

THE NEXT TWO WEEKS

Saturday, May 10

8:00 AM – Men's Conversation at Volcano Coffee

Sunday, May 11 (Mother's Day)

9:30 AM – Worship, Sanctuary
10:00 AM – Resident Worship, Julian Estates
10:45 AM – Coffee Hour
11:05 AM – Gathering Time in the Sanctuary
11:15 AM – Sunday School
1:30 PM – Resident Worship, Bonaventure
5:00 PM* –Worship, YouTube

Tuesday, May 13

9:30 AM – Church Board Meeting
10:00 AM – Women's Ministry Meeting
6:30 PM – American Heritage Girls Troop Meeting

Saturday, May 17

10:00 AM – 2:00 PM – Leadership Workshop



Full Lectionary for May 11, 2025;

1st Reading Acts 9:36-43
Psalm Psalm 23
2nd Reading Revelation 7:9-17
Gospel John 10:22-30

Full Lectionary for May 18, 2025;

1st Reading Acts 11:1-18
Psalm Psalm 148
2nd Reading Revelation 21:1-6
Gospel John 13:31-35

Sunday, May 18

9:30 AM – Worship, Sanctuary
10:00 AM – Resident Worship, Julian Estates
10:45 AM – Coffee Hour
1:30 PM – Resident Worship, Bonaventure
5:00 PM* –Worship, YouTube

Tuesday, May 20

6:30 PM – American Heritage Girls Troop Meeting

***Always the goal, but may be impacted by technology issues beyond our control**

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Fourth Sunday of Easter
Parament color is **White**

Fifth Sunday of Easter
Parament color is **White**

LOOKING AHEAD

May 10, Saturday, 8:00 am

Men meet at Volcano's Coffee Shop

May 11, Sunday

MOTHER'S DAY

9:30 am

Worship Service

11:15 am

Last day of Sunday School classes

May 13, Tuesday, 9:30 am

Church Board meeting

10:00 am

Women's Ministry Board meeting

6:30 pm

American Heritage Girls Troop Meeting

May 17, Saturday, 10:00 - 2:00

Leadership Workshop, Fellowship Hall

Not just for current leaders, but for anyone who is interested in serving in a leadership position. Lunch will be provided.

May 18, Sunday, 9:30 am

Worship Service

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ATTENTION ALL LIVING WORD VETERANS!

The Veterans of Living Word are responsible for the altar flowers for Memorial Day on Sunday, May 25th. Veterans are asked to make a donation by May 18th so we can honor our comrades in arms who died in service to our nation.

Following the service on the 25th, the flowers will be placed at the Memorial Statue in Pioneer Park, downtown Puyallup. If paying by check, make it payable to Living Word Lutheran Church (LWLC) and place it in the pink or blue envelope, write Memorial on the envelope and place it in the offering plate. Thank you!

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MISSING : Two white baskets with blue bows that each held an Easter lily near the altar on Easter Sunday. The baskets belong to a member of the congregation and they would like to have them back. Please return them to the Church Office.

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THANK YOU to Daryl Olson and Rick Fields for their time-consuming and expert work on the door frame of the doors to the garden! They sanded, repaired, and painted the door frames to make the entrance beautiful. Their hard work does not go unnoticed!

Sunday School News

The Sunday school teachers and helpers would like to thank our parents for this past year teaching and working with your children. We have really enjoyed getting to know them and watching them grow in their knowledge of and relationship with God.

Mother's Day, May 11th, will be our final date for Sunday School until next September. We will also have the Birthday Bank open for May birthdays.

Semi-annual Congregational Meeting

Our semi-annual congregational meeting will be on **Sunday, June 29, 2025** after the worship service. This meeting will consist of committee reports and election of new board members. All members are strongly encouraged to attend.

To that end, **committee leaders** should begin writing their **reports** which are **due** by the next board meeting, **May 13, 2025**



Creator God, we pray for all who nurture and care, whether as biological, adoptive, foster, spiritual mothers, or caregivers. Recognize their dedication and bless them with Your love and protection. May they know the true value of their service in the hearts they shape and the lives they touch. We remember the mothers who are no longer with us but whose memories live on. May we feel their continuing influence in our lives through Your love and their enduring spirit. Amen.

The Tapestry Singers *present*

**An
American
Tribute...
Sentimental Journey**

Spring Concert
& Silent Auction

When: 2:00 pm - **Saturday, May 17th, 2025**

Where: First Christian Church
623 Ninth Ave & W, Duvallup, WA



Tapestry Singers is a Community Choir
and a member organization of Arts Downtown
www.artsdowntown.org | facebook.com/tapestrysingers



PRAYER ROOM

"Is anyone among you suffering? Let him pray. Is anyone cheerful? Let him sing praise."
James 3:18 (ESV)

Watch over those who put themselves in harm's way to protect us and grant peace of mind to the families who love and miss them. We praise you for continuing to protect:

Andrew Thompson (Griswold)
Josh Jepsen, USAF Utah

Elijah Lundberg, USMC Yuma, AZ
Owen Daubenspeck, USAF Spokane (Owen)

Comfort those who are bereaved, having lost loved ones recently:

Family and friends of Al Luberts

Family and friends of Morgan Olson

Family and friends of Rick (son of Sharlene and brother of Toni)

Family and friends of Dwight Griswold

Relieve pain for all who suffer in any way and restore them to good health of body, mind, and spirit. Encourage them and strengthen their caregivers:

Maurice Hedlund

Rosalynn Gallagher

Darlene Luberts

Amy Cruver

Jeff Brennan

Carolyn Martin

Bill and Errol Lynne Marsh

Terry (and caregiver Ron)

Richard Mitchell (and caregiver Raeanne)

Yvonne Olson

Debbi Zavadil

Pat Heilman (Ron's sister)

Holly McCain

Cheryl Hedlund's aunt, Sue

David Martin (son of Bob and Nancy Martin)

Sue Doll (sister-in-law of Duane & Valerie)

Nancy Martin

Duane Claiborne

Elaina (daughter of Ron and Gaye Anderson)

Lori Schmidt

Grant discernment, wisdom, and courage to leaders within the church and world. Raise servants to accomplish Your will. May Your will be evident in all decisions and actions.

Living Word Members

Living Word Leaders

Persecuted Christians

Victims of War in Ukraine and Israel

Elected Government Officials

Prayer and praise for healing and continued recovery:

Ron Heilman

Steve Vonderau

Kitty Jepsen

Bonnie Socey

Cheryl Hedlund

Jan Williams (sister in law of Judy Williams)

Saveth

Lena Duggan

Thank you, LORD, for hearing and answering our prayers – even when you do so differently than we would prefer. We pray in the holy and mighty name of Jesus, our LORD. Amen

Names in Bold are new additions. Please let the office know if you wish your request to remain on the list. Otherwise, requests are removed after a month.
