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## We Welcome YOU to Worship at Trinity Lutheran Church ~ Abbotsford September 21, 2025 NEWSLETTER

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**Holy Communion** – The 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of the month.

We, Lutherans, believe and teach that in this precious meal we receive is not only the bread and wine, but also Christ's true Body and true Blood given and shed for the forgiveness of sins. Proper spiritual preparation is necessary to rightly receive this sacrament. Please read the Communion policy card in the bookrack of your pew.



Please be attentive to the ushers. They will guide you to come forward to receive the Holy Communion.

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### Preparing for Sunday Worship

FIRST READING: Amos 8:4–7

EPISTLE READING: 1 Timothy 2:1–15

HOLY GOSPEL: Luke 16:1–15

### *The Lord Is Rich in His Grace and Mercy*

*Because God, our Savior, “desires all people to be saved and to come to the knowledge of the truth” (1 Tim. 2:4), He urges “that supplications, prayers, intercessions, and thanksgivings be made for all people” (1 Tim. 2:1). Christians should so pray “without anger or quarreling,” but “adorn themselves in respectable apparel, with modesty and self-control” (1 Tim. 2:8, 9). For the Lord does not forget “the poor of the land” (Amos 8:4). He remembers them according to the foolishness of the cross. “For what is exalted among men is an abomination in the sight of God” (Luke 16:15). Though we try to justify ourselves “before men,” God knows our sinful hearts and calls us to repentance (Luke 16:15). Though we are “not strong enough to dig,” and we are “ashamed to beg” (Luke 16:3), He justifies us by His grace and welcomes us into His “eternal dwellings” (Luke 16:9). More shrewd than even “the sons of this world” (Luke 16:8), He requires His stewards of the Gospel to bestow forgiveness freely.*

Our Homebound



**We Uplift in Prayer:**

Faye Ulmer,  
Inez Johnson, Loretta Brown,  
Tillie Gray, Isak Vaage,  
Alice Topnik, Elizabeth Scheier.

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thank you  
FOR JOINING US

**ARE YOU a New Visitor to Trinity Lutheran Church? Please sign our “Guest Book” on the Narthex table.**

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**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Tuesday, September 23, 2025**

10:30 am - 11:30 am

Bible Study: Malachi /A prophet of Things to Come

**Tuesday, September 23, 2025**

2:00 pm – Council meeting

**Sunday, September 28, 2025**

10:30 am – 11:30 am

Vajda Hymn Service

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**FALL KICK-OFF FELLOWSHIP CORN ROAST AND LUNCH**

**Sunday September 21** in the gym after the Divine Service. All food will be provided by the Fellowship Committee.  
**EVERYONE IS WELCOME!**



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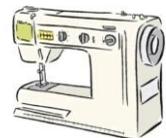
**Sew & Sews**

**OCTOBER 1st, 2025** from 10:00 am to 12:00 noon.

All ladies are welcome to join us in our mission with Samaritan’s Purse to provide hygiene kits for young girls.

Please bring your sewing machine, scissors and a needle if you are able, or just yourself to help us sew these kits for these girls. They are urgently needed in many countries.

Questions? Please contact: Darlene or Lucille.



## LWMLC Inc. Trinity Society

### First Meeting

will be on **Wednesday, October 8<sup>th</sup>**. Please note, there will not be a meeting in September. We meet in the conference room at 10am for coffee and Christian fellowship. All ladies are welcome to join us and we look forward to seeing you.

Rosalind Plumtree



## MISSION PRAYERS

**SEPTEMBER 21, 2025 | CANADA**

This week, we pray for **Rev. Marco-Antonio Jacobsen** who serves as Assistant Missionary-at-Large for LCC's French ministries in Quebec.

**Prayer:** Heavenly Father, as Your Son sent forth His Church to make disciples in all nations, we lift up before You, Pastor Jacobsen, asking You to sustain him by Your Spirit and bless his labors for the sake of the Gospel; Lord in Your mercy,

**C: Hear our prayer.**



### PRAYER CHAIN CONTINUES

Do you have a prayer request or want to add someone to pray for?

please communicate to Dianne Wenzel.

If you are interested in being part of the TLC Prayer Chain or have any questions please contact Lucille Chambers, Dianne Wenzel or Marj Temple. This is our way to offer prayer for one another as the need arises.

Our Mission:

Proclaiming



Christ

in

Word  
& Deed



*The First Day of Fall:*

*Monday, September 22, 2025*



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TLC REGULAR OFFICE HOURS 2025:

Tues - Thurs: 9:00am - 3:00pm ~ Monday, Friday & Holidays-Closed

Please make arrangements in advance should you require access to the church outside of posted hours.