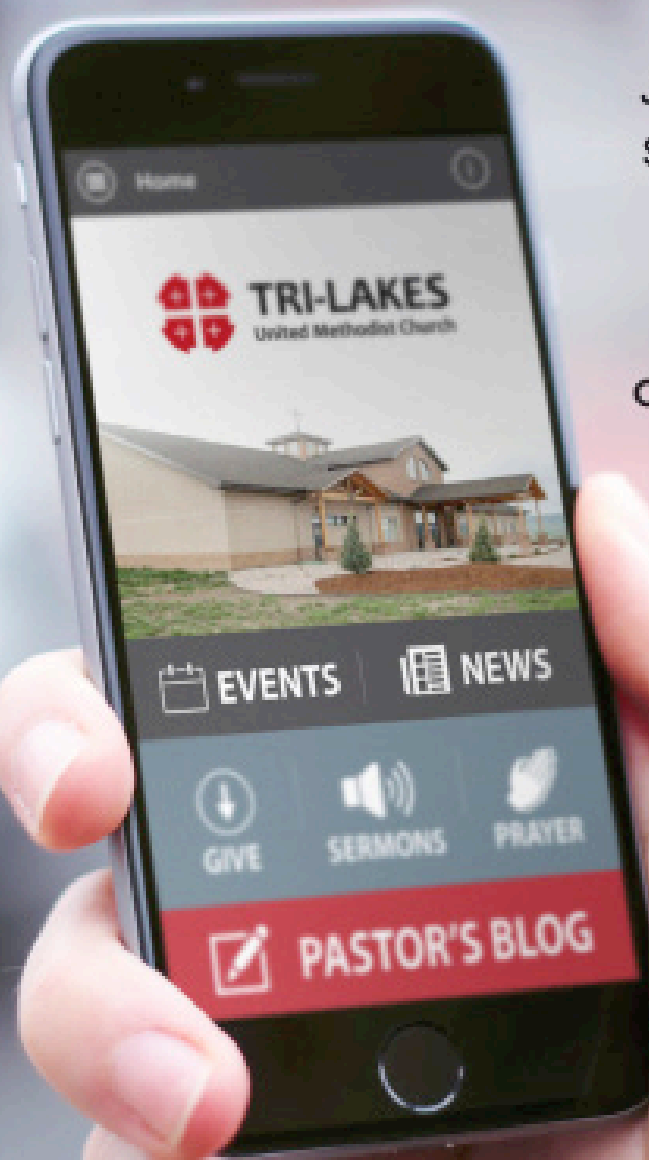
Questions?

Call Beverly Carlson: (719) 481-5702 or email: BaCARLSN@comcast.net

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AVAILABLE FOR



Boxes
available
TODAY!

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Women



Due by
October 28th

More information
tlumc.org/OCC

Operation Christmas Child (OCC) has arrived at TLUMC! OCC is a mission outreach organized by Samaritan's Purse in which participants (like you!) pack a shoebox-sized box with gifts for needy children around the world. Your filled box will be shipped and distributed by the volunteers at Operation Christmas Child. The packing boxes, instructions and mission information have arrived and will be available for you to pick up starting Sunday, October 7th. Start collecting small gifts for YOUR box now - the deadline to turn in boxes will be Oct. 28! Questions? Call Michelle Fariss at 719-661-4694.





October Birthdays

1st - Greg Dorman, Lisa Ella Ingram

16th - Anderson Carpenter, Laura McPherson

2nd - Alex Hill

17th - Caitlin Diaz, Mackenzie Shuman

3rd - Brian Crawford, Stephanie Dick, Elijah Harcrow, Bryant Wainright

20th - Jeff Stringham

4th - Paula Mills, Spencer Shook

21st - Karen Buckingham

6th - Amanda Hinnen, Martha Singleton, Dale Stehno,

22nd - Landon Bisson, Jackson Richardson, Rich Schlueter

7th - David Duke

23rd - Troy Garnhart

8th - Tim Boyle, Lynne Lane, Carlaen Mukpik

24th - Ted Bauman, Patricia Crawford, Jameson Wheeler

9th - Barb Betzler, Asa Hayes

25th - Abigail Garnhart, Matthew Logsdon,

10th - Griffin George

26th - Nathan Calhoun, Sam Harper, Scott McCreedy

11th - Laura Douthit, Johnna Hayes, Christie Possehl

27th - Raymond Hamilton

12th - Patrick Lazenby, Owen Logsdon, Steven Worley

28th - Jeffrey Gray, Bobby Higbie

13th - Christopher Scott

29th - Natalie Beck

14th - Hunter Scott

30th - Benjamin Hart, Dayle Hartgerink, Ron Maw

15th - Shonnie Carleton, Stacey Pearce



October Anniversaries

3rd - Doug and Margaret Higgins

21st - Lynn and Christina Weber

5th - Shane and Laura Polen

26th - Chris and Terrie Spells

6th - Mark and Nancy Fritzsche, Greg and Denise Shepherd

29th - Marvin and Donna Meier

9th - Hal and Cindy Stanton

30th - Mike and Lisa Brooking

Our Mission, Values, and Strategy



Our Mission

Building followers of
Jesus Christ who love
and serve God
and neighbor



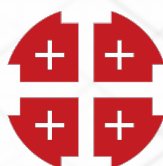
Our Values

Scriptural Teaching
Intentional Disciple-making
Gracious Hospitality
Neighborhood Service



Our Strategy

Loving God and neighbor through acts of
Worship, Devotion, Service and Compassion



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