

Volunteer Sign-Up Sheets:

- ☐ Greeters & Ushers
for the month of October
- ☐ Comm Assts for October 25th
- ☐ Flowers for Oct 18th, Nov, Dec
- ☐ Coffee Hosts for October 18th & 25th, as well as the months of November & December.

WELCOME BACK POTLUCK LUNCH



Join us in the fellowship hall following today's service for a joyful celebration of welcoming back Pastor Kristen! We also receive those who were away during the summer months, and we welcome the start of a new fall season.

The church office will be closed on Friday
Oct 2nd & 9th

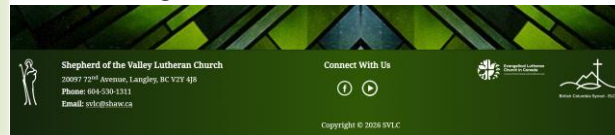
Parish Life & Stewardship

Division Meeting
Sunday,
October 4th
following warship service



Shepherd of the Valley Lutheran Church

Thanks to Gail's initiative and creative management skills, we have a shiny new church website! Watch out for step-by-step navigation tips and website overview coming from Gail in a future bulletin.



Food Bank donations for Thanksgiving Sunday



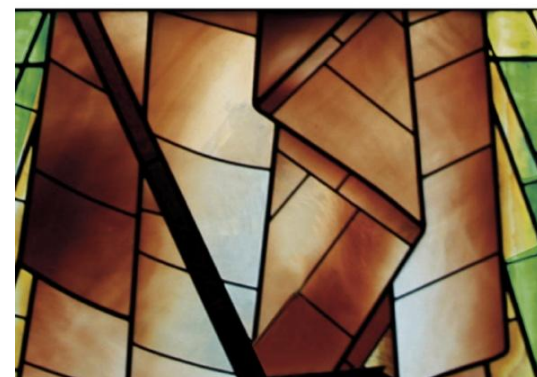
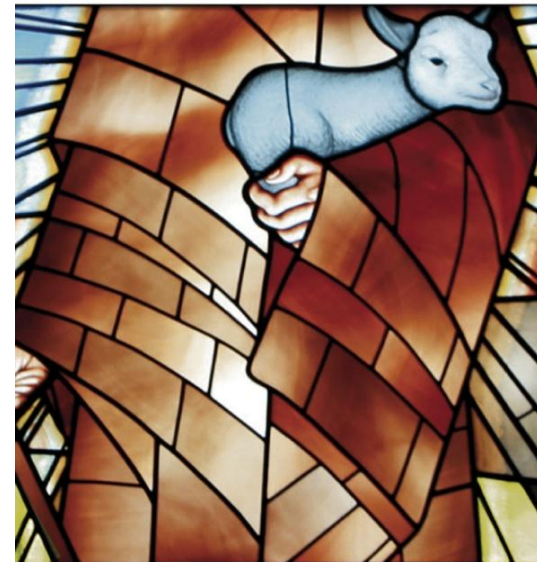
Plan ahead: on Sunday October 11th please bring non-perishable food items to be brought to the altar for blessing during the service.

Thanks for keeping the Little Free Pantry stocked with food items

Please continue to bring in food items to stock the pantry.
Thank you to everyone who contributes regularly to this valuable community project and service.



Ideas for items you can bring: cans of soup, stew, beans, packaged noodles, tins of tuna, jars of sauces or condiments, cans of vegetables or fruit, box meals, crackers, cookies, biscuits. Leave your items in the plastic bin on the red pew in the Narthex.



September 27th, 2026 18th Sunday of Pentecost 10:00 Worship Service

This Week at SVLC

Today	10:00 am Worship Service Welcome Back Potluck Lunch
Monday	9:30 am Quilting in Hall
Tuesday	9:30 am Artists' Circle Group in Hall
Wednesday	<i>National Truth & Reconciliation Day</i> 7:00 pm Choir Practice
Friday	<i>Office Closed</i>
Sunday	10:00 am Worship Service Stewardship/Parish Life Meeting Langley Community Meal

Thank you to Pastor
Marlys Moen for presiding
at today's service.



Last Sunday's Attendance: 61

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10:00 am Worship Service † Lutheran Worship Setting Two

Thanksgiving for Baptism	page 119
Gathering Hymn: “All Are Welcome” (vs. 1,3,4,5)	LW 641
Greeting	
Hymn of Praise: “This is the Feast”	page 122
Prayer of the Day	
Choir Anthem: “Oh, How Good It Is”	
Children’s Time	
Dramatic Reading of Exodus 17:1-7	
Psalm: 78:1-4, 12-16	
Second Lesson: Philippians 2:1-13	
Gospel Acclamation: “Alleluia”	page 124
Holy Gospel: Matthew 21:23-32	
Sermon	
Hymn of the Day: “Lord Jesus, You Shall be my Song”	LW 808
Apostles’ Creed	page 126
Rite for the Return of a Pastor after Medical Leave	
Prayers of Intercession	
Sharing of the Peace	
Offering	
Offering Hymn: “Take My Life, That I May Be”	LW 583
Offering Prayer	
The Great Thanksgiving	
“Holy, Holy, Holy”	page 130
Thanksgiving at the Table / Eucharistic Prayer	
Lord’s Prayer	page 134
“Lamb of God”	page 135
Distribution of Communion	
Communion Hymns: “ Will You Come and Follow Me”	LW 798
“Will You Let Me Be Your Servant”	LW 659
Blessing	
Announcements	
Sending Song: “We Are Marching in the Light”	LW 866
Dismissal	



18th Sunday of Pentecost

This week we pray
for those
who have
**Baptismal
Anniversaries**

**September 27th to
October 3rd**

Willi
Ashley
Justin
Justin
Ian
Nicholas
Jeffrey
Richard
Christine
Kristen
Cass
Tanya
Ray
Timothy
Megan
Amy



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 can be done with waves, words, and nods from your seat.

The offering will be collected by passing the offering plates during the service. An offering basket will remain on the ushers’ table by the door to the sanctuary.

Coffee and fellowship time is in the hall (provided that someone has signed-up). If you wish to host coffee hour, please add your name to the sign-up sheet on the board in the hall (near the kitchen).

COMMUNION INVITATION (for Communion Sundays):

*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. Gluten-free wafers are available upon request. 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. **This Holy Sacrament is only administered by ordained ministers; services lead by lay leaders will not include Holy Communion.***

Flowers in the Chancel:

Flowers are to the glory of God from Anne, and in celebration of the following birthdays (her family and church family): her husband Cyril’s 75th today & granddaughter Avery’s on the 23rd, and parishioners Jasmine, Kevin, Cheryl, & Kim who are all celebrating their



**Next Sunday's Lessons:
19th Sunday of Pentecost
October 4th, 2026**

1st Lesson: Exodus 20:1-4, 7-9, 12-20
Psalmody: 19
2nd Lesson: Philippians 3:4b-14
Gospel: Matthew 21:33-46

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

Presiding Minister:	Pastor Marlys Moen
Worship Assistant:	Ellen
Communion Asst:	Jason
Greeter:	Rain
Usher:	Dan
Projectionist:	Anne
Altar Guild:	Ruby
Acolyte:	Jesse

Next week (October 4th, 2026) Service Corps:

Presiding Minister:	Pastor Kristen Steele
Worship Assistant:	tbd
Communion Asst:	Ellen rgen
Greeter:	tbd
Usher:	tbd
Projectionist:	Dan
Altar Guild:	Hannah