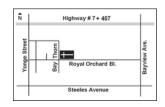


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Dear Wilderness Companions in Faith,

This year, as the month of March arrives, the liturgical season of Lent arrives. The forty days of Lent invite God's faithful people into symbolic participation and spiritual renewal in Jesus of Nazareth's journey to Jerusalem, culminating in the liturgical remembrance of his crucifixion and resurrection.

In early Christianity, Lent was a season of intense Christian education during which new converts to the faith prepared for baptism at Easter. Today the church continues our traditional focus on prayer, fasting and charitable giving, as addressed by Jesus in the annual Ash Wednesday Gospel. This year Thornhill Lutheran Church (TLC) has two unique opportunities in which to participate in these worthy Lenten disciplines.

Beginning on the First Sunday in Lent and concluding on Palm Sunday, I will be preaching a six-part sermon series on the Lord's Prayer. In addition to our focus on prayer, each Sunday we will also maintain a "Sabbath Fast" during which we will omit the sacrament of Holy Communion until Maundy Thursday.

As for charitable giving, consider attending the weekly Sunday Lenten Services sponsored by congregations of the Thornhill Ministerial Association, planned by an ecumenical committee, on which our sister **Prisca Kenel**, is our faithful representative. This year our congregation has the privilege of hosting one of these on March 17, at 4:00 p.m. and I have been invited to preach at another on March 24. During each of these five services our offerings will support three charitable organizations serving the hungry, homeless and helpless in or community, and on our behalf.

Please plan to share this pilgrimage of Lent as fully as possible, and invite a friend or neighbour, family or long lost member of our congregation to join us.

Faithfully, Pastor Peter

(P.S.: You can get an early start by attending the World Day of Prayer at Holy Trinity Anglican Church on Friday, March 1, 1:30 p.m. See you there!)

Liebe Wildnisgefährten im Glauben,

In diesem Jahr, wenn der Monat März kommt, kommt auch die Fastenzeit. Diese vierzigtägige Jahreszeit lädt die gläubigen Menschen Gottes zur symbolischen Teilnahme und geistigen Erneuerung an der Reise Jesu von Nazareth nach Jerusalem ein, die in der liturgischen Erinnerung an seine Kreuzigung und Auferstehung gipfelt.

Im frühen Christentum war die Fastenzeit eine Zeit intensiver christlicher Ausbildung, während sich die Neuankömmlinge des Glaubens auf die Taufe zu Ostern vorbereiteten. Noch heute setzt die Kirche unseren traditionellen Fokus auf Gebet, Fasten und Wohltätigkeitszwecke fort wie in den Ansprachen Jesu im jährlichen Aschermittwochsevangelium. In diesem Jahr hat unsere Gemeinde zwei einzigartige Möglichkeiten, um an diesen würdigen Fastendisziplinen teilzunehmen.

Vom ersten Sonntag in der Fastenzeit bis zum Palmsonntag werde ich eine sechsteilige Serie über das Vaterunser Gebet predigen. Zusätzlich zu unserem Fokus auf das Gebet halten wir jeden Sonntag ein "Sabbat-Fasten" aufrecht, indem wir das Sakrament der Heiligen Kommunion bis Gründonnerstag auslassen.

Für wohltätige Zwecke könnten Sie an den sonntäglichen Lenten Serien teilnehmen, die vom Thornhill Ministerial Verband gesponsert werden und von einem ökumenischen Komitee geplant wurden -- in dem unsere Schwester **Prisca Kenel** unsere treue Vertreterin ist. In diesem Jahr hat unsere Gemeinde die Ehre am 17. März um 16:00 Uhr einer dieser Gastgeber zu sein, und ich wurde eingeladen am 24. März bei einer anderen Gemeinde zu predigen. Während jedem dieser fünf Gottesdienste können wir unsere zärtliche Liebe ausdrücken, durch unsere unterstützenden Opfergaben für drei gemeinnützige Organisationen, die den Hungrigen, Obdachlosen und Hilflosen in unserer Gemeinschaft und unserem Auftrag dienen.

