

# Resurrection Lutheran Church

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***We welcome all who worship here today!***

*Please greet one another in the love of our Savior!*

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Pastor: ..... Rev. Eric Little  
Pastor Emeritus: ..... Rev. G. Baylis Corley  
Organist: ..... C.B. Bull, Jr.  
Cantor: ..... Bayne Haigler  
Lay Assistant: ..... Kathy Stowe  
Lay Assistant Next Sunday: ..... Kim Little  
Altar Flowers: ..... Breck and Erin Burch  
    “ Next Sunday: ..... Madison and Ansley Turnblad  
Nursery: ..... Becky Haigler and Emily Haigler  
    “ Next Sunday: ..... Kathy Stowe and Lynn Doster  
Altar Guild: ..... Becky Haigler and Beth Shuler  
    “ Next Month: ..... Beth Rast; Mallie Shaw; and Rosie Poston  
Ushers: ..... Danny Philpot; Capt., Hank Rhame, William Robinson, and John Corley  
    “ Next Month: ..... Richard Smith; Capt., Breck Burch, Sandy Houck and Monty Rast

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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

Sixteenth Sunday after Pentecost

September 25, 2022

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## PRELUDE

## SHARING

## CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

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

Blessed be the holy Trinity, † one God, who is eager to forgive  
and who loves us beyond our days.

**Amen.**

Dear friends, together let us acknowledge  
our failure to love this world as Jesus does.

*Silence is kept for reflection.*

God of mercy and forgiveness,

**we confess that sin still has a hold on us.**

**We have harmed your good creation.**

**We have failed to do justice, love kindness,**

**and walk humbly with you. Turn us in a new direction.**

**Show us the path that leads to life. Be our refuge and strength on  
the journey, through Jesus Christ, our redeemer and friend.**

**Amen.**

Beloved of God: your sins are forgiven † and you are made whole.

God points the way to new life in Christ, who meets us on the road.

Journey now in God's abiding love through the power of the Holy Spirit.

**Amen.**

**GATHERING HYMN NO: 532 (RLC) 524 (SMLC)**

## GREETING

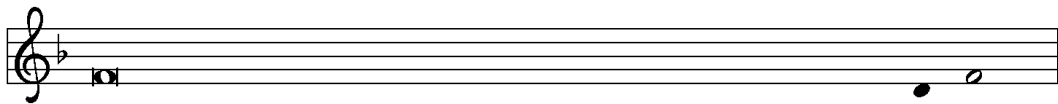
The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God,  
and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

**And also with you.**

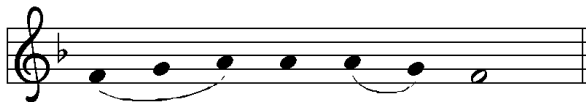
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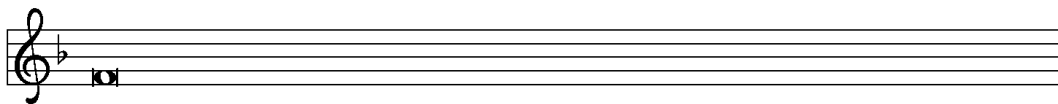
In peace, let us pray to the Lord. Lord, have mer - cy.



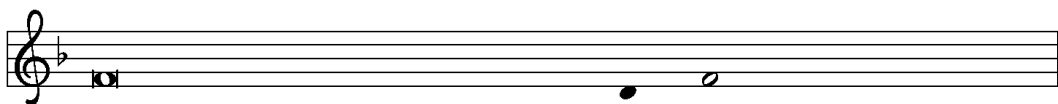
For the peace from above, and for our salvation, let us pray to the Lord.



Lord, have mer - cy.



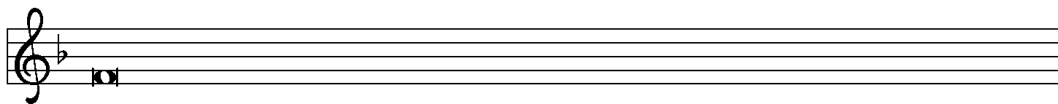
For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the church of God,



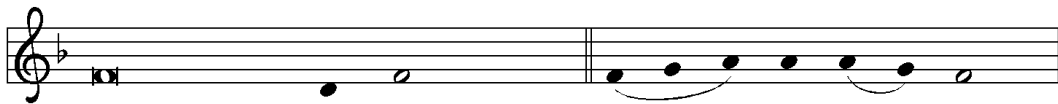
and for the unity of all, let us pray to the Lord.



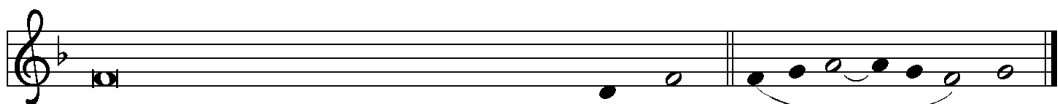
Lord, have mer - cy.



