

The

TLC Trumpet

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It came from that space ideas come from. I was dwelling in that space, looking for ways to spark up the Midweek Lenten chapel services.

The services, for me, were getting boring, and it was all my fault. I tried to find the easy way out, rather than put diligent time into planning. Holy Schmoly, you all could fire me for telling you this! But at least I'm modeling honesty.

Anyway, paranoia aside, the text we were going to be looking at that night was the story in the Gospel According to John, when Mary anoints Jesus' feet and stingy, dishonest Judas (John paints him to be the dark shadow to Mary's brilliant adoration) objects, because of the cost, because nearly a year's salary could have been stuffed into Jesus' wallet instead, and because Judas, according to John, dipped his hand in there too.

So, I thought, how about I bless everyone's wallets? I remembered, and shared with the group that came for that Thursday night worship event, about a pastor in my past who implored women in the congregation to bring their purses with them when they came up to the altar for communion, because so much of their lives was in their purses.

As I laid hands on those worn leather envelopes (I think there were a couple that were being held together with rubber bands), I could see that they were bulging with little pieces of papers and photographs and money and cards. And, and this is the God's honest truth, I could feel the love and ministry and caring and life that pours out of those wallets. It was like worlds of people were standing behind our little circle of chairs that night, like the crowd of technicians and all in those cell phone commercials. Only these worlds of people stood humbly and quietly. They were standing in gratitude. It was like I was laying my hands right on those worshippers' hearts.

Not that the wallets were where their hearts were, but that their wallets were vessels for their hearts. Through these wallets flowed means to

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help family and friends, means to support TLC, means to help needing strangers, to support organizations that helped those in need. From these wallets flowed the world.

I have to say, it was a really, really, really great idea I had, wherever it came from.

And I also have to say that it never would have happened if all those good folks who came to the service that night hadn't gone along with it.

That night, the Blesser was the Blessed.

Love,
Pastor *[Signature]*

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Next Trumpet Deadline!

The next TLC Trumpet deadline will be Thursday, April 22. Editor requests articles be no longer than 500 words. Please email submissions to:

TLCeditor@thanksgivinglutheran.org

If you do not have email, place submissions (along with your name in case any clarification is needed) in Dorothy's inbox. Submissions may be edited for space.



A Glad and Blessed

Birthday this Month to:

Sharon Kaye (Fruehling)	
Boschen	4/1
Margrit Buchmann	4/3
(Margrit joins TLC on 4/4/10!)	
Katarene McPherson	4/14
Greg Bartlett	4/15
Spencer Flanagan	4/17
Lorraine Larson	4/20
Lola Bumahl	4/27

April Worship Highlights

We welcome a new members

On Easter Sunday, we will welcome two new members.

Margrit Buchmann, who has been worshipping frequently with us, shares some biographical ties with Astrid Anderson, who lives nearby. She has a fascinating story, and all of you are invited to get to know this gracious, faithful sister in Christ.

Cindy Heiller is not only a veterinarian, but also an authority on German Wirehaired Pointers. She is a native Californian, born San Diego. She watched our church being built and decided it was time for her to rejoin a faith community.

On this glorious day when we remember the victory of our Lord over sin and death, we warmly and lovingly welcome all who have come to join in the celebration.

Special Dates in April

- Holy Week, March 28-April 3, 2010
- Maundy/Holy Thursday, April 1, 2010
- Good Friday, April 2, 2010
- Holy Saturday, April 3, 2010
- Easter Day, April 4, 2010
- Feast of St. Anselm, April 24, 2010



Mortgage Update

After a number of years of uncertainty over our mortgage loan, I'm delighted to tell you that Mission Investment has agreed to modify our loan in a way that we can live with. This will help tremendously in our planning, budgeting and giving.

The original loan of September 16, 2002 was for \$850,000. For the past six months our payment was \$4,400 a month. The new payment was made March 1st. The amount of the new loan is \$735,706.65. The Loan will be refinanced into an adjustable loan with a 5 year ARM.

