



**WELCOME!** We are pleased to have you worship with us today! Please join us in the Fellowship Hall for coffee and snacks immediately following the worship service.

**FLOWERS:** Celebrate life, recognize a birthday or anniversary, memorialize a loved one or give to the glory of God with a bouquet for the altar on Sunday. Contact the Church Secretary at 989-354-7522 or email [Secretary@RLCA.us](mailto:Secretary@RLCA.us) to get details on ordering and to reserve your Sunday.

**CONGREGATIONAL COUNCIL MEETING:** The next council meeting will be held on Tuesday September 14th, 2021, at 5:30 pm.

**CHRISTMAS SHOE BOXES-RLCA Service Activity September/October:**

Operation Christmas Child is a project of the international relief Samaritan's Purse. Resurrection Lutheran can touch the lives of suffering children in over 100 countries. Hurting children experience the joy of Christmas because of these shoe boxes. You can do three things. 1.) Fill shoe boxes, 2.) pray for the children who will receive the gifts and 3.) pray for their families, countries and for the national partners in each distribution country. Our job of filling boxes is easy; delivery is not an easy job. Shoe boxes will be available with complete directions inside. If you would like to purchase some individual items for a box, take a 'gift list' and place your chosen items in the basket in the entry. For more information call Cathy Moe 989-354-2858.

**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 Linda Sansom at 989-657-5060 or email at [Linda199698@yahoo.com](mailto:Linda199698@yahoo.com). All your prayer requests will be kept in confidence among those in the prayer chain.

**BIRTHDAYS** Happy Birthday to you! May God continue to shower you with the blessings you truly deserve Lily Spigelmyre and Aaron Kaszubowski.

**FOR STUDY AT HOME:** The scripture readings for next Sunday are Jeremiah 11: 18-20, Psalm 54, James 3: 13-4-10 and Mark 9: 30-37.

## Welcome and Announcements

Praise Singing

"Blest Be the Tie That Binds"  
"Bind Us Together"  
Prayer  
"In Christ Alone"

Scripture Lessons

Isaiah 50: 4-10  
Psalm 116: 1-9  
James 3: 1-12  
"10,000 Reasons"  
Mark 9: 14-29

Sermon

Intentional Interim Pastor Steve Abend

Hymn of the Day

"You Have Come Down from the Lakeshore"

Apostles Creed

Prayers of the Church

Confession and forgiveness

Words of Institution

Lord's Prayer

Communion

"Break Though the Bread of Life"

Benediction

"Go My Children"

Closing Hymn

"Lord, I Lift Your Name on High"

## This Week at RLCA

Sunday, September 12.....9:00 am Worship Service  
  **10:00 am Rally Day after Worship**  
Monday, September 13.....11:30 – 3:30 pm Church Office Open  
  9:00 – 11:00 am IIPastor Steve Office  
Tuesday, September 14.....1:00 – 3:00 pm IIPastor Steve Office  
  **2:00 pm Women's Bible Study**  
  5:30 pm Council Meeting  
Wednesday, September 15.....11:30 – 2:30 pm Church Office Open  
  9:00 – 11:00 am IIPastor Steve Office  
Friday, September 17.....11:30 – 2:30 pm Church Office Open  
Sunday, September 19.....9:00 am Worship Service

**For night visits, please call the Church office or Intentional Interim Pastor Steve.**

### STAFF CONTACT INFORMATION:

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**GENERAL FUND OFFERINGS August 30 – September 5, 2021: \$2,105.80**

**FEEDING KIDS MINISTRY August 30 – September 5, 2021: \$310.00**

**ATTENDANCE September 5, 2021 – 51 Church – 8 Streaming**

**PRAYERS:** We remember in our prayers Elana, Amaya, Arlie, Art, Bill, Bryan, Carol, Charlotte, Dan, Dan, Dick, Phoebe, Helen, Helen Jenny, JR, Justin, Leonard “Keith”, Lori, Mike, Mike, Rachael, Rick, Sandi, Shelby, 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, Josh Root, Leland Swift, David Kloft, Mandy Killingbeck, and Aaron Jarvi. To add a name, please send an email to [secretary@rlca.us](mailto:secretary@rlca.us) or call 989-354-7522.



*Saved by Grace Alone  
Through Faith Alone  
Because of Christ Alone*

### SERVING TODAY

Steve Abend – Intentional Interim Pastor  
Sherry Anderson - Assisting Minister  
Annette Kindt - Reader  
Tom and Joan Lavoie – Greeters  
Linda and Greg LaHaie– Security  
Sueelyn Bartz, John Knapp, Jeremy Smith – Music  
Diana Ghiata, Kevin Prevost–Audio/Visual  
Linda Sansom – Fellowship

## Mission Statement

**Help people discover God, grow faith, and find their purpose to make a difference.**

**Sunday September 12th, 2021**

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