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Under current restrictions there is ample parking
available in Lot N, at the side door. Please remember to
return your parking pass before leaving.

February 07, 2021



*He went throughout all Galilee,
preaching in their synagogues and casting out demons. Mark 1:39*

Sunday Divine Service, 11am

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Welcome guests and visitors.

We are glad to have you with us. For the seasons of Advent, Christmas, and Epiphany we will follow the order of Divine Service Setting Three, beginning on page 184 of *Lutheran Service Book*. The service outline (attached separately) will guide you through the service and provide you with the parts that are proper for this **Fifth Sunday after the Epiphany**.

We receive the Lord's Supper every Sunday.

In joyful obedience to the teaching of Scripture, the congregations of Lutheran Church-Canada practice closed communion. We would like you to commune with us, but because of the different teachings between Christian churches we want you to know what we believe and confess before showing your agreement as you join us in this communion meal. Guests who desire to commune with us are thus asked to speak with the pastor to arrange for a time of instruction before giving their public confirmation of what we believe and confess. Everyone who communes should announce to the pastor within a few days ahead of the Sunday.

Throughout the winter please bring a change of footwear in order to preserve the chapel floor from salt stain and deterioration. Kneeling cushions are stacked neatly at the back of the chapel. At the end of the service return the hymn books spine down in their holders. While we are restricted to 10 people for religious services, parking for all is available in Lot N. Please be sure to return your reusable parking pass before leaving.

We continue to live stream services and daily prayer as we are able on our church Facebook page: Resurrection Lutheran Church Canada at <https://www.facebook.com/ResurrectionLCC/>. We pray that everyone will be able to join us in person soon.

This Week:

Today Morning Prayer live stream, 7:30am
Divine Service in person for 10 people and live stream at 9am
Service of the Sacrament in groups of 10 at 10:30, 11, 11:30, 12
Mon-Sat Morning Prayer live stream, 8am
Tues Niagara Circuit Pastors' Winkel, 9:30am
Thurs Pastor Lantz teaching Pastoral Ministry 10:45-12:15; 1:30-2:45
Announce for the Service of the Sacrament 905-688-1226
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Next Sunday: The Transfiguration of Our Lord
Morning Prayer live stream, 7:30am
Divine Service in person for 10 people and live stream at 9am
Service of the Sacrament in groups of 10 at 10:30, 11, 11:30, 12

Coming Events

Feb 17 Ash Wednesday Divine Service, 7pm

Feb 24, Mar 03, 10, 17, 24 Lenten Vespers, 7pm

Divine Service During the Provincial Stay-at-Home Order

Religious services are currently limited to 10 people. Attending a religious service is one of the few reasons permitted to be out of your home. We are grateful that the provincial government and public health officials recognize the public health benefit that religion plays toward the good of society in general, and its importance for the mental and emotional health of individuals. More specifically we know that through Word and Sacrament, our Lord gives Himself to us in order to conquer sin, death, and the devil in whatever manner they seek to destroy the blessings of forgiveness, life, and salvation. During the last shutdown we went far too long without receiving the Sacrament.

The Divine Service will be conducted every Sunday at 9am. Note the time change. 10 persons are allowed to be present and the service will be broadcast on our Facebook Page: Resurrection Lutheran Church Canada. At the conclusion of this service the people present will receive communion and then promptly leave and surfaces will be sanitized, so that another group of up to ten people, having watched the Service of the Word on line, can come to receive the Sacrament. They will promptly leave and surfaces will be sanitized for another group, and so on until all who wish to receive our Lord's Body and Blood have had a chance to do so.

In order for this to work, you will need to schedule your household's time for communion, by announcing to Pastor Lantz your desire to receive the Lord's Supper. Please call the church phone (905-688-1226) on Thursday or Saturday, and be sure to talk to Pastor Lantz so that you receive confirmation of your scheduled time. By beginning the full service at 9am, we can safely space out communions afterwards at 10:30, 11:00, 11:30; 12:00, as many times as needed.

Please continue to observe all of the regular health precautions:

Stay at home as much as you can;

If you have any symptoms get tested for COVID-19;

Wash your hands frequently;

Wear a mask inside all public buildings;

Wear a mask outside if you cannot maintain 2m physical distance.

Lutheran Public Radio

LUTHERANISM IN THE PUBLIC SQUARE... Issues, Etc. is a radio talk show and podcast hosted by LCMS Pastor Todd Wilken. This week's topics include: Christian Nationalism; The Equality Act; Donor Conception; Media Coverage of Religion; and more. You can listen anytime, anywhere at www.issuesetc.org, the LPR mobile app, and your favourite podcast provider.

LCC Worker Benefit Services Recruiting Corporate Directors

Corporate Directors provide governance oversight, strategic insight and foresight for the Benefit Plans provided to church workers within Lutheran Church-Canada. New applicants must have skills or experience in the areas of pension & benefits, finance, investments, governance, law or related areas and an appreciation for a faith based organization and respect of the theological positions of Lutheran Church-Canada. The successful applicants will be screened by the WBS board and appointed by the LCC board of directors. A modest honorarium plus reimbursement for expenses is paid by WBS to all directors. Interested applicants should submit their resume with 3 references by 4pm, We. Feb 17, 2021, to: Dr. Dieter Kays, Chair, WBS Lutheran Church-Canada; 3074 Portage Ave. Winnipeg, MB, R3K 0Y2. Or email drkays25@gmail.com

Lutheran Foundation Canada Webinars... Feb. 16, 18

When you support your church through your offerings, your act of thanksgiving provides resources to share the gospel. At some point your offerings will stop, but you still have an opportunity when you die, to be a great benefactor and steward. Giving thanks through a charitable gift in your will might be the most significant offering you will ever create. To help you learn how you can develop a charitable gift in life or in death LFC is offering two webinars on Estate Stewardship. Learn how your estate can be a blessing to your family and the ministries you love. Register at www.lutheranfoundation.ca/webinars