

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

Praise Singing	“Open the Eyes of my Heart, Lord” “Majesty” Prayer “I Exalt Thee”
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Children’s Sermon	“This Little Light of Mine”
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Scripture Lessons	Exodus 24:8-18 Psalm 2:6-12 2 Peter 1:16-21 “10,000 Reasons” Matthew 17:1-9 Pastor Mike Potter
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Sermon

Hymn of the Day	“Shine, Jesus, Shine”
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Apostle’s Creed

Prayers of the Church

Offering	“Beautiful Savior”
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Confession and forgiveness

Words of Institution	“Remember Me”
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Lord’s Prayer

Communion	“Just As I Am, Without One Plea” “Give Me Jesus”
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Benediction	“A Blessing”
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Closing Hymn	“I’m So Glad Jesus Lifted Me”
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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 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, March 10, at 5:30 pm.

STAFF CONTACT INFORMATION:

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*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.

February 23, 2020

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Affiliated with Lutheran Congregations in Mission for Christ (LCMC)

This Week at RLCA

Sunday, February 23.....9:00 am – worship followed by fellowship
and Sunday School
10:30 am – worship at Greenview

Monday, February 24.....5:30 pm – Feeding Kids packing (T.B. Therapy)

Tuesday, February 25.....2:00 pm – Tuesday Bible Study

Wednesday, February 26.....6:30 pm – Ash Wednesday worship

Thursday, February 27.....8:30 am – Men’s Bible Study at JJ’s
4:30 pm – worship team rehearsal

Friday, February 28.....5:30 pm – Friday Night Study

Sunday, March 1.....9:00 am – worship followed by fellowship
and Sunday School

ATTENDANCE AND GIVING FOR FEB. 10-16, 2019:

Worship attendance: 78
Offering: \$2110.80

FEEDING KIDS GIVING FOR THE WEEK OF FEB. 10-16: \$127.50

SERVING TODAY:

Mike Potter – Guest Preacher
Greg Altman, Don Grabel, Mark Hamann, Beth Strong and Julie Wood –
Worship and Music Leaders

Rodney Lang – Assisting Minister
Laura Frary – Reader
Jolie Danielson and Dalair Dones – Ushers
Judy Langerfeld and Marlene Bartz – Greeters
Kevin Prevost and Dennis Kindt – Security
Al Dziesinski – Audio/Visual Technician
Chris and Dawn DesChamps – Fellowship
Jolie Danielson – Worship setup

PRAYERS: We remember in our prayers: Keith Peterson, Gladys Bennett, Dan Daoust family, Ruth LeSage, Helen Johnson, 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.*

FOR STUDY AT HOME: The scripture readings for next Sunday are Genesis 3:1-21, Psalm 32:1-7, Romans 5:12-19 and Matthew 4:1-11.

ASH WEDNESDAY WORSHIP: Come and worship with us on Wednesday, February 23rd at 6:30 pm. We will have the imposition of ashes as well as communion. What a beautiful way to begin the Lenten season!

RLCA TREASURER: After ten years of wonderful service to RLCA as our treasurer, Doug Horne is stepping out of the position to have more time to travel and enjoy his retirement. We thank you, Doug, for sharing your expertise and sound advice as treasurer!

With Doug's impending exit, Council is now looking for someone new to fill the treasurer position. He hopes to transition out by the end of June. Ideally the new treasurer would have time to work with Doug before he leaves.

What does the treasurer do? The treasurer shall be bonded and be custodian of the funds of the congregation; disburse all funds in accordance with the decisions of this congregation or the Council; present a duly audited report to the Annual Congregational Meeting and other such reports to the Council as may be required; attend meetings of the Council; complete tasks related to payroll, payroll taxes, filling tax returns and reports; see that dual signatures are included on all disbursements; and see that all accounting practices are consistent with generally accepted accounting principles.

If you or anyone you know would be interested in serving your congregation as treasurer, please talk to a Council member.

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FEBRUARY SERVICE PROJECT – LWR PERSONAL CARE KITS:

Resurrection Lutheran will be collecting items to complete personal care kits. In places like Guatemala, water-borne illnesses prey on children. Education is essential in escaping the cycle of poverty. Personal Care kits help students to stay healthy so they can thrive. LWR Personal Care Kits offer simple tools that give an extraordinary gift – the preservation of one's God-given dignity and staying healthy for a "future with hope."

Please feel free to donate individual items if you do not want to do an entire kit. Or, donate the items and we'll put them together for you. Go to the LWR website to learn more.

- One bath-size towel (apprx. 52" x 27"), dark color
- Two bath-size bars (4-5 oz.) of soap, in original wrapping
- One adult-size toothbrush in its original packaging (no toothpaste)
- One sturdy comb, remove packaging
- One metal nail clipper, remove packaging

Do not add other items or leave out any of the items if you are doing a complete kit. All items should be new. Wrap items in towel and tie securely with ribbons or yarn. Do not enclose the Kit or any of its contents in plastic bags. There will be a complete explanation sheet available for you to take with you. Contact Dawn DesChamps (354-4241) with questions. March Service Activity will be Fabric Kits.

BIRTHDAYS: This past week, Sandy Samp, Sandy Horne, Zoey Spigelmyre, Hannah Thayer and Larry Samp celebrated their birthdays. This coming week, Nancy Coombs celebrates her birthday. Happy Birthday to you all!