



RESURRECTION LUTHERAN CHURCH

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The Wicked Servant, 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 Three, beginning on page 184 in *Lutheran Service Book*. The bulletin insert provides the parts of the service that are specific to today, **The Sixteenth Sunday after Pentecost**.

Visitors to the Lord's Table

"It is not our work or speaking but the command and ordinance of Christ that, from the beginning of the first communion until the end of world, make the bread the body and the wine the blood that are daily distributed through our ministry and office" (Luther). As we receive in **the Lord's Supper** what He has commanded, we also teach His church to observe all things that He has commanded (Matt. 28:20). With love for His Word and for all people, we therefore practice closed communion and ask guests to kindly speak with the pastor to arrange for a time of instruction before joining us in the Lord's Supper.

This Week

Today Sunday School and Bible Class, 10am

Divine Service, 11am

CLTS Opening service for the academic year, 4pm

Mon-Fri Daily Chapel with the seminary community, 10am

Mon Holy Cross Day (John 12:20-33)

Divine Service with the seminary community, 10am

Youth catechism class at Grace St. Catharines, 7pm

Wed Pastoral Ministry Class, 1-4pm

Thurs Adult Catechism, 5pm

Fri Homeschooling Co-op at Prince of Peace Burlington, 9:30am

Sat Apologetics 201 at Risen Christ Mississauga, 9am-2pm

Next Sunday The Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost

Sunday School and Adult Bible Class, 10am

Divine Service, 11am

Coming Events

Sep 21 Mary Martha Society meeting, 1:30pm

Sep 23 Seniors' Lunch at Christ St. Catharines, 11:30am, \$5 per person

Sep 25 Youth Life Reps at The Barn in Fenwick, 7:30pm

Sep 26 Grieving with the Saints begins at Grace St. Catharines, 2:30pm

Sep 27 Church picnic and voters meeting after the service

Sep 27 Closing Service for St. John's Gasline, 9am

Oct 04 Wedding Shower for Ben and Denise after the service

Oct 04 Life Chain at Lake and Carlton, St. Catharines, 2:30-3:30pm

Oct 17 Seminary Guild Harvest Day, 9am-1pm

Oct 18 Wedding of Ben and Denise at St. John's Gasline, 3:30pm

Oct 19-21 CLTS 50th Anniversary/East Region Pastors Conference

Seminary Opening Service... Sep 13, 4pm

The opening service for the 51st academic year of Concordia Lutheran Theological Seminary will take place in the seminary chapel. We invite the church community to join the students, staff, and faculty for this festive occasion. During the service the seminary will present the Emeritus Crucis award posthumously to Rev. Warren Hamp, who served for 35 years as a pastor in the East Region. The service will also be live streamed from the seminary YouTube channel [@concordiastcatharines](#).

Apologetics 201... Sep 19, 9am-2pm at Risen Christ Mississauga

In 2025 Rev. Dr. Michael Berg spoke on "Apologetic for the Tough-Minded." This year we learn "Apologetics for the Tender-Minded." This includes "Beauty and Art," "Is Beauty Objective," and "Suffering: How Can There Be a World of Evil and a Loving God?". Register by email risenchristlutheranchurch@outlook.com, or phone 905-625-5117 by Monday, September 07. The seminar is free and lunch is included.

Youth Life Reps... Sep 25, 7:30pm at The Barn in Fenwick

Choose Life Niagara invites high school and post secondary students out to another Youth Life Reps event. Josh and Brittany Houweling will be sharing their story about Hope, their daughter with Trisomy 18, who has overcome many odds despite doctors pressuring them to abort her. Hope is now 4 1/2 years old! Mandy Overbeeke (Choose Life youth coordinator) will also share her story of how God called her into the pro-life movement and ways we can all get involved. For more info or to register, visit www.chooselife.ca/events or email info@chooselife.ca.

Grieving with the Saints... Sep 26 2:30-4:30pm at Grace St. Catharines

In an informal setting, there will be discussion on dealing with the death of a loved one, with help from Holy Scripture, hymns, and each other. The program takes place over seven Sundays from Sep 26 to Nov 22. Space is limited. To take part you must pre-register with Pastor Juritsch by Wed, Sep 23, by sending an email to pastor@gracelutheranstcath.com or calling (905) 646-0113.

Nation-wide Young Adult online Bible Study... Wednesdays 8pm

Young adults from all over Lutheran Church-Canada connect online for regular Bible Study and other topic discussions of Church history and doctrine. You can find fellowship with other Lutheran young adults, encourage each other in the faith, pray for one another, and discuss matters that are relevant to your life in the church. Find your place with Lutheran Young Adults at www.discord.gg/cn5KRwywxn.

Seminary Guild Harvest Day... Oct 17

We will celebrate the seminary's 50th anniversary with Deaconess Susan Knowles presenting "Building Up the Body of Christ." Early bird registration is due Sept 29. Registration details can be found in the July 2026 newsletter www.concordia-seminary.ca/2026/07/30/guild-july-newsletter-released/. Memberships renew in September. The Guild is open to men, women, and children who wish to support the formation of church workers through our seminary.

Concordia Lutheran Theological Seminary 50th Anniversary... Oct 19-21

Registration is now open for the theological conference. Titled "Respectful Theological Dialogue in the Internet Age", this conference will explore the challenges and opportunities of maintaining faithful theological conversations in a digital world. The conference is open to pastors, church workers, and laity. To accommodate an international audience, the event will be held at the Americana Resort & Spa in Niagara Falls. A variety of paid registration options is available for guests. See the event page for further information and registration links: www.concordia-seminary.ca.