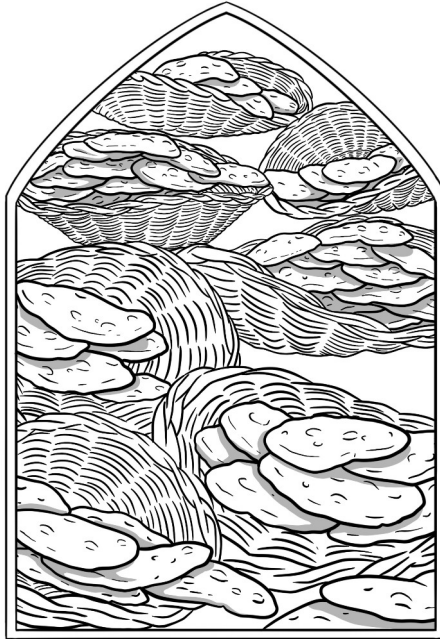


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August 03, 2025



The Seven Left Over Baskets by Emma Zamani

Sunday School and Bible recessed for the summer
Sunday Divine Service, 10am

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LUTHERAN CHURCH – CANADA

Our Order of Service

The Divine Service will follow Setting Three, beginning on page 184 in *Lutheran Service Book*. The bulletin insert provides the parts of the service that are specific to today, **The Seventh Sunday after Trinity**.

Visitors to the Lord's Table

An old custom in many Lutheran churches was to have a curved altar rail. As one pictured it continuing on in a circle out of sight behind the altar, it signified that those participating in **Holy Communion** were in touch with the saints who had departed this life. The One who gives us His very body and blood in this Supper is also the One hosting the feast for those who have been called to heaven. Looking forward to our Saviour's presence for all time, we desire to be faithful to His Word in this time. For this reason, we practice closed communion and ask guests to speak with the pastor before communing, to arrange a time for instruction and public confession of our shared belief.

This Week

Today Divine Service, 10am
 Refreshments after the service
Mon Civic Holiday
Thurs Back to the Bible reading program, 11:30am

Next Sunday The Feast of St. Laurence, Martyr
 Divine Service, 10am

Coming Events

Aug 17 Ordination and Installation of Candidate Vijay Samuel
 at Risen Christ Mississauga, 4pm
Sep 06 Installation of Rev. Vishal Paul at Immanuel Georgetown, 10am
Sep 07 Divine Service 11am
 Seminary Opening Service of the Academic Year, 4pm
Sep 19-21 EDLYA Retreat at Trinity Toronto

Summer Service Time

During the months of July and August, there will be no Sunday morning Bible Class or Sunday School. The Divine Service will be held every Sunday at 10am.

What Is That? – Words You Only Hear at Church

Organ - The organ is one of the oldest musical instruments in the western musical tradition. In contrast to a piano, the organ has many voices as different pipes are selected to sound the notes. This makes the organ especially useful to lead and accompany the congregation in their singing.

Divine Service - The name commonly given to the regular weekly service that includes the celebration of the Lord's Supper. Derived from the German Gottesdienst ("God's service"), its meaning is dual in nature. In worship, God serves us with His gifts of forgiveness and life, and we respond in service to Him through our sacrifice of thanksgiving and praise.

Hymn Board - To assist the congregation during Divine Service, the hymn numbers are displayed on the hymn boards. The board may also identify in which section of the church year is the day's service.

Ordination/Installation for Candidate Vijay Samuel... Aug 17, 4pm

Risen Christ Lutheran Church in Mississauga will host this special event in the life of our congregation member Vijay Samuel, as he is ordained into the Office of the Holy Ministry in Lutheran Church-Canada, and installed as the Associate Pastor for Risen Christ Mississauga and Immanuel Georgetown. A celebratory meal will follow the service. Please commit to attending and RSVP to risenchristlutheranchurch@outlook.com or 905-625-5117 by August 03.

LCC Is Hiring for Director of Communications and Accounting Manager

The Director of Communications will lead LCC's national communications strategy with clarity, integrity, and confessional leadership. The role combines strategic planning, media relations, theological messaging, and internal communications to support the mission and ministry of LCC.

The Accounting Manager (CAO Track) position is a unique two-year transitional opportunity for an experienced financial professional to be mentored into the role of Chief Administrative Officer. This role involves managing the financial health of LCC, LCC Financial Ministries, and Worker Benefit Services while gaining executive-level experience in a collaborative faith-based environment. Applications are due by Aug 31 to Iris Barta, LCC Office Manager officemanager@lutheranchurch.ca. View full job descriptions at www.lutheranchurchcanada.ca/careers/.

Apologetics 101... September 20, Risen Christ Mississauga

Rev. Dr. Michael Berg of Wisconsin Lutheran College will be speaking on Creation, the Reliability of the Scriptures, and Dealing with World Religions. The days activities run from 8:45am to 2:30pm. Register at 905-625-5117 or risenchristlutheranchurch@outlook.com.

LCC 2026 Synod Convention Updates

Right now, any communicant member of a Lutheran Church-Canada congregation can individually recommend LCC pastors and lay people to serve on the various boards and commissions of the synod. Nomination forms, list of positions and descriptions of their duties and responsibilities are available on the 2026 convention website at www.lutheranchurch-canada.ca/synod-convention-2026/recommendation-for-nomination-form.

LCC Mission Minute – Updated International Missions Webpages

You can check out all of Lutheran Church-Canada's international missions through the synod's web site www.lutheranchurchcanada.ca. They have recently added fresh content to all of the International Missions web pages, including Cambodia, Costa Rica, Nicaragua, Thailand, and Ukraine. Updates include new background and partnership details; and insight into the mission work being carried out in each location (i.e. theological education, works of mercy). Work is underway on LCC's Domestic Missions content to ensure material is up-to-date.

Supporting LCC Missions in Thailand

The Lord's work continues in Thailand! For many years Rev. Suchart Chujit has faithfully served in southern Thailand, reaching out to various Hill Tribes and the Shan people—migrants from Myanmar who have settled in the Chiang Mai region. With support from Concordia Lutheran Mission Society, Rev. Niran Temsakun and his team receive assistance for rent, travel, and ministry needs as they establish this growing outreach.