For this holy house, and for all who offer here their worship and praise,



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



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

## CANTICLE OF PRAISE

Assisting minister



Glory to God in the highest, 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

O God, rich in mercy, you look with compassion on this troubled world. Feed us with your grace, and grant us the treasure that comes only from you, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

**Amen.**

## WORD

# Children's Message



## FIRST READING: Amos 6:1a, 4-7

- <sup>1a</sup>Alas for those who are at ease in Zion,  
and for those who feel secure on Mount Samaria,  
<sup>4</sup>Alas for those who lie on beds of ivory, and lounge on their couches,  
and eat lambs from the flock, and calves from the stall;  
<sup>5</sup>who sing idle songs to the sound of the harp,  
and like David improvise on instruments of music;  
<sup>6</sup>who drink wine from bowls, and anoint themselves with the finest oils,  
but are not grieved over the ruin of Joseph!  
<sup>7</sup>Therefore they shall now be the first to go into exile,  
and the revelry of the loungers shall pass away.

The word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

## PSALM: Psalm 146

(sung responsively—cantor beginning)

- <sup>1</sup>Hal- | lelujah!  
Praise the LORD, | O my soul!  
<sup>2</sup>**I will praise the LORD as long | as I live;**  
**I will sing praises to my God while I | have my being.**
- <sup>3</sup>Put not your | trust in rulers,  
in mortals in whom there | is no help.  
<sup>4</sup>**When they breathe their last, they re- | turn to earth,**  
**and in that day | their thoughts perish.**
- <sup>5</sup>Happy are they who have the God of Jacob | for their help,  
whose hope is in the | LORD their God;  
<sup>6</sup>**who made heaven and earth, the seas, and all that | is in them;**  
**who keeps promis- | es forever;**

<sup>7</sup>who gives justice to those who are oppressed, and food to | those who hunger.  
The LORD sets the | captive free.

**<sup>8</sup>The LORD opens the eyes of the blind; the LORD lifts up those who | are bowed down;  
the LORD | loves the righteous.**

<sup>9</sup>The LORD cares | for the stranger;  
the LORD sustains the orphan and widow, but frustrates the way | of the wicked.

**<sup>10</sup>The LORD shall | reign forever,  
your God, O Zion, throughout all generations. | Hallelujah!**

## **SECOND READING: 1 Timothy 6:6-19**

<sup>6</sup>Of course, there is great gain in godliness combined with contentment; <sup>7</sup>for we brought nothing into the world, so that we can take nothing out of it; <sup>8</sup>but if we have food and clothing, we will be content with these. <sup>9</sup>But those who want to be rich fall into temptation and are trapped by many senseless and harmful desires that plunge people into ruin and destruction. <sup>10</sup>For the love of money is a root of all kinds of evil, and in their eagerness to be rich some have wandered away from the faith and pierced themselves with many pains. <sup>11</sup>But as for you, man of God, shun all this; pursue righteousness, godliness, faith, love, endurance, gentleness.

<sup>12</sup>Fight the good fight of the faith; take hold of the eternal life, to which you were called and for which you made the good confession in the presence of many witnesses. <sup>13</sup>In the presence of God, who gives life to all things, and of Christ Jesus, who in his testimony before Pontius Pilate made the good confession, I charge you <sup>14</sup>to keep the commandment without spot or blame until the manifestation of our Lord Jesus Christ, <sup>15</sup>which he will bring about at the right time—he who is the blessed and only Sovereign, the King of kings and Lord of lords. <sup>16</sup>It is he alone who has immortality and dwells in unapproachable light, whom no one has ever seen or can see; to him be honor and eternal dominion. Amen. <sup>17</sup>As for those who in the present age are rich, command them not to be haughty, or to set their hopes on the uncertainty of riches, but rather on God who richly provides us with everything for our enjoyment. <sup>18</sup>They are to do good, to be rich in good works, generous, and ready to share, <sup>19</sup>thus storing up for themselves the treasure of a good foundation for the future, so that they may take hold of the life that really is life.

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. Al - le - lu - ia.

The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the sixteenth chapter.

**Glory to you, O Lord.**

[Jesus said:] <sup>19</sup>“There was a rich man who was dressed in purple and fine linen and who feasted sumptuously every day. <sup>20</sup>And at his gate lay a poor man named Lazarus, covered with sores, <sup>21</sup>who longed to satisfy his hunger with what fell from the rich man’s table; even the dogs would come and lick his sores. <sup>22</sup>The poor man died and was carried away by the angels to be with Abraham. The rich man also died and was buried. <sup>23</sup>In Hades, where he was being tormented, he looked up and saw Abraham far away with Lazarus by his side. <sup>24</sup>He called out, ‘Father Abraham, have mercy on me, and send Lazarus to dip the tip of his finger in water and cool my tongue; for I am in agony in these flames.’ <sup>25</sup>But Abraham said, ‘Child, remember that during your lifetime you received your good things, and Lazarus in like manner evil things; but now he is comforted here, and you are in agony. <sup>26</sup>Besides all this, between you and us a great chasm has been fixed, so that those who might want to pass from here to you cannot do so, and no one can cross from there to us.’ <sup>27</sup>He said, ‘Then, father, I beg you to send him to my father’s house— <sup>28</sup>for I have five brothers—that he may warn them, so that they will not also come into this place of torment.’ <sup>29</sup>Abraham replied, ‘They have Moses and the prophets; they should listen to them.’ <sup>30</sup>He said, ‘No, father Abraham; but if someone goes to them from the dead, they will repent.’ <sup>31</sup>He said to him, ‘If they do not listen to Moses and the prophets, neither will they be convinced even if someone rises from the dead.’”

