

# Future Directions Team Commissioning Service THIS SUNDAY

Please join us this Sunday for the Commissioning service of our Future Directions Team during both worship services. This team is working with our congregational consultant, Dan Holloway from Pinnacle Leadership Associates, to help guide us in discernment for the next chapter of Shepherd of Life. Members include Christy Moore, Dana Blevins, Theresa Jorgensen, Jim Rogerson, Chris Wade, and Marie Purcell.



This commissioning service is also for you! It marks an invitation for everyone in our congregation to enter this season of spiritual discernment with 40 days of intentional prayer. We will be using a devotional booklet entitled, “40 Days of Prayer: Preparing Ourselves for God’s Calling.” Each day in the devotional includes a scripture reading, a devotional thought, and a prayer thought. The devotional invites you to pray every day for yourself as a Christian disciple and for your church, as the gathered community of disciples. The devotion book will be available in both hard copies in the narthex and electronic format accessible via email. Please send your requests for the digital format to [Rdholloway65@gmail.com](mailto:Rdholloway65@gmail.com).

**We invite you to begin these 40 days of prayer on Monday, July 25.**

As devotional author, Rev. Mark Tidsworth encourages, “When disciples and churches embrace this process, they prepare themselves for discerning God’s call...discerning God’s vision. May you encounter the Living God through your praying these next 40 days!”