

Welcome! We are pleased to have you worship with us today! All who are baptized and believe in Christ are welcome at the table. Please join us in the Fellowship Hall immediately following the service for fellowship, coffee, and snacks.

CONGREGATIONAL COUNCIL MEETING: The next council meeting will be held on Tuesday October 8, 2024, at 5:30 pm.

STAFF CONTACT INFORMATION:

RLCA Secretary - – secretary@rlca.us - 989-354-7522

Council Chair—Rodney Lang - rodlang@yahoo.com -989-657-1278

Pastor Doug – pastor@rlca.us - 989-590-4682

RLCA Monthly Service Activity – September-October – Operation Christmas Child is a project of the international relief Samaritan’s Purse. Resurrection Lutheran has the opportunity to touch the lives of suffering children in over 100 countries. Over 8.6 million hurting children experienced the joy of Christmas in 2011 because of these shoe boxes. Shoeboxes will be available with complete directions inside. If any questions call Cathy Moe (989) 354-2858 or Joyce Smigelski (989) 464-6349

Feeding Kids Ministry – We are back to school. Our next pack for RLCA will be Monday October 7 at 5:30 pm at the back of Sunset School. Watch for the truck in September/October. Watch for opportunities to help including the planning committee and volunteers will be needed. As always, if you feel in your heart you would like to help, even if you don't know how you can, feel free to contact Jamie at either (989)255-0297 or FKM # (989)590-4724 or email at feedingkids@rlca.us.

Feeding Kids Ministry is looking for a new logo. If you have ideas on what it could look like, please submit to Jamie at feedingkids@rlca.us by October 07, 2024.

BIRTHDAYS-- Happy Birthday to you! May God continue to shower you with the blessings you truly deserve Cole DesChamps and Larry Elowsky.

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 to get details on ordering and to reserve your Sunday.

Seventeenth Sunday After Pentecost

“Return to your rest, O my soul. For the Lord has dealt bountifully with you.”

Welcome and Announcements

Praise Singing	“Lord, I Need You” Prayer “I Love You, Lord”
Scripture Lessons	Isaiah 50: 4-10 Psalm 116: 1-9 James 3: 1-12 “Halle, Halle, Halle” Mark 9: 14-29
Sermon/Message	Pastor Doug Lopez
Hymn of the Day	“Great is Thy Faithfulness”
Apostles Creed	
Prayers of the Church	
Confession and forgiveness	
Words of Institution	
Lord’s Prayer	
Communion	“Let Us Talents and Tongues Employ”
Benediction	“God be with You Till We Meet Again”
Closing Hymn	“Leaning On the Everlasting Arms”

This Week at RLCA

Monday, September 16..... 11:00 am – 3:00 pm Office Open
Wednesday, September 18..... 11:00 am – 3:00 pm Office Open
Friday, September 20..... 11:00 am – 3:00 pm Office Open
Sunday, September 22.....9:00 am Sunday Worship Service

Pastor Doug's office hours are M-W-F 11:00 am – 3:00 pm

Upcoming Events:

Sunday, September 22.....11:00 am –2:00 pm Picnic Sunken Lake
Sunday, October 06.....9:00 am Ordination with Brunch after

CHURCH PICNIC: Join us for a church picnic at Sunken Lake Park. Hamburgers and hot dogs will be provided. Bring a salad or dessert and a beverage to drink. During the picnic, Greg LaHaie will lead those interested in a hike around some of local sink holes. The signup sheet is on the bulletin board.

PASTORAL MESSAGES: Pastor Doug's message can be found on the RLCA website under "RLCA Livestream" as part of the service.

GENERAL FUND OFFERINGS August 26 – September 01: \$ 2,277.30

FEEDING KIDS MINISTRY August 26 – September 01: \$ 40.00

ATTENDANCE September 01: – 77 Church – 6 Streaming

OFFERING PLATE – 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 Diane Prevost, Eldon Grabow, Greg LaHaie, Stephen Gallagher, Arlie Prevost, Brian Neiman, Carol Smart, Jeff Kendziorski, Jessica Kendziorski, JD Miller, Mike Chadkowicz, Jenny Spigelmyer, Lori Muszynski, Marlene Bartz, Sandi Skaluba, Steve Benedict, Tom Lavoie. 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.

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. All your prayer requests will be kept in confidence among those in the prayer chain.

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



Mission Statement

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

Doug Lopez – Pastor
Kevin Prevost - Assisting Minister
Dalair Dones- Reader
Terry & Kim Marzean – Greeters
John Knapp, Sherry Zomerhuis - Vocals
Suelyn Bartz, Jeremy Smith –Instrumental
Kevin Prevost, Cameron Treinen-Audio/Visual
No Fellowship – Carpet Cleaning - Fellowship

Vision Statement

Know – where people encounter God in a deep and personal way.

Grow – Where people grow into Christians who reflect Jesus.

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

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