The gospel of the Lord.

**Praise to you, O Christ.**

**SERMON**

Pastor Eric S. Little

**HYMN OF THE DAY NO. 715**

**CHRIST, BE OUR LIGHT**

**PEACE**

The peace of Christ be with you always.

**And also with you.**

**OFFERING**

**SPECIAL MUSIC**      **“SEEK YE FIRST THE KINGDOM OF GOD”**      (arr. Wagner)  
**ADULT CHOIR**

**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**

**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. 712 (RLC) 723 (SMLC)**

**DISMISSAL**

Go in peace. Serve the Lord.  
**Thanks be to God.**



# Know?

## **Council minutes from the ...**

September 11, 2022 meeting are on the table outside of the fellowship hall.

## **It's Budget Time Again...**

Resurrection's finance committee will be working on the 2023 budget for council's recommendation and the congregation's approval soon. We request all committees get their 2023 budget requests in to the chairman of the finance committee, Pat Black ([patblackjr@aol.com](mailto:patblackjr@aol.com)) as soon as possible.

## **St. Francis of Assisi...**

In honor of St. Francis of Assisi, a Blessing of the Animals service will be held Sunday, October 2, 2022 at 4:00 pm near the steps outside the RLC sanctuary. Please make sure your pets are appropriately restrained. If you would like Pastor Eric to come to your location to bless your animals, please e-mail him at [pastorrlc@windstream.net](mailto:pastorrlc@windstream.net) or give him a call.

## **Homecoming 2022...**

Will be celebrated on Sunday, October 16, 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 supply the meat and tea. Please plan to attend and invite family and friends!

**NOTE:** On *Homecoming Sunday* there will be NO Sunday School or Worship Service at Resurrection Lutheran Church so that all might be free to participate in the *Homecoming Service and Luncheon* at St. Matthew's.

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*A Gift was Given to  
St. Matthew's Lutheran Church*

*In Honor of  
Nell Felkel*

Given by: Ricky and Dale Baumgarner

## SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK OF SEPTEMBER 25, 2022

Monday	7:00 pm	Bible Study: SMLC
Tuesday	10:00 am	Bible Study: RLC
Wednesday	7:00 pm	Choir Practice: RLC
Next Sunday	9:00 am	Worship: SMLC
	10:00 am	Sunday Church School: RLC
	10:00 am	Sunday Church School: SMLC
	11:00 am	Worship: RLC
	4:00 pm	Blessing of the Animals: RLC



### **MEMBERS:**

Billy Smith  
Rev. & Mrs. Baylis Corley  
Debbie Barwick  
Chris Philpot

### **MILITARY:**

Ryan Zitnick  
Dominic Panza  
Andrew Pekarek  
Kai Rast

### **SC SYNOD STAFF:**

Rev. Rick Carter,  
Asst. to the Bishop  
Rev. Emily Edenfield,  
Asst. 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  
Carol Rivers—wife of Delmar Rivers  
Ray Williams—friend of Delmar Rivers  
Nancy Whetstone—relative of Kathy Stowe  
Rick Baldwin—father of Bryan Baldwin  
Rev. Bob Young—former pastor of the parish  
Ervene Hiers—friend of Nancy Smith  
Mike Robinson—friend of Bates Houck  
Justin Line—grandson of Lois Porth  
Isadore Tramutra—Uncle of John Capizzi, III  
Nick Sonne—brother of Peter Sonne  
Nancy Waugh—aunt of Nancy Smith  
Emily Waugh—cousin of Nancy Smith  
Olivia S. Daniels—friend of the Community  
Patsy Brooks—friend of Esther Dufford  
LeAnna Flynn—daughter of Reta Westbury  
Jacquie Muir—friend of Larry and Debbie Barwick  
Courtney Line—granddaughter of Lois “Bud” Porth  
John Hager—son of Christine Philpot  
Ricky Line—son-in-law of Lois “Bud” Porth  
Laura Ann Merrill—niece of Nancy Smith  
Alan Grimsley—brother-in-law of Larry & Debbie Barwick  
David Hannah—friend of Danny Philpot  
Richard Mizzelle—brother of Mark Mizzelle  
Bill Epting—friend of Gwen Fulmer  
Robert Gantt—friend of Sandy and Sherry Houck  
Pete Lesesne—brother-in-law of Larry & Debbie Barwick  
Gary Ryder—friend of Larry Barwick  
Tony and Rosie French—friends of Larry Barwick  
Adrienn Grimsley—niece of Larry Barwick  
Gail Cooke—mother of Tony Cooke  
Sam and Sue Oakes—friends of Doug and Lynn Doster