

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!

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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., APRIL 2 AND SUN., APRIL 6, 2014:

Worship attendance (Sunday):129

Offering: \$405.00 and \$5119.04

FEEDING KIDS GIVING FOR THE WEEK OF MAR. 31-APR. 6, 2014: \$4316.80



*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 13, 2014
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Affiliated with Lutheran Congregations in Mission for Christ (LCMC)

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This Week at RLCA

Sunday, April 13..... 9:00 am – worship followed by Sunday School and fellowship
10:45 am – Turning Brook worship
11:15 am – adult class “Does God Exist?”
1:00 pm – small group (Stacy Bauer)
Monday, April 14.....6:00 pm – Feeding Kids packing (RLCA team 1)
Tuesday, April 15.....3:00 pm – small group (Charlotte Werth’s house)
Wednesday, April 16.....7:30 am – staff meeting
1:30 pm – small group (Kim Meier)
5:30 pm – Easter groceries packed and delivered
6:30 pm – small group
Thursday, April 17.....8:00 am – men’s Bible study (Mark Diamond)
3:30 pm – worship at Sunrise Centre
Sunday, April 20.....9:00 am – Easter Sunday worship followed by Easter brunch

SERVING TODAY:

Scott Meier – Pastor
Julie Wood, Greg Altman, Dick Reed, Don Grabel, Jeremy Smith, Beth Strong, Hannah Thayer, Liz Meier – Worship and music leaders
Brenda Rosenberg – Assisting Minister
Annette Kindt – Reader
Bryan Strong and Dennis Kindt – Ushers
Howard and Cathy Carpenter – Greeters
Linda LaHaie and Lori Muszynski – Worship Setup
Josh Wesaw – Audio/visual Technician
Dennis and Annette Kindt, Don and Brenda Rosenberg – Fellowship

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, May 13th, at 5:30 pm.

PRAYERS: We remember in our prayers: Ian Alsgard, Roy Bartz, John Kowaleski, Stella Lazarsky, Donna McMasters, J.R. Fugate, Andrea Linton, Rick Carstens, Ann Marie Brousseau, Adam Suszek, Katherine Brown, Jerry Hayka, Bill Yockey, Beverly Attwell, Bob Kaszubowki, Lowell Urlaub, Sue Kindt-Brown, Nina Ueberroth, Dave Chroninger, Vic Gehrke, Jim Ring, William Dones, Bob Smart, Joelyn McCallum, Bill Dones, Kim Thompson, Angela Stevens, Bill Goodrich, Mark Kandow, Dave Douglas, Stephen Gallagher, Sylva Kubicek, Marcia Karles, Vickie Shoff, Abby Salois, Duane Anderson, Gloria Martinelli-Poirier, Nicholas Hutchinson, Ella Enderby, Mark Altman, Emmelyn Horne and the men and women working to unlock the chains of addiction. 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, David Kloft, Mandy Killingbeck, J. Reed Greenwood, Jason Michael Duggar, Lance and Hilary Bovee, Sven “Lars” Johnson, Alex Karsten, Justin Besgrove, Josh Kinney, Wyatt Boboltz, Brad LaFleche and Aaron Jarvi. To add a name, please send an email to julie@rlca.us or call 354-7522.

BIRTHDAYS: Shelby Benoit, Augie Matuzak, Sandra Sillman, Josh Molter and Pastor Scott Meier celebrate a birthday this week. Happy Birthday to you all! ☺

EASTER BRUNCH: Resurrection Lutheran will host an Easter brunch immediately following worship on Easter Sunday, April 20th. Invite your friends and family to worship and plan to attend this great meal!

APRIL SERVICE PROJECT - BABY CARE KITS: The need is dire for baby care kits. Bringing a baby into the world can be a difficult and scary thing for a mother living in poverty or experiencing a disaster. When natural disaster strikes or political conflict flares, families often have little chance to gather their belongings before fleeing the danger. These few items make a difference and tell them 'we care'. Resurrection Lutheran Baby Care Kits are sent directly to a LWR warehouse so they can be used where the need is greatest. Provide all or as much as you can of the following items.

Each Baby Care Kit (6 to 24 months) should include the following new items:

- Two onesies or T-shirts
- Two gowns or sleepers without feet. Top/pant set can be substituted
- Two 52" square receiving blankets
- Four cloth diapers - flat fold preferred
- One sweater or sweatshirt (with hood or baby cap)
- One hand towel, dark color
- Two bath-size bar (4/5 oz.) of gentle soap in its original wrapping
- Two pair of socks
- Two large diaper pins

Tightly wrap all items in one of the receiving blankets and secure with the two pins. Questions – call Cathy Moe 354-2858 or ajcmoe@charter.net

FURNITURE NEEDED: Shelter Inc. is in need of some new or used furniture to help furnish their transitional housing. They are looking for living room furniture, end tables, dressers and 1 dining room table and chairs set. If you are able to help, please contact Sandi Skaluba at 657-3231. Thank you!

FOR STUDY AT HOME: The scripture readings for this coming Sunday are Acts 10:34-43, Psalm 118:1-2, 14-24, Colossians 3:1-4 and Matthew 28:1-10.

JUNIOR/SENIOR HIGH YOUTH EVENT: We will be playing Bingo at Luther Manor on Tuesday, April 22nd from 6 – 8 pm. Please, bring a couple of bingo prizes, such as paper products, cleaning products, candy, apartment decorations, etc. Please RSVP to Jolie by 4/18 at pjs4rr@charter.net or 354-5694.

IMMANUEL LUTHERAN GARAGE SALE TO BENEFIT FEEDING KIDS: The first \$500 made at Immanuel's garage sale this year will be donated to Feeding Kids ministry! You can support this sale by donating items or shopping at it. It will be held on Saturday, April 26th at the Fairgrounds. If you are interested in donating goods to Immanuel's garage sale, you can drop them off on Thursday and/or Friday from 8:00 am – 8:00 pm. Clothing is not accepted. Check the Alpena News for more information or call Marv Hopp at 356-2464.

EASTER MEALS: We will continue our tradition of delivering groceries for Easter meals to our neighbors in surrounding apartments. We generally include enough meat, potatoes, vegetables, rolls and dessert for a family of 4-6. You can donate a whole meal, a partial meal or help pack and deliver. Feel free to bring your groceries to the church on Monday, April 14th or Wednesday, April 16th. We'll pack them up and deliver them Wednesday evening. Call Julie to let her know what you'll be bringing or how you're willing to help. Thank you and God's blessings as we are the hands, feet and face of Jesus to our neighbors!