

Resurrection Lutheran Church

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We welcome all who worship here today!
Please greet one another in the love of our Savior!

Pastor:	Rev. Eric S. Little
Pastor Emeritus:	Rev. G. Baylis Corley
Organist:	Sara Lineberger
Pianist:	Katie Haigler
Cantor:	
Lay Assistant:	Lutheran Men
“ Next Sunday:	<i>SMLC Homecoming</i>
Acolyte:	
Crucifer:	
Altar Flowers:	Peter and Julia Sonne
“ Next Sunday:	<i>SMLC Homecoming</i>
Nursery:	Beth Rast and Laurin Evans
“ Next Sunday:	<i>SMLC Homecoming</i>
Altar Guild:	Somer Lynne Haigler, Amanda Avildsen and Beth Rast
Ushers:	Wayne Rast; Capt., Breck Burch, Edward Rast and Madison Turnblad

Hearing devices are available. Please see an usher for assistance.

[Please see announcements printed in the back of this bulletin.]

Resurrection and St. Matthew's Lutheran Parish

Cameron, South Carolina

Twenty-first Sunday after Pentecost

Oct. 14, 2018

PRELUDE

SHARING

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

*The assembly stands. All may make the sign of the cross, the sign marked at baptism,
as the presiding minister begins.*

Blessed be the + holy Trinity,
the one who fashions us,
the one who heals us,
the one who reforms us again and again.

Amen.

Let us confess our sin, calling for God's transforming power.

Silence for reflection and self-examination.

Source of all life,

**we confess that we have not allowed
your grace to set us free.**

We fear that we are not good enough.

**We hear your word of love freely given to us,
yet we expect others to earn it.**

**We turn the church inward,
rather than moving it outward.**

Forgive us. Stir us.

**Reform us to be a church powered by love,
willing to speak for what is right,**

act for what is just,

and seek the healing of your whole creation.

Amen.

God hears our cry and sends the Spirit to change us and to empower our lives in the world. Our sins are forgiven, + God's love is unconditional, and we are raised up as God's people who will always be made new, in the name of Jesus Christ.

Amen.

GATHERING HYMN NO: 758

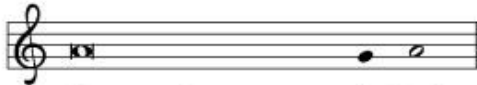
YOU ARE THE WAY

GREETING

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God,
and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

And also with you.

KYRIE



In peace, let us pray to the Lord.



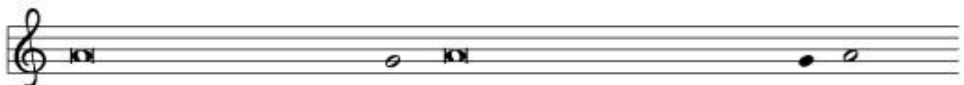
Lord, have mer - cy.



For the peace from a-bove, and for our sal - vation, let us pray to the Lord.



Lord, have mer - cy.



For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the church of God,



and for the unity of all, let us pray to the Lord.



Lord, have mer - cy.



For this holy house, and for all who offer here their wor-ship and praise,



let us pray to the Lord. Lord have mer - cy.



Help, save, comfort, and de-fend us, gra-cious Lord. A - men.

HYMN OF PRAISE

Assisting minister



Glo-ry to God in the high-est, and peace to God's peo-ple on earth.

All



Lord God, heav-en-ly King, al-might-y God and Fa-ther, we



wor-ship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glo-ry.



Lord Je-sus Christ, on-ly Son of the Fa-ther, Lord God, Lamb of God,



you take a-way the sin of the world: have mer-cy on us;



you are seat-ed at the right hand of the Fa-ther: re-ceive our prayer.



For you a-lone are the Ho-ly One, you a-lone are the Lord,



you a-lone are the Most High, Je-sus Christ, with the Ho-ly Spir-it,



in the glo-ry of God the Fa-ther. A-men.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Let us pray.

Almighty and ever-living God, increase in us your gift of faith, that, forsaking what lies behind and reaching out to what lies ahead, we may follow the way of your commandments and receive the crown of everlasting joy, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Amen.

WORD

Children's Message at Resurrection



FIRST READING: Amos 5:6-7, 10-15

⁶Seek the LORD and live,
or he will break out against the house of Joseph like fire,
and it will devour Bethel, with no one to quench it.

⁷Ah, you that turn justice to wormwood,
and bring righteousness to the ground!

¹⁰They hate the one who reproves in the gate,
and they abhor the one who speaks the truth.

¹¹Therefore because you trample on the poor
and take from them levies of grain,
you have built houses of hewn stone,
but you shall not live in them;
you have planted pleasant vineyards,
but you shall not drink their wine.

