

## This Week at RLCA

Monday, July 28 ..... 11:00 am – 3:00 pm Office Open  
Wednesday, July 30 ..... 11:00 am – 3:00 pm Office Open  
Friday, August 1 ..... 11:00 am – 3:00 pm Office Open  
Sunday, August 3 ..... 9:00 am Sunday Worship Service

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

Saturday, August 30 ..... 5:45 pm Saturday Evening Worship

**RLCA's CHURCH PICNIC** will be on August 10 following service. Please use the sign-up sheet to let us know you are coming, and if you plan to bring a dish to pass, please include that information.

### CONGREGATIONAL COUNCIL MEETING:

The next council meeting will be held on Tuesday, August 12, at 5:30 pm.

### FEEDING KIDS MINISTRY

The next pack for RLCA will take place Monday, August 25th, at 5:30 pm at the back of Sunset School. To help please contact Jamie at 989-255-0297 or FKM 989-590-4724, or by email at [feedingkids@rlca.us](mailto:feedingkids@rlca.us).

**GENERAL FUND OFFERINGS – July 14-20:** \$ 1,712.30

**FEEDING KIDS MINISTRY – July 14-20:** \$ 50.00

**ATTENDANCE – July 20:** Church 60; 12 Streaming

**JUNE TITHE – TriPoint Youth Group - \$475.29, Samaritan's Purse - \$342.96, Friends of Madagascar - \$342.96**

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

**BIRTHDAYS** – Happy Birthday to **Thomas LaVoie!** May God continue to shower you with every blessing from above.

**FOR STUDY AT HOME:** The scripture readings for next Sunday are Ecclesiastes 1:2, 12-14; 2:18-26, Psalm 100, Colossians 3:1-11, Luke 12:13-21.

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



## Mission Statement

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

Doug Lopez – Pastor

Jay Walterreit – Assisting Minister

Soonmi Lopez – Reader

Walterreit Family – Greeters

John Knapp, Patti Knapp, Sherry Zomerhuis – Vocals

Suelyn Bartz – Instrumental

Kevin Prevost, Cameron Treinen – Audio/Visual

Dalair Dones & Kevin Prevost – Fellowship

Glen & Beth Preston – Turning Brook

## 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.

**July 27, 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)** – [secretary@rlca.us](mailto:secretary@rlca.us) – 989-354-7522  
**Council Chair – Rodney Lang** – [rodlang@yahoo.com](mailto:rodlang@yahoo.com) – 989-657-1278  
**Pastor Doug** – [pastor@rlca.us](mailto:pastor@rlca.us) – 989-590-4682



**RLCA July/August Service Activity: SCHOOL SUPPLIES**

There is a great need for school supplies of all kinds here in the Alpena area. Note-books, loose-leaf sheets, folders with pockets, crayons, scissors, glue sticks and all other types of school supplies will be greatly appreciated.

Backpacks should be regular size, large enough for kids to fit their ski pants, boots or shoes in, and maybe even their lunch as well. For more information, please contact Beth Preston or Cathy Moe.

**PRAYERS:** We remember in prayer Stephen Gallagher, Jeff Kendziorski, Mike Chadkowicz, Lori Muszynski, Marlene Bartz, Tom Lavoie, Larry Kirby, David Hamann, Shirley McDonald, Sherry Zomerhuis, Felix VonGries. 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.

**FLOWERS** –Celebrate life, recognize a birthday, an anniversary, to 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 [secretary@rlca.us](mailto:secretary@rlca.us) to get details on ordering and to reserve your Sunday.

**CHURCH DIRECTORY** photo sessions are scheduled for Tuesday 8/19 through Sunday, 8/24. There is a sign-up sheet and paperwork to fill out for each family. Sign up for your preferred time and see Jamie Treinen for more information.

## Seventh Sunday after Pentecost

*“For everyone who asks receives; the one who seeks finds; and to the one who knocks, the door will be opened.”*

**Prelude** – “Andante – J. S. Bach”

### Welcome and Announcements

Praise Singing	“Prepare Our Hearts”
Prayer	
Confession & Forgiveness	
Praise Singing	“Seek Ye First”
	Genesis 18:20-31
Scripture Lessons	Psalm 138
	Colossians 2:6-15
	“Halle, Halle, Hallelujah”
	Luke 11:1-13
Sermon/Message	Pastor Doug Lopez
Offertory	“Onward Christian Soldiers”
Apostle’s Creed	Suelyn Bartz
Prayers of the Church	
Hymn of the Day	“10,000 Reasons”
Lord’s Prayer	
Benediction	
Closing Hymn	“Mighty to Save”