Bitte planen Sie, diese Pilgerfahrt der Fastenzeit so vollständig wie möglich zu teilen, und laden Sie einen Freund oder Nachbarn, eine Familie oder einige längst verschwundenen Mitglieder unserer Gemeinde ein, sich anzuschließen.

Hochachtungsvoll, Pastor Peter

(P.S.: Sie können auch früher anfangen, am Freitag, 1. März, um 13:30 Uhr, am Weltgebetstag der Holy Trinity Anglican Kirche. Wir sehen uns dann.)

Thornhill Ministerial Lenten Series 2019 Sundays 4:00 p.m. March 10 - April 7



March 10 – Answering God's Call to Forgive
Thornhill Presbyterian Church – Speaker: The Rev. Paul Gibbon

March 17 – Answering God's Call to Love
Thornhill Lutheran Church – Speaker: The Rev. Henry Poutiainen

March 24 – Answering God's Call to Heal Thornhill Baptist Church – Speaker: The Rev. Peter Lisinski

March 31 – Answering God's Call to Justice
Holy Trinity Anglican Church – Speaker: Natalie Doucet

April 7 – Answering God's Call to Sacrifice
St. Luke's Catholic Church – Speaker: The Rev. Dr. Heather Vais

From the Pastor's Desk

Recently, members of our congregation invited Rosarie and I out to dinner with their family, and some of their friends, at the Octagon Steak House. As I gazed around at the exquisite furnishings and lovely paintings adorning the walls, I imagined we were gathered inside a giant baptismal font. Allow me to elaborate.

As you have no doubt observed many baptismal fonts, like octagons, have eight sides. The traditional design proclaims *architecturally*, what the sacrament of Holy Baptism proclaims *symbolically* and what God's word proclaims *scripturally*: "If anyone is in Christ, there is a new creation!" (2 Corinthians 5:17). The *number* eight, represents the completion of God's seven-day creation in Jesus' crucifixion, and the *first* day of God's *new* creation on the day of Jesus' resurrection, the "eighth day of creation."

Gathered with people of faith, around a candle-lit table, breaking bread, drinking wine, engaged in conversation about life's joys, sorrows, and everything in between, was a living parable of the *internal* life of God all human beings are *eternally* destined to share within the "octagon" of God's whole and holy new creation. The church receives, proclaims, and embodies this vision of God's future in every celebration of Holy Communion! Apostle Paul explores this profound mystery of baptism in his magnificent letter to the Christian community in Rome: "We have been buried with Christ by baptism into death, [and] if we have been united with him in a death like his, we will certainly be united with him in a resurrection like his." (Romans 6:4-5)

The importance of baptism cannot be overstated. Indeed, the day of our baptism is the most important day in our lives, because it connects us to the most important day in the history of the world – the day of Jesus of Nazareth's crucifixion. In baptism we are *immersed* in the infinite, self-giving love of God revealed in the cross of Jesus – the focus of the forty days in Lent. In baptism we are *incorporated* into the risen life of Jesus – the focus of the fifty days of Easter that follow.

Over the course of these next ninety days, two of our young people, **Braeden MacLean** and **Tristan Wanschura**, are preparing for their Confirmation to be celebrated (tentatively) on Pentecost Sunday, June 9. And as a tangible way of joining them in Affirmation of Baptism, I am giving all the members of our congregation the same assignment I gave them during our first session: to learn – if you don't know it already –

the date and place of your own baptism, and forward me the information as soon as possible.

Then, beginning on Trinity Sunday, June 16, the prayers during our weekly worship liturgy will include the names of those celebrating anniversaries of baptism in the forthcoming week. This weekly remembrance will maintain the important connection of baptism with the triumphant words of Psalm 118:24, traditionally read on Palm Sunday: "This is the day that the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad in it" – now, today, and forever!

Bon Voyage!



