

From: [Bobbie Carmody](#)  
To: [Bobbie Carmody](#)  
Subject: First Lutheran Women E-News - September, 2015  
Date: Wednesday, September 02, 2015 8:58:28 AM

---



## First Lutheran Women E-News – September, 2015

---

### ADDITIONAL RESOURCES

[First Lutheran Women](#)

[Women of the ELCA](#)

[Bold Cafe](#)

[Community Resources](#)

Hi my sisters in Christ,

Today I will share with you a message I received by email several years ago. It made me think and I have saved it all these years so I will share it with you.....

### **THE GARDEN**

For the garden of your daily living plant three rows of peas:

1-peace of mind 2-peace of heart 3-peace of soul

Plant four rows of squash:

1- squash gossip 2- squash indifference 3- squash crumbling 4- squash selfishness

Plant four rows of lettuce:

1- lettuce be thankful 2- lettuce be kind 3- lettuce be patient

4- lettuce really love one another

No garden is without turnips:

1- turnip for meetings 2- turnip for service 3- turnip to help one another

To conclude our garden we must have thyme:

1- thyme for each other 2- thyme for family 3- thyme for friends

Water your garden freely with **PATIENCE**...and...cultivate with **LOVE**. It will take work but there is much fruit in your garden! You reap what you sow.

This message fits Spring time better but as I was working in my garden I thought these words apply to the Fall also. Now the activities will start up and life gets busy and crazy. Remember the Lord is with wherever you go and whatever you do.

In faith and friendship,

Karen Y Murphy

President - FLC Women's Board of Directors

---

### **Upcoming Events:**

**September 2** – Women's Board Meeting – 5:15 p.m.

**September 9** – Circles Meet (Deborah, Elizabeth, Hannah)

**September 11 & 12** - 69th Annual Shetek Women's Retreat

**September 13** - Rally Day Serving

**September 14** - Esther Circle Meets - 7pm – Fireside Room

**September 21** - Quilting 1-4 pm Board Hosting

**September 27** - Women's Board Installation during Worship

---

### **Mission Statement:**

To mobilize women to act boldly on their faith in Jesus Christ.

*To respond to this email, share ideas, or questions, please contact  
Bobbie Carmody at [cbcarmody@iw.net](mailto:cbcarmody@iw.net)*