The terms and conditions are:

Interest rate: 5.875%

Amortization Schedule: 20 years

Monthly Payment Amount: \$4,509.00

Adjustment dates of Interest Rate and Payment are 3/1/15, 3/1/20 and 3/1/25

Maturity Date: March 1, 2030

Open and Investment Account with Mission Investment Fund. Thanksgiving must keep at least one investment account the MIF for the duration of the loan.

In addition we also agreed to dedicate each Thanksgiving Worship service donation to principal reduction, to publicize MIF investment opportunities and to continue to ask members to give towards principal reduction. Every time we reduce the principal by a special gift it helps lower our payment at the next adjustment date.

The Church Council approved the modification at their last meeting and the necessary paperwork has been signed, notarized and submitted to Mission Investment.

Our period of uncertainty is at an end, we now know what we need to pay each month for the next five years and it is doable. And we know that in March 2030 we can hold a burn the mortgage party!!!! God has blessed, and continues to bless TLC. We can now move forward with our Mission to be **THE** "Come As You Are" church, welcoming all and ministering to our neighborhood, our city, our country and the world.

Thanks be to God,

Jean Harrison, Treasurer



Hax Pix Mix To Tour FLC And BLC

With his gift for photography, love for TLC, and skill with digital printing, Bob Hax created a beautiful photo collage of the 2009 Blessing of the Animals event. If you haven't seen the collage, it's in Pastor Jean's creatively cluttered office. But hurry in for a look.

Beginning April, the collage will be moving to Faith and Bethlehem to be displayed as a way to promote the 2010 Blessing of the Animals, which will be held the first weekend in October at TLC. The touring idea was birthed at the

evaluation and envisioning meeting for joint ministry and fellowship events; this meeting was held in February at Pastor Jean's house.

Bob was also the principle photographer, contributing photos and the idea for the video which was created for our 2009 Thanksgiving Eve worship service and which was also shown at the second part of the 2010 Congregational meeting that was held in February.

We give thanks for the gifts of Bob Hax.

Prayer Ventures

February 2010

1 Maundy Thursday

Thank God for the many congregations across the ELCA committed to meeting the needs of those who suffer, such as Prince of Peace Lutheran Church, Burnsville, Minn., which has adopted three promises: that no one in our family of faith will walk alone if they choose not to, will be without adequate food, or will be without a roof over their head.

2 Good Friday

Give thanks for God's Son, who sacrificed his life for us, and for ELCA chaplains risking their lives serving in Afghanistan: Chaplain Richard A. Rittmaster, Army Guard; Chaplain Kelly J. Wasberg, Army Guard; and Chaplain William A. Hlavin, Navy Reserve.

3 Vigil of Easter

Thank God for the staff and volunteers of Lutheran Services Florida, Inc., Tampa, as they work on several fronts to provide disaster relief to Haitians following the January earthquake, offering opportunities for new lives to those who have lost almost everything.

4 Resurrection of Our Lord

Lord of the nations, we pray for the people of East Timor, Indonesia and the Philippines as they struggle with religious and political diversity. Grant that they may receive your peace and experience the true joy of the Resurrection.

5 Remember in prayer the Rev. Phillip Baker, ELCA regional representative for theological education and church relations in Asia. Praise God for the opportunities and relationships he builds with institutions and churches throughout Asia.

6 Give thanks for the ministries of parish nurses such as Linnea Jackson and Bev Nelson, who serve at Prince of Peace Lutheran Church, La Crescent, Minn., taking members' blood pressures, leading fitness programs and visiting the homebound, among other duties.

7 World Health Day

Pray for Carolyn and Jim Brown, who are serving at the Ngaoundéré Protestant Hospital in Cameroon, Carolyn in nursing and Jim as surgical program director.

8 Pray for the board of directors and staff of Camp of the Cross Ministries in North Dakota as they gather in retreat April 9-10 to work on a new strategic plan for their year-round camp and retreat ministry.