Dear Sisters and Brothers in Christ at Thornhill Lutheran Church,

On Friday, February 8 I had a follow up cystoscopy at the Lakeridge Hospital in Ajax. As anticipated by the surgeon who performed my surgery last October, my aggressive form of bladder cancer has recurred and I am scheduled to undergo another operation on Thursday, March 7, 2019. Within three to four weeks after my surgery, I will begin a cycle of six weekly chemo-therapy treatments, the results of which will be available two or three weeks following the final session.

I may not be sufficiently recovered, but I do plan to preside at worship on March 10, and my surgeon assures me that I will likely not need to take a medical leave, but would be able to fulfill normal ministry activities without too much disruption, apart from possible nausea and fatigue for a day or two following the chemo treatments.

Thank you for your personal, patient and prayerful companionship. Faithfully,

Pastor Peter Lisinski

Special Easter Offering



The Easter Offering this year is again designated for the **Water-loo Lutheran Seminary**. Please use the special envelope included with your regular set. Should you wish to direct your Easter Offering to another cause, please mark this envelope accordingly.

Die Osterspende ist wieder für das **Waterloo Lutheran Seminary** bestimmt. Bitte benutzen Sie dafür den Sonderumschlag, den Sie in dem Kästchen mit den anderen Umschlägen finden. Sollten Sie Ihre Osterspende einem anderen Zweck zukommen lassen wollen, vermerken Sie dies bitte auf dem Umschlag.

Canada Lutheran Subscriptions

We wish to remind all recipients of this publication that subscriptions were renewed in January, and would ask you to submit the price of \$ 20.00 for the year 2019 as soon as possible. You may place a



special envelope with your name and envelope number in the donation plate, hand in the money at the office, or give it directly to our treasurer Edith Schiller. Thank you.

"Truth is true even if no one believes it, and falsehood is false even if everyone believes it.

The Christian message works because it is true".

I'Ching Thomas

Submitted by Gunther Kunzelmann

Looking back at our Bazaar 2018

Imagine the impossible! If we held an Advent-Bazaar more then once a year, would our friends and neighbours not be delighted?

Why was Dec. 1. 2018 such a good day again?

By 10:00 a.m. all was ready: A friendly, welcoming Church opened its doors and - "in came the people"... Many work hours had been invested and numerous people gave their very best to make the 'Bazaar 2018' a neighbourhood event.

Yes, we noticed some changes: We had asked two vendors to offer their "Arts and Crafts", - a beautiful sight it was!

The "Bake Table" was somewhat smaller but nevertheless full of lovely home baked goods; our "Re-used Items" table had shrunk a bit.

What was the same as in so many past years? The invitingly decorated church hall, the display of cakes, "Kuchen und Torten", baked by our skilled church women and the generous amount of coffee and tea they served. THANK YOU, Ladies!

It also was the lunch - Wieners and Potato Salad - , that was enjoyed by so many friends and their families.

Did you notice all those friendly conversations that went on among the guests? I also think our new Pastor, Peter Lisinski and his wife, had a good time talking to so many new folks. It was a sight to behold!

A BIG THANK YOU to all supporters and helpers for their donation of food items, muscle power and time. Without you it would not have been!

Will we have an Advents Bazaar again in 2019?

The planners and organizers know that it always was - and is - ONE important part of or

life as a church people in Thornhill.

And I personally also think so.

Leni Schwartzel





Our Confirmands:



Tristan is in Grade 9 at Alexander Mackenzie High School. Currently he is carrying an honours grade average.

He is involved with the school concert band playing the trumpet which he thoroughly enjoys.

In sports he plays hockey, basketball and tennis. He volunteers with Special Olympics Ontario in their basketball and bowling programs which his brother participates in.

Through confirmation he is looking to connect more with the Church congregation and sees this as a rite of passage as he carries on in life.

Braeden is an academic student who attends Bradford District High School.

He enjoys playing competitive sports such as hockey and tennis with his teammates and friends.

He aspires to one day become a Royal Canadian Armed Forces Pilot, an Orthodontist, or a Professional Tennis Player.

Attending the Thornhill Lutheran Church confirmation class, Braeden believes that he will learn more about the true meaning behind God and Jesus Christ. He believes attending the confirmation class will help him in the future with sharing his religion to his future family and others around him.



