

We Welcome YOU to Worship at Trinity Lutheran Church ~ Abbotsford September 27, 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.

EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST



This week's Bible Readings

OLD TESTAMENT READING – Ezekiel 18:1–4, 25–32

EPISTLE – Philippians - 2:1–4 (5–13) 14–18

HOLY GOSPEL – Matthew 21:23–27 (28–32)

The Cross of Christ Opens to Us the Way of Repentance to Life with God

The way of the Lord is righteous and just: “*The soul who sins shall die*” (Ezek. 18:4). However, because the Lord has “*no pleasure in the death of anyone*” (Ezek. 18:32), He calls sinners to repentance and faith in His gracious forgiveness of sins. The man who is thus turned away from his wickedness, who henceforth lives by the grace of God, “*shall surely live; he shall not die*” (Ezek. 18:28). This way of repentance has been opened for us by the cross of Christ. In the righteousness of faith and love, “*he humbled himself by becoming obedient to the point of death*” (Phil. 2:8), and He was vindicated in His resurrection from the dead. Indeed, “*God has highly exalted him and bestowed on him the name that is above every name*” (Phil. 2:9). He has given us this name in our Baptism into Christ, in whom we now “*shine as lights in the world*” (Phil. 2:15). He uses the authority that He has received from His Father (Matt. 21:23–27) to preach a baptism of repentance for the forgiveness of sins, by which even “*the tax collectors and the prostitutes go into the kingdom of God*” (Matt. 21:31–32).

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

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



We Uplift in Prayer:

Inez Johnson,
Loretta Brown,
Elizabeth Scheier,
Carol & Cliff Baker



ANNOUNCEMENTS

Tuesday, September 29, 2026

9:30 am – 10:30 am:

Bible Study



FALL KICK-OFF FELLOWSHIP CORN ROAST

Sunday September 27, in the gym
after the Divine Service. All food will
be provided by the Fellowship
Committee.

EVERYONE IS WELCOME!



LWMLC Inc. Trinity Society



**Grow in God's Word, Serve God's people, Share
God's Son**

Dinner in a Bag

To help feed those in need during this Thanksgiving season, we are putting together "Dinners in a Bag". It was decided to make the "ChiliDinner" because it is simple, inexpensive, and nutritious. If you would like to contribute some of the food items needed, you can [pick](#)

[up a list of the required ingredients](#) on the table in the narthex. At our October meeting on Oct.14th we will put the bags together ready for distribution. A "recipe" card will be included in each bag giving instructions how to make, and possible variations on the meal. Please bring your contributions on the next 2 Sundays and there will be a box available to put them in.

We are so Blessed.



*The heavens declare
the glory of God; and
the firmament sheweth
his handywork.*

Psalm 19:1

What's Happening

TLC'S UPCOMING SCHEDULE & EVENTS September – October 2026

September 26 th	9:00 am Fellowship Team Meeting
September 27 th	10:00 am Divine Service/Vajda – Ministry Presentation - Youth Unlimited Dave Wiebe
	Fall Kick-Off Fellowship Corn Roast
September 29 th	9:30 am Bible Study
September 30 th	National Day of Truth and Reconciliation – Office Closed
Oct 3 rd	8:00 am men's Breakfast
Oct 4 th	10:00 am Divine Service / Communion – BD Sunday
Oct 6 th	9:30 am Bible Study
Oct 7 th	10:00 am Sew and Sews
Oct 11 th	10:00 am Divine Service / <i>Thanksgiving Sunday</i> ~ Pastor Norm Miller
Oct 12 th	Thanksgiving Day
Oct 13 th	9:30 am Bible Study 9:30 am Winkel Meeting
Oct 14 th	10:00 am LWML-C Meeting
Oct 18 th	10:00 am Divine / Communion Service
Oct 20 th	9:30 am Bible Study
Oct 21 th	10:00 am Sew and Sews
Oct 24 th	6:30 pm Thanksgiving Concert and Potluck
Oct 25 th	10:00 am Divine Service/Vajda
Oct 27 th	9:30 am Bible Study



Our Mission:

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TLC Office Regular Hours 2026

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