

## “We Are Called”

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**CONGREGATIONAL COUNCIL MINUTES:** If you would like to have copies of approved Congregational Council minutes including financial reports, please send Julie [julie@rlca.us](mailto: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, October 16<sup>th</sup>, at 5:30 pm

## **STAFF CONTACT INFORMATION:**

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*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.**

**October 14, 2018**

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*Affiliated with Lutheran Congregations in Mission for Christ (LCMC)*

### **This Week at RLCA**

Sunday, October 14.....9:00 am – worship followed by Sunday School  
and fellowship  
10:45 am – worship at Turning Brook  
4:00 pm – Resurrection Youth

Monday, October 15.....5:30 pm – Feeding Kids Packing (RLCA team 3)

Tuesday, October 16.....2:00 pm – Tuesday Bible study  
5:30 pm – Council meeting

Wednesday, October 17.....5:30 pm – Confirmation class  
6:30 pm – Ambidextrous Christianity  
6:45 pm – Joining Jesus Show Me How

Thursday, October 18.....8:00 am – Men’s text study (Turning Brook)  
4:00 pm – worship team rehearsal  
6:00 pm – Discover Resurrection

Friday, October 19.....6:00 pm – A Woman’s Heart study  
7:00 pm – Resurrection Youth lock-in

Sunday, October 21.....9:00 am – worship followed by Sunday School  
and fellowship

### **ATTENDANCE AND GIVING FOR OCTOBER 1-7, 2018:**

Worship attendance: 133

Offering: \$4457.10

**FEEDING KIDS GIVING FOR THE WEEK OF OCTOBER 1-7:** \$611.32

### **SERVING TODAY:**

Phil Phifer – Pastor

Greg Altman, Don Grabel, Mark Hamann, Rocky and Ginny Roland, Beth  
Strong and Julie Wood – Worship and Music Leaders

Cheri Fletcher – Reader

Stacy Bauer – Assisting Minister

Dalair Dones and Jolie Danielson – Ushers

Lily Spigelmyre and Bryce Moe – Communion Cups

George and Dorothy LaFleche – Greeters

John Diamond – Audio/Visual Technician

Jolie Danielson and Linda Sansom – Worship set-up

Ken and Karen Kindt and Judy Langerfeld – Fellowship

**PRAYERS:** We remember in our prayers: Theresa Vrendenburg, Jerry  
Urlaub, Tom Lavoie, Bob and Kenna Morgan, Mike Chadkewicz, Carl Pilarski,  
Sandi Skaluba, Ben Sharpe, Bob McManus, Beverly Attwell, Leonard  
Kemnitz, Dennis R. Diamond, J.R. Fugate, Mark Kandow 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: Lauren Hoeksema, Todd Horne, Jake Strong, Josh Root, Brandon  
Brewington, Leland Swift, Roy C. Johnson, David Kloft, Mandy Killingbeck,  
Jason Michael Duggar, Lance and Hilary Bovee, Justin Besgrove and Aaron  
Jarvi. *To add a name, please send an email to [julie@rlca.us](mailto:julie@rlca.us) or call 354-7522.*

**BIRTHDAYS:** Marlene Bartz and Kim Wesaw celebrate a birthday this  
coming week. Happy Birthday to you all!

**FOR STUDY AT HOME:** The scripture readings for next Sunday are  
Ecclesiastes 5:10-20, Psalm 119:9-16, Hebrews 4:1-13 and Mark 10:23-31.

**BAPTISM:** Today we celebrate the baptism of Eli James and Johnathan Ryan Wojnar along with their parents, Tiffani McDonald and Johnathan Wojnar. Thanks be to God for his saving work and welcome Eli and Johnathan as the newest baptized disciples of Jesus Christ!

**OCTOBER SERVICE PROJECT – FOSTER CLOSET OF ALPENA:** October Service Activity at Resurrection is for children. Children are often placed in foster care with no personal items and in many cases, they come with only the clothes on their backs. The Foster Closet is 100% volunteer-based and they need us to help them help the children. They are in need of the following items:

- diapers sizes 3, 5 & 6
- wipes and socks for baby, toddler and younger boys
- underclothes for boys, size 4-8 and girls, sizes 3-7, 12-16 and for teens, size small ladies.

For additional information contact Joanne Gallagher at 727-1014.

**SUNDAY SCHOOL:** At Resurrection Lutheran, it is our intention to partner with parents to help cultivate the faith lives of their children. We will do this by reinforcing the faith basics they have been taught at home, encouraging them to grow spiritually and providing a place for them to develop important personal relationships to support their faith foundations. Sunday School for all ages begins today, September 9, 2018. It will run from 10:20am until approximately 10:50am each Sunday in the following rooms:

Preschool ages 2-4 – room #5

Kindergarten through 2nd grade – room #3

Grades 3-5 – room #1

Grades 6-8 – room #6

Grades 9-12 – Offsite, Cabin Creek Coffee at 10:30

For more information contact Stacy Bauer or Pastor Phil.

**FLOWERS:** If you'd like to give the flowers at the foot of the altar in honor of a special occasion or in memory of someone, contact Julie in the office at 354-7522.

## **Mission Notes**

**What did God's Word or the message say today?**

**Where is God leading me to act?**

**Where does this lead me in prayer?**