

The background of the entire image is a mosaic of a lion, likely from the Ishtar Gate in Babylon. The lion is depicted in profile, facing right, with its mouth open as if roaring. It is constructed from various colored tiles, including shades of blue, brown, and white. The lion's body is covered in a pattern of brown and white tiles, while its mane and tail are made of blue and white tiles. The lion is positioned behind a wall made of large, rectangular stone blocks. The top of the image shows a row of smaller, square tiles in brown, blue, and white.

# **LIFE IN BABYLON**

**LESSONS FROM THE BOOK OF DANIEL**

**SEPTEMBER 15, 2019**  
**“THE DANGEROUS LIFE OF PRAYER”**



# Welcome!

We are glad you are in worship with us today. If you have a prayer concern or praise, please share it on our Prayer Wall in the Great Room. You also may fill out a prayer request card located on the chair backs in the sanctuary or at the prayer table in front of the prayer wall.

**New to Tri-Lakes UMC?** Please fill out a Connection Card located on the chair backs in the sanctuary and drop it in the offering plate. Also be sure to pick up a Welcome Bag, located at our Welcome Desk, on the left as you exit our building. This is also the place to go if you have any questions. Our regular service times are 8:00, 9:30 and 11:00 AM.

**Looking for our Nursery?** Our Nursery is located by the second hallway, directly across from the kitchen. Nursery care is provided for children 3 weeks through 4 years of age. The Nursery is available during each of our worship services. Stop in, meet the staff and pick up a Nursery pamphlet.

**Children's Worship** is offered at both the 8:00 AM and 11:00AM services. Children enter sanctuary and sit with parents. They leave when dismissed and then are returned in time for communion with their families.

**Looking for the Restrooms?** Our Restrooms are located in the first hallway, to the right, as you enter our building.

**Looking for Sunday School Classes?** September through May we offer Sunday school classes for all ages. The children's classes are located in the Faith Forest (Wesley Hall). Adult classes are available on both levels and Youth classes meet on the lower level. Please visit the Welcome Desk for more information.

**This bulletin is meant to be taken home with you.** You will find: a page for note taking during today's sermon, a daily devotion guide for you to use this week, notices of upcoming events and contact information for our staff.

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# Order of Worship

8:00 & 11:00am - Traditional Worship  
September 15th, 2019

Prelude

Susan Fraser

Welcome

Rev. Dr. Bob Kaylor

## \*Call To Worship

Leader: I waited patiently for the Lord, who inclined to me and heard my cry.

**People: The Lord drew me up from the desolate pit, out of the miry bog,  
set my feet upon a rock, making my steps secure.**

Leader: The Lord put a new song in my mouth, a song of praise to our God.

**People: Many will see and be in awe, and put their trust in the Lord.**

- *Psalm 40:1-3 NRSV*

## \*Opening Hymn

O Worship the King

73 UMH

## \*Collect

**Grant us, O Lord, to trust in you with all our hearts; for, as you always  
resist the proud who confide in their own strength, so you never forsake  
those who make their boast of your mercy; through Jesus Christ our  
Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now  
and for ever.  
Amen.**

## Dismissal of Children to Children's Church

Anthem (11:00)

This Is My Word

Adult Choir

Old Testament Lesson

Daniel 6:1-16

Lay Reader

Message

The Dangerous Life of Prayer

Rev. Dr. Bob Kaylor

## Pastoral Prayer and a Time of Silence

\*Affirmation of Faith

The Nicene Creed

880 UMH

\*Response

Glory Be to the Father

70 UMH

**Invitation to the Table**

**Prayer of Confession and Assurance of Pardon**

**All: We confess, O God, that we are attracted to false gods and easy answers in life. We are vulnerable to temptations that could damage us in ways that are not obvious. Forgive us that sin that draws us like moths to a flame. Restore us and fill us with godly resolve. In Jesus’ name, we pray. Amen.**

**Pastor: Hear the good news: Christ died for our sins and rose again so that we may live fully in the power of God’s grace. In the name of Jesus Christ, God forgives your sins and offers you a transformed future. Amen.**

**Sharing the Peace of Christ**

**Presenting our Tithes and Offerings**

**Offertory Prayer**

**Offertory Music**

**\*Doxology**

Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

Lay Reader

Susan Fraser

94 UMH

**Great Thanksgiving and Holy Communion+**

**Prayers of the People**

**\*Closing Hymn**

Take Time to Be Holy (v. 1-3)

395 UMH

**Sending Forth**

Rev. Dr. Bob Kaylor

**\*Response**

Seek Ye First (v. 1)

405 UMH

**Postlude**

Susan Fraser

\*Please stand if you are able

UMH-United Methodist Hymnal, TFWS-small paperback hymnal

+ As Methodists, we believe that the table at which we gather is the Lord’s, thus it is open to all who respond to Christ’s love regardless of age or membership. We serve by intinction, meaning you will come forward to receive the bread and then dip it in the cup, then consume the elements. A gluten-free option for bread is at the station to the far right front of the sanctuary. If you are unable to come to one of the stations in front of the sanctuary and would still like to be served communion, simply let an usher know and we will serve you in your seat.



