The Methods of Methodism

Loving Neighbor July 13, 2025

Welcome



Ways to Connect

Online:

1. Scan the QR code on this slide

 Or 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.

 Scan the QR code on the back of the Sanctuary chairs.

Questions & Help: Contact Cary Diaz (tlumc@tlumc.org)



Nursery is available for both worship 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 through 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.

Order of Worship

9:30 a.m. Contemporary Worship July 13, 2025

Gathering Music

Call to Worship

*Song Set

Welcome/Announcements

A Time for Children

*Gospel Reading

Sermon

The Methods of Methodism: Loving Neighbor Youth Detroit Mission Trip Report Matthew 25:31-46

Sam Hastings

Pastor Jim Ward

*Affirmation of Faith

The Apostles' Creed – Ecumenical Version

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Prayers of the People Lifting Up Our Joys and Concerns Silent Prayer/Pastoral Prayer/Lord's Prayer

Invitation to the Table

Prayer of Confession and Assurance of Pardon

Gracious and Merciful God, your love is steadfast, and your mercy endures forever. Forgive us for not loving as You love. Forgive us for the ways and words we've used to trespass and help us to forgive those who've trespassed against us. Forgive us for the deeds that we've done that have burdened instead of uplifted. Forgive us for silence during times of disruption and free us to stand for those who live in uncertainty and anxiety. Help us to reconcile and make peace with one another. Help us to bear one another's burdens and to be agents of your love so that all of your children will be able to live in your grace. Amen.

Silent Confession of Personal Sin

Words of Assurance

God searches for the lost, and finds us; God invites the hungry to the table, and feeds us; God sends Jesus, and frees us from death's prison; God forgives all who sin, and heals us with mercy and grace. Thanks be to God – in Christ we are forgiven and restored. Amen.

Passing the Peace

Presenting our Tithes and Offerings

Reflections on Giving/ Offering Prayer

Offertory Response Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow On

**Great Thanksgiving and Holy Communion

*Closing Song

Dismissal

Pastor Jim Ward

On Screen

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Order of Worship

11:00 a.m. Traditional Worship July 13, 2025

Prelude

Susan Fraser

Welcome

*Call to Worship

Leader: Come to worship, for God calls us here in this community of faith;

People: We come to the place where the hungry receive the Bread of Life and the thirsty receive the Cup of Blessing.

Leader: Come to worship, for God welcomes us here in this home of grace;

People: We come to this place where the stranger is embraced as a long-lost child.

Leader: Come to worship, for God reunites us here as sisters and brothers in a family of love;

People: We come to this place where the imprisoned are set free, and the forgotten are remembered.

Leader: Come to worship, for God calls us here;

People: We come to worship our God – Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

ALL: Amen.

*Opening Song

Christ for the World We Sing

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*Opening Prayer

Holy God, we gather together in worship as those who truly seek to love You with our heart, soul, mind, and strength. You are our Creator, in whom we live and move and have our being. Help us this day hear your voice above all others, and seek your kingdom above all others. Be present with us and within us as we offer our sacrifice of praise. In Christ's name we pray, Amen.

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Sending Forth

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Pastor Jim Ward

Postlude

Susan Fraser

PLEASE STAY IF YOU ARE ABLE TO HELP MOVE CHAIRS FROM THE SANCTUARY FOR VBS THANK YOU!

*Please stand if you are able

**Communion instructions may be found on the welcome page UMH - United Methodist Hymnal located under chairs // TFWS - The Faith We Sing hymnal located under chairs

Sermon Notes

Daily Lectionary Readings

Monday, July 14, 2025 Psalm 7; Amos 3:9-4:5; James 2:1-7 Tuesday, July 15, 2025 Psalm 7; Amos 4:6-13; 1 John 3:11-17 Wednesday, July 16, 2025 Psalm 7; Amos 5:1-9; Matthew 25:31-46 Thursday, July 17, 2025 Psalm 52; Amos 5:10-17; Hebrews 5:1-6 Friday, July 18, 2025 Psalm 52; Amos 5:18-27; Ephesians 3:14-21 Saturday, July 19, 2025 Psalm 52; Amos 6:1-14; Luke 8:4-10 Readings for Next Sunday July 20, 2025 Amos 8:1-12 and Psalm 52 Genesis 18:1-10a and Psalm 15 Colossians 1:15-28 Luke 10:38-42



Family Mission Day Sign Up and Support

The whole family is invited for our Family Mission Trip on Saturday, July 26th, from 7:30-3:30.

Help us make a real difference for our friends at Olney Springs UMC.

Sign Up to Join us for the work day on the sign up sheet in the Great Room or online at:

https://www.signupgenius.com/go/ 10C0848A5AE28A3FFC34-57489429-family

Sponsor some of the supplies, lunches, etc. for the day! Visit the Family Mission Table outside the sanctuary doors



Questions: Contact Pastor Jim (pastorjim@tlumc.org)

Building and Land Use Task Force Survey Results and Summary Available in the Great Room



Join Us for Our Annual Church Picnic!

Sunday, July 20 from 12:00 - 2:00 p.m. Back Patio

(Off of the downstairs Fireside Room)

The church will supply the hamburgers, hot dogs and baked beans! Bring a salad, side dish, or dessert to share.

Games for the kids, and a fun time for all!



Questions? Contact Pastor Jim (pastorjim@gmail.com)



TLUMC Blood Drive July 30th *Important Notice Date Change 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM

Hosted by the TLUMC Missions Team

TLUMC will be hosting a blood drive from 10 AM to 2 PM in the upper level double room of the church.

To Register: Visit vitalant.org or Sign up in the Great Room

The need is acute! Every donation counts!

Questions? Contact Charlie Lucy (crlucy1@gmail.com)

Men's Fellowship Event Food, Fellowship and TopGolf!

Tuesday, August 5th 7:00 PM - 9:00PM Just bring \$25 cash to help offset the prepaid food and drinks! Venue and Golf are sponsored by Roy, Chad, and Chris

Feel Free to bring a guest teenage sons and family members welcome!

Only 18 Slots available!

Please sign up by July 22: https://www.signupgenius.com/go/ 10C0848A5AE28A3FFC34-57489117-mens

Questions: Roy Bridges (rbridges8@icloud.com) Chad Stickrath (cstickrath@gmail.com)





VBS Decoration Request

The VBS Decorations Committee is asking for Unadorned Christmas Trees to help decorate our Alaskan themed VBS.

If you are willing to bring a tree we ask that you bring it and set it up in the Great Room by Sunday July 13 and that you dismantle it and take it home by July 27.

We realize that all trees are different and that they are expensive - so we do not want to be responsible for assembling or disassembling your trees!

Please be sure to tag your tree with your name, so we can identify who it belongs to. Thank you!!

Questions? Contact: Nancy Fritzsche (nancy@tlumc.org)

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Food Collection for Tri-Lakes Cares

Help reach out to our neighbors with the love of Christ by providing food for our neighbors bring your staple and canned food donations weekly, and drop them off in the wagon located in the Great Room. This month they are especially requesting: Canned Peas Canned Mixed Veggies Canned Corn Oats Oatmeal Canned Corn Oats Oatmeal Canned Chicken Canned Tuna Pinto Beans Refried Beans Flour and Sundry Items

and Sundry Items (such as cleaners, paper products, and toiletries)

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Tri-Lakes UMC Mid-Week News

Each week we send out an email newsletter called the Mid-Week News. This is the place to find out about news and upcoming events.

Scan the QR code to join our subscriber list, or visit tlumc.org/email

Questions? Contact Cary Diaz (tlumc@tlumc.org)



VBS Set Up Sunday July 13 after the 11:00 service.

We will need help removing the chairs from the Sanctuary and the tables and chairs from the downstairs Fireside Room.

We will also need help with last minute decorating touches throughout the church.

If you are able to stay and help it would be greatly appreciated!

Questions? Contact: Nancy Fritzsche (nancy@tlumc.org)



Ways to Give

Online:

1. Use the Tri-Lakes UMC app

 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



Questions & Help:

Giving can also be handled directly through your bank Contact Christy Kayser-Cook (finsec@tlumc.org) for help



Sunday (7/13)

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Tuesday (7/15)

Wednesday (7/16)

Thursday (7/17)

Friday (7/18)

Saturday (7/19)

Sunday (7/13)

8:00 AM Early Bird Bible Study 9:30 AM Contemporary Service 11:00 AM Traditional Service 4:00 PM Youth Group

9:00AM VBS

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In Service Today

Flowers TLUMC Art Committee

9:30 a.m. Service Becky Moulden

11:00 a.m. Service Charlie Lucy

> Fellowship Homberger Phelps

If you would like to serve during our worship services please contact Cary at tlumc@tlumc.org

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Church Office Hours Monday - Thursday 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. or by appointment (Contact Cary at tlumc@tlumc.org)

Guest Wi-Fi Password: TLUMCGuest



Sign up for our text messaging service for alerts on all cancellations and closings by emailing tlumc@tlumc.org





MISSION



VISION

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

Theologically Traditional Personally Transformational and Outwardly Missional



STRATEGY

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

