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 Little
Pastor Emeritus: Rev. G. Baylis Corley
Organist: C.B. Bull, Jr.
Cantor Milton Dufford
Lay Assistant: Kathy Stowe
Lay Assistant Next Sunday: Mims Taylor
Altar Flowers: David Rast
"Next Sunday: Mary Jo Spiers
Nursery: Emily Ann Evans and Laurin Evans
"Next Sunday: Katie Haigler and Ashley Stowe
Altar Guild: Beth Rast; Mallie Shaw; and Rosie Poston
"Next Month: Erin Burch; Kathy Rast; Deborah Porth;
Amanda Johnson; and Dawn Robinson
Ushers: Richard Smith; Capt., Breck Burch, Sandy Houck and Monty Rast
"Next Month: Keith Haigler; Capt., Joe Haigler, Jonathan McLellan, 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

Reformation Sunday

October 30, 2022

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: 504 (RLC) 645 (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: "This is the feast...." PAGES 140-141

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Merciful God, gracious and benevolent, through your Son you invite all the world to a meal of mercy. Grant that we may eagerly follow his call, and bring us with all your saints into your life of justice and joy, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Amen.

WORD

Children's Message

FIRST READING: Jeremiah 31:31-34

³¹The days are surely coming, says the LORD, when I will make a new covenant with the house of Israel and the house of Judah. ³²It will not be like the covenant that I made with their ancestors when I took them by the hand to bring them out of the land of Egypt—a covenant that they broke, though I was their husband, says the LORD. ³³But this is the covenant that I will make with the house of Israel after those days, says the LORD: I will put my law within them, and I will write it on their hearts; and I will be their God, and they shall be my people. ³⁴No longer shall they teach one another, or say to each other, "Know the LORD," for they shall all know me, from the least of them to the greatest, says the LORD; for I will forgive their iniquity, and remember their sin no more.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

PSALM: Psalm 46 (sung responsively, cantor begins)

¹God is our ref- | uge and strength, a very present | help in trouble.

²Therefore we will not fear, though the | earth be moved, and though the mountains shake in the depths | of the sea;

³though its waters | rage and foam, and though the mountains tremble | with its tumult.

⁴There is a river whose streams make glad the cit- | y of God, the holy habitation of | the Most High.

⁵God is in the midst of the city; it shall | not be shaken; God shall help it at the | break of day.

The nations rage, and the | kingdoms shake; God speaks, and the earth | melts away.

⁷The LORD of I hosts is with us; the God of Jacob I is our stronghold.

Come now, regard the works | of the LORD, what desolations God has brought up- | on the earth;

⁹behold the one who makes war to cease in I all the world; who breaks the bow, and shatters the spear, and burns the I shields with fire. ¹⁰"Be still, then, and know that I am God;

I will be exalted among the nations; I will be exalted | in the earth."

¹¹The LORD of | hosts is with us; the God of Jacob | is our stronghold.

SECOND READING: Romans 3:19-28

¹⁹Now we know that whatever the law says, it speaks to those who are under the law, so that every mouth may be silenced, and the whole world may be held accountable to God. ²⁰For "no human being will be justified in his sight" by deeds prescribed by the law, for through the law comes the knowledge of sin.

²¹But now, apart from law, the righteousness of God has been disclosed, and is attested by the law and the prophets, ²²the righteousness of God through faith in Jesus Christ for all who believe. For there is no distinction, ²³since all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God; ²⁴they are now justified by his grace as a gift, through the redemption that is in Christ Jesus, ²⁵whom God put forward as a sacrifice of atonement by his blood, effective through faith. He did this to show his

righteousness, because in his divine forbearance he had passed over the sins previously committed; ²⁶it was to prove at the present time that he himself is righteous and that he justifies the one who has faith in Jesus.

²⁷Then what becomes of boasting? It is excluded. By what law? By that of works? No, but by the law of faith. ²⁸For we hold that a person is justified by faith apart from works prescribed by the law.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God. GOSPEL ACCLAMATION



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

Glory to you, O Lord.

³¹Jesus said to the Jews who had believed in him, "If you continue in my word, you are truly my disciples; ³²and you will know the truth, and the truth will make you free." ³³They answered him, "We are descendants of Abraham and have never been slaves to anyone. What do you mean by saying, 'You will be made free'?"

³⁴Jesus answered them, "Very truly, I tell you, everyone who commits sin is a slave to sin. ³⁵The slave does not have a permanent place in the household; the son has a place there forever. ³⁶So if the Son makes you free, you will be free indeed."

The gospel of the Lord.
Praise to you, O Christ.

So if the Son makes you free, you will be free indeed.

SERMON Pastor Eric Little

HYMN OF THE DAY NO: 645 (RLC) 654 (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

SPECIAL MUSIC "THE LORD IS A MIGHTY GOD"

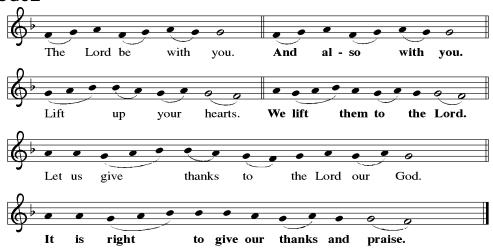
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ADULT CHOIR

OFFERTORY RESPONSE—HYMN NO: 884 "Praise God, from Whom..."

OFFERING PRAYER

