

Sign-Up Sheets:

- Flowers for June
- Coffee Hosts for the month of May
- Greeters for May 12th & 26th
- Greeters & Ushers for the month of June

Council Meeting

Tuesday, May 7th

7:30 pm in the hall.

A walk-thru of the recent renovations will start at 7:00 pm for those council members interested to see the upgrades.

A Note from Darlene

"The Quilting group has been overwhelmed with donations. We will not be able to accept any further donation at this time. I will advise if we have any specific donation needs. Thank you."



Service Response Campaign

Every year during April, the Division for Stewardship distributes the annual Stewardship Service Response Forms to members of the congregation. This form provides an opportunity for members to consider how they might serve the church.

The division asks that you take a few moments to fill out the form and consider what gifts and talents God has given you to help with the needs of our church, and let God guide you to where you can assist.

Please place your forms in the basket on the table.

DIABETES Self-Management Workshop (in the hall)

Six-Sessions in total.

Dates: **May 8th to June 12th**
WEDNESDAYS 9:30 am to 12:00 pm

Stewardship & Parish Life Division Meeting

Sunday, May 12th
following worship service.



CHURCH PEWS

If you are sad to see the pews go, and you want to have a pew of your very own (for sentimentality), please speak to Jim Gole to make the arrangements.

The SVLC Langley Housing Society's Annual General Meeting

is scheduled for Wednesday, May 15th at 6:00 pm.

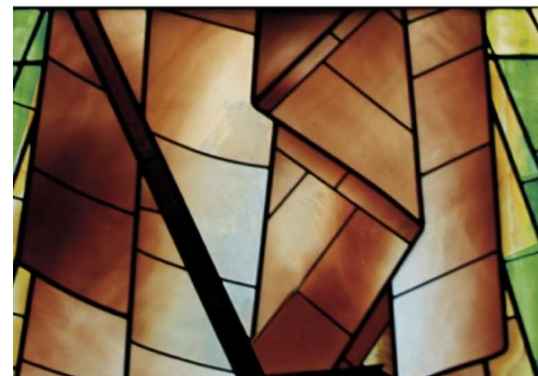
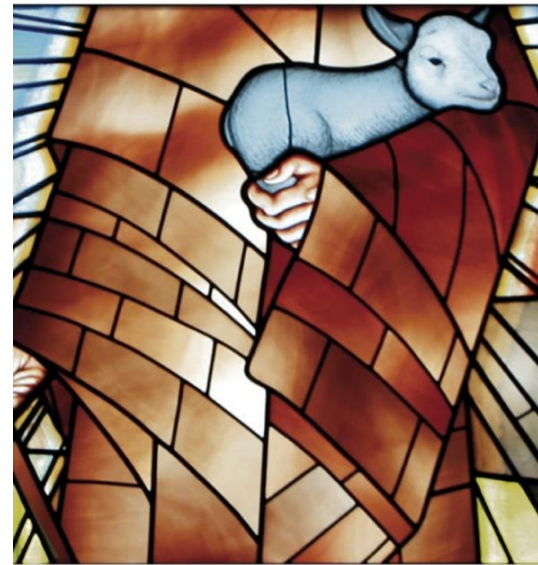
The meeting will be held in the hall.

The Little Free Pantry

Please continue to bring non-perishable food for the Little Free Pantry so that it can be stocked regularly with a small amount of items at a time. Food can be placed in the bin in the Narthex. Thank you!

Notice of Memorial Service in the Community:

This announcement is from the family of Yvonne Holmgren (and Ivan). Yvonne was a member at SVLC in the past. She passed away in December 2023, and her memorial service is today at 3:00 pm. The service will be held at Mt Olive Lutheran Church in South Surrey (2350 - 148th Street).



May 5th, 2024
6th Sunday of Easter
10:00 Worship Service

This Week at SVLC

Today	10:00 am Worship Service
Monday	9:00 am Quilters in Hall
Tuesday	9:30 am Artists' Circle in Hall 7:30 pm Council Meeting
Wednesday	9:30 am Diabetes Workshop in Hall 7:00 pm Choir Practice
Friday	<i>Office Closed</i>
Saturday	Prep for Community Meal
Sunday	10:00 am Worship Service Stewardship/Parish Life Meeting Langley Community Meal



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10:00 am Service of the Word
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Lutheran Worship Setting Six

Thanksgiving for Baptism

Gathering Hymn: "I Come with Joy"

Greeting and Kyrie

Hymn of Praise: "Glory to God"

Prayer of the Day

Choir Anthem: "Give Me A Vessel"

First Reading: Acts 10:44-48

Psalm: 98

Second Reading: 1 John 5:1-6

Gospel Acclamation

Holy Gospel: John 15:9-17

Hymn of the Day: "Love Divine, All Loves Excelling" (vs. 1,2 4)

Sermon (prepared by Pastor John Boyd, serving pulpit supply at Hills of Peace Lutheran in Kamloops, BC)

Hymn: "Shout to the Lord"

Apostles' Creed

Prayers

Sharing of the Peace

Hymn: "Spirit, Open My Heart"

Lord's Prayer

Blessing

Announcements

Sending Song: "Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee"

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*LW=Lutheran Worship (red)

6th Sunday of Easter



This week we pray for those who have Baptismal Anniversaries during the week of

May 5th - 11th

Erik
Bernice



Thank you to Allan for leading today's worship service.



We welcome you who have gathered here this morning for service. We are glad you have joined us today, and we invite you to continue worshipping with us. You are welcome to join us for any activities at the church that interest you and have caught your attention from the announcements.

Sharing of the peace will be done with waves, words, and nods from your seat.

The offering basket will be placed on the table by the door to the worship space.

Coffee and fellowship time is in the fellowship hall - please join us! If you are interested in hosting coffee hour, please add your name to the sign-up sheet on the board in the Narthex.

COMMUNION INVITATION:

We believe that in Holy Communion Jesus gives his own body and blood, with the bread and wine, for us to eat and drink. The words "For you" require simply a believing heart. Individual glasses contain either wine (red) or grape juice (white or clear); the chalice serves only wine. Please indicate which you would prefer to the appropriate server. Baptized children are welcome to commune and will be served if they reach out their hand(s) to receive the elements. After communion please place individual glasses in the trays along the outside walls of the sanctuary.

Flowers in the Chancel:

Flowers are to the glory of God from Betty, and in loving memory of her late husband and son-in-law for their birthdays on May 6th.



Next Sunday's Lessons:
Ascension of Our Lord
May 12th, 2024

1st Lesson: Acts 1:1-11

Psalm: 47

2nd Lesson: Ephesians 1:15-23

Gospel: Luke 24:44-53

Thank you to the people who are assisting in today's service:

Worship Assistant:	Muriel
Greeter:	Eldo
Usher:	Gary
Projectionist:	Anne
Altar Guild:	Ruby & Malina

Next week (May 12th) Service Corps:

Worship Assistant:	Allan
Greeter:	tbd
Usher:	Dan
Projectionist:	Lorne
Altar Guild:	Ruby & Malina

Last Sunday's Attendance: 60