
We Welcome YOU to Worship at Trinity Lutheran Church ~ Abbotsford April 12, 2026 NEWSLETTER



Holy Communion – The 1st and 3rd 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.

AS WE GATHER ~ SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER

This week's Bible Readings

Acts 5:29–42

1 Peter 1:3–9

John 20:19–31

Christ Jesus Breathes His Spirit and His Life into Us by the Ministry of the Gospel

The crucified and risen Lord Jesus establishes the ministry of the Gospel in order to bestow His life-giving Holy Spirit and His peace upon the Church. To those who are called and ordained to this office, and to those they serve in His name, He grants the Holy Absolution of all sins. By the fruits of His cross, He replaces fear and doubt with peace and joy, and thus gives “repentance to Israel and forgiveness of sins” (Acts 5:31). Through the preaching of His sent ones, He calls us to believe that He “*is the Christ, the Son of God,*” so that by such faith we “*may have life in his name*” (John 20:31). In His resurrection, we have the “*living hope*” to which we have been “*born again*” and by which we are guarded “*for a salvation ready to be revealed in the last time*” (1 Peter 1:3, 5). Until then, “*though you have not seen him, you love him,*” and by the mercies of God “*you believe in him and rejoice with joy that is inexpressible and filled with glory*” (1 Peter 1:8).



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

Free Copies of “PORTAL OF PRAYERS” are available in the Narthex.



This Friday we welcome the Kerala Christian Fellowship congregation as a new user of our facilities. They will be using the church Friday evenings from 6:00 to 9:30pm.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Dear members,

Please pray for the family and friends of Pat Frisk who mourn her passing. *A memorial service will be held at TLC, Saturday, April 11 @ 2:00pm with a reception to follow.*

Men's Breakfast: April 11, 2026, 8:00 – 9:30am. Guest speaker: Lynn Simcox

Winkel: April 14, 2026, 9:00am – 2:00pm

Sew & Sews: April 15, 2026, 10:00am - 12:00 noon.

Board of Elders: April 18, 2026, 11:30am

Intro to Lutheran Christian Identity: April 17, 2026, 6:30pm

Bible Study: April 21, 2026, 10:30am – 12:00 noon – Book of Acts

LWMLC Inc. Trinity Society

Ladies' Spring Renewal



Hi ladies. Our renewal is on Saturday, April 25th from 9am to 2pm. Please plan to join with other ladies of the Fraser Valley Zone to celebrate together. Trinity Lutheran is hosting this event which is sponsored by the Fraser Valley Zone LWML-C, so it will be right here in Abbotsford.

The theme is **“Growing Together by Grace”**. All ladies in our congregation are invited, and friends are also welcome. There is a sign-up sheet on the table in the narthex, so please put your name on it, with the number attending, so we can estimate for food, etc. There will be an ingathering for the Cyrus Centre, here in Abbotsford, and the list of items they need are on the table next to the sign-up sheet. Please take a copy and choose which item(s) you would like to donate. A poster has been put up with more information.

Our Pastor Henock will be joined by Pastor Albrecht, from Hope Lutheran, to lead a Bible study and the worship service following lunch. Coffee at 9 am and lunch are included in the \$15. registration.



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TLC Office Regular Hours 2026

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