# Resurrection Lutheran Church

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We welcome all who worship here today!

Please greet one another in the love of our Savior!

We celebrate the Sacrament of Holy Communion today which is open to all baptized believers of Jesus Christ.

All others are invited to come for a blessing.

Pastor:	Rev. Eric S. Little
Pastor Emeritus:	Rev. G. Baylis Corley
Organist:	Capers Bull, Jr.
Cantor:	
Lay Assistant:	Nancy Smith
" Next Sunda	ay:
Acolyte:	
Crucifer:	
Altar Flowers:	Mary Jo Spiers
" Next Sunday:	Nell Felkel
Nursery:	Beth Shuler and Elaine Haigler
" Next Sunday:	Lisa Peden and Dianne McKeowen
Altar Guild:	Becky Haigler and Elaine Haigler
Ushers:	Josh Johnson; Capt., Joe Haigler, Mickey Weeks, and Mike Haigler

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.

The Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost

October 3, 2021

#### **PRELUDE**

#### SHARING

#### **CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS**

The assembly stands. All may make the sign of the cross as the presiding minister begins.

In the name of the Father, and of the + Son, and of the Holy Spirit. **Amen.** 

Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another.

Silence is kept for reflection.

Have mercy on us, O God.

We confess that we have sinned against you and against our neighbor. We have built walls instead of tables and have turned away the stranger. We have sought glory for ourselves and have treasured that which does not satisfy.

Help us to love as you love, to welcome those you send, and to treasure mercy and justice.

Turn us from our ways to your ways, and free us to serve those in need. Amen.

God, who makes all things new, forgives your sins for + Jesus' sake and remembers them no more. Lift up your heads and your hearts. Yours is the kingdom of God.

Amen.

# GATHERING HYMN NO. 422-vs. 1, 2, 6 & 7 (RLC) 424 (SMLC)

#### **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.

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HYMN OF PRAISE PAGE 204

#### PRAYER OF THE DAY

Almighty God, you have knit your people together in one communion in the mystical body of your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. Grant us grace to follow your blessed saints in lives of faith and commitment, and to know the inexpressible joys you have prepared for those who love you, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Amen.

word Children's Message

#### **ALL SAINTS REMEMBRANCE**

#### FIRST READING: Isaiah 25:6-9

<sup>6</sup>On this mountain the LORD of hosts will make for all peoples a feast of rich food, a feast of well-aged wines, of rich food filled with marrow, of well-aged wines strained clear.

<sup>7</sup>And he will destroy on this mountain the shroud that is cast over all peoples, the sheet that is spread over all nations; <sup>8</sup>he will swallow up death forever.

Then the Lord God will wipe away the tears from all faces, and the disgrace of his people he will take away from all the earth, for the LORD has spoken.

<sup>9</sup>It will be said on that day, Lo, this is our God; we have waited for him, so that he might save us. This is the LORD for whom we have waited; let us be glad and rejoice in his salvation.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

**PSALM: Psalm 24** (spoken responsively)

<sup>1</sup>The earth is the LORD's and all | that is in it, the world and those who | dwell therein.

<sup>2</sup>For the LORD has founded it up- | on the seas and established it up- | on the rivers.

<sup>3</sup>Who may ascend the mountain | of the LORD, and who may stand in God's | holy place?

<sup>4</sup>Those of innocent hands and puri- | ty of heart, who do not swear on God's being, nor do they pledge by | what is false.

<sup>5</sup>They shall receive blessing | from the LORD and righteousness from the God of | their salvation.

<sup>6</sup>Such is the generation of those who seek | you, O LORD, of those who seek your face, O | God of Jacob.

<sup>7</sup>Lift up your heads, O gates; and be lifted up, O ever- | lasting doors, that the King of glory | may come in.

**8Who is this | King of glory?** 

# The LORD, strong and mighty, the LORD, might- | y in battle!

<sup>9</sup>Lift up your heads, O gates; and be lifted up, O ever- I lasting doors, that the King of glory I may come in.

10Who is this | King of glory?

Truly, the LORD of hosts is the | King of glory.

#### SECOND READING: Revelation 21:1-6a

<sup>1</sup>I saw a new heaven and a new earth; for the first heaven and the first earth had passed away, and the sea was no more. <sup>2</sup>And I saw the holy city, the new Jerusalem, coming down out of heaven from God, prepared as a bride adorned for her husband. <sup>3</sup>And I heard a loud voice from the throne saying,

"See, the home of God is among mortals. He will dwell with them; they will be his peoples, and God himself will be with them;

4he will wipe every tear from their eyes.