9 Praise God for the Rev. Justin and Kari Eller, who serve in La Paz, Bolivia. They work in the Office of Mission in the *Iglesia Evangélica Luterana Boliviana* (Bolivian Lutheran Church).

10 Please pray for newly appointed mission developers starting congregations across the ELCA: Mark Huber, Marshfield, Mass.; Zhenchuan Liu, Seattle, Wash.; Mary Jensen, Lincoln, Neb.; Yutaka Kishino, Huntington Beach, Calif.; Melaku Tizazu, Kansas City, Mo.;

and Po-Min Wang, West Covina, Calif.

11 Second Sunday of Easter

Blessed God, in the midst of serious political and economic challenges in the region, we pray for the people of Japan, North Korea, South Korea and Taiwan, that your abundant grace may be showered upon them.

12 Ask God to guide the Dinka Lutheran Community of Sudanese immigrants in Rochester, Minn., a Synodically Authorized Worshiping Community, as they identify, nurture and train leaders.

13 Pray for the Rev. Robert and the Rev. Janice Marie Lowden, who serve as regional representatives for East Africa, focusing on companion churches and relationships in Tanzania.

14 Pray for Trinity Lutheran Church, Kankakee, Ill., as the congregation reorganizes its ministry for mission. All congregational work will be based on the faith practices: [pray](#), [study](#), [worship](#), [invite](#), [encourage](#), [serve](#), [give](#).

15 Ask God's blessings on Suzanne Strekal and Delores Slusser-Wright, volunteer teachers at *Gymnazium JA Komenskeho* in Kosice, Slovakia. The Gymnazium is one of several church-related schools to which the ELCA sends teachers.

16 Pray for the National Council of the Lutheran Student Movement as it meets April 16-18 to plan for the next year of

student-led ministry in their regions.

17 Give thanks for the generous spirit displayed by St. John Lutheran Church in Norfolk, Neb. As they celebrated God's blessings that included \$19,000 more than expenditures in 2009, they donated generously of the unexpected gifts to the Nebraska Synod's ministries.

18 Third Sunday of Easter

God of mercy, send the gentle rains upon the lands of Djibouti and Somalia. May the fields bear fruit and the people be renewed in the midst of their constant living with drought and hunger.

19 Thank God for Dr. Meghan Shaughnessy and Dr. Kurt Hessen. They are serving for nine months at Arusha Lutheran Medical Center and Selian Hospital.

20 Pray for the churchwide Lutheran Youth Organization and its current youth leaders as they continue to carry out a major ministry restructuring process.

21 Remember in prayer Sarah Griebler and Colleen Hetrick, serving as English teachers in Cieszyn, Poland. May this experience continue to shape their future ministries.

22 Earth Day

Pray that more and more people see caring for creation as an act of discipleship, and give thanks for the Metropolitan Chicago Synod's Environmental Concerns Working Group, its leaders, and the eight congregations in the synod that served as guinea pigs and trendsetters, enabling others to become better stewards of creation.

23 Lift up Randall and Carol Stubbs, teaching music at Makumira University College, a ministry of the Evangelical Lutheran Church of Tanzania. Rejoice with this family and with their students as they learn from each other the gifts of music and friendship.

24 Remember to pray for the Lutheran Malaria Initiative, a partnership of ELCA, The Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod and Lutheran World Relief, working to combat malaria and its effects on the people who live daily with the disease, especially as we observe World Malaria Day on April 25.

25 Fourth Sunday of Easter

God of hope, we praise you for the witness of the growing churches in Ethiopia and Eritrea. Continue to strengthen and comfort these churches as they reach out with compassion to their neighbors.

26 Pray for college and university students graduating this spring from the ELCA's 27 colleges and universities as they discern how to live out their vocations.