# Order of Worship

**9:30 AM - Contemporary Worship**  
**September 15th, 2019**

**Welcome/Announcements**

Rev. Jason Baxter

**\*Song Set**

The Lion and the Lamb  
Overcome  
I Will Exalt

**Old Testament Lesson**

Daniel 6:1-16

**Message**

The Dangerous Life of Prayer

Rev. Dr. Bob Kaylor

**\*Affirmation of Faith**

The Nicene Creed

880 UMH

**Invitation to the Table and Prayer of Confession**

**All: We confess, O God, that we are attracted to false gods and easy answers in life. We are vulnerable to temptations that could damage us in ways that are not obvious. Forgive us that sin that draws us like moths to a flame. Restore us and fill us with godly resolve. In Jesus' name, we pray. Amen.**

Pastor: Hear the good news: Christ died for our sins and rose again so that we may live fully in the power of God's grace. In the name of Jesus Christ, God forgives your sins and offers you a transformed future. Amen.

**Offering and Offertory**

**Communion+**

Give Me Faith

**Prayers of the People**

**\*Closing Song**

O Praise Him

**Dismissal**

# Message Notes

**Text: Daniel 6**



# Devotion Guide

## The Dangerous Life of Prayer

**Verse of the Week:** “Daniel knelt down, prayed, and praised his God three times that day, just like he always did” (Daniel 6:10).

**Daily Prayer:** Listening God, you invite us to commune with you in prayer. Help us to not neglect any opportunity to come to you with our praise, our thanksgiving, our concerns, and our intercessions. Open a window in our lives into which your glory may shine. Amen.

**Introduction to this week’s Scripture readings:** This week’s readings focus on the discipline of regular prayer as a practice for enduring “life in Babylon.”

### Daily Scripture Readings:

**Monday** - 1 John 5:13-17 - Confidence in prayer

**Tuesday** - 1 Thessalonians 5:12-24 - Pray without ceasing

**Wednesday** - Luke 18:1-8 - Persistence in prayer

**Thursday** - Psalm 37 - Trust in the Lord and do good

**Friday** - Hebrews 10:19-25 - Drawing near to God

**Saturday** - Daniel 7 - Daniel’s vision (next week’s message)

### Questions for Reflection/Journaling/Discussion:

1. How did you respond to this week’s message? What insights and questions did it raise for you?
2. How is your prayer life? Is it a daily habit or one you need to develop?
3. Daniel followed a daily pattern of praise and prayer “like he always did.” Who has a prayer life you admire? What might you learn from them?
4. This week’s readings invite us to be persistent in prayer. How might you structure your day to include more room for that kind of prayer?

### Intercessory Prayer Guide:

**Monday** - Pray for those who are persecuted for their faith around the world.

**Tuesday** - Pray for strength and wisdom to be persistent in daily prayer.

**Wednesday** - Pray for those requests listed on our TLUMC prayer list and prayer wall.

**Thursday** - Pray for those who are lost and wandering without God.

**Friday** - Pray for leaders in our world, that they may lead in ways that honor God.

**Saturday** - Pray for those who will attend worship at TLUMC this Sunday. Pray that God’s Spirit would prompt new people to join us to hear and respond to his Word.



## Photos Needed For Database Updating

Please stop by the Photo Studio  
(The Red Rocks Sunday School  
Room in Faith Forest)

**September 8th, 15th,  
22nd, and 29th.**

We will have photographers  
available to snap your picture!

**Questions?**

Contact Cary Diaz (tlumc@tlumc.org)



**OUTPOURING**  
A LOCAL VERSION OF "TED TALKS"  
presents  
*Dr. K.C. Somers*  
Superintendent, LPSPD 38

**Topic:**  
*Vision for Lewis-Palmer  
School District 38*

Tuesday, September 17th @ 7 PM  
Pikes Peak Brewing Co 1756 Lake Woodmoor Drive



TRI-LAKES COMMUNITY  
**CAR SHOW**

**Saturday, September 21st  
8:30 - 10:30 AM**

**20256 Hunting Downs Way  
Monument, CO**

★ **FREE** ★

**THIS IS OUR LAST  
CAR SHOW OF THE YEAR!**

**Questions?**

Contact Clint Perry (worship@tlumc.org)

