

Join Us

at Concordia Lutheran Theological Seminary
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The Lord is near the broken-hearted, by Emma Zamani

Sunday School and Bible Class, 10am

Sunday Divine Service, 11am

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LUTHERAN CHURCH – CANADA

Our Order of Service

The Divine Service will follow Setting One, beginning on page 151 in *Lutheran Service Book*. The bulletin insert provides the parts of the service that are specific to today, **The Eighteenth Sunday after Trinity**.

Visitors to the Lord's Table

In obedience to God's Word, we celebrate the **Lord's Supper** frequently. Unlike Baptism, this Sacrament is to be received again and again for the strengthening of our faith. Also in obedience to God's Word, we practice closed communion. Our faith is not exclusive, but God says that we should have unity in faith which communion expresses. For this reason, guests are asked to speak with the pastor to arrange for a time of instruction before joining in this confession of what we believe.

This Week

- Today Bible Class and Sunday School, 10am
Divine Service, 11am
- Mon-Fri Daily chapel services with the seminary community, 10am
- Mon Mary-Martha Society meeting, 1:30pm
Catechism Class, 7pm
- Wed Pastoral Ministry Classes 1-4pm
Commission on Nominations and Elections, 8pm
- Thurs St. James of Jerusalem
Divine Service with the Seminary community, 10am
Back to the Bible (Gospel of Luke), 11:30am
- Fri-Sat LWML-C Prayer Retreat at Peace Tillsonburg
- Sat Schnitzel Dinner for Vicarage Support at Redeemer, Waterloo, 5:30

- Next Sunday** The 19th Sunday after Trinity
Bible Class and Sunday School, 10am
Divine Service, 11am
Installation of Rev. Jonathan Kraemer as President of
Concordia Lutheran Seminary, Edmonton AB, 6pm

Coming Events

- Nov 08 Lutheran Laymens League Canada annual meeting in London, 3pm
- Nov 10-12 East Region Pastors and Deacons' Conference
- Nov 15 Lutherans for Life annual meeting on-line, 1pm
- Nov 22 Concordia Rocks Bonspiel for Seminary Support in Williamsford
- Nov 23 65th Anniversary for Prince of Peace, Burlington
- Nov 30 Christmas Kick-Off Community Celebration at Grace St. Catharines

Once again it is time to renew memberships or enroll in the Seminary Guild. Your membership of \$10 helps to support the work done at our seminary. The primary focus is to support the students and their families as they study. Membership is open to women and men of all ages. There is no time committment required on your part. If you have questions, ask Sharon Glasser, our Seminary Guild Representative.

Redeemer Lutheran Church in Waterloo will host a dinner on Oct 25 at 5:30pm. All proceeds will support their vicarage program to host and train seminary students for one year in their practical parish setting. For information, please contact Redeemer at 519-745-5027 or Darryll Holland at 519-575-3209.

This one-year contract position will develop, source, and implement initiatives that support Called Workers nationwide. For details and how to apply go to www.lutheranchurchcanada.ca.

The students have put together a list of foods they would be grateful to receive. A lot of pantry usage has been connected to lunchtime needs (noodles, eggs, pre-packaged meats, etc.). Non-Perishables: pasta and sauce; rice; canned beans, stews, and chili; ramen; cereal; canned tuna; granola bars; peanut butter; puddings, nuts, popcorn, chips; seasonings and spices; flour; chicken stock cubes; olive oil. Freezer items: chicken pieces; burgers; chops; frozen vegetables; french fries; ready to eat meals. Perishables are nice on occasion: salad mixes; fresh vegetables and fruit; potatoes. Other items: toilet paper; paper towels; toothpaste; toothbrushes; unscented laundry detergent. Thank you for your generosity.

Lutheran Church-Canada meets in convention every four years, with each congregation or parish represented by two delegates: their pastor and a lay member. Appointment forms for the 2026 Synod Convention were sent to congregations in September.

Rev. Jonathan Kraemer's installation service will be live streamed from All Saints Lutheran Church in Edmonton AB at 4pm (6pm Eastern time). You can watch the service on [Youtube@concordialutheransem](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9333333333).

Let's Get Nicholas to the Seminary

We need some volunteers to serve on a Refugee Sponsorship Committee to bring seminary student Nicholas Daftaskan from Turkey to Canada. Grace Lutheran Church, St. Catharines is willing to be the sponsoring entity, but they need our help. Contact Pastor Juritsch (905) 646-0113 if you can volunteer.

Mission Minute: Deaf Ministries

Cross of Christ Lutheran Church of the Deaf in Edmonton AB is served by Rev. Kenneth Stadnick. Trinity Lutheran Church of the Deaf in Vancouver BC is served by Rev. Gregory Desrosiers and Rev. Dr. David Nielsen. St. James Lutheran Church in Winnipeg MB hosts ministry for the deaf under Rev. Dr. Richard Beinert. Several videos for the deaf can be found on the Lutheran Church-Canada web site. [Deaf Ministries - Lutheran Church-Canada](#)

Offering Envelope Instructions

The line designated CURRENT goes toward the current budgeted expenses of our congregation as approved by our voters assembly.

The line designated MISSIONS goes to Lutheran Church-Canada and the work we do together with them across the country and internationally.

The line designated OTHER allows you to direct your gift to any other charitable work, as long as you write it in the space provided. This may be our Mary-Martha Society, Concordia Lutheran Theological Seminary, Concordia Lutheran Mission Society, etc.