

You have elected the following people to serve you as your Congregational Council. Thanks be to God for the work that He accomplishes through them!

Term ending 2015

Augie Matuzak – Chair	356-2833
Sandy Samp – Secretary	379-4368
Dennis Kindt	356-0454

Term ending 2014

Doug Horne- Treasurer	595-3202
Joanne Gallagher	727-1014
Terry Curtis	358-0087

Term ending 2013

Linda Bjella	356-6259
John Diamond – Vice-chair	727-9971
Bonnie Urlaub	356-4203

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.

ATTENDANCE AND GIVING FOR WED. FEB. 13 AND SUN. FEB 17, 2013:

Worship attendance: 49 and 113

Offering: \$808.00 and \$2596.46

FEEDING KIDS GIVING FOR THE WEEK OF FEB. 11-17, 2013: \$397.77

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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.

February 24, 2013
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This Week at RLCA

Sunday, Feb. 24.....9:00 am – worship followed by fellowship
and Sunday School
10:30 – worship at Tendercare Greenview
Tuesday, Feb. 26.....8:00 am – men’s Bible study at Old Town
12:30 pm – Bible study
2:00 pm – Bible study
5:30 pm – Body and Soul
6:00 pm – Bible study
Wednesday, Feb. 27.....5:30 pm – Lenten supper
6:30 pm – Lenten worship
Thursday, Feb. 28.....5:30 pm – Body and Soul
5:30 pm – Prayer Shawl Ministry
Sunday, March 3.....9:00 am – worship followed by fellowship
and Sunday School

SERVING TODAY:

Scott Meier – Pastor
Julie Wood, Greg Altman, Dick Reed, Jeremy Smith, Kelsey Diamond,
Liz Meier, Phoebe Wojciechowski – Worship and music leaders
Brenda Rosenberg – Assisting Minister
Nancy Coombs – Reader
Don Rosenberg and Dennis Kindt – Ushers
Bill and Noretta Schwartz – Greeters

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, March 12th, at 5:30 pm.

PRAYERS: We remember in our prayers: Ian Alsgard, Erna Kinsel, Roy Bartz, Mike McCourt, John Kowaleski, Pamela Anderson Courtright, Marge Cogswell, Melanie Taylor, Donna McMasters, J.R. Fugate, Andrea Linton, Sherryl Kelly, Lydia Lang, Rick Carstens, Angela Stevens, Ann Marie Brousseau, Nick Kowalsky, Dale Reynolds, Carol Dotsch, Ivan Johnson, Tim Boyd, Dr. Tom Cook, Norma Hanna, Dale Strong, Bonnie Altman, Courtney Alexander, Cece Bullen, Linda Sansom and Stella Lazarsky. For those in the armed services, may God guard and protect them as they guard and protect us: Leland Swift, Roy C. Johnson, Lucas Cordes, Steve Lang, David Kloft, Mandy Killingbeck, J. Reed Greenwood, Jason Michael Duggar, Lance and Hilary Bovee, Sven “Lars” Johnson, Jonathan Goebel, Justin Madsen, Alex Karsten, Justin Besgrove, Frannie Kinney, Josh Kinney and Jon Sanchez. *To add a name, please send an email to julie@rlca.us or call 354-7522.*

LENTEN WORSHIP: For the remainder of the Lenten season, a small supper will be offered at 5:30 p.m. followed by worship at 6:30 p.m. on Wednesday evenings. These services will be tied in with the small group study *Letters of Paul*. Please join us for these beautiful, short times of prayer and worship. We continue to grow in God's image as we study and worship and serve together.

SMALL GROUPS: As Lent begins, we continue our small group studies on the *Letters of Paul*. If you have been part of a small group before, your group leader will contact you as to starting times and places. If you wish to be part of a small group or to begin one of your own, please contact Julie or Pastor Scott for more information.

FEEDING KIDS HELPERS: Are you wondering how you can help with the Feeding Kids Ministry? Packing the actual kits occurs typically on Monday evenings at 7:00. If you would be interested in helping in this way, please contact Jeff Hoeksema at (989)255-8925 or e-mail janddhoeksema@charter.net with your interest.

FOR STUDY AT HOME: The scripture for this coming Sunday are Isaiah 55:1-9, Psalm 63:1-8, 1 Corinthians 10:1-13 and Luke 13:1-9.

BIRTHDAYS: Nancy Coombs, Betty Diamond, Becca Wojciechowski and Joanne Gallagher celebrate a birthday this week. Happy Birthday ladies! ☺

MARCH SERVICE PROJECT: LWR SEWING KITS

Teach a Person to Sew and you've given them tools they can use to earn an income, support their family, and break out of poverty. Many of the thousands of Fabric Kits Lutheran World Relief distributes are used in vocational training programs to teach young men and women useful and marketable sewing skills.

Assembling Fabric Kits

Please feel free to donate individual items if you cannot manage an entire kit. Or, donate the items and we'll put them together for you.

Include as much of the following items in each Fabric Kit as you can manage:

Two pieces of cotton or cotton-blend fabric (no knits or 100% polyester).

Each piece should match one of the sizes below:

2¼ yards of 60" wide fabric, or

3 yards of 44" wide fabric, or

4 yards of 36" wide fabric

Two spools of neutral-colored, general purpose thread, 250-300 yards each

Fabric should have no stains or holes. Pieces do not need to match in size or color/pattern. Fold thread and one piece of fabric inside second fabric piece and tie with yarn, sturdy string, ribbon or a strip of fabric.

Please do not enclose the Fabric Kit or any of its contents in a plastic bag.