## ONE FLESH

**Sexuality, Scripture,  
and the Church**



**Four-Week Study**  
Led by Dr. Bob Kaylor  
Tuesdays @ 6:30 - 8:00 PM

**October 8th, 15th,  
22nd, 29th**

**Full information @  
tlumc.org/oneflesh**

**Questions?**

Contact Pastor Bob Kaylor (pastorbk@tlumc.org)



**Hope Restored Disaster Relief  
Firewood Extravaganza**

**Saturday, October 26th  
10:30 AM - 3:00 PM**

**Help Needed:**

- Identify people who need free firewood.
- Volunteer your personal truck to deliver and unload firewood (loading done for you).

**Full information @  
tlumc.org/epg**

**Questions?**

Contact Lisa Hatfield (lhatfield0786@msn.com)





## TLUMC Fall Festival Saturday, October 19th 3:00 - 6:00 PM

Chili Cook Off, Carnival Games  
Cake Walk, Bounce House,  
Hay Rides, and More!

Volunteers needed for food, games,  
and setup/cleanup!

Sign up in the Great Room or at  
[tlumc.org/festival](http://tlumc.org/festival)



Questions?  
Contact Nancy ([ce@tlumc.org](mailto:ce@tlumc.org))



community — **RGRP** — worship

**9.16.19 // 6:30 - 8 PM**

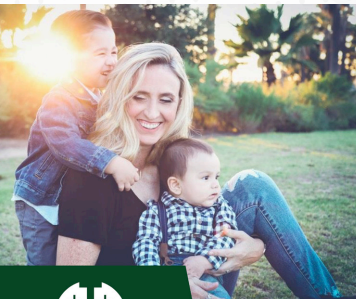


## Monday, September 16th Meet @ TLUMC

**6:30 PM – Potluck  
7:00 PM – Worship**

ReGRoup with us this month at  
TLUMC for some Radical Grace  
in a Radical Place (RGRP) as we  
sing, eat, and enjoy community.  
Please bring a dish to share.  
All are welcome!

Questions?  
Contact Clint Perry ([worship@tlumc.org](mailto:worship@tlumc.org))



## Young Mom's Group

1st & 3rd Wednesdays of the  
month, 9:30 to 11 AM.  
Childcare is available.

**Starting  
Wednesday, September 4th!**

Join us for coffee, fellowship and Bible  
study with other young moms.



Questions?  
Contact Megan Anderson ([megananderson25@hotmail.com](mailto:megananderson25@hotmail.com))



## Monument Hill Kiwanis Empty Bowls Dinner and Silent Auction

**October 2nd, 2019**

**Dessert Donations Needed!**

Proceeds will benefit  
Tri-Lakes Cares.

Signup and Instruction sheets  
available in the Great Room



Questions?  
Contact Jason Baxter ([jbaxter@tlumc.org](mailto:jbaxter@tlumc.org))



## ROOTS (5th & 6th Grade) Sundays @ 4:00 - 6:00 PM

Dinner, Games, Fun, and Fellowship  
Bring a Friend!

**August 25**

**September 8 & 22**

**October 6 & 20**

**November 3 (OCC) & 17**

**December 8 (Christmas Party)**

Questions?  
Contact Nancy ([ce@tlumc.org](mailto:ce@tlumc.org))



## TLUMC YOUTH

7th - 12th Grade

**Breakfast Club & Sunday School (All)**

Sundays @ 9:00 - 10:30 AM

**Middle School YG (7th & 8th)**

Sundays @ 4:00 - 5:30 PM

**Dinner (7th - 12th)**

Sundays @ 5:30 - 6:00 PM

**High School YG (9th - 12th)**

Sundays @ 6:00 - 7:30 PM

**August - 25th**

**September - 8, 15, 22, and 29**

Questions?  
Contact Sam ([sam@tlumc.org](mailto:sam@tlumc.org))



## TLUMC Communications Policy

Copies of the updated TLUMC Communications  
Policy, as approved by Church Council, can be  
found in the literature rack in the Great Room.  
There have been several changes to reflect our  
current practices.

You will find a Communications Request Form  
online at [tlumc.org/forms](http://tlumc.org/forms).

If you have any questions, please contact Sam  
Hastings, Director of Youth & Communications  
[youth@tlumc.org](mailto:youth@tlumc.org)



## Prime Timers Wolf & Wildlife Center Tour

Thursday, September 19th  
Carpool Available

Sign up by Sunday, September 15th  
Cost is \$20/adult, \$15/child

We will depart from the Soopers parking  
Lot at 7:30 am. Wear good walking shoes  
and bring a hat. Along the way we will stop  
at the Donut Mill in Woodland Park. The  
tour is at 10:00 AM. Lunch after at The  
Wines of Colorado.



