



# TLC CONNECT

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## Welcome to The Log Church Sunday - August 23rd



### Love Your Parents

*Exodus 20:12*

How should we treat our parents?  
As the world is slipping into chaos it is eroding the family structure with it. So, how should we treat our parents from a biblical perspective?



## CONGREGATIONAL MEETING

**SUNDAY, AUG. 23RD**  
following worship service

Everyone is welcome  
to attend!

This will be a brief meeting to vote on new members and to receive a couple updates on things that have been going on around the church.

## WHO WILL INHERIT THE MESS?

Mindful Estate Planning for the Future

**On Thursday August 27th • 6-8:00 PM**

TLC will host an estate planning seminar in which you will learn:

- How to avoid leaving mess and confusion for your children
- How to make sure your estate avoids Probate
- The difference between Wills and Trusts
- The importance of Power of Attorney and Healthcare Directives
- How to leave a legacy of love & support while minimizing taxes

THIS EVENT IS PUT ON THROUGH A GRANT AND NO PRODUCTS ARE SOLD AT THIS SEMINAR. IT IS FOR INFORMATION ONLY!



**Sunday, August 23rd**

Join us on Sunday as we welcome True North Ranch Ministries to speak during our service. Lee and Dan Shelstad are Log Church supported missionaries right here in our community!

**HEART OF  
THE CITY  
WORSHIP BAND  
RETURNS  
SUNDAY, AUG. 30TH**



**Sat., Sept. 5th  
9:00 AM**

**Location:**

**Janzen Auction**

**942 2nd Street NW, Aitkin**

Some of the Anderson's personal property will be sold at auction on Saturday, Sept. 5th starting at 9:00 AM and running most of the day.

## SMALL GROUP LEADERS!

We are having a short meeting for small group leaders on Sunday, September 13th after the service. We want to thank you for your leadership and we want to hear about what is going well, what challenges you have, and any questions you might have concerning small group ministry. If you're not able to be there we ask a representative from your group can be present.

### Wednesday Evening Programs and Meal will begin Sept. 23rd.

The **WED. NIGHT MEAL** will be served from 5:30-6:30 PM in the Fellowship Hall. We suggest a donation of \$5.00/person or a maximum of \$10.00/family.



Be grateful for the little things, the beautiful people in your life, the ordinary moments, the unremarkable events, and the wonderful things that you get to experience. Life is not meant to be grand, it's meant to be meaningful and memorable.  
— Sangeeta Rana

### YOUTH GROUP

**WED., AUGUST 26TH**  
No Youth Group  
(Leaders Meeting)



### ✦ THIS COMING WEEK ✦

#### SUNDAY - AUGUST 23RD

9:00 AM Pre-service Prayer  
9:30 AM Worship Service  
10:45 AM Congregational Mtg.  
11:30 AM Reach Global Plan Mtg.

#### MONDAY - AUGUST 24TH

-- no activities scheduled --

#### TUESDAY - AUGUST 25TH

9:30 AM Womens Bible Study  
1:30 PM WNL Meal Planning  
6:00 PM Leadership Mtg.  
7:00 PM AA Group

#### WEDNESDAY - AUGUST 26TH

6:00 PM NO Youth Group Mtg.

#### THURSDAY - AUGUST 27TH

6:00 PM Estate Planning

#### FRIDAY - AUGUST 28TH

8:30 AM Bone Builders



**reachglobal**  
crisis response

## Trauma Care Healing Conversations

**Friday, Sept. 18th 6-9:00 PM and  
Saturday, Sept. 19th 9:00 AM - Noon**

Training provided by Kat Welch, Dir. of Trauma Care,  
ReachGlobal Crisis Respose

Have you ever wanted to support someone who was grieving the loss of a loved one, navigating a difficult diagnosis, or facing another life-altering hardship, but found yourself at a loss for words? Or maybe you've said something in the moment, only to later think, *"I wish I hadn't said that."*

**Trauma Care**, also known as **"Healing Conversations,"** is a focused, impactful training designed to help you navigate these difficult moments with compassion, grace, and confidence. Through this training, you'll learn:

- What to say—and what not to say—in sensitive situations
- How to ask meaningful, open-ended questions using a simple three-step framework
- What it means to truly listen, and how to identify and overcome your personal obstacles to being fully present in conversations

You may wonder, *"Why is this important?"*

As the Body of Christ, we are called to walk alongside those who are hurting. Mental health matters, not just emotionally, but relationally, physically, intellectually, and most importantly, spiritually. When we care for others in their pain, we offer them a glimpse of Christ's love. In doing so, we build authentic relationships and create natural opportunities to share the Gospel.

## DEVOTION - Wait With Me for A While

*Isaiah 30:18; 1 Kings 8:23;  
Galatians 5:22-23*

I have much to tell you. You are walking along the path I have chosen for you. It is both a privileged and a perilous way: experiencing My glorious Presence and heralding that reality to others. Sometimes you feel presumptuous to be carrying out such an assignment.

Do not worry about what other people think of you. The work I am doing in you is hidden at first. But eventually blossoms will burst forth, and abundant fruit will be born. Stay on the path of Life with Me. Trust Me wholeheartedly, letting My Spirit fill you with joy and peace.

**Jesus Calling**  
by Sarah Young