

Closing Hymn “What a Fellowship, What a Joy Divine”

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 WED. DEC. 3 AND SUN. DEC. 7, 2014:

Worship attendance (Sunday): 119

Offering: \$5653.41

FEEDING KIDS GIVING FOR THE WEEK OF DECEMBER 1-7, 2014: \$2475.00



*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, Don Grabiell, Dick Reed, Beth Strong, Phoebe

Wojciechowski, Karisa Meier – Worship and music leaders

Stacy Bauer – Assisting Minister

Linda Bjella – Reader

Judy Langerfeld and Sandi Skaluba – Ushers

Howard and Cathy Carpenter – Greeters

Brenda Rosenberg and Annette Kindt – Worship set-up

Josh Wesaw – Audio/Visual Technician

Augie and Peggy Matuzak – Fellowship

PRAYERS: We remember in our prayers the family and friends of Gary Marceau. We also remember Helen Reed, Linda Woodruff, Paul Rang, Tom Lavoie, Greg LaHaie, Misty Kihn McDonald, Donald E. Duggar, Roy Bartz, John Kowaleski, J.R. Fugate, Ann Marie Brousseau, Adam Suszek, William Dones, Bob Smart, Bill Dones, Angela Stevens, Mark Kadow, 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.*

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, January 13th, at 5:30 pm.

FOR STUDY AT HOME: The scripture readings for this coming Sunday are Zephaniah 3:14-20, Psalm 89:1-4, 19-26, Romans 16:25-27 and John 1:14-18.

BAPTISMS: Today we celebrate the baptisms of Chris DesChamps, Madison DesChamps, Cole DesChamps and Aiden DeYoung. We welcome them as the newest disciples of Jesus Christ – thanks be to God!

DECEMBER SERVICE ACTIVITY - SALVATION ARMY: To end the year of monthly service activities at RLCA, we will be collecting mittens, hats and scarves for our gift to take to the Salvation Army. We will only be collecting until the middle of the month to enable the items to be included with the Christmas efforts of the Salvation Army. So, there will only be two Sundays that we will need your help.....the 7th and the 14th. For more information please contact Dawn DesChamps at 354-4241, or Kim Meier at 340-1037.

BIRTHDAYS: Carley Hoeksema, Greg LaHaie, Bode Moe, Ray Johnson, Emily Thayer, Loren Urlaub and Charlotte Werth celebrate a birthday this week. Happy Birthday to you all!

ADVENT WORSHIP: We will have an opportunity to worship on Wednesday, December 17th at 6:30 pm. Pastor will be preaching about discipleship. Come early for a light supper at 5:30 pm. We will see you then!

This Week at RLCA

Sunday, December 14.....9:00 am – worship followed by Sunday School and fellowship

10:45 am – worship at Turning Brook

Monday, December 15.....6:00 pm – Feeding Kids packing (RLCA team 2)

Tuesday, December 16.....2:00 pm – Bible study

5:30 pm – supper for ACES

Wednesday, December 17.....7:30 am – staff meeting

4:15 pm – H2H

5:30 pm – supper for ACES

5:30 pm – light supper in fellowship hall

6:30 pm – Advent worship

7:15 pm – small group

Thursday, December 18.....8:00 am – men’s Bible study

3:30 pm – worship at Sunrise Centre

5:30 pm – supper for ACES

Sunday, December 21..... 9:00 am – worship followed by Sunday School and fellowship