Questions?  
Contact Linda (719-694-8719 OR [Isaletters@comcast.net](mailto:Isaletters@comcast.net))



# Prayer Shawl Gathering

September 17th @ 1-3 PM

TLUMC Great Room

Optional:  
Bring your own lunch  
11:30 - 1:00

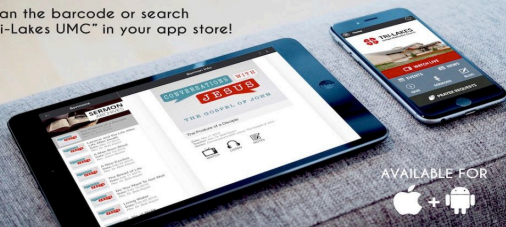
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## HEARTSAVER CPR/AED & FIRST AID TRAINING

October 12th, 2019  
8:00 AM - 4:00 PM

\$30.00 cost includes  
course, completion card,  
and book

Register Online @  
[tlumc.org/registration](http://tlumc.org/registration)

Questions?

Contact Carley Lehman ([carley.lehman@ppcc.edu](mailto:carley.lehman@ppcc.edu))



## This Week's Birthdays

9/17 Shelby Baxter

9/18 Carol Cox

9/19 David Betzler  
Maxwell Harcrow  
Chloe Harness  
Laura Sturgeon

9/20 Jamie Brummond  
Nicole Foutz  
Iain Fraser  
Jim Groesbeck  
Garrett Overby

## This Week's Anniversaries

9/15 Dean & Dorothy Halvorson

9/17 Jay & Sook Kelley

9/18 Raul & Cary Diaz

9/20 Harry & Gina Harcrow  
Phil & Robin Mossman  
Darren & Ruth Zwolinski

9/21 Kevin & Tonya Moser

## Mark Your Calendar

### Sunday (9/15)

9:00AM - 1:00PM -Family Photos  
4:00PM MS Youth  
5:00PM Blueprints  
5:30PM HS Youth

### Monday (9/16)

6:30PM RGRP: Potluck & Worship Night

### Tuesday (9/17)

9:00AM Women's Bible Study  
1:00PM Prayer Shawl Ministry  
7:00PM Outpouring @ Pikes Peak Brewing Co.

### Wednesday (9/18)

9:30AM Mom's Bible Study  
7:00PM Choir Rehearsal

### Thursday (9/19)

7:00AM Men's Bible Study @ Serrano's  
7:30AM Prime Timer's Wildlife Center Tour  
6:30PM Board of Trustees

### Friday (9/20)

Office Closed

### Saturday (9/21)

8:30AM UMM Meeting  
8:30AM Tri-Lakes Community Car Show

### Sunday (9/22)

9:00AM - 1:00PM -Family Photos  
4:00PM Roots  
4:00PM MS Youth  
5:00PM Blueprints  
5:30PM HS Youth

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## In Service Today

**Flowers: In honor of Jim & Cindy Schwindt's 10th Anniversary**

### 8:00 AM Service:

**Audio/Visual:** Dick Merring, Andre' Mouton

**Acolyte:** Tre Britton

**Greeter:** Gayle Staten

**Lay Reader:** Kent Taylor

**Usher:** Marge Yoss

**Communion Servers:** Teri Worley, Lynne Lane, Tim Boyle

**Safety Monitor:** Scott Davis

**Fellowship:** Doug & Diane Williams

### 9:30 AM Service:

**Audio/Visual:** Rick DiFiore, Stephanie Perry

**Acolyte:** Zoey Stallings

**Ushers:** Becky Moulden, Sue McCreedy

**Communion Servers:** John & Staci Stallings, Sue McCreedy, Becky Moulden, Jennifer Kaylor

**Praise Band:** Clint Perry, Mike Brooking, Bob Kaylor, Suzanne Riegert, Jen Filla, Kelly Sigfrids, Robin Jamison

**Fellowship:** Robin Mossman

### 11:00 AM Service:

**Audio/Visual:** Clint Perry

**Lay Reader:** John Dick

**Greeters:** Margaret Pasolli

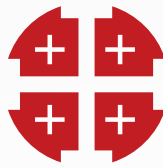
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**Welcome Desk:** Charlie Lucy



# TRI-LAKES

United Methodist Church



## MISSION

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



## VALUES

Scriptural Teaching  
Intentional Disciple-making  
Gracious Hospitality  
Neighborhood Service



## STRATEGY

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