27 Lift up in prayer Douglas Foster, John Hoyle, Susan Wironen, and Dana Dutcher, who have assignments as English teachers in Tokyo and Kumamoto, Japan, as part of the J-3 program of the Japan Evangelical Lutheran Church.

28 Please pray for the ministries of Jordan New Life Community Lutheran Church and Central Lutheran Church, both of the Minneapolis Area Synod, as they learn from each other, share gifts and resources, and engage in mission together.

29 Give thanks for the ministries of Reformation Lutheran Church on Capitol Hill in Washington, D.C., and its witness to the United States government as it serves the people who are most vulnerable in the city.

30 Pray for Pastor Sam and Cindy Wolff, who serve at Nairobi International Lutheran Church in Nairobi, Kenya. This is a congregation of the Kenya Evangelical Lutheran Church.

Prayer petitions for Sundays follow the World Council of Churches Ecumenical Prayer Cycle and can be incorporated into the prayers at weekly worship. Weekday entries are offered as guides to prayer for the global, social and outreach ministries of the church. Thank you for your continued prayers for the life and mission of this church.

Letters To The Editor

by Paul Feiertag


Until the vote last August most congregations and ELCA members could ignore the presence of gays. However, once the 2/3 vote approved partnered gay clergy to serve ELCA churches, "The Lutheran" magazine has been the forum for members to express their support or to vent a host of negative emotions and threats to leave or punish the church by withholding monetary support. Ingrid and I recognize in these letters the harmful emotions we worked through to accept Tim as a member of our family and our ELCA church--fear, anger, grief, isolation, and despair. I decided to enter the "Letters to the Editor" debate from our perspective as straight parents of a gay man waiting for a call to a church and ordination. The following edited version was printed in the April issue of "The Lutheran":

Thank you for Vickie Pedersen's "My View". If three can become one, the millions of ELCA members can become one. The gospel is that outrageous and inclusive. A helpful perspective: nearly every gay person has straight parents. This means that in every congregation straight couples are conceiving and giving birth to babies who will grow up and discover that they are gay. We are straight parents of an openly gay man, a recent graduate of an ELCA seminary, who is serving an ELCA parish. We were able to overcome a fistful of harmful emotions with the help of other parents of gays and through the gospel-centered preaching of a partnered gay pastor.

(The partnered gay pastor referred to above is John Torres and Tim Webb, his partner of 30+ years. They rented Thanksgiving Church's facilities for their Metropolitan Community Church congregation. We joined them in worship after attending our TLC worship. John preached from the same texts; but, since his parish consisted of gay people and straight parents, his message always included nourishment for the unique journey we were on in this irrationally homophobic world.)

I had wanted to include a gentle reminder to congregations acting to purify themselves by leaving the ELCA: a church can remain free of gay contact only if membership is restricted to people beyond reproductive age with no adoptions allowed. You see, gay people are not responsible for their being gay. They do not choose to be gay; they grow up and discover they are gay. It's we straight parents who are responsible for the gays in the world and in the church. As in the past, the Holy Spirit will urge and compel a large number of those gays to prepare for and become ordained ministers of word and sacrament. It is futile to deny the Holy Spirit's influence on the baptized members of God's Church.

The beauty of being in a Reconciling In Christ congregation is that we all do not have to agree on everything, but we can and do accept each other as members of the body of Christ and accept each other where we are on the journey to become witnesses to the all-inclusive love of God.

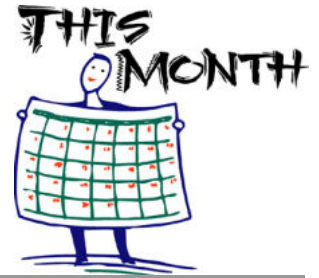












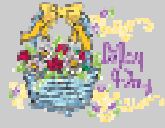
Flavors of Rwanda

Savor the Flavors of Rwanda

Mark your calendars! Come experience a real Rwandan meal at TLC on Saturday, May 15th. It is an opportunity for fellowship and we'll learn more about our Rwanda school mission project too. Adventurous cooks will be able to share in meal preparations with easy recipes provided. So, mark your calendars and reserve the date. Watch for sign-up sheets and more information to come!

