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

<u>FLOWERS</u>: 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 <a href="mailto:secretary@RLCA.us">Secretary@RLCA.us</a> to get details on ordering and to reserve your Sunday.

<u>CONGREGATIONAL COUNCIL MEETING:</u> The next council meeting will be held on Tuesday, July 11, 2023, at 5:30 pm. Council approved May tithing to Feeding Kids Ministry-\$334.83, American Bible Society-\$251.11, Cure A Christian Medical Family-\$251.11 and LCMC for \$250.00

#### **STAFF CONTACT INFORMATION:**

RLCA Secretary - Sherry Anderson - <u>secretary@rlca.us</u> - 989-354-7522 Council Chair-Rodney Lang -<u>rodlang@yahoo.com</u>-989-657-1278

RLCA – July/August Monthly Service Activity –School Supplies. School supplies donated by RLCA may be the only supplies available for some of our local children going back to school this fall. We are asking for your donation of schools supplies that will then be delivered to local schools and given to students that are identified as in need. The list starts with backpacks that are large enough to fit boots and/or snow pants, and maybe even room to pack their lunch. Notebook paper, scissors, glue sticks, pencils, crayons, colored pencils, erasers and rulers are all items these children need for the upcoming school year. When your donation is delivered to the schools, they are truly grateful. For additional information, please contact Dalair Dones at 989-255-6913.



### **Fifth Sunday After Pentecost**

"As for the prophet who prophesies peace, when the word of that prophet comes to pass, then it will be known that the Lord has truly sent the prophet."

### **Welcome and Announcements**

Praise Singing "God of Our Fathers"

Prayer "God is Here"

Scripture Lessons Jeremiah 28: 5-9

Psalm 119: 153-160

Romans 7: 1-13

"Halle, Halle, Halle"

Matthew 10: 34-42

Sermon/Message Pastor Doug Lopez

Hymn of the Day "O God Our Help in Ages Past"

**Apostles Creed** 

Prayers of the Church

Confession and forgiveness

Words of Institution

Lord's Prayer

Communion "Eat This Bread"

Benediction "A Blessing"

Closing Hymn "Battle Hymn of the Republic"

#### This Week at RLCA

| Sunday, July 2    | 9:00 am Sunday Worship Service                         |
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| Monday, July 3    | 11:30 am – 2:30 pm Church Office Open                  |
| Wednesday, July 5 | 11:30 am – 2:30 pm Church Office Open                  |
|                   | 5:30 pm VBS Wild Life Pre-K thru 8 <sup>th</sup> grade |
| Friday, July 7    | 11:30 am- 2:30 pm Church Office Open                   |
| Sunday, July 9    | 9:00 am Sunday Worship Service                         |

<u>PASTORAL MESSAGES:</u> Pastor Doug's weekly message can be found on the RLCA website under "Pastoral Messages".

GENERAL FUND OFFERINGS June 19 – June 25: \$2,025.30 FEEDING KIDS MINISTRY June 19 – June 25: \$444.83 ATTENDANCE June 25 -44 Church – 2 Streaming

<u>Offering Plate</u> – For your convenience the Offering Plate is located in the back of the Sanctuary. Thank you for all you give.

PRAYERS: We remember in prayer Joan Lavoie, Ruth Hamann, Ron Zitlau, Tom Daleski, Jeff Kendziorski, Greg Altman, Helen Johnson, Arlie Prevost, Bill Sansom, Brian Neiman, Carol Smart, JD Miller, Jenny Spigelmyre, Justin Wilcox, Leonard "Keith" Peterson, Lori Muszynski, Marlene Bartz, Mike Chadkowicz, Rachel Sansom, Tom Lavoie, Rick Demarr, Sandi Skaluba, Stacey Elswick, and Steve Benedict. Pray for the following: all those who serve in the military, the children who are receiving food from FKM, incarcerated individuals, and individuals who are dealing with addictions and emotional health problems. May our Lord Jesus Christ be with all these people today and always.

<u>PRAYER CHAIN:</u> 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 <u>Linda199698@yahoo.com</u>. All your prayer requests will be kept in confidence among those in the prayer chain.

<u>BIRTHDAYS</u> Happy Birthday to you! May God continue to shower you with the blessings you truly deserve Annette Kindt, Zach Prevost and Cheri Fletcher.

**FOR STUDY AT HOME**: The scripture readings for next Sunday are Zechariah 9: 9-12, Psalm 145: 1-14, Romans 7: 14-25a and Matthew 11: 25-30.



## **Mission Statement**

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

Doug Lopez – Pastor
Jay Walterreit - Assisting Minister
Emilee Manning - Reader
Walterreit Family - Greeters
Jim Frary - Security
Suelyn Bartz, John Knapp, Jeremy Smith— Music
Kevin Prevost, Jay Walterreit - Audio/Visual
Jeremy and Angie Smith - Fellowship

# **Vision Statement**

<u>Know</u> – where people encounter God in a deep and personal way.

<u>Grow</u> – Where people grow into Christians who reflect Jesus.

<u>Go</u> – where we reach out beyond our walls to connect people with Jesus Christ locally and beyond.

July 2, 2023

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