¹²For I know how many are your transgressions,
and how great are your sins—
you who afflict the righteous, who take a bribe,
and push aside the needy in the gate.

¹³Therefore the prudent will keep silent in such a time;
for it is an evil time.

¹⁴Seek good and not evil,
that you may live;
and so the LORD, the God of hosts, will be with you,
just as you have said.

¹⁵Hate evil and love good,
and establish justice in the gate;

it may be that the LORD, the God of hosts,
will be gracious to the remnant of Joseph.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

PSALM: Psalm 90:12-17 (spoken responsively)

¹²So teach us to number our days
that we may apply our hearts to wisdom.

¹³**Return, O LORD; how long | will you tarry?
Be gracious | to your servants.**

¹⁴Satisfy us by your steadfast love | in the morning;
so shall we rejoice and be glad | all our days.

¹⁵**Make us glad as many days as you afflicted us
and as many years as we suffered adversity.**

¹⁶Show your servants your works,
and your splendor | to their children.

¹⁷**May the graciousness of the Lord our God | be upon us;
prosper the work of our hands; prosper | our handiwork.**

SECOND READING: Hebrews 4:12-16

¹²Indeed, the word of God is living and active, sharper than any two-edged sword, piercing until it divides soul from spirit, joints from marrow; it is able to judge the thoughts and intentions of the heart. ¹³And before him no creature is hidden, but all are naked and laid bare to the eyes of the one to whom we must render an account.

¹⁴Since, then, we have a great high priest who has passed through the heavens, Jesus, the Son of God, let us hold fast to our confession. ¹⁵For we do not have a high priest who is unable to sympathize with our weaknesses, but we have one who in every respect has been tested as we are, yet without sin. ¹⁶Let us therefore approach the throne of grace with boldness, so that we may receive mercy and find grace to help in time of need.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION



Al - le - lu - ia. Lord, to whom shall we go?



You have the words of e - ter - nal life. Al - le - lu - ia.

The Holy Gospel according to St. Mark the tenth chapter.

Glory to you, O Lord.

¹⁷As [Jesus] was setting out on a journey, a man ran up and knelt before him, and asked him, “Good Teacher, what must I do to inherit eternal life?” ¹⁸Jesus said to him, “Why do you call me good? No one is good but God alone. ¹⁹You know the commandments: ‘You shall not murder; You shall not commit adultery; You shall not steal; You shall not bear false witness; You shall not defraud; Honor your father and mother.’” ²⁰He said to him, “Teacher, I have kept all these since my youth.” ²¹Jesus, looking at him, loved him and said, “You lack one thing; go, sell what you own, and give the money to the poor, and you will have treasure in heaven; then come, follow me.” ²²When he heard this, he was shocked and went away grieving, for he had many possessions.

²³Then Jesus looked around and said to his disciples, “How hard it will be for those who have wealth to enter the kingdom of God!” ²⁴And the disciples were perplexed at these words. But Jesus said to them again, “Children, how hard it is to enter the kingdom of God! ²⁵It is easier for a camel to go through the eye of a needle than for someone who is rich to enter the kingdom of God.” ²⁶They were greatly astounded and said to one another, “Then who can be saved?” ²⁷Jesus looked at them and said, “For mortals it is impossible, but not for God; for God all things are possible.”

²⁸Peter began to say to him, “Look, we have left everything and followed you.”

²⁹Jesus said, “Truly I tell you, there is no one who has left house or brothers or sisters or mother or father or children or fields, for my sake and for the sake of the good news, ³⁰who will not receive a hundredfold now in this age—houses, brothers and sisters, mothers and children, and fields, with persecutions—and in the age to come eternal life. ³¹But many who are first will be last, and the last will be first.”

The gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, O Christ.

SERMON

Pastor Eric Little

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PEACE

The peace of Christ be with you always.

And also with you.

OFFERING

SPECIAL MUSIC

OFFERTORY RESPONSE – HYMN NO. 884

“Praise God, from Whom ... ”

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

With the whole people of God in Christ Jesus,
Let us pray for the church, those in need, and all of God's creation.

Each portion of the prayers ends with

Lord in your mercy,

Hear our prayer.

Into your hands, gracious God, we commend all for whom we pray,
Trusting in your mercy through Jesus Christ, our Savior.

Amen.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

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BLESSING

The Lord bless you and keep you.

The Lord's face shine on you with grace and mercy.

The Lord look upon you with favor and + give you peace.

Amen.