April 2010 at Thanksgiving Lutheran



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
28  9:30 AM Sunday Morning Worship 1:00 PM Casa Alfarero	29 7:00 PM Alcoholics Anonymous	30 9:30 AM T.O.P.S. Meeting 8:00 PM Narcotics Anonymous	31 7:00 PM Casa Alfarero	1  7:00 PM Maundy Thursday	2  7:00 PM Good Friday	3 10:00 AM Alcoholics Anonymous 10:00 AM CCC Committee 1:00 PM Altar Set Up
4  9:30 AM Sunday Morning Worship 1:00 PM Casa Alfarero	5  7:00 PM Alcoholics Anon. 7:00 PM Mutual Ministry 7:15 PM Book Group	6 9:30 AM T.O.P.S. Meeting 7:00 PM Worship Committee 8:00 PM Narcotics Anonymous	7 7:00 PM Casa Alfarero	8	9 7:00 PM Casa Alfarero	10 10:00 AM Alcoholics Anonymous 10:00 AM Finance Committee Meeting 1:00 PM Anderson Memorial
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TLC Group News



TLC Book Group

Our next meeting will be Monday, April 5, 7:15 pm at Mary Weber's home. We're reading ***Walking the Bible: A Journey By Land Through the Five Books of Moses***, by Bruce Feiler, and for this meeting we'll read and discuss through "Book V" (the last section.) New readers are always welcome!



Men's Group

Men's Group re emerges after Lent on April 15th at 6 pm on the patio. All men are most welcome. Bring a dish to share and your choice of beverage. Solve the problems of the world. If you need transportation contact Jim Harrison at ecosave@sonic.net



New Chairs!

The Sanctuary Task Force and Chair committee will have a joint meeting April 11 after church to decide the colors of the new chairs. All are welcome. They will then be ordered!!!!

Pennies From E-Scrip

Take advantage of the e-scrip program and register your Safeway card and credit cards. Then, every time you use them in a transaction, you will earn pennies for TLC! It makes good cents!



Sunday Forum Offers Website Savvy

On April 18, Jim Lehman, who serves on our Outreach and Evangelism Committee as our Website Minister, is offering an Adult Forum for leaders of the congregation and any other interested folks. The forum will offer hands-on training on how to use our TLC website more effectively.

Our website is one of our best contacts with new and existing members. Jim Lehman has developed a sophisticated--but very manageable--system to help promote plans, share goals, calendar events, and reach out to the internet world.

If you own a laptop, please bring it.

TLCers Are Generous Givers

In addition to our regular giving in support of Thanksgiving, gifts are coming in for special benevolences. As of March 21st we have given \$626.25 for earthquake relief in Haiti, \$20 for earthquake relief in Chile and \$546 to the Rwandan School Project. Second mile giving gifts have also been made and ten percent of our giving after the mortgage is paid goes to Sierra Pacific Synod. Well done!



Heavenly Hell Raisers

On April 22 at 6pm, Heavenly Hell Raisers will be enjoying a potluck supper and a presentation on Ecuador given by George and Diane Land. We hope to see you there!



Christian Education

Adult Forums after church are in the works. If you have an idea for a subject or wish to present one please contact Jean Harrison at ecosave@sonic.net or 545-6042.

Treasurer's Report

Expenses continue to exceed income. As of the end of February we had a shortfall of \$5,894.32 for 2010. We had a deficit all of 2009. This is cause for concern. We continue to use savings to meet current obligations but our savings are dwindling. Please prayerfully consider this situation when giving.