How to access the web stream of our Sunday services

It has come to my attention that people have difficulties accessing the web stream of our Sunday services. I did a test by streaming some music to the server and I tried different browsers on Windows and Mac computers. The best browser to use is Firefox. You can download the latest version at www.firefox.com.

There are two ways to go the Webstream of our Sunday services.

The first way is to go to the website of our church www.thornhill-lutheran.org. On the top menu hover with the mouse over the "Worship". A menu will appear, and you click on Webstream, as you can see below.



1. You will see the stream player at the top of the page.

Web stream



- 2. If the service is not streaming already, wait until 10:00 a.m. and click on the "Play" triangle (shown above).
- 3. If the service is already streaming when you open the webcast page in Firefox the player will start playing the stream. The "Play" triangle will be a square and you will hear the Sunday service. It might be necessary to increase the volume of your speakers on the laptop or computer.
- 4. The second way is to use the direct link to the webcast page. The link is as follows: https://www.thornhill-lutheran.org/web-stream.html

Below the player are different links that you can use if you want to use a media player like VLC (www.videolan.org) to listen to the service.

(For Tablet use, see instructions on the following page)

If you use a smartphone or tablet to access the web stream the menu for the webpage looks like this:



- 1. Tap with your finger on the three white line to show the menu. The menu will be shown on the left side of the screen:
- 2. Next tap with your finger on "Worship". The worship menu will appear and now you tap on "Webstream". The player integrated into the website is now at the top of the page.
- 3. You will have to tap on the "Play" triangle to start the web stream.



Don't forget to turn up the volume of your smartphone or tablet to listen to the service.

Firefox is available from the App Store or Google Play Store!





Council Meeting Highlights for December 2018 to January 2019:

December 19:

- * Thank you to Petra Georges for hosting our meeting at your home.
- * Pastor Peter to reach out to various churches to inquire regarding a possible church secretary.
- * New printer has been purchased and installed. Thank you to Martin Habekost for organizing this.
- * Council agreed to purchase a new computer within the next 3 years.
- * Final review of proposed Calendar for the Annual report
- * Many documents, flyers, etc. still have Pastor Sebastian's name on it and/or our old church name. Pastor Peter will be reviewing them.
- * The timing of the digital sign messages will increased in time for better readability.
- * Christmas Eve singers will be paid a set amount per service.
- * Side entrance light and large ball light (in the parking lot) need to be repaired.
- * All rental groups will be offered possible advertisement usage of our digital sign. There would only be one rental group's message per day and it can only be changed once per month (via Martin Habekost). Payment for said advertisement must be paid a month before it is to be posted.

January 16:

- * Council expressed their condolences for the passing of Burkhard Moeller, Pastorin Moeller's husband. Pastor Peter has been in contact and condolences were sent on behalf of our congregation and Church council.
- * Various flyers from our church, Thornhill Ministerial, and the German cluster are being up dated.
- * Property committee asked to relook at the issues regarding heating in the sanctuary and the outdoor lighting.
- * Rental agreements have been updated. Awaiting the returned signed copies.
- * Pastor exchange on February 3, 2019.
- * It was noted that attendance was up in the Christmas Eve services (especially the 1st German service and the English service). It was estimated that the combination of the new sign, our website, and the flyer mail out all helped with the extra interest.
- * March 17th, our congregation will be hosting one of the Lenten series services at our church.
- * Final proposed budget was reviewed and will be in the Annual report.
- * Council is activity looking for a church secretary and 3 persons have expressed an interest. Once the resumes have been sent in, we will set up interviews with various candidates.



- * Council will be meeting February 9th, for their Vision for Mission and End of Life/ Defunct church policy workshop/retreat.
- * Council would like to start an Outreach group; information to be reviewed at work shop/retreat and the Annual meeting.

