

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

Installation of New Council Members

Sharing of the Peace

Praise Singing

"10,000 Reasons"

Prayer

"I Love You, Lord"

Children's Sermon

"This Little Light of Mine"

Scripture Lessons

Malachi 4:1-6 (p. 1495)

Psalm 98 (p. 935)

2 Thessalonians 3:6-13 (p. 1841)

"Halle, Halle, Halle"

Luke 21:5-28 (p. 1636)

Sermon

Pastor Brad Matuzak

Hymn of the Day

"How Great Thou Art"

Apostle's Creed

Prayers of the Church

Offering

"Look Up Child"

Confession and forgiveness

Words of Institution

Lord's Prayer

Communion

Benediction

"Echo Benediction"

Closing Hymn

"They'll Know We Are Christians"

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 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, December 10, 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.

November 17, 2019

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Affiliated with Lutheran Congregations in Mission for Christ (LCMC)

This Week at RLCA

Sunday, November 17.....9:00 am – worship followed by Sunday
School and fellowship

Monday, November 18.....5:30 pm – Feeding Kids packing (RLCA team 3)
5:30 pm – special council meeting

Tuesday, November 19.....2:00 pm – Tuesday Bible Study
6:00 pm – Embrace Integrity/Grace/Life

Thursday, November 21.....8:00 am – men’s Bible study (JJ’s)
4:00 pm – worship rehearsal

Friday, November 22.....6:00 pm – 1st Corinthians Bible study

Sunday, November 24.....9:00 am – worship followed by Sunday
School and fellowship
10:30 am – worship at Greenview

ATTENDANCE AND GIVING FOR NOV 4-10, 2019:

Worship attendance: 99
Offering: \$1771.80

FEEDING KIDS GIVING FOR THE WEEK OF NOV 4-10: \$60.00

COUNCIL UPDATE: As part of the meeting on Thursday, Oct. 24, Council set a schedule for additional council meetings in October and November.

Nov. 18 – 5:30 pm - special council meeting

The meeting on Nov. 18 will focus on the list of interim subjects discussed at the Oct. 24 special council meeting.

FOR STUDY AT HOME: The scripture readings for next Sunday are Malachi 3:13-18, Psalm 95:1-7a, Colossians 1:13-20 and Luke 23:27-43.

SERVING TODAY:

Brad Matuzak – Guest Preacher
Greg Altman, Jolie Danielson, Don Grabiell, Mark Hamann, Rocky and Ginny
Roland and Julie Wood – Worship and Music Leaders
Pastor Herb Kitzman – Assisting Minister
Joanne Gallagher – Reader
Dalair Dones – Ushers
Jay and Stephanie Walterreit family – Greeters
Al Dziesinski – Audio/Visual Technician
Wiitalas and Westfalls – Fellowship
Annette Kindt – Worship setup

PRAYERS: We remember in our prayers: Gladys Bennett, Dan Daoust family, Ruth LeSage, Helen Johnson, Cheryl Gauthier, Robert Lang, Bob Sullivan, Mike Chadkewicz, Carl Pilarski, Sandi Skaluba, Bob McManus, J.R. Fugate, Mark Kandow 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: Chyenne Prevost, 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 or call 354-7522.*

NOVEMBER SERVICE ACTIVITY – SALVATION ARMY: The Salvation Army is in need of specific items to help them make up their Christmas food boxes. Items we take for granted.....are so needed by our neighbors. The Salvation Army has potatoes and turkeys already donated but they are in need of items to go with this Christmas dinner. Needed are: boxes of stuffing, cans of gravy, green beans and cream of mushroom soup, cranberry sauce, dessert in the form of a cake mix, brownies, etc. and finally cereal...for Christmas morning! We are so blessed to be able to help our Salvation Army provide this important meal to our neighbors. The Lord’s feast comes in many forms. For more information contact Dalair Dones at 255.6913

BIRTHDAYS: Angie Smith celebrates a birthday this coming week. Happy Birthday Angie!