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

<u>VISITORS</u>: Please sign the attendance register as it is passed during worship. Please take a moment to introduce yourself to Pastor Scott, 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.

<u>HOLY COMMUNION</u>: We believe that Holy Communion is the body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ, given with bread and wine for us to eat and drink. 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. Please receive the wafer and dip it in the wine. 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!

<u>BRING THE CHILDREN TO ME</u>: 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.

<u>PRAYER CHAIN</u>: 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 Bonnie Urlaub at 464-6366. All your prayer requests will be kept in confidence among those in the prayer chain. Welcome and sharing of the peace

Praise Singing	"Revelation Song" "Refiner's Fire" "Open my Eyes, Lord"	
Children's Sermon	"Great Stories, Bible Stories"	
Scripture Lessons		Acts 2:14a, 22-32
		Psalm 16 1 Peter 1:3-9
	"Halle, Halle, Halle"	I Peter 1.3-9
		John 20:19-31
Sermon		Pastor Scott Meier
Hymn of the Day	"How Deep the Father's Love fo	or Us"
Apostles' Creed		
Prayers of the Church		
Offering	"Thine is the Glory"	
Confession and forgive	eness	
Words of Institution		
Lord's Prayer		
Communion	"Open the Eyes of my Heart Lo "As the Deer"	ord"
Benediction	"Echo Benediction"	
Closing Hymn	"Christ is Risen, Alleluia!"	

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 2016

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<u>MEMBERSHIP</u>: 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 APRIL 17, 18 AND SUN., APRIL 20, 2014: Worship attendance (Sunday): 198 Offering: \$236.15, \$305.00 and \$6349.00

FEEDING KIDS GIVING FOR THE WEEK OF APR.14-20, 2014: \$360.50

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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:

Scott Meier – Pastor Julie Wood, Greg Altman, Dick Reed, Don Grabiel, Jeremy Smith, Beth Strong and Liz Meier – Music leaders Brenda Rosenberg – Assisting Minister Dawn DesChamps – Reader Stacy Bauer and Joanne Gallagher – Ushers Linda LaHaie and Lori Muszynski – Worship Setup Al Dziesinski – Audio/visual Technician Dennis and Annette Kindt, Don and Brenda Rosenberg – Fellowship

<u>CONGREGATIONAL COUNCIL MINUTES</u>: If you would like to have copies of approved Congregational Council minutes including financial reports, please send Julie <u>julie@rlca.us</u> 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.

<u>CONGREGATIONAL COUNCIL MEETING</u>: The next council meeting will be held on Tuesday, May 13<sup>th</sup>, 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, 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, Duane Anderson, Gloria Martinelli-Poirier, Nicholas Hutchinson, Ella Enderby, Mark Altman, Geri Burgess, Marge Pahlkotter 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.

<u>MISSING NAME TAGS</u>: We are missing two of the magnetic name tags that our ushers and greeters wear on Sunday morning. If you have served in the past few weeks, please check around your house and see if you mistakenly took them home. Thanks!

BIRTHDAYS: Ben Diamond, Dawn DesChamps and Phoebe Rang celebrate a birthday this week. Happy Birthday to you all! ③

<u>FURNITURE NEEDED</u>: 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 2:14a, 36-41, Psalm 116:1-4, 12-19, 1 Peter 1:17-23 and Luke 24:13-35.

## This Week at RLCA

Sunday, April 27		
School and fellowship		
10:30 am – worship at Greenview		
Monday, April 286:00 pm – Feeding Kids packing (small group)		
Tuesday, April 293:00 pm – small group (Ruth Hamann's house)		
Wednesday, April 307:30 am – staff meeting		
4:15 pm – Head2Heart		
5:45 pm – small group		
6:00 pm – Christian Woman's Book Club		
Cabin Creek (Joanne Gallagher)		
Thursday, May 18:00 am – men's Bible study (Mark Diamond)		
1:30 pm – small group (Kim Meier)		
3:30 pm – worship at Sunrise Centre		
Sunday, May 49:00 am – Sunday worship followed by Sunday		
School and fellowship		