Council Retreat Meeting Highlights for Februray 9, 2019:

- * We shared where we feel the congregation is now and what needs to be done to move forward into our future.
- * Discussed "why do we come to TLC?" and a few of our reasons were: the services/gospel, fellowship, German heritage/back ground, the people.
- * Looked at various ideas of "Keep Inviting People In", such as a special Easter invite; updating Facebook and website; pictures of our various activities to be posted on the digital sign; using other modern communications to reach out to the community; camp day, etc.
- * These ideas will be reviewed in council and in a possible Outreach group.
- * Worship & Arts motion was deliberated at length; amendments were brought forth; and then voted on to be presented at the Annual meeting.
- * Outreach has funding available to start different initiatives.
- * 5 Year plan possibilities were evaluated: merging with another congregation; being a 2 point parish; changing current by-law to reflect needing an English speaking Pastor; what are the minimum numbers, etc. to look at selling the church, closing the congregation, etc. if other means are not possible.
- * For the 5 year plan, a few different steps will take place over the next few months (for example, reaching out to other congregations regarding possibly working together) and then will be built on depending on responses.
- * Outreach programs: council will start working on a few of them starting in February and others referred to an Outreach group.



Annual Meeting Highlights for February 10, 2019:

* Martin Habekost and Edith Schulbeck were voted in for their first term on council; while Prisca Kenel was voted in for her second term. Petra Georges was thanked for serving on council and was wished a speedy recovery.



- * Pastor Peter and council were thanked for all the work they did this week regarding the council retreat and the Annual meeting.
- * Audit will be done by the spring and presented to council.
- * Worship & Arts committee motion, and council's amendments, was deliberated at length. The motion passed with the following changes occurring to the Services:
 - One German service will be held at the end of each month; all other services will be held in English.
 - There would no longer be any joint services.
 - Good Friday and Easter Sunday will have a German and English service.
 - No changes made to Christmas Eve Services (2 German, 1 English); New Year's Eve (German); and summer services to alternate between German and English services.
- * The proposed 2019 Calendar was accepted with the following changes:
 - Service of Blessing and healing will be combined with Ash Wednesday and Maundy Thursday services.
 - March 17th, we will be hosting the Lenten Service, as part of the Thornhill Cluster.
 - May 30, we will host the German Cluster for the Accession service.
 - September 18, will be Back to Church Sunday

Your Council Members for 2019-2020:

Prisca Kenel
Doris Lottermoser
Nancy Moulson
Edith Schiller
Deborah Tobin

Our newest members are:
Martin Habekost & Edith Schulbeck



Please join us for our



Saturday May 4, 2019 Doors open @ 6:30pm

Ticket Price: TBA

Tickets are available at the church, or by phoning fellowship committee members.

We need your HELP!

Raffle donations and volunteers



Invitations - Einladungen

Please refer also to the calendar on our webpage www.thornhill-lutheran.org for updates.

Friday, March 1, 2019

1:30 p.m.

World Day of Prayer Service

@ Holy Trinity Anglican Church, Thornill

140 Brooke Street



Sunday, March 3, 2019

10:00 a.m.

Holy Communion

(Installation of newly elected Council Members)

followed by Potluck Coffee Hour Englischer Abendmahlsgottesdienst

(Einführung der neugewählten Gemeinderatsmitglieder),

gefolgt von Kaffee und Kuchen

Wednesday, March 6, 2019

7:30 p.m.

Ash Wednesday Service



4:00 p.m.

NO MORNING SERVICE!

Lenten Series Servies



Monday, April 1, 2019

First Day of Spring Cleaning

Saturday, April 13, 2019

Last Day of Spring Cleaning



Wednesday, April 9, 2019

7:30 p.m.

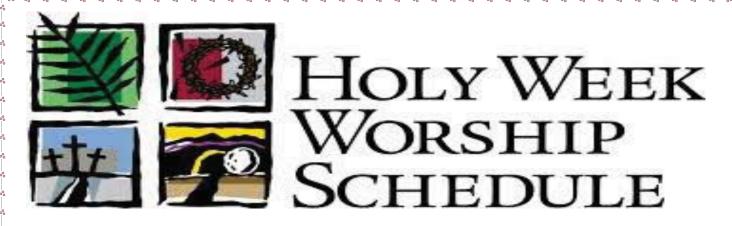
Annual Altar Guild Meeting



April 14 - April 21, 2019

Holy Week (see next page) Karwoche (siehe nächste Seite)





Please refer also to the calendar on our webpage www.thornhill-lutheran.org for updates.

