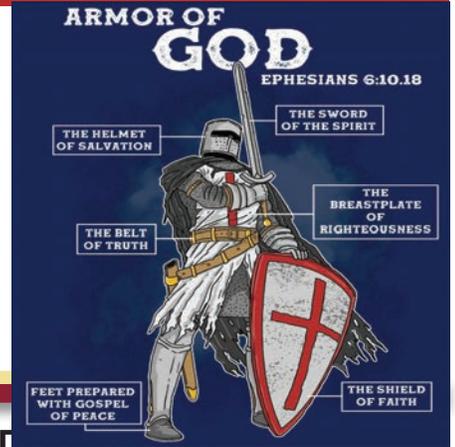


TLC CONNECT



CONNECT WITH US Sunday, Nov. 21st through Worship

Every person alive is in the process of becoming more — or less — like who they were made to be.

But who are we? What are we here for?

And how do people change? The gospel reveals that Jesus is the answer to all three questions: We are made in His image, and we are called to become more like Him in all our thoughts, desires, and character. Yet this transformation is impossible to maintain by self-improvement and moral restraint alone. Rather, it takes a gradual process of “working out what God works in” through the saving grace of Jesus and the power of His Spirit.

• Nov. 21 There’s A Battle Over You



Pastor Troy’s Sunday Bible Story Class

This Sunday we will look at the heart of the work of Jesus’ disciples, Acts, and how the epistles of the New Testament fit into Acts. We will highlight 2 major events in Acts that help us understand how the entire Bible fits together into one beautiful story. The class will meet in the Worship Center from 10:45-11:30 am.

FOOD SHELF NEEDS DONATIONS



Thanksgiving list for the food pantry: boxed stuffing, boxed instant potatoes, canned yams, jars of gravy, canned green beans, canned corn, canned ham, canned soup, canned fruit, canned cranberries, white rice, boxed brownies, boxed cake mix, cans of frosting, and boxed cookie mixture.

Items need to be in their original sealed wrappings. If you donate food items, please remember to check the “use by” date. We have two locations at the church to leave your donations: the church entryway (basket) or the ministry entrance (Open 24/7) plastic container.

Hebrews 13:16 “Do not neglect to do good and to share what you have, for such sacrifices are pleasing to God.”



ORCHESTRA 45th Season 2021-2022

A Concerto for the Holidays

Thurs., Dec. 2nd • 7:30 PM
The Log Church

featuring:

- The world premiere of HSO’s 2020 Composer Competition winner Quinn Mason’s Overture in a Classical Style
- Dr. Hilary Lowery - from Bemidji State
- Holiday favorites

Conducted by Ryan Webber
Conductor Chats held prior to concert

FREE CONCERT Donations will be accepted at the door and on-line at HeartlandSymphony.com

Audience members will be expected to wear masks regardless of vaccination status. Masks will be made available for audience. Maintaining 6 feet of social distancing is also requested.

This concert is made possible by the voters of MN through grants from the MN State Arts Board & the Five Wings Arts Council, thanks to a legislative appropriation from the arts & cultural heritage fund.



The Samaritan's Purse Operation "Christmas Child"

THE ABSOLUTE LAST DAY TO RETURN YOUR SHOEBOX IS THIS SATURDAY, NOV. 20TH.

Please include \$9 to cover the cost of shipping. Payments may be cash, check, or pay on-line.

WANTED

We want **YOU** to help out with our Log Church Library.

- What:** 30-minute volunteer sessions at the Library
- When:** Sunday mornings that work for your schedule
- Where:** The Log Church Library
- Why:** Easy way to serve and make a difference

Many hands make light work and we could use a couple additional sets of hands. You can receive the REWARD of knowing that you are helping to make impactful, faith building resources available to The Log Church family. Interested in learning more? Please contact Kate Stephany at 763-222-4614.

Christmas Eve Services

CANDLELIGHT SERVICES

Friday, Dec. 24th
3:30 and 5:00 pm



Both services will be live-streamed on our YouTube channel "Crosslake Worship".

No Wednesday Night Activities Scheduled for Nov. 24th

WEDNESDAY NIGHT LIVE

Stay CONNECTED through Our Log Church HEARTBEATS
submitted by Pastor Mark Holmen

Last Sunday we publicly welcomed another group of new members which is always exciting. During the membership class, one of the things we cover are The Log Church "heartbeats" which are the things that matter most to us as a church. We are sharing these heartbeats in the TLC CONNECT so we can all be reminded of these passions we share. Here is another one of those heartbeats.

Community Matters

In our American society we are becoming more and more isolated. We hardly ever come in contact with other people anymore; we're closed in our automobiles, when we get home we pull into our garages and retreat into our homes, you can

be surrounded by people all day but never actually talk to one, our banks are automated, I get my gas without even talking to an attendant, we're progressively more isolated. Unfortunately, isolation is not good or healthy for us. Addiction occurs in isolation. Mental health issues occur in isolation. And as soon as I disconnect from community, I'm no longer accountable for anything which is also dangerous. At The Log Church, we believe being a part of community is important because in community we receive care, support, encouragement, understanding and strength. We were created for community and we are called to be in community because without community, like a heartbeat, we will slowly die.

HAPPY THANKSGIVING
So very *thankful*, incredibly *grateful*, unbelievably *blessed*

