

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

VISITORS: 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 kneel at the rail if you are able then receive the wafer and the alcohol-free wine. Gluten-free wafers are also available. 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!

BRING THE CHILDREN TO ME: 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.

PRAYER CHAIN: 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	"Your Great Name" "Shout to the Lord" "Seek Ye First"
Children's Sermon	"Books of the Old Testament"

Scripture Lessons	Isaiah 45:1-7 Psalm 96:1-9 1 Thessalonians 1:1-10
	"10,000 Reasons"
Sermon	Daniel 4:1-11, 19-25 Pastor Scott Meier

Hymn of the Day	"Just As I Am"
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Apostles' Creed

Prayers of the Church

Offering	"Heart of Worship"
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Confession and forgiveness

Words of Institution

Lord's Prayer

Communion

Benediction	"The Lord Bless You"
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Closing Hymn	"I Have Decided"
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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 2017

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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 SUN., OCTOBER 12, 2014:

Worship attendance (Sunday): 118

Offering: \$1995.00

FEEDING KIDS GIVING FOR THE WEEK OF OCT. 6-12, 2014: \$416.00



*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.

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SERVING TODAY:

Scott Meier – Pastor

Julie Wood, Greg Altman, Dick Reed, Don Grabel, Beth Strong – Worship
and music leaders

Bonnie Urlaub – Assisting Minister

Dawn DesChamps – Reader

Dennis and Annette Kindt – Ushers

Arlie Prevost and family – Greeters

Brenda Rosenberg and Annette Kindt – Worship Setup

Al Dziesinski – Audio/visual Technician

Tim and Barb Smith and Ken and Karen Kindt – 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, November 11th, at 5:30 pm.

PRAYERS: We remember in our prayers the family and friends of Jerry Hayka, brother of Doug Hayka. We also pray for Greg LaHaie, Becky Johnson, Lisa Donaghe, Misty Kihn McDonald, Donald E. Duggar, Roy Bartz, John Kowaleski, Donna McMasters, J.R. Fugate, Ann Marie Brousseau, Adam Suszek, William Dones, Bob Smart, Bill Dones, Angela Stevens, Mark Kandow, Dave Douglas, Ella Enderby 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, 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.*

OCTOBER SERVICE ACTIVITY - ST. VINCENT FOOD PANTRY: We present our food gifts to St. Vincent's Food Pantry this month. This organization does a brilliant job of assisting area families in great need of basics...food for their family. We are blessed to be able to help! Non-perishables will be collected – canned or boxed goods, hygiene paper products, all paper products, canned fruits, vegetables, family-sized complete meal boxes, spaghetti meals, cereals....be creative. What are you having for meals today? If you do have perishable items....let us know....we will find a way to get them to St.Vincent's immediately. Questions - please call Cheri Fletcher at 356-4172.

BIRTHDAYS: Kim Wesaw, Terry Marzean, Mark Muszynski and Joe Spigelmyre celebrate a birthday this week. Happy Birthday to you all!

BODY AND SOUL FITNESS: God is writing His story on your heart and in your life. He has a plan to use it. He will guide you as you seek him. You can trust him. It's a love story—a story of His love for you, even during the stormy chapters. This coming session let's live our stories side by side and share the next faith & fitness chapter He unfolds through Body & Soul. The message of this session will go deep into our hearts. The music is gripping. God is the author of this session's story. It's starting to unfold, even now...

Fall 2014 Session “What’s Your Story?” started here at Resurrection in the fellowship hall on Tuesday, *September 16, 2014* @ 5:30pm till 6:30pm. Session will run Tuesdays & Thursdays for 10 weeks till Nov 20. Come check out the most personal fitness class in Alpena – try your first 2 *hours* for FREE. Join anytime! See Kim Meier if you have any questions or need child care. We will be offering Cardio/Strength and Strength/Flexibility Classes!

FOR STUDY AT HOME: The scripture readings for this coming Sunday are Jeremiah 31:31-34, Psalm 46, Romans 3:19-31 and John 8:31-36.

ANNUAL GATHERING WRAP-UP: Our Annual Gathering for LCMC (Lutheran Congregations in Mission for Christ) was held October 5th-8th in Des Moines, Iowa. Pastor Scott, Joanne Gallagher and Julie Wood participated in that event and would like to give you feedback about the Gathering – what was learned, how they participated and how it can impact our congregation. Please join us for this opportunity to hear more on Wednesday, October 29th, at 6:00 pm. We’ll plan to meet in the fellowship hall. See you at 6:00!

SMALL GROUPS: Several groups are continuing their studies – the men on Thursday mornings, a group on Tuesday afternoons and another to start on Thursday evenings. For more information, see Pastor Scott after worship and see how you might join one of these groups!

WELCOME: We welcome Angie Gunderson into membership with us at Resurrection Lutheran Church. Welcome Angie! We look forward to serving with you!

This Week at RLCA

Sunday, October 19.....9:00 am – worship followed by Sunday School and fellowship

Monday, October 20.....6:00 pm – Feeding Kids packing (RLCA team 2)

Tuesday, October 21.....2:00 pm – Bible study
5:30 pm – Body and Soul Fitness

Wednesday, October 22.....7:30 am – staff meeting
4:15 pm – Head2Heart

Thursday, October 23.....8:00 am – men’s Bible study (Mark Diamond)
3:30 pm – worship at Sunrise Centre
5:30 pm – Body and Soul Fitness

Sunday, October 26..... 9:00 am – worship followed by Sunday School and fellowship