Sunday, April 14, 2019

10:00 p.m. Palm Sunday Service

followed by Potluck Coffee Hour



Thursday, April 18, 2019

7:30 p.m. Maundy Thursday Service



Friday, April 19, 2019

9:30 a.m. Karfreitagsgottesdienst mit Abendmahl

11:00 a.m. Good Friday Service



Sunday, April 21, 2019

9:30 a.m. Ostergottesdienst mit Abendmahl
11:00 a.m. Easter Service with Holy Communion



Invitations - Einladungen

Please refer also to the calendar on our webpage www.thornhill-lutheran.org for updates.

Saturday, May 4, 2019

6:30 p.m.

Springfest Dinner / Fundraising Event

Frühlingsfest mit Abendessen



Sunday, May 12, 2019

10:00 a.m.

Mothers' Day Service

followed by Potluck Luncheon Gottesdienst zum Muttertag mit anschliessendem Mittagessen



Thursday, May 30, 2019

7:00 p.m.

Deutscher Christi Himmelfahrtsgottesdienst

German Ascension Service



Sunday, June 9, 2019

10:00 a.m.

Outdoor Service followed by Potluck BBQ Luncheon

Gottesdienst im Freien gefolgt von BBQ



Congregational News - Aus dem Gemeindeleben

Birthdays

On January 19 **Nadia Streisslberger** celebrated her 90th birthday. Belated a happy birthday!



Ilse Klingeman will be 96 years old on March 11.



Mary Pavlik will be 96 years old on March 12.

In April Elisabeth Schenck celebrates her 90th birthday on April 21.

Inge Liske will be 90 on April 24.

In May Stefan Lojowsky will celebrate his 94st birthday on May 9 and

Helga Kosubek has her 96rd birthday on May 30.

David Dunn has his 93th birthday on July 2.

We wish all of them a Happy Birthday and God's Blessings.



Best Wishes

As always, we are also thinking of those members of the congregation who are sick, in hospital or at home, and about their family members and/ or caregivers. We sincerely hope that they do not have to suffer too much, and wish them a speedy recovery, so that they once again can join us in Church.

Spring Cleaning

Please sign up for the tasks you would like to take on, at a time convenient to you. When completed, please sign off on the same sheet (to be found on the board in the hallway) We need volunteers of all ages and both genders for these important tasks.



Am Anschlagbrett im Flur befindet sich eine Liste aller zu verrichtenden Aufgaben. Bitte tragen Sie sich dort ein und zeichnen sie ab, wenn die gewählte Aufgabe beendet ist.

Proposed Calendar for 2019

For changes and updates, please check at church or on the website

January	8 Tuesday	7:30 p.m.	Annual Lay Readers' Meeting				
20 Sunday			Final Version of the Annual Report is due (Church Office)				
	27 Sunday		Annual Reports will be available				
February	10 Sunday	10:00 a.m.	Joint Service - Annual Meeting - Potluck Coffee Hour				
March	1 Friday	1:30p.m.	World Day of Prayer - Holy Trinity Anglican Church, Thornhill				
	3 Sunday	10:00 a.m.	English Service - Installation of Council - Potluck Coffee Hour				
	6 Wednesday	7:30 p.m.	Ash Wednesday Service				
April	1 Monday		First Day of Spring Cleaning				
•	9 Tuesday	7:30 p.m.	Annual Altar Guild Meeting				
	13 Saturday	, , , ,	Last Day of Spring Cleaning				
	14 Sunday	10:00 a.m.	English Palm Sunday Service - Potluck Coffee Hour				
	18 Thursday		Maundy Thursday Service				
	19 Friday		Karfreitag Communion Service (German)				
			Good Friday Service (English)				
	21 Sunday		Ostern Communion Service (German)				
			Easter Communion Service (English)				
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May	4 Saturday	6:30 p.m.	Springfest Dinner - fundraising event				
	12 Sunday	10:00 a.m.	English Mother's Day Service - Potluck Luncheon				
	30 Thursday	7:00 p.m.	Christi Himmelfahrt Service (German)				
luna	• Sunday	10:00 2 m	Outdoor Sarvice PPO Luncheon				
June	9 Sunday		Outdoor Service - BBQ Luncheon				
	16 Sunday	10:00 a.m.	English Father's Day Service - Potluck Luncheon				
July	7, 21 Sundays	10:00 a.m.	German Service				
	14, 28 Sundays	10:00 a.m.	English Service				
August	4, 18 Sundays	10.00 a m	German Service				
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	11, 25 Sundays	10:00 a.m.	English Service				

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Continuation of Proposed Calendar 2019

September	18 Sunday	10:00 a.m. E	English Back to Church Service - BBQ Luncheon			
October	13 Sunday	10:00 a.m. E	English Thanksgiving Service - Potluck Coffee Hour			
November	3 Sunday	10:00 a.m. E	English Commemoration of the Departed - Potluck Coffee Hour			
	30 Sunday	10:00 a.m. A	Annual Advent Bazaar			
December	1 Sunday	10:00 a.m.	Advent 1 - English Service			
	8 Sunday	10:00 a.m.	Advent 2 - Hymn Sing Service (English)			
	15 Sunday	10:00 a.m.	Advent 3 - English Service - Advent Afternoon - Potluck Luncheon			
	22 Sunday	10:00 a.m.	Advent 4 - English Service			
	24 Tuesday	4:00 p.m. (German Christmas Eve Service			
		5:45 p.m. (German Christmas Eve Service			
		7:30 p.m. E	English Christmas Eve Service			
	Wednes-					
	25 day	11:00 a.m. E	English Christmas Day Service			
	29 Sunday	10:00 a.m. H	Hymn Sing Service (German)			
	31 Tuesday	3:00 p.m. (German New Year's Eve Service			
2020						
February	9 Sunday	10:00 a.m. E	.m. English Service - Annual Meeting - Potluck Coffee Hour			

March 2019

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1 World Day of Prayer 1:30 Service @ Holy Trinity Anglican Church, 140 Brooke Street, Thornhill	2
3 Transfiguration 10:00 English Service Installation of the Council –Potluck Coffee Hour	4	5	6 Ash Wednesday 7:30 English Service	7	8	9
10 Lent 1 10:00 English Service	11	12	13	14	15	16 2:00 Frohe Runde
17 Lent 2 NO MORNING SERVICE 4:00 Lenten Series Service	18	19	20 7:30 Council	21	22	23
24 Lent 3 10:00 English Service	25	26	27	28	29	30 2:00 Circle of Friends
31 Lent 4 10:00 German Service						

April 2019

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1 First Day of Spring Cleaning!	2	3	4	5	6
7 Lent 5 10:00 English Service	8	9 7:30 Altar Guild Meeting	10	11	12	13 Last Day of Spring Cleaning!
14 Palm Sunday 10:00 English Service - Potluck Coffee Hour	15	16	17 7:30 Council	18 Maundy Thursday 7:30 English Service	19 Good Friday 9:30 German Service 11:00 English Service	20 2:00 Frohe Runde
21 Easter Sunday 9:30 German Service 11:00 English Service	22	23	24	25	26	27 2:00 Circle of Friends
28 Easter 2 10:00 German Service	29	30				

May 2019

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1	2	3	4 6:30 Springfest
5 Easter 3 10:00 English Service	6	7	8	9	10	11
12 Easter 4 10:00 Mother's Day Service - Potluck Luncheon	13	14	15 7:30 Council	16	17	18 2:00 Frohe Runde
19 Easter 5 10:00 English Service	20	21	22	23	24	25 2:00 Circle of Friends
26 Easter 6 10:00 German Service	27	28	29	30 Ascension of the Lord 7:00 German Service	31	