Death will be no more; mourning and crying and pain will be no more, for the first things have passed away." <sup>5</sup>And the one who was seated on the throne said, "See, I am making all things new." Also he said, "Write this, for these words are trustworthy and true." <sup>6a</sup>Then he said to me, "It is done! I am the Alpha and the Omega, the beginning and the end."

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

#### **GOSPEL ACCLAMATION**



Al - le-lu - ia! Lord and Sav - ior: o - pen now your sav-ing word.



Let it burn like fire with -in us; speak un - til our hearts are stirred.



Al - le - lu - ia! Lord, we sing for the good news that you bring.

The Holy Gospel according to St. John, the eleventh chapter.

Glory to you, O Lord.

<sup>32</sup>When Mary came where Jesus was and saw him, she knelt at his feet and said to him, "Lord, if you had been here, my brother would not have died." <sup>33</sup>When Jesus saw her weeping, and the Jews who came with her also weeping, he was greatly disturbed in spirit and deeply moved. <sup>34</sup>He said, "Where have you laid him?" They said to him, "Lord, come and see." <sup>35</sup>Jesus began to weep. <sup>36</sup>So the Jews said, "See how he loved him!" <sup>37</sup>But some of them said, "Could not he who opened the eyes of the blind man have kept this man from dying?"

<sup>38</sup>Then Jesus, again greatly disturbed, came to the tomb. It was a cave, and a stone was lying against it. <sup>39</sup>Jesus said, "Take away the stone." Martha, the sister of the dead man, said to him, "Lord, already there is a stench because he has been dead four days." <sup>40</sup>Jesus said to her, "Did I not tell you that if you believed, you would see the glory of God?" <sup>41</sup>So they took away the stone. And Jesus looked upward and said, "Father, I thank you for having heard me. <sup>42</sup>I knew that you always hear me, but I have said this for the sake of the crowd standing here, so that they may believe that you sent me." <sup>43</sup>When he had said this, he cried with a loud voice, "Lazarus, come out!" <sup>44</sup>The dead man came out, his hands and feet bound with strips of cloth, and his face wrapped in a cloth. Jesus said to them, "Unbind him, and let him go."

The gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, O Christ.

**SERMON** Pastor Eric Little

HYMN OF THE DAY NO. 427 (RLC) 790 (SMLC)

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#### PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

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

Amen.

#### PEACE

The peace of Christ be with you always.

And also with you.

#### **OFFERING**

#### OFFERTORY RESPONSE - HYMN NO. 884

"Praise God, from Whom ... "

#### **OFFERING PRAYER**

#### **MEAL**

#### **DIALOGUE**

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Life up your hearts.

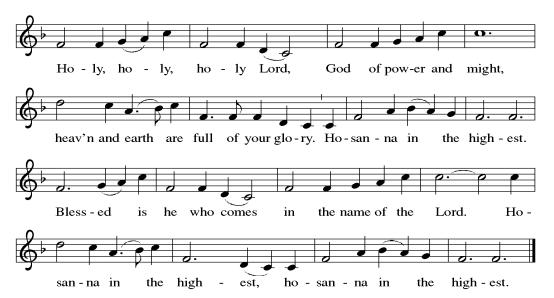
We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give out thanks and praise.

It is indeed right, our duty and our joy,

..... we praise your name and join their unending hymn:



#### THANKSGIVING AT THE TABLE

#### INVITATION TO COMMUNION

#### **COMMUNION SONG**



#### **HOLY COMMUNION**

#### PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

#### 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. 950 (RLC) 423 (SMLC)

#### **DISMISSAL**

Go in peace. Serve the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

# 950 Oh, When the Saints Go Marching In



Text: African American spiritual

Music: WHEN THE SAINTS, African American spiritual; arr. hymnal version

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## Council meeting...

All RLC council members are requested to attend the regularly scheduled meeting Sunday, November 14, 2021, at 6:00 p.m. If you cannot attend, please let Pat Black, Jr., our council chair, or the pastor know.