Notes from Finance

To better plan events and projects a form is now available in the office for budgeting for those not in the present year's Operating Budget. Any committee or person wishing to sponsor such an event or project should fill out the form and present it to the Finance Committee. This will better help the Treasurer know which bills to pay and who is doing what. In addition W-9 forms are in the office. These must be filled out by any independent contractor doing any work for TLC. Checks will not be issued until we have the correct information for tax reporting at year's end. If you are unsure who needs to fill one out, please contact Jean Harrison

TLC Special Fund Totals as of 3/21/10

Stained Glass Windows	\$3,366.11
Memorial Gardens	\$540.11
Sanctuary Chairs	\$9,775.85
Landscape	\$103.49



Giving is what Christians do!

For many years my wife, Karen, and I struggled with our financial stewardship. We admired people who faithfully gave a tithe - or more - of their income, but we didn't feel that we could do that. We were raising children, trying to get a business established, paying off school loans, replacing the brakes on the car, etc., etc. We wanted to be good stewards, but our resources were scarce, or so we thought.

I wish we had known these words of Corrie Ten Boom at that time: "Never be afraid to trust an unknown future to a known God." The day came, though, when we decided to step out in faith and become tithers. It was scary, but more and more we came to understand that we were stewards of abundance, not scarcity, and that God would sustain us.

What a joy this journey became for us! Did we still struggle financially at times? Of course. But our commitment to first fruits, proportional giving to God's work actually freed us from a lot of the worry and concern that we had experienced. God gave us enough, and sometimes more than enough, to carry us through.

A church we visited recently has this as one of its guiding principles: "Giving is what Christians do." That is so true when it comes to our

time, groceries for the food pantry, plates of cookies for a reception, donations to World Hunger or disaster relief - but not always with our financial stewardship.

In a few days we will accompany Jesus again

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through his death and resurrection. In his death he gave all he had so that we might live. In his resurrection God gave his life back - and more - so that we might be assured of God's loving care, no matter what.

Easter is a time when we celebrate the abundance of God's love, amidst the riotous abundance of spring growth and renewal. May this also be a time when we commit, or recommit, to sharing the abundance of our wealth. Giving is what Christians do!

In God's abundant peace,

*Pr. Jim Goldsmith, Director for Mission Support,
Sierra Pacific Synod*

Scripture Readings for April and May

April 11 Second Sunday of Easter

Acts 5:27-32; Psalm 118:14-29 or 150; Revelation 1:4-8; John 20:19-31

April 18 Third Sunday of Easter

Acts 9:1-20; Psalm 30; Revelation 5:11-14; John 21:1-19

April 25 Fourth Sunday of Easter

Acts 9:36-43; Psalm 23; Revelation 7:9-17; John 10:22-30

May 2 Fifth Sunday of Easter

Acts 11:1-18; Psalm 148; Revelation: 21:1-6; John 13:31-35

May 9 Sixth Sunday of Easter

Acts 16:9-15; Revelation 21:10 – 22:5

May 16 Seventh Sunday of Easter

Acts 16:16-34; Psalm 97; Revelation 22:12-14, 16-17; John 17:20-26

May 23 Day of Pentecost

Acts 2:1-21; Ps. 104:24-35; Genesis 11:1-9 or Romans 8:14-17; John 14:8-27

May 30 Holy Trinity

Proverbs 8:1-4, 22-31; Psalm 8; Romans 5:1-5; John 16:12-15



April Stewards

Date	April 1	April 2	April 4	April 11	April 18	April 25
Preaching	Jean Lebbert	Jean Lebbert	Jean Lebbert	Jean Lebbert	Jean Lebbert	Jean Lebbert
Event	Maundy Thursday	Good Friday	Easter	Second Sunday of Easter	Third Sunday of Easter	Fourth Sunday of Easter
Music	Solo Piano	Solo Piano	TLC Band	Solo Piano	TLC Band	Solo Piano
Paraments Color	Altar is stripped	none	White	White	White	White
Worship Assistant	Sharon Boschen		Mary Thompson	Karen Lehman	Ingrid Feiertag	Jean Flak
Readers	Mark Koppen	Paul Feiertag	Kim Lehman	Ray Zuest	Keith Becker	Mary Dawson
Acolytes	Not needed	Not needed	Natalie Koppen	Griffin Becker	Casey Becker	Nathan McPhereson
Greeters			Jan Thomas and Lisa Bartlett	Joan Hax and Flak	Stan and Marilyn Schuler	Jan Thomas
Ushers	Not needed	Not needed	Jean and Jim Harrison	Dianne and George Land	Astrid Anderson and Flak	Dave and Kathy Flanagan
Offering Tellers	Not needed	Not needed	Sandy Koppen and Lisa Bartlett	Betty Hiebel and Gloria Feiertag	Keith Becker and Jim Lehman	Paul Feiertag and Lisa Bartlett

