This Week at RLCA

OFFICE HOURS: Monday/Wednesday/Friday …….. **11 am – 3 pm**
Pastor Lopez – Monday/Thursday/Friday hours of 11 am – 3 pm.
Thursday Evening Service: 6:30 – 7:30 pm

CONGREGATIONAL COUNCIL MEETING: Monday, November 9 at 5:30 pm

FEEDING KIDS MINISTRY – Monday, November 2 is the RLCA Pack, meeting at 5:30 pm at Sunset School. Please contact Jamie at 989-255-0297 or FKM 989-590-4724, or by email at feedingkids@rlca.us to help.

WEEKLY BUDGET TO MEET ALL RESPONSIBILITIES:	$ 3,250.00
GENERAL FUND OFFERINGS – October 12-18:	$ 761.05
+ABOVE BUDGET or -UNDER BUDGET	$ - 2,488.95
FEEDING KIDS MINISTRY – October 12-18:	$ 0.00

ATTENDANCE – October 18: Church 48; 10 Streaming

AUGUST TITHE – Habitat for Humanity $466.28, SAT 7 Radio $349.70, Friends of Madagascar - $349.70

AD HOC COMMITTEE MEMBERS: Jay Walterreit, Howard Carpenter, Beth Preston, Annette Kindt, Jerome Smigelski, Jeremy Smith, Jamie Treinen, Al Moe and Rodney Lang.

BIRTHDAYS: Happy Birthday to **Tay Onna Prevost** and **Terry Curtis**! May God continue to shower you with many blessings and bring you joy.

FOR STUDY AT HOME: The scripture readings for next Sunday are Revelation 7:9-17, Psalm 149, 1 John 3:1-3, Matthew 5:1-12.

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 confidential by those in the prayer chain.

BIBLE STUDY – 6 pm every Wednesday at the Preston's home on 1320 Joseph Road. Please come and bring your Bible – all are welcome. Any questions, please contact Beth at 830-613-4324.

Resurrection Lutheran Church

Mission Statement

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

Doug Lopez – Pastor
Jay Walterreit – Assisting Minister
Annette Kindt – Reader
Dennis & Annette Kindt – Greeters
John & Patti Knapp – Vocals
Suelyn Bartz, Jeremy Smith – Instrumental
Cameron Treinen – Audio/Visual
Larry & Barb Elowsky – Fellowship
Lopez family – 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.

October 25, 2026
Reformation Sunday

Resurrection Lutheran Church of Alpena
PO Box 151, Alpena, MI 49707
(989) 354-7522
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Affiliated with Lutheran Congregations in Mission for Christ (LCMC)

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 food and fellowship.

STAFF CONTACT INFORMATION:

Church Office – Sharon Kirby: 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 September/October Service Activity: Christmas Shoe Boxes

Operation Christmas Child is a project of Samaritan's Purse. Approximately 8 million children experience the joy of Christmas because of these shoe boxes. You can 1) Fill a shoe box, 2) Pray for the children receiving the gifts, and 3) Pray for their families, countries and for the national partners in each distribution country.

Shoe boxes are available with directions inside. If you would like to purchase some individual items for a box, take a 'gift list' and place your items in the basket in the entry. See Cathy Moe 989-255-6813 for more information.

PRAYERS: We remember in prayer Stephen Gallagher, Jeff Kendziorski, Lori Muszynski, Marlene Bartz, Tom Lavoie, Larry Kirby, Shirley McDonald, Steven McCourt, Jordan Gallagher, Mike & Bev Kearly, Laura Iseler, Dalair Dones, Chuck Piontkowski, Charlotte Werth, Jeff Leavesley, Joyce Smigelski, Erik & Peace Heine, Judy McCourt, Rosie Gibson, Adolph Hoeberling, Ben Moore, Glenn & Beth Preston-the family of Dick Cone.

Also pray for all those who serve in the military, the children who are receiving food from FKM, incarcerated individuals, and those 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 to get details on ordering and to reserve your Sunday.

Thesis #62 The true treasure of the church is the most holy gospel of the glory and grace of God. – Martin Luther

Reformation Sunday

"....just as it is written: "The righteous will live by faith."

Prelude: "Ein Feste Burg" – Michael Praetorius

Welcome

Praise Singing	"Reformation Hymn"
Prayer	
Confession & Forgiveness	
Scripture Lessons	Revelation 14:6-7 Psalm 46 Romans 3:19-28
Gospel	"Gospel Acclamation, Setting 8" John 8:31-36
Sermon/Message	Pastor Doug Lopez
Hymn of the Day	"Lord, Keep Us Steadfast in Your Word"
Apostle's Creed	
Prayers of the Church	
Words of Institution	
Lord's Prayer	
Communion	" Reformation Hymn"
Benediction	
Closing Hymn	"A Mighty Fortress"

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