

Closing Hymn “Guide Me Ever, Great Redeemer”

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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 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, April 9th, 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.

April 7, 2019

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Affiliated with Lutheran Congregations in Mission for Christ (LCMC)

This Week at RLCA

Sunday, April 7.....9:00 am – worship followed by Sunday School
and fellowship
4:00 pm – Resurrection Youth

Monday, April 8.....5:30 pm – Feeding Kids packing (RLCA team 2)

Tuesday, April 9.....2:00 pm – Tuesday Bible study
5:30 pm – Embrace Grace
5:30 pm – council meeting

Wednesday, April 10.....7:30 am – staff meeting
4:30 pm – confirmation
5:15 pm – meager meal and food delivery
6:00 pm – midweek Lenten worship

Thursday, April 11.....8:00 am – men’s Bible study
4:00 pm – worship team rehearsal

Friday, April 12.....6:00 pm – Daniel study

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

ATTENDANCE AND GIVING FOR MAR. 25-31, 2019:

Worship attendance: 42 and 91

Offering: \$3886.00

FEEDING KIDS GIVING FOR THE WEEK OF MAR. 25: \$445.00

SERVING TODAY:

Phil Phifer - Pastor

Greg Altman, Jolie Danielson, Don Grabiell, Mark Hamann, Jennifer Phifer,
Beth Strong and Julie Wood – Worship and Music Leaders

Augie Matuzak – Reader

Scott Thayer – Assisting Minister

Ken and Karen Kindt – Ushers

Bryce Moe and Aiden Olsen – Communion cups

Arlee Prevost and Emilee Manning – Greeters

Al Dziesinski – Audio/Visual Technician

Dick and Phoebe Rang – Worship set-up

Prevost family – Fellowship

PRAYERS: We remember in our prayers the family and friends of Guy Sork, father of Grant Sork. We also pray for Cheryl Gauthier, LeeAnn Wooster, Kriste Kihn Poel, Robert Lang, Bob Sullivan, Theresa Vrendenburg, Jerry Urlaub, Tom Lavoie, Mike Chadkewicz, Carl Pilarski, Sandi Skaluba, Bob McManus, Beverly Attwell, 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, Leland Swift, 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 or call 354-7522.*

BIRTHDAYS: Shawn Manning, Max Seabase, Tristan Phifer and Shelby Benoit celebrate a birthday this coming week. Happy Birthday to you all!

FOR STUDY AT HOME: The scripture readings for next Sunday are Matthew 21:1-11, Deuteronomy 32:36-39, Psalm 118:19-29 and Philipians 2:5-11.

MIDWEEK LENTEN WORSHIP: On the Wednesdays during Lent, we will meet for a meager meal at 5:15 pm and worship at 6:00 pm. Also, the food that was packed on Ash Wednesday will be distributed to our neighbors on those Wednesday evenings. If you would like to help deliver, please contact Julie or Pastor Phil.

APRIL SERVICE PROJECT – ST. VINCENT FOOD PANTRY: Resurrection Lutheran Church presents our food gifts for April to St. Vincent's Food Pantry. This organization does a brilliant job of assisting area families in need of basics...food for their families. We are blessed to be part of this solution. Non-perishable items will be collected...canned goods, boxed goods, hygiene paper products and all paper products, canned fruits, vegetables, family-sized mac 'n cheese, complete meal boxes, spaghetti meals, cereals...be creative. What are you having for meals today? Please call Cathy Moe for questions at 354-2858.

FLOWERS AT THE ALTAR: Today's flowers are given in honor of the 63rd wedding anniversary of Tom and Joan Lavoie from their loving family. Congratulations Tom and Joan!

DISCOVER RESURRECTION: Pastor Phil will be leading another Discover Resurrection class beginning Sunday, April 7th. If you'd like to learn more about our Lutheran faith or what we believe here at Resurrection, come and join Pastor Phil in the fellowship hall after worship.

HOLY WEEK WORSHIP: Just a reminder that there is no midweek worship on Wednesday, April 17th. Please join us on Maundy Thursday, April 18th at 6:30 pm where we remember the Lord's Last Supper with his disciples. Then join us Good Friday, April 19th for a Tenebrae service at 6:30 pm.

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?