TLC Council:

Sharon Boschen, President
Jean Harrison, Treasurer
Jean Flak
Joan Hax
Alanna Krinard
Karen Lehman
Pastor Jean Lebbert

TLC Committee Chairs

CCC: Without Chair
Education: Without Chair
Evangelism and Outreach: Sharon Boschen
Finance: Jean Harrison
Property: Jan Loewen
Stewardship: Jean Flak
Worship: Mark Koppen

Who's Who In Worship

Acolytes Coordinator:

Keith Becker

Altar Guild:

Mary Dawson, Deb Ferronato, Kathy Flanagan, Diane Land (chair), Lorraine Larson, Pam Mahan, Christine Willsey

Greeters Coordinator:

Jan Thomas

Asst. Ministers Coordinator:

Mark Koppen

Musicians Coordinator:

Mark Koppen

Offering Tellers:

Lisa Bartlett, Keith Becker, Gloria Feiertag, Paul Feiertag, Betty Hiebel, Jim Lehman, Sandy Koppen

Readers Coordinator:

Mary Thompson

Ushers Coordinator:

George Land

Who's Who In Special Taskforces

Blessing of the Pets Coordinator:

Pastor Jean Lebbert

Chair Replacement Coordinator:

Joan Hax

Community Garden Coordinator:

Karen Lehman

Landscaping Coordinator:

Jean Harrison

Quilters Coordinator:

Lorraine Larson

Sanctuary Task Force Coordinators:

Deb Ferronato and Jean Harrison

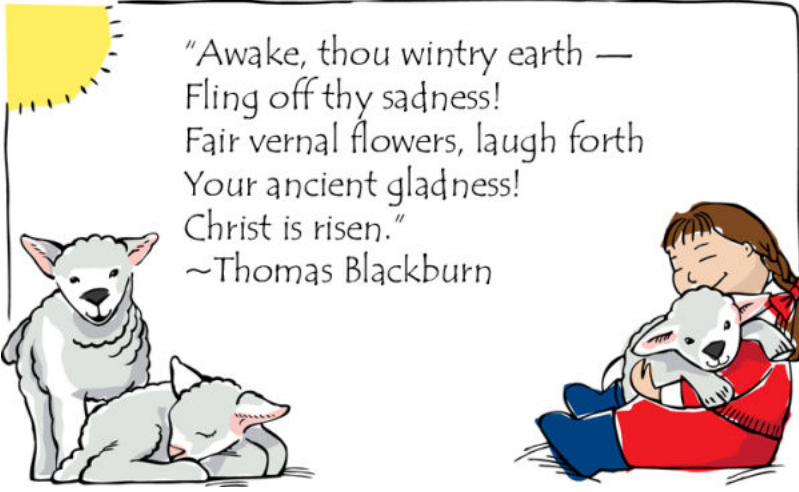
Women's Groups Coordinator:

Karen Lehman

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At the Mission Investment Fund, we use the money you invest to fund building and renovation loans for ELCA congregations and related ministries. Give us a call at 877.886.3522



"Awake, thou wintry earth —
Fling off thy sadness!
Fair vernal flowers, laugh forth
Your ancient gladness!
Christ is risen."
~Thomas Blackburn



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