

WELCOME! We are pleased to have you worship with us today! Please join us for coffee and snacks in the fellowship hall after worship today.

VISITORS: Please sign the attendance register as it is passed during worship. Please take a moment to introduce yourself to a member of our Congregational Council, or the folks at the welcome center in the entryway of the church. During the offering, you are welcome to give, but please do not feel obligated. You are our guest today.

HOLY COMMUNION: We believe that Holy Communion is the body and blood of our Lord, Jesus Christ. It is received in and under the earthly elements of bread and wine. We welcome all baptized Christians who believe our Lord's words: "given and shed for you for the forgiveness of sins" to come and receive the Lord's Supper. Gluten-free wafers and white grape juice are also available. If you are not yet baptized, we encourage you to come forward and receive a blessing. The gifts of God for the people of God!

BRING THE CHILDREN TO ME: We are pleased to provide activity bags for children of two different age groups at the church entrance on a weekly basis. The bags include crayons, scratch paper and an age-appropriate activity bulletin that is built around the Gospel lesson for the day. Please take a bag and return it after service so we can refill it for the next Sunday.

MEMBERSHIP: If you have interest in becoming a member of Resurrection Lutheran Church, please complete a membership application which can be found in the entryway of the church at the welcome center or in the racks in the entryway or fellowship hall.

PRAYER CHAIN: Prayer is powerful and can be a tremendous help for those in need. If you have a prayer request, or if you are interested in being a member of our prayer chain, please contact Joan Lavoie at 354-8819. All your prayer requests will be kept in confidence among those in the prayer chain.

Welcome and sharing of the peace

Praise Singing "All Creatures of Our God and King"
"I Was There to Hear Your Boring Cry"
Prayer
"I Exalt Thee"

Children's Sermon "Books of the Old Testament"

Baptism: Camdyn Ronald Prevost
Scripture Lessons Isaiah 44:6-8 (p. 1130)
Psalm 86:11-17 (p. 924)
Romans 8:12-25 (p. 1755)
"10,000 Reasons"
Matthew 13:24-30, 36-43 (p. 1521)

Sermon Pastor Joe Bonno

Hymn of the Day "In Christ Alone"

Apostles' Creed

Prayers of the Church

Offering "Jesus"

Confession and forgiveness

Words of Institution

Lord's Prayer

Communion

Benediction "Go, my Children With my Blessing"

Closing Hymn "We Are Marching in the Light"

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Preaching – Pastor Joe Bonno, Pastor Brad Matuzak, Pastor Mike Potter and Pastor Jerry Yarnell



*Saved by Grace Alone
Through Faith Alone
Because of Christ Alone*

We are committed to being rooted in the Scriptures and the Lutheran Confessions while working to fulfill Christ’s Great Commission to go and make disciples of all nations. We have a great respect for the reality that the church is where the people of God gather together around Word and Sacrament and then go forth to live as witnesses to His love and mercy.

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SERVING TODAY:

Joe Bonno – Guest Preacher

Julie Wood, Greg Altman, Dick Reed, Don Grabiell, Mark Hamann and Rocky
and Ginny Roland – Worship and Music Leaders

