

May 19, 2024



The Day of Pentecost

Sunday School and Bible Class, 10am
Sunday Divine Service, 11am

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Our Order of Service

For the Time of Easter we will follow the order of Divine Service Setting One, beginning on page 151 of *Lutheran Service Book*. The bulletin insert will guide you through the service and provide you with the parts that are proper for **The Day of Pentecost**.

Pentecost Fifty days after He rose from the dead, and ten days after He ascended bodily into heaven, our Lord Jesus kept His promise and sent His Holy Spirit to the Church. The miraculous manifestation of the coming Spirit on that day continues to testify to His presence and work in the Christian Church, bringing life and salvation through faith in the Word of the Gospel. The Day of Pentecost marks the end of the season of Easter.

We receive the Lord's Supper every Sunday In joyful obedience to the teaching of Scripture, the congregations of Lutheran Church-Canada practice closed communion. We would like you to commune with us, but because of the different teachings about this sacred meal we want you to know what we believe and confess before showing your agreement as you join us in this communion. Guests who desire to commune with us are thus asked to speak with the pastor to arrange for a time of instruction before giving their public confirmation of what we believe and confess. Everyone who communes should fill out a communion card and leave it in the offering plate before the service.

This Week

Today Sunday School and Bible Class, 10am

Divine Service, 11am

Our thanks to Lutheran Bible Translators-Canada for their ongoing work throughout the world, and their participation in our service today while Pastor Lantz is serving Middleton, NS.

Mon Pentecost Monday (Acts 10:34-48)

Victoria Day holiday

Tues Pentecost Tuesday (Acts 8:14-17)

Thurs Back to the Bible, 11:30am

Sat CLTS Call Service at Christ St. Catharines, 3pm

Next Sunday The Holy Trinity

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Divine Service 11am

Coming Events

May 31-Jun 02 Lutheran Young Adults Retreat at Christ Risen, Ottawa

Jun 03 Seminary Golf Tournament at Conestoga Golf and Country Club

Jun 17-19 Seminary Preaching Retreat

Christian Bereavement Group... Mon, 7pm at Grace St. Catharines

“Grieving with the Saints” is offered for seven sessions on Monday evenings, 7-8:30pm, beginning May 6, at Grace Lutheran Church. If you are grieving the death of a loved one, you are welcome to join others in the same boat for mutual comfort and guidance from God’s Word. For more information or to register, call Pastor Richard Juritsch at (905)646-0113 or send an email to pastor@gracelutheranstcath.com. The deadline for registration is Wednesday, May 1.

Lutheran Bible Translators Canada... May 19

On the Day of Pentecost, a representative of Lutheran Bible Translators Canada will be with us to lead the Adult Bible Class and then preach the sermon for our Festival Divine Service. Many of our members have been long time supporters of LBTC. Please take advantage of this opportunity to catch up on the work that they do bringing God’s Word to people groups all around the world.

Call Service 2024... May 25, 3pm, Christ St. Catharines

Please note the earlier time for the seminary’s annual Call Service this year. Members of Lutheran Church-Canada are invited to attend the festive event. Daniel Cunningham will be certified to be called into the holy ministry and will receive his congregational placement in the service. The placements for three vicars will also be announced, including our church member, Vijay Samuel. Other students will be recognized for their academic achievements at the service.

Seminary Golf Tournament... June 03

Registration for the 2024 Concordia Lutheran Theological Seminary Golf Tournament is now open! The event will be held on Monday, June 03 at Conestoga Golf and Country Club (north of Waterloo). The day includes lunch, green fees, golf cart, full dinner, and prizes. To register a foursome, go to www.concordia-seminary.ca/golf. If you have any questions, call the seminary at 905-688-2362 or email reception@concordia-seminary.ca. Early bird registration is \$150/person. After May 05 registration goes up to \$165 per person. Anyone wanting to join just for the dinner, the price is \$50/person.

Support the Preaching Retreat for Pastors

Who wouldn’t be thrilled about the prospect of better sermons? That’s why CLTS is hosting its very first Preaching Retreat for pastors! You can help make this a success through sponsorship on the GoFundMe page: Coffee Breaks \$25; Pastor’s Registration \$150; Lunch \$200; Dinner

\$300. Funds raised will not only guarantee the success of this retreat, but will also support future events.

Library Technician... Concordia Lutheran Theological Seminary

CLTS is seeking a Library Technician to be responsible for managing the seminary's print and digital collection, purchasing and processing books, circulation, and reference support to faculty and students. The Library Technician also manages occasional sales in a small bookstore. The position is part-time. Extra hours may be available as Assistant to the Registrar. To apply send your resumé to president@concordia-seminary.ca.

Mission Minute... Maritime Congregations of LCC

Over the last two weeks, Pastor Lantz has been taking a turn serving LCC congregations in the maritime provinces of Canada. The St. Andrew's parish with congregations in Halifax and Middleton Nova Scotia, and Charlottetown PEI, is currently in a time of pastoral vacancy. These small and isolated congregations are centres of pastoral care for the few and scattered confessional Lutherans. They are unable to support a full-time pastor on their own and the distance between locations make it a difficult parish to serve. In addition Pastor Lantz is also preaching for Rev. David Milette at Good Shepherd Lutheran Church in Riverview, New Brunswick, giving him a bit of rest as he deals with medical issues.