

**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 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. It is given in, with and under the earthly elements of bread and the fruit of the vine. 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. Gluten-free wafers and white grape juice 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.

**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.

**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 Joan Lavoie at 354-8819. All your prayer requests will be kept in confidence among those in the prayer chain.

Welcome and sharing of the peace

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| Praise Singing | "Glorious Day"<br>"He Is Exalted"<br>Prayer<br>"Sanctuary" |
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| Children's sermon | "Books of the New Testament" |
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| Scripture Lessons | Genesis 18:20-33 (p. 25)<br>Psalm 138 (p. 973)<br>Colossians 2:6-15 (p. 1830)<br>"Halle, Halle, Halle"<br>Luke 11:1-13 (p. 1616)<br>Pastor Brad Matuzak |
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| Hymn of the Day | "Seek Ye First" |
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Apostle's Creed

Prayers of the Church

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| Offering | "Mighty to Save" |
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Confession and forgiveness

Words of Institution

Lord's Prayer

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| Communion | "How Deep the Father's Love for Us"<br>"Great is Thy Faithfulness" |
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| Benediction | "Echo Benediction" |
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| Closing Hymn | "How Great Thou Art" |
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## CONGREGATIONAL COUNCIL:

### Term ending 2022

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**CONGREGATIONAL COUNCIL MINUTES:** If you would like to have copies of approved Congregational Council minutes including financial reports, please send Julie [julie@rlca.us](mailto: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, August 13, at 5:30 pm.

## **STAFF CONTACT INFORMATION:**

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Director – GO Ministries  
Director – RLCA School of Music  
Director – Worship and Music



*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.**

**July 28, 2019**

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

### **This Week at RLCA**

Sunday, July 28.....9:00 am – worship followed by fellowship  
10:30 am – worship at MediLodge of Greenview

Monday, July 29.....12:00 pm – Feeding Kids Summer Lunch

Tuesday, July 30.....12:00 pm – Feeding Kids Summer Lunch  
6:00 pm – Embrace Life/Embrace Integrity

Wednesday, July 31.....12:00 pm – Feeding Kids Summer Lunch  
5:00 pm – John study

Thursday, August 1.....8:00 am – men’s Bible study  
12:00 pm – Feeding Kids Summer Lunch  
4:00 pm – worship rehearsal  
5:30 pm – Daniel study

Friday, August 2.....12:00 pm – Feeding Kids Summer Lunch

Sunday, August 4.....9:00 am – worship followed by fellowship

### **ATTENDANCE AND GIVING FOR JULY 15-21, 2019:**

Worship attendance: 82  
Offering: \$2000.30

### **FEEDING KIDS GIVING FOR THE WEEK OF JULY 15-21: \$140.00**

**FUN NIGHT AT THE BEACH:** Come join us down at the new pavilion by the splash park on Wednesday, August 7<sup>th</sup> from 4:00-8:00 pm. We will have music, food and activities for all ages. Bring a friend and come enjoy the fun!

**BIRTHDAYS:** Tom Lavoie celebrates a birthday this coming week. Happy Birthday Tom!

### **SERVING TODAY:**

Brad Matuzak – Guest Preacher  
Greg Altman, Jolie Danielson, Mark Hamann, Don Grabel, Rocky and Ginny Roland, Beth Strong and Julie Wood – Worship and Music Leaders  
Linda Kitzman – Reader  
Stacy Bauer – Assisting Minister  
Rodney Lang and Dennis Kindt – Ushers  
Howard and Cathy Carpenter – Greeters  
John Diamond – Audio/Visual Technician  
Bob and Nancy Coombs – Fellowship  
JoEllen Lang and Lisa Thayer – Worship setup

**PRAYERS:** We remember in our prayers: Jeff Dunker, Reed Werth, Cheryl Gauthier, LeeAnn Wooster, Kriste Kihn Poel, Robert Lang, Bob Sullivan, Jerry Urlaub, Mike Chadkewicz, Carl Pilarski, Sandi Skaluba, Bob McManus, Beverly Attwell, J.R. Fugate, Mark Kadow and the men and women working to unlock the chains of addiction. For those in the military and civilian services, may God guard and protect them as they guard and protect us: Lauren Hoeksema, Todd Horne, Jake Strong, Josh Root, Leland Swift, David Kloft, Mandy Killingbeck, Jason Michael Duggar, Lance and Hilary Bovee and Aaron Jarvi. *To add a name, please send an email to [julie@rlca.us](mailto:julie@rlca.us) or call 354-7522.*

**JULY SERVICE ACTIVITY – SUNRISE MISSION:** We will be bringing our offerings this month to folks in need at the Sunrise Mission in Alpena. The Sunrise mission is a God-centered, God-driven and God-blessed organization, actively and sacrificially carrying out His will. While residents find a way back out of their homelessness, we can show them God’s love through our gifts of: new pillows, paper towels, tissues, garbage bags, dish & laundry soap, softener, towels and washcloths. Any questions please contact Cheri Fletcher or Joanne Gallagher.

**FOR STUDY AT HOME:** The scripture readings for next Sunday are Ecclesiastes 1:2, 12-14; 2:18-26, Psalm 100, Colossians 3:1-11 and Luke 12:13-21.