Rhianna Kaszubowski – Reader

Nancy Coombs – Assisting Minister

Dennis and Annette Kindt – Ushers

Bryce Moe and Matt Diamond – Communion Cups

Rodney and JoEllen Lang – Greeters

Joanne Gallagher – Worship set-up

Al Dziesinski – Audio/Visual Technician

Bob and Nancy Coombs – Fellowship

PRAYERS: We remember in our prayers Clarise Cadarette, Betty Horne, Beverly Attwell, Daryl Lang, Diane Madsen, Shawn Manning, Leonard Kemnitz, Jamie Siess, Trapper Truman, Myrna O'Connor, Elfie Jahnke, Ed Benoit, Arlie Prevost, Shelby Benoit, Mike Altman Jr., Dennis R. Diamond, Stacey Cross, Christopher Hippensteel, Cathy Carpenter, Marilee Mead, J.R. Fugate, Ann Marie Brousseau, Mark Kandow, Ella Enderby and the men and women working to unlock the chains of addiction. For those in the military and civilian services, may God guard and protect them as they guard and protect us: Jake Strong, Josh Root, Brandon Brewington, Leland Swift, Roy C. Johnson, David Kloft, Mandy Killingbeck, Jason Michael Duggar, Lance and Hilary Bovee, Justin Besgrove, Wyatt Boboltz, Brad LaFleche and Aaron Jarvi. *To add a name, please send an email to julie@rlca.us or call 354-7522.*

CONGREGATIONAL COUNCIL MINUTES: If you would like to have copies of approved Congregational Council minutes including financial reports, please send Julie julie@rlca.us an email and she will put you on a list to regularly receive them, or simply stop by the office and pick up a copy.

CONGREGATIONAL COUNCIL MEETING: The next council meeting will be held on Tuesday, August 8th, at 5:30 pm.

BAPTISM: Today we celebrate the baptism of Camdyn Ronald Prevost along with his mother, Shyla Prevost, his godparents, Zachariah Prevost, Kylie Prevost, Chyenne Prevost and Karen Nowicki-Compeau, his grandparents, Kevin Prevost and Lori Prevost and his great grandfather, Arlie Prevost. Thanks be to God for this new disciple of Jesus Christ!

NEW MEMBER: We would like to welcome Yvonne Clewly as an associate member of Resurrection Lutheran. We look forward to serving Christ together with you!

JULY SERVICE PROJECT – ALPENA BABY PANTRY: The Baby Pantry is located at St. Bernard’s Church and is open one day a month for families to shop. They are in need of disposable diapers size 3 to 6, baby food and formula, new or almost new baby clothing, crib sheets and blankets, baby furniture or almost anything you can think of a sweet little babe needing! Items can be left in the basket in the entryway each week. For more information call Dona Robb 916.6600 or Barb Timm 471.5654.

WOMEN’S RETREAT - SAVE THE DATE: We are planning a women’s retreat for September 30th here at Resurrection. More information will follow but please mark your calendars, ladies, and plan to bring a friend and attend!

BIRTHDAYS: Kim Marzean, Leonard Johnsen, Stacy Bauer, Stephen Gallagher, Larry Kirby and Sarah Moe celebrate a birthday this coming week. Happy Birthday to you all!

ADULT BIBLE STUDY: Adult Bible Study is now meeting after worship in classroom 1. They are currently studying the book of Luke. Grab a snack in the fellowship hall and then come to study. No experience necessary ☺

FOR STUDY AT HOME: The scripture readings for this coming Sunday are 1 Kings 3:5-12, Psalm 119:129-136, Romans 8:26-39 and Matthew 13:44-52.

This Week at RLCA

Sunday, July 16.....9:00 am – worship followed by fellowship
10:15 am – Adult Bible Study (room 1)

Monday, July 17.....12:00 pm – Feeding Kids Summer Lunch
5:30 pm – Feeding Kids Packing (civic)

Tuesday, July 18.....12:00 pm – Feeding Kids Summer Lunch

Wednesday, July 19.....7:30 am – staff meeting
12:00 pm – Feeding Kids Summer Lunch

Thursday, July 20.....8:00 am – Men’s Sunday text study
9:00 am – Esther Bible Study
12:00 pm – Feeding Kids Summer Lunch
12:30 pm – worship team rehearsal
3:10 pm – worship at Sunrise Centre

Friday, July 21.....12:00 pm – Feeding Kids Summer Lunch

Sunday, July 23.....9:00 am – worship followed by fellowship
10:15 am – Adult Bible Study (room 1)
10:30 am – Greenview worship

ATTENDANCE AND GIVING FOR JULY 9, 2017:

Worship attendance: 107

Offering: \$4006.00

FEEDING KIDS GIVING FOR THE WEEK OF JULY 3-9: \$880.00