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The Faith of the Canaanite Woman, by Emma Zamani

Sunday Divine Service, 10am for July and August

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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 Twelfth Sunday after Pentecost**.

Visitors to the Lord's Table

"Not every vow is called a testament, but only a last irrevocable will of one who is about to die, whereby he bequeaths his goods, allotted and assigned to be distributed to whom he will" (Martin Luther). In the **Lord's Supper**, Christ bequeaths to us His body and His blood for the forgiveness of our sins. The congregations of Lutheran Church-Canada have promised to practice closed communion because of the Bible's clear witness to doctrinal oneness by those receiving communion together. As we receive His gift, we would ask guests desiring to commune to kindly speak with the pastor to arrange for a time of instruction before joining us in the Lord's Supper.

This Week

Today Divine Service, 10am

Pre-marriage instruction after the service

Tues Annual Abuse Prevention Training for volunteers, 7pm

Fri-Sun East District Lutheran Young Adults retreat at St. Luke's Ottawa.

Next Sunday The Thirteenth Sunday after Pentecost

Divine Service, 10am

Coming Events

Sep 06 Divine Service at 11am (regular schedule resumes)

Sep 06 Installation Service for the newly elected spiritual leaders of LCC,
at Beautiful Saviour Lutheran Church, Winnipeg MB, 3pm Central

Sep 07 Circuit Pastors Family BBQ

Sep 12 Substance Use Seminar at Immanuel Georgetown 10am-2:30pm

Sep 13 CLTS opening service of the academic year, 4pm

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

Oct 04 Bridal Shower for Ben and Denise after the service

Summer Service Time

During July and August the Divine Service will be at 10:00am.

There will be no Sunday School or Sunday Bible Class. Our regular schedule resumes September 06.

Abuse Prevention Training... Tuesday, 7pm

Our annual abuse prevention training workshop for all church volunteers working with children and vulnerable adults, will be held this Tuesday from 7 to 8pm. This is one of the requirements for volunteering with children's programs throughout the year.

EDLYA Summer Retreat... Aug 21-23 at St. Luke's, Ottawa

East District Lutheran Young Adults (18-35), are invited for a fun weekend that includes games, worship, time at the beach, and fellowship with other young adults. Register now at www.edlya.ca/events/summer2026.

Installation Service for the President of Lutheran Church-Canada... Sep 06

Join us as we give thanks to God and pray for His continued blessing at the Service of Installation for our newly elected President (Rev. David Habershtock); Vice-President (Rev. Ted Giese); and new Regional Pastors (Rev. Aaron Gust, Central; and Rev. Michael Schutz, West). All are warmly invited to attend this special service (at 3pm Central Time) as we gather around God's Word, seek His guidance, and commend our new spiritual leaders to the Lord's care as they begin their ministry of governance and service.

Hope and Love through the Struggle with Substance Use... Sep 12, 10-2:30

Immanuel Lutheran Church and Risen Christ Lutheran Church will be hosting a free seminar to equip those who seek to share hope and love with those who struggle with substance use. Lunch is provided. Register at www.immanuelgeorgetown.lutheranchurchcanada.ca.

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.

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.

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. Currently, Rev. Daniel Cunningham (Kitimat BC) is leading a study of important statements of our Church fathers. 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 Newsletter

You can download the July 2026 newsletter at 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.

Brock Student Looking for Housing

A Lutheran pastor's daughter attending Brock University in the fall is looking for accommodation for the school year. Let Pastor Lantz know if you think you may be able to help.

**Complete Bulletins
with Prayer Requests and Financial Updates
Are Available at the Service**