# In Thanksgiving to God...

for the gift of new life, we celebrate with *Drew and Emily Ann Evans* and *Finley, Addie, and Whit,* the birth of a daughter and sister, *Mary Wofford Evans*, who was born on Tuesday, November 2, 2021; weight 8 lbs. 1 oz, 20.25" long. May God be with Mary Wofford and her family to hold them in His constant care and fill their lives and their home with His love and blessing!

# Christmas Angel Trees ...

will appear very soon! The beneficiaries this year will be children of Calhoun County as put forth by Calhoun County DSS. More information will be provided as the names become available.

#### Christmas Shoeboxes and Items...

Are due in the Fellowship Hall by next Sunday, November 14, 2021. Please mark whether you filled your box for a boy or a girl and which age group you filled for.

# Poinsettia Slips...

are in the bulletins again today. The deadline is next Sun., Nov. 14, 2021 because our order from the church has to be placed on Mon., Nov. 15, 2021.

# Resurrection Lutheran Men in Mission...

will hold their Annual Christmas Dinner on Tues., Nov. 30, 2021 at 7:00 pm. All Church members and their guests are invited to attend. We ask that you sign up for this event in advance. The meal will include prime rib, a baked potato, a vegetable and dessert. A sign up sheet is on the table outside of the Fellowship Hall or send email to rlcsecretary@windstream.net to sign up. We hope to see you there!

## Lutheran Men in Mission....

will hold its regular monthly meeting on Tuesday, November 9, 2021 at 7:00 pm. All men of the parish are invited to attend this time of food and fellowship.



Memorials Given to St. Matthew's Lutheran Church

In Memory of Betty H. Jones

Given by: Patricia Heape

In Memory of Becky Sandífer

Given by: Patricia Heape

# SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK OF NOVEMBER 7, 2021

Monday 7:00 pm Bible Study: SMLC
Tuesday 7:00 pm Lutheran Men in Mission
Wednesday 10:00 am Bible Study: RLC
Next Sunday 10:00 am Sunday Church School: RLC

11:00 am Worship: RLC

6:00 pm Council Meeting: RLC

# → PRAYER LIST:

#### **MEMBERS:**

Billy Smith
Rev. & Mrs. G. Baylis Corley
Dewey Kemmerlin
Debbie Barwick
Chris Philpot
Michael Edge, Jr.
Elaine Ulmer
Sherry Houck

## **MILITARY:**

J. T. Gantt Ryan Zitnick Dominic Panza Andrew Pekarek

# **SC SYNOD STAFF:**

Rev. Rick Carter,
Assistant to the Bishop
Rev. Emily Edenfield,
Assistant to the Bishop
Rev. Ginny Aebischer, Bishop
Rev. Elizabeth Eaton,
Presiding Bishop—ELCA

# FRIENDS AND FAMILY OF THE PARISH:

Jennifer Davy—cousin of Debbie Barwick Jerry Wiles—friend of Gwen Fulmer Pete Lesesne—brother-in-law of Larry and Debbie Barwick

Robert Gantt—friend of Sandy and Sherry Houck

Carol Rivers—wife of Delmar Rivers
Ray Williams—friend of Delmar Rivers
Nancy Whetstone—relative of Kathy Stowe
Rick Baldwin—father of Bryan Baldwin
John Capizzi, Jr.—frequent visitor to
Congregation

Ann Reynard—friend of David Rast
Dan Morgan—father of Tammy Huggins
Frank Baran—uncle of William Robinson
Rev. Bob Young—former pastor of the parish
Gary Blake—friend of Larry Barwick
Todd Layton—friend of the Community
LeAnna Flynn—daughter of Reta Westbury

Jacquie Muir—friend of Larry and Debbie Barwick

Katie Atkins—friend of Adam Barwick Phil and Becky Frederick—friend of Nancy Smith

Ervene Hiers—friend of Nancy Smith Mike Robinson—friend of Bates Houck Ruth Lynette Creech—friend of Peter and Julia Sonne

Justin Line—grandson of Lois Porth
Isadore Tramutra—Uncle of John Capizzi, III
Birnie Johnson—husband of Lois Johnson
Nick Sonne—brother of Peter Sonne
Nancy Waugh—aunt of Nancy Smith
Emily Waugh—cousin of Nancy Smith
Jimmy Boyd and family—friend of Nancy Smith
Pam Connor—friend of Kim Little
Olivia S. Daniels—friend of the Community



# Poinsettia or World Hunger



Poinsettia Given <u>In Memory Of</u> :	
Poinsettia Given <u>In Honor Of</u> :	
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