

Palm Sunday - March 29, 2026

IN HIS OWN WORDS

**“I AM THE
RESURRECTION
AND THE
LIFE”**

John 11:17-27



TRI-LAKES
UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

WELCOME

CONNECTION

CARD

WAYS TO CONNECT

ONLINE:

Visit tlumc.org and click **I'M NEW**

IN PERSON:

Connection Cards are located in the pocket on the back of the Sanctuary chairs and at the **Welcome Desk** in the Great Room.

QUESTIONS:

tlumc@tlumc.org

PALM SUNDAY ANNOUNCEMENTS

He is
Risen
Happy Easter

HOSPITALITY VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

ON EASTER SUNDAY

We need some extra greeters and ushers to welcome the larger than average crowds we expect!

Sign-up to help serve on the sheets in the Great Room. This is a great chance to try out serving on the Sunday Hospitality Team!

Questions & Help:
TLUMC@tlumc.org

NURSERY IS AVAILABLE FOR BOTH SERVICES. It is located by the second hallway, directly across from the kitchen. Nursery care is provided for children 3 weeks through 4 years of age. Please stop in, meet the nursery staff and pick up a pamphlet.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES ARE AVAILABLE AT 9:30AM, SEPTEMBER-MAY, FOR ALL AGES. The children's classes (Kindergarten through 6th grade) are located in the Faith Forest down the first hallway to the right as you enter the building. Adult classes are available on the upper level in the double classrooms. Youth classes are available (7th through 12th grade) on the lower level.

HOLY COMMUNION AT TRI-LAKES UMC. We offer Holy Communion weekly at each service, believing as Methodists that it is a "means of grace" for all who receive. If you have questions about our theology or practice of Holy Communion, do not hesitate to ask the Pastor before or after the service.

COMMUNION INSTRUCTIONS:

- Please proceed to the altar rails when you are led to do so. Simply fill in any open space at the rail.
- You may choose to kneel at the rail or remain standing. Hold out your open hands to receive the communion bread. Gluten-free bread is available, simply tell the server. Another server will then place the communion cup on the altar rail. You may partake of the elements as they are served.
- Feel free to remain at the altar for a brief time of prayer after you have communed, keeping in mind that others will be coming behind you.
- There are baskets provided at the altar rails for you to dispose of your used communion cup.
- If you desire to have communion served to you in your seat for any reason, please raise your hand and let the servers know.

HOLY WEEK AND EASTER SCHEDULE

SUNDAY, MARCH 29TH

Palm Sunday, ONE SERVICE @ 10AM, with potluck and children's activities

THURSDAY, APRIL 2ND

Maundy Thursday, Special Communion Service at 7PM

FRIDAY, APRIL 3RD

Good Friday, In-home devotional (booklet provided) with online resources

SUNDAY, APRIL 5TH

Easter Sunday, Celebrate the Resurrection with our 9:30 and 11am services!

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ORDER OF WORSHIP

10:00 AM WORSHIP
MARCH 29, 2026
PALM SUNDAY

GATHERING MUSIC

Susan Fraser

PRELUDE

Bell Choir

UNISON OPENING PRAYER

Loving God, As the people spread their coats palm branches on the ground to welcome Jesus into Jerusalem, may we welcome Him into our lives this morning. King of Peace and King of Glory, reign in our hearts and lives this day and all days, that we might praise your holy name. May our voices join the crowd of witnesses who eternally proclaim "Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest!" Amen.

WELCOME/ANNOUNCEMENTS

Pastor Jim Ward

*OPENING HYMN:

"Hosanna! Hosanna!"

2109 TFWS

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

Pastor Jim Ward

CHILDREN'S SONG

"Hosanna Rock"

PALM SUNDAY READING

John 12:12-16

ANTHEM

"The Palms"

J. Faure

*GOSPEL READING

John 11:17-27

SERMON

"In His Own Words:
I Am the Resurrection and the Life"

Pastor Jim Ward

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

The Nicene Creed

880 UMH

*Please stand if you are able

UMH - United Methodist Hymnal located under chairs // TFWS - The Faith We Sing hymnal located under chairs

ORDER OF WORSHIP

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

LIFTING UP OUR JOYS AND CONCERNS

SILENT PRAYER

SUNG CALL TO PRAYER

"My Faith Looks Up to Thee"(vs. 1)

452 UMH

PASTORAL PRAYER/LORD'S PRAYER

PRAYER OF CONFESSION AND ASSURANCE OF PARDON

O God, we sing and praise You, happy of heart and strong of spirit, when we are among others who praise You too. But in times of stress, we make excuses for our sin and seek targets for our anger. We betray those we love and who have loved us. We turn against You, too busy to seek You, too selfish to obey You. Your compassion is without bounds, O God, for You forgive us without fail. You restore in us a right spirit and bring us together to worship You. God of steadfast love, teach us steadfast love this day; through Jesus Christ, we pray. Amen.

SILENT CONFESSION OF PERSONAL SIN

WORDS OF ASSURANCE

*PASSING THE PEACE

PRESENTING OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

REFLECTIONS ON GIVING

OFFERING PRAYER

OFFERING MUSIC

"Mighty is the Power of the Cross"

True North

*DOXOLOGY

"Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"

95 UMH

GREAT THANKSGIVING AND HOLY COMMUNION

15 UMH

COMMUNION MUSIC

Psalm 5

True North

*CLOSING SONG

"At the Cross"

True North

BENEDICTION

Pastor Jim Ward

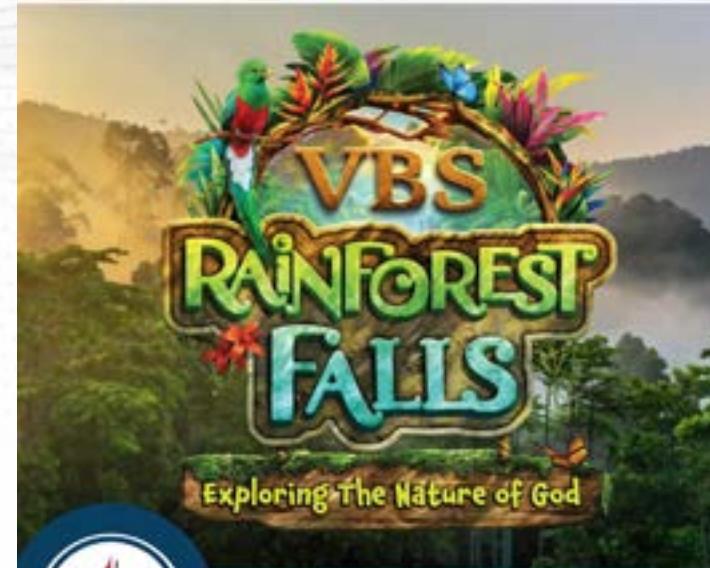
POST MUSIC

True North

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SERMON NOTES



RAINFOREST FALLS VBS REGISTRATION IS OPEN

JULY 13th-17th, 9am-12pm

Cost: FREE!

For children entering PreK-6th grade in the Fall of 2026.

Tell your family, friends, and neighbors! Register online at tlumc.org or through the QR code below! If you would like to volunteer, contact Nancy Fritzsche: Nancy@tlumc.org



Questions & Help:
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DAILY LECTIONARY READINGS

MONDAY, MARCH 30, 2026

Psalm 143; 1 Kings 17:17-24; Acts 20:7-12

TUESDAY, MARCH 31, 2026

Psalm 143; 2 Kings 4:18-37; Ephesians 2:1-10

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 1, 2026

Psalm 143; Jeremiah 32:1-9, 36-41; Matthew 22:23-33

THURSDAY, APRIL 2, 2026

Psalm 31:9-16; 1 Samuel 16:11-13; Philippians 1:1-11

FRIDAY, APRIL 3, 2026

Psalm 31:9-16; Job 13:13-19; Philippians 1:21-30

SATURDAY, APRIL 4, 2026

Psalm 31:9-16; Lamentations 3:55-66; Mark 10:32-34

READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY'S, APRIL 5, 2026 WORSHIP SERVICES

John 20:1-18



MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION CLASS SUNDAY APRIL 19TH 2-4PM

Interested in joining TLMUC, or a long-time member needing a "refresher" course? We'll discuss our history, doctrine, and ministries. We will also talk about what membership means, and the commitments members make.

NO RSVP needed unless childcare is needed. We will meet Downstairs in the Fireside Room

Please speak with or email Pastor Jim with questions or to arrange childcare.



Questions & Help:
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TLUMC MEN'S FELLOWSHIP

TUESDAY APRIL 7TH, 7-9PM

Please join us for Dinner, Fellowship, and a Church Service Project. We will meet downstairs for dinner and fellowship and then perform a church service project after dinner. Please RSVP for dinner and bring \$5 as a donation.

Sign-Up in the Great Room or by emailing tlumc@tlumc.org

Questions & Help:
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WOMEN'S BOOK CLUB
PLEASE JOIN US EVERY FIRST TUESDAY AT 7PM IN THE LOWER-LEVEL FIRESCOPE ROOM.

APRIL 7
THE BOOK OF LOST NAMES
By Kristin Harmel

MAY 5
LET THEM TALK
By Pepper Smith

JUNE 2
THE LET THEM THEORY
By Mar Robbins

In case of extreme weather the date will shift to the following week. Send Sarah Prosser your phone number and email to be added to the communication list. Attend anytime!

Questions:
TLUMC@tlumc.org

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY AT TRI-LAKES UMC

NURSERY (BIRTH-4YRS)
Weekly on Sundays 9:30-11AM
Pre-K Sunday School - 9:30AM

SUNDAY SCHOOL (K-6TH)
Weekly On Sundays, 9:30-10:30AM in the FAITH FOREST

ROOTS (4TH-6TH)
Bi-weekly on Sundays, 4-6PM.
Fun, Games, and Fellowship!
Bring a friend!

Questions & Help:
Nancy Fritzsche, Nancy@tlumc.org

NEXT WEEK'S SERMON

I HAVE SEEN THE LORD

APRIL 5TH
JOHN 20:1-18

Questions & Help:
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EARLYBIRD BIBLE STUDY

GENESIS CHAPTERS 21-50

Our new Earlybird Bible Study series is kicking off with the stories of Abraham's descendants as chronicled in Genesis 21-50.

Join Us - Sundays at 8:00am in Room 103

Coffee and treats are available!

Questions & Help:
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Tri-Lakes Women's Club

Enriching Our Community

TRI-LAKES WOMEN'S CLUB SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

APPLICATION DEADLINE IS
APRIL 24TH, 2026

Investing in Tomorrow's Leaders!
Tri-Lakes Women's Club is committed to unlocking opportunities for graduating seniors, home school students, and GED recipients!

Learn more about this \$1,000 scholarship at tlwc.net/scholarship



Questions & Help:
TLWC.net/scholarship

TRI-LAKES CARES FOOD COLLECTION

CURRENT PANTRY NEEDS

FOOD ITEMS:
Vegetable Oil, Sugar, Brown Sugar, Canned Chicken, Canned Meat, Mashed Potatoes, Tomato Paste, Canned Fruit Cocktail, Apple Sauce, Canned Pears, Jelly, Chill, Spaghetti Noodles

ADDITIONAL GOODS:
Body Wash, Shampoo, Conditioner, Toothpaste, Deodorant, Dish Soap, Dish Pads, Multi-Purpose Cleaner, Feminine Hygiene Pads

Tri-Lakes Cares welcomes donations of unopened, unexpired non-perishable foods, as well as household paper, cleaning, and hygiene products.

DONATION WAGON IN THE FOYER

Questions?
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List Updated:
March 20, 2026

WAYS TO GIVE

ONLINE:

1. Use the **Tri-Lakes UMC app**
2. Text **GIVE** to **719.645.7338**
3. Or visit **tlumc.org** and click **GIVE ONLINE**

IN PERSON:

An offering box is located in the Sanctuary next to the center doors.

MAIL:

20256 Hunting Downs Way
Monument, CO 80132

GIVING

TITHES & OFFERINGS



Questions & Help:

Giving can also be handled directly through your bank
Contact TLUMC@tlumc.org for details



IN SERVICE TODAY

COMMUNION LEADER
JOSIE GARDNER

YOUTH LAY READERS
LILY GARDNER
GRANT STICKRATH

PALM BEARERS
OUR CHILDREN'S PROGRAM

FELLOWSHIP
SARAH FRAZIER
PAM CALENDINE
PAULA HOMBERGER

USHERS/GREETERS
BOB & SHEILA HARRIGAN
WES & DEBORAH KIEL

OFFERING COUNTERS
KENT TRAYLOR
BOB HARRIGAN

FLOWERS
TLUMC ART COMMITTEE

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

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|------------------------|---|
| SUNDAY (3/29) | 10:00 AM Palm Sunday Service
11:00 AM Easter Potluck
4:00 PM Youth Group |
| WEDNESDAY (4/1) | 6:00 PM Lenten Soup Supper |
| THURSDAY (4/2) | 7:00 PM Choir Practice |
| SUNDAY (4/5) | 9:30 AM Contemporary Service
11:00 AM Traditional Service
4:00 PM Youth Group |

IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO SERVE IN OUR SUNDAY SERVICES
Please Contact Us at TLUMC@tlumc.org

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UNITED METHODIST CHURCH



MISSION

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



VISION

Embracing people with open hearts and minds,
helping all to grow in their faith and to
experience God's love.