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**We Welcome YOU to Worship at
Trinity Lutheran Church ~ Abbotsford
May 3, 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.

FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

This week's Bible Readings

FIRST READING: Acts 6:1–9; 7:2a, 51–60

EPISTLE READING: 1 Peter 2: 2–10

HOLY GOSPEL: John 14:1–14

“Forgiven in Christ, We forgive like Christ”

Stephen, “*a man full of faith and of the Holy Spirit*” (Acts 6:5) and “*doing great wonders and signs among the people*” (Acts 6:8), did the works of Christ. When he was falsely accused and put to death, he “*gazed into heaven and saw the glory of God, and Jesus standing at the right hand of God*” (Acts 7:55). Fixing his hope there, he commended his spirit to the Lord Jesus and prayed for his murderers.

In the same way, all the baptized are called to follow the example of Christ Jesus by faith. Though He was “*rejected by men*” in the sight of God, He is “*chosen and precious*” (1 Peter 2:4). He is the chief cornerstone of the Father’s “*spiritual house,*” and we are built upon Him as “*living stones*” (1 Peter 2:5).

**NEW VISITOR to Trinity Lutheran Church? Please
sign our “Guest Book” on the Narthex table**



We Uplift in Prayer:

Shut-ins: Faye Ulmer, Inez Johnson,
Loretta Brown, Alice Topnik, Elizabeth Scheier.

Announcements



To **Helmut, Ty, and Jesse** who visited our Sunday morning service last week to talk about Wagner Hills and the good work they are doing to support men with addictions.

Do you know someone who could benefit from their programs? Would you like to support Wagner Hills financially? A few pamphlets were left for us at the church, or visit their website:

<https://www.wagnerhills.com>

Saturday, May 2, 2026

Men's Breakfast
8:00 am – 9:30 am

Guest Speakers:

Peter Hay, former professional AAA hockey player.

Preston Hay, announcer at Abbotsford Canucks games.

“Hear their stories and experience in the world of hockey.”

TLC'S UPCOMING SCHEDULE & EVENTS May 2026

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| May 1 st | 10:00 am Council Meeting |
| | 6:30 pm Intro to Lutheran Christian Identity |
| May 2 nd | 8:30 am Men's Breakfast |
| May 3 rd | 10:30 am Divine / Communion Service |
| May 5 th | 10:30 am Bible Study |
| May 6 th | 10:00 am Sew and Sews (Last meeting before Autum) |
| May 10 th | 10:30 am Divine Service / Mother's Day |
| May 12 th | 9:30 am Winkel Meeting |
| May 13 th | 10:00 am LWML-C Meeting |
| May 15 th | 6:30 pm Intro to Lutheran Christian Identity |
| May 17 th | 10:30 am Divine / Communion Service ~ Pastor Norm Miller |
| May 18 th | Victoria Day |
| May 19 th | 10:30 am Bible Study |
| May 24 th | 10:30 am Divine Service |
| May 26 th | 10:30 am Bible Study |
| May 31 st | 10:30 am Divine / Vajda Hymn Service |



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