<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.

HOLY COMMUNION: 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 "Glorious Day" "Amazing Grace (My Chains Are Gone)" "Sanctuary" Children's Sermon "Books of the New Testament" Scripture Lessons Jeremiah 20:7-13 Psalm 69:7-18 Romans 6:1b-11 "10,000 Reasons" Matthew 10:24-39 Sermon Pastor Scott Meier Hymn of the Day "Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus" Apostles' Creed Prayers of the Church "God of Wonders" Offering First Communion: Hailey Niedzwiecki Confession and forgiveness Words of Institution Lord's Prayer Communion "Go Light Your World" **Benediction** "A Blessing" **Closing Hymn** "My Hope is Built on Nothing Less"

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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<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 SUN., JULY 6, 2014: Worship attendance (Sunday): 100 Offering: \$3997.00

FEEDING KIDS GIVING FOR THE WEEK OF JUNE 30-JULY 6, 2014: \$175.00

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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 and Emma Strong – Worship and music leaders
Stacy Bauer – Assisting Minister
Bonnie Urlaub – Reader
Bryan and Ben Strong – Ushers
Howard and Cathy Carpenter – Greeters
Lisa Thayer and Kim Meier – Worship Setup
Al Dziesinski – Audio/visual Technician
Moe family – 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, August 12th, at 5:30 pm.

PRAYERS: We remember in our prayers: Bob McManus, Ian Alsgard, Roy Bartz, John Kowaleski, Donna McMasters, J.R. Fugate, Andrea Linton, Ann Marie Brousseau, Adam Suszek, Jerry Hayka, Beverly Attwell, Bob Kaszubowki, William Dones, Joelyn McCallum, Bob Smart, Bill Dones, Angela Stevens, Mark Kandow, Dave Douglas, Sylva Kubicek, Marcia Karles, Gloria Martinelli-Poirier, Ella Enderby, Donald E. Duggar 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, 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>FIRST HOLY COMMUNION</u>: Today Hailey Niedzwiecki receives her First Communion during worship. We celebrate along with her mother and stepfather, Jessica and Jeff Kendziorski, and her grandparents, Greg and Linda LaHaie. Thanks be to God!

<u>WELCOME NEW MEMBERS:</u> We welcome David, Dee and Jaiden Hamann into membership with us at Resurrection Lutheran Church. We look forward to serving with you – welcome!

<u>FOR STUDY AT HOME</u>: The scripture readings for this coming Sunday are Isaiah 44:6-8, Psalm 86:11-17, Romans 8:12-25 and Matthew 13:24-30, 26-43.

<u>JULY SERVICE PROJECT – BABY PANTRY</u>: The Alpena Baby Pantry is located at St. Bernard's Church and is open one day a month for families to shop. They are in need of disposable diapers size 3-6, baby food and formula, new or almost new baby clothing, crib sheets and blankets, baby furniture or almost anything you can think of a sweet little babe needing! Items can be left in the basket in the entry each week. If you have larger items or furniture.....call and we will get it from you. For more information call Cathy Moe 354-2858.

BIRTHDAYS: Dorothy LaFleche and Kim Marzean celebrate a birthday this week. Happy Birthday to you both! ©

This Week at RLCA

- Sunday, July 13.....9:00 am worship followed by fellowship 10:45 am – worship at Turning Brook
- Monday, July 14.....11:30 am Summer lunch ministry (Ella White)
- Tuesday, July 15.....11:30 am Summer lunch ministry (Ella White)
- Wednesday, July 16.....7:30 am staff meeting 11:30 am – Summer lunch ministry (Ella White)
- Thursday, July 17.....8:00 am men's Bible study (Mark Diamond) 11:30 am – Summer lunch ministry (Ella White) 3:30 pm – worship at Sunrise Centre
- Friday, July 18......11:30 am Summer lunch ministry
- Sunday, July 20......9:00 am worship followed by fellowship