SENDING HYMN NO. 551

THE SPIRIT SENDS US FORTH TO SERVE

DISMISSAL

Go in peace. Serve the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Homecoming 2018...

will be celebrated on Sunday, October 21, at St. Matthew's Lutheran Church. The annual *Homecoming Covered-Dish Luncheon* will be in the Parish Building following worship. Please feel free to bring a side dish or dessert to share. The church will be supplying the meat and tea. Guest speaker will be Rev. John Wertz, Sr. Please plan to attend and invite family and friends! **NOTE:** on *Homecoming Sunday* there will be NO Sunday School or worship service at Resurrection Church so that all might be free to participate in the Homecoming service and luncheon at St. Matthew's.

Trunk or Treat...

Resurrection Lutheran Church and Cameron Baptist Church invite you to Trunk or Treat on Wednesday, October 24, 2018. The decorating of trunks will begin at 6:00pm followed by trunk or treating at 6:30pm at the RLC back parking lot. All church members are invited to participate by decorating their car trunks and having yummy treats to pass out for the children. Pizza and salad will be served.

It's Budget Time Again...

Resurrection's finance committee will be working on the 2019 budget for council's recommendation and the congregation's approval soon. We request all committees get their 2019 budget requests in to the chairman of the finance committee, Pat Black (patblackjr@aol.com) as soon as possible.

We Express Our Sympathy to the family of *Maeola Porth*, who passed away on October 9. May God comfort her family with the assurance of the Resurrection! Services for Mrs. Maeola were held yesterday in Lexington, South Carolina.









Memorials Given to Resurrection Lutheran Church In Memory Of:

Joey Rast

Given by David Rast

Lee Weaver

Given by Mickey and Mitzi Weeks

 <p>Every night in every home</p> <p>SHARE highs and lows</p> <p>READ a Bible verse or story</p> <p>TALK about how the Bible reading might relate to your highs and lows</p> <p>PRAY for one another's highs and lows</p> <p>BLESS one another</p> <p>www.faith5.org</p>	<h2>FAITH 5 READINGS:</h2> <p>Sun., Oct. 14 Mark 10: 17-31</p> <p>Mon., Oct. 15 Psalm 26</p> <p>Tues., Oct. 16 Revelation 8:1-5</p> <p>Wed., Oct. 17 Obadiah 17-21</p> <p>Thurs., Oct. 18 Luke 1:1-4; 24:44-53</p> <p>Fri., Oct. 19 Psalm 91:9-16</p> <p>Sat., Oct. 20 Luke 22:24-30</p>	    
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SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK OF OCTOBER 14, 2018

Today	9:30 am	Council Meeting: RLC
	11:00 am	LMM Sunday: RLC
Monday	7:00 pm	Bible Study: SMLC
Tuesday	10:00 am	Bible Study: RLC
Wednesday	7:30 pm	Choir Practice: RLC
Next Sunday	11:00 am	SMLC Homecoming and Luncheon

PARISH PRAYER LIST:

Members

Billy Smith
Richard Smith
Peter Sonne
Rev. & Mrs. G. Baylis Corley
Helen Bull
Dewey Kemmerlin
Gail Corley
Elaine Ulmer

Military

Zach Hyleman & Family (El Salvador)
J. T. Gantt
Ryan Zitnick
Dominic Panza
Andrew Pekarek
Kamryn Edgemon

SC Synod Staff

Rev. Herman Yoos, Bishop
Rev. Ginny Aebischer, Bishop's Assistant
Rev. Eric G. Wolf, Bishop's Assistant
Rev. Elizabeth Eaton, Presiding Bishop—ELCA

FRIENDS AND FAMILY OF THE PARISH:

Jan Croft—mother-in-law of Michael Weeks
Barry Shuler—brother of Marie Rast
Jennifer Davy—cousin of Debbie Barwick
Mike Mellon—nephew of Chris Philpot
Sullivan Parker Bull—son of friends of the Community
Sue Morrow—mother of Nancy Smith
Keith Wages—friend of Richard and Nancy Smith
LeAnna Flynn—daughter of Reta Westbury
Gary Ryder—friend of Larry Barwick
James “Wig” Weathers—friend of Mickey Weeks
Jerry Wiles—friend of Gwen Fulmer
Pete Lesesne—brother-in-law of Larry and Debbie Barwick
Karen Montgomery—cousin of William Robinson
Sara Wade—friend of Sandy and Sherry Houck
Robert Gantt—friend of Sandy and Sherry Houck
Kevin Lucas—father of Katie Haigler
Ernie Hinson—friend of Mickey Weeks
Harold Nalley—grandfather of Erin Burch, Ansley Turnblad and Taylor Porth
Sallie Carlson—daughter of Gladys Zellmer
Tim Shriver—friend of Denny and Tracy Gore
Beth Rickenbaker—friend of Nancy Smith
Gina Garrick—friend of Dot Edgemon
Mary Baker—Mother of Kathy Black