# This Week at RLCA

Monday, May 26	. 11:00 am – 3:00	pm Office Open
Wednesday, May 28	11:00 am - 3:00	pm Office Open
Friday, May 30	11:00 am - 3:00	pm Office Open
Sunday, June 1	9:00 am Sunda	y Worship Service

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

### **MORE DATES TO REMEMBER**

Tuesdays, 2-4 pm "Game Day" is back! Everyone is welcome! Saturday, May 31, 5:30 pm **Evening Worship Service** 

### **CONGREGATIONAL COUNCIL MEETING:**

The next council meeting will be held on Tuesday, June 10, at 5:30 pm.

#### **FEEDING KIDS MINISTRY**

Our next pack for RLCA will not take place until Monday, <u>August 25th</u>, at 5:30 pm at the back of Sunset School. As always, if you would like to help, please contact Jamie at 989-255-0297 or FKM 989-590-4724, or by email at <u>feedingkids@rlca.us</u>.

**GENERAL FUND OFFERINGS** – May 11-18: \$ 1,690.00

FEEDING KIDS MINISTRY – May 11-18: \$ 1,105.50

ATTENDANCE - May 18: Church 62; 3 Streaming

MARCH TITHE – The Friendship Room (St. Bernards) \$361.05, Brian's House \$270.78, Friends of Madagascar \$270.78

<u>PASTORAL MESSAGES:</u> Pastor Doug's message can be found on the RLCA website under "RLCA Livestream" on the Home page.

<u>BIRTHDAYS</u> – Happy Birthday to **Karen Kindt**!! May God continue to shower you with every blessing from above.

**FOR STUDY AT HOME**: The scripture readings for next Sunday are Acts 1:12-26, Psalm 133, Revelation 22:1-6, 12-20, John 17:20-26.



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

Doug Lopez – Pastor
Beth Preston – Assisting Minister
Glenn Preston – Reader
Glenn & Beth Preston – Greeters
John Knapp, Patti Knapp, Sherry Zomerhuis – Vocals
Suelyn Bartz, Jeremy Smith – Instrumental
Kevin Prevost, Cameron Treinen – Audio/Visual
Jerome & Joyce Smigelski – Fellowship
Glenn & Beth Preston – Turning Brook

# **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.
- **GO** Where we reach out beyond our walls to connect people with Jesus Christ locally and beyond.

May 25, 2025

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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 food and fellowship.

### **STAFF CONTACT INFORMATION:**

Sharon Kirby (Church Office) – <a href="mailto:secretary@rlca.us">secretary@rlca.us</a> – 989-354-7522

Council Chair – Rodney Lang – <a href="mailto:rodlang@yahoo.com">rodlang@yahoo.com</a> – 989-657-1278

Pastor Doug – <a href="mailto:pastor@rlca.us">pastor@rlca.us</a> – 989-590-4682

# RLCA May/June Service Activity: Alpena Baby Pantry

The Alpena Baby Pantry is in St. Bernards Church and is open one day a month for families to shop. The Pantry needs disposable diapers — any size. Our gifts of diapers can be left in the basket in the entry to meet this need. Contact Sue Lopez or Cathy Moe for any questions.

PRAYERS: We remember in prayer Stephen Gallagher, Carol Smart, Jeff Kendziorski, Mike Chadkowicz, Lori Muszynski, Marlene Bartz, Tom Lavoie, Larry Kirby, David Hamann, Shirley McDonald, Sherry Zomerhuis, Frank McCourt, and the family of Sandi Skaluba. 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.

**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. Your prayer requests will be kept in confidence among those in the prayer chain.

<u>FLOWERS</u> – Celebrate life, recognize a birthday, an anniversary, memorialize a loved one, or give to the glory of God with a bouquet for the altar on Sunday. <u>Contact the Church Secretary at 989-354-7522 or secretary@rlca.us</u> to get details on ordering and to reserve your Sunday.

# Sixth Sunday of Easter

"...the Father Himself loves you because you have loved Me..."

Prelude - "Moderato Assai" - Johann Gottfried Vierling

# **Welcome and Announcements**

Praise Singing "Blessed Assurance"

Prayer

"Thy Word"

Scripture Lessons Acts 16:9-15

Psalm 67

Revelation 21:9-14

"Alleluia, Alleluia, Give Thanks"

John 16:23-33

Sermon/Message Pastor Doug Lopez

Hymn of the Day "What a Friend We Have in Jesus"

**Apostles Creed** 

Prayers of the Church

Confession & Forgiveness

Words of Institution

Lord's Prayer

Communion "Nothing But the Blood"

Benediction "Benediction"

Closing Hymn "Standing on the Promises"