

Sign-Up Sheets:

- Flowers for April 28th
- Coffee Hosts for the month of May
- Greeters and Ushers for May

50th Anniversary Planning Committee



The next meeting will be Tuesday, April 16th at 5:00 pm in the hall.

Stay for **CAKE** following the service to celebrate Edna & Manfred's 40th wedding anniversary!



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.

Photos and Stories after Worship Service

SUNDAY, APRIL 28th

Please bring your favourite church-related photos - from any year - on April 28th. We will gather them and scan them, and return the photos to you. We will then share some wonderful stories. Please ask Cheryl if you have any questions.

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 to make the arrangements.



Men's Bibles & Breakfast
April 20th
8 - 9:30 am
(in the hall)



May Newsletter Submission Deadline

Sunday, April 21st

Send your things to: eleanor.svlc@shaw.ca



Blessing of the Quilts

Sunday, April 21st

During the worship service.

Please note this important change! The SVLC Langley Housing Society's Annual General Meeting will be postponed until Wednesday, May 15th at 6:00 pm. The meeting will be held in the hall.

Parish Life & Stewardship

Sunday, April 21st

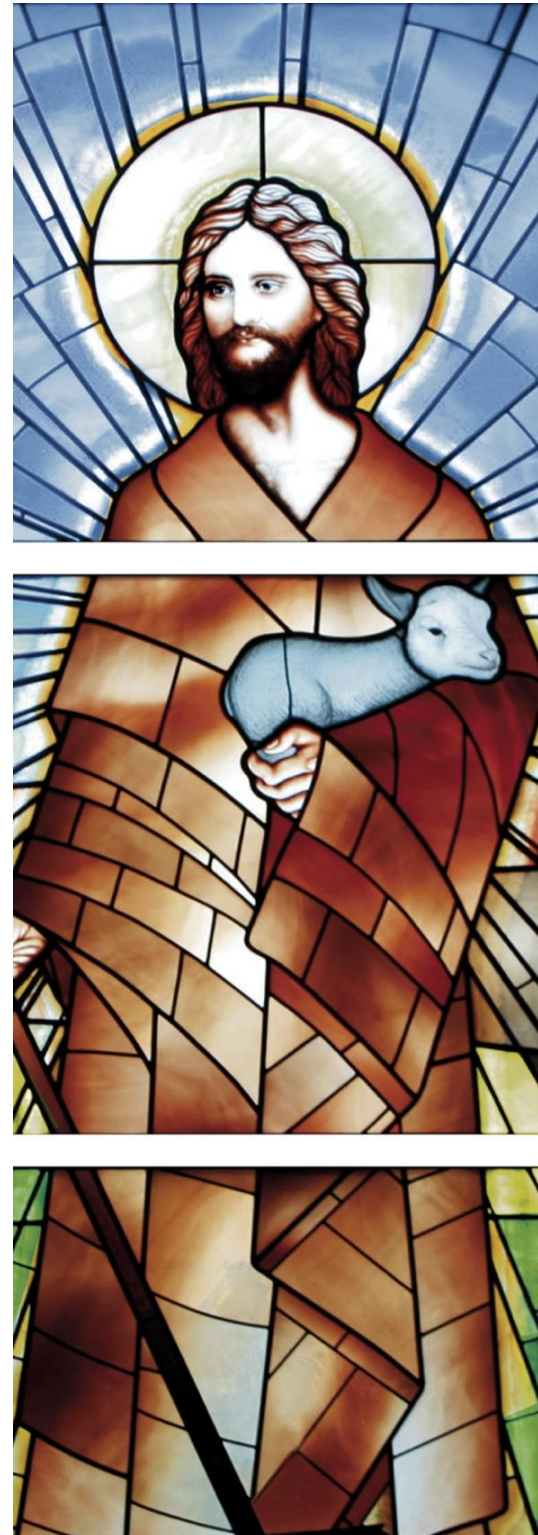
Division meeting following worship service

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 on May 5th at 3:00 pm. The service will be held at Mt Olive Lutheran Church in South Surrey (2350 - 148th Street).



April 14th, 2024 3rd Sunday of Easter 10:00 Worship Service

This Week at SVLC

Today	10:00 am Worship Service Anniversary Cake in Hall (40 th Wedding)
Monday	9:00 am Quilters in Hall
Tuesday	9:30 am Artists' Circle in Hall 5:00 pm 50 th Anniversary Planning Mtg
Wednesday	7:00 pm Choir Practice
Saturday	8:00 am Men's Bibles & Breakfast (Hall) 10:00 am Set up for Quilt Blessing
Sunday	Newsletter Deadline 10:00 am Worship Service Blessing of the Quilts Stewardship/Parish Life Meeting



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10:00 am Service
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Service of the Word (Setting Six)

Thanksgiving for Baptism	
Gathering Hymn: "Alleluia! Jesus is Risen!"	*LW 377
Greeting and Kyrie	page 165
Hymn of Praise: "Glory to God"	page 167
Prayer of the Day	
Choir Anthem: "Oh, How Good It Is"	
First Reading: Acts 3:12-19	
Psalm: 4	
Second Reading: 1 John 3:1-7	
Gospel Acclamation	page 171
Holy Gospel: Luke 24:36b-48	
Hymn of the Day: "Christ is Risen! Alleluia!"	LW 382
Sermon (by Rev. Tyler Gingrich who serves Gloria Dei Lutheran in Winnipeg, MB)	
Hymn: "I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light"	LW 815
Apostles' Creed	page 104
Prayers	
Sharing of the Peace	
Hymn: "The Peace of the Lord"	LW 646
Lord's Prayer	page 173
Blessing	
Announcements	
Sending Song: "On Our Way Rejoicing"	LW 537

*LW=Lutheran Worship (red)

*We give our thanks to Patti & Allan
for leading today's service.*

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

April 14th - 20th

- Andrea
- Nicholas
- Kyle
- Pete
- Tracy
- Bryn
- Jesse
- Shirley
- Elly
- Mitchell
- Tessa
- Krystina
- Bradley
- Thomas
- Kathy
- Craig
- Meike
- Betty



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. If you would like to honour or celebrate a special occasion with flowers, please add your name to the flower chart in the Narthex.



**Next Sunday's Lessons:
4th Sunday of Easter
April 21st, 2024**

1st Lesson: Acts 4:5-12
Psalm: 23
2nd Lesson: 1 John 3:16-24
Gospel: John 10:11-18

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

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

Next week (April 21st) Service Corps:

Worship Assistant:	Barbara
Greeter:	Ann
Usher:	Gary
Projectionist:	Jim
Altar Guild:	Ruby & Malina

Last Sunday's Attendance: 70