

LUTHERAN CHURCH OF THE CROSS OF VICTORIA

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BAPTISM OF JESUS

January 11, 2026 - 10:00 AM

Evangelical Lutheran Worship, Holy Communion Setting One

Worship in-person and livestream

Even Jesus needs baptism.

GATHERING

Prelude

Welcome and acknowledgement of lands

Thanksgiving for Baptism

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Gathering Song

Wash, O God, Our Sons and Daughters

red book

No. 445

Greeting

The grace of Jesus Christ, the love of God,
and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

And also with you.

Hymn of Praise

Glory to God

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Prayer of the Day

Children's Message

WORD

First Reading

Isaiah 42:1-9

on the back cover, sung responsively with the refrain

Psalms 29

Second Reading

Acts 10:34-43

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia

red book Page 102

Gospel Reading

Matthew 3:13-17

Sermon

Hymn of the Day

Down Galilee's Slow Roadways

blue book

No. 916

Nicene Creed

blue book Page 16

Prayers of the People

Merciful God, **receive our prayer.**

Peace Sharing

The peace of Christ be with you always.

And also with you.

MEAL

Offering of Gifts

Offering Song

O Blessed Spring

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Prayer

Great Thanksgiving

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Holy

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Thanksgiving Prayer

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The Lord's Prayer

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Lamb of God

All are welcome at Christ's table. The wine is served in individual glasses and the common cup.

Red grape juice is in the centre of the trays. Gluten-free bread is available by asking the server.

You may commune with bread or wine alone or ask for a blessing.

Those worshipping online are invited to commune where you are.

Communion Songs

Taste and See

red book

No. 493

I Bind unto Myself Today

red book

No. 450

Prayer

SENDING

Announcements

Blessing

Sending Song

Wade in the Water

red book

No. 459

Dismissal

...Thanks be to God!

Everyone present is invited to a time of hospitality in the Upper Hall following worship.

Thank you to the Confirmation students and families for hosting.

Worship Assistants

Assisting Minister

Allyson Roberts

Kantor

Nathan McDonald

Musician

Carolyn Hoekstra

Choral Scholars

DJ McGrath, Madison Blackman

Livestream

Josh Boutin

Communion

Irene Corrie, Tarynn McKenzie

Ushers

Laura Cochrane, Bob Kohlert

You are invited to Holy Communion Worship, Sundays, 10AM PT in-person and online.

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for the Crossroads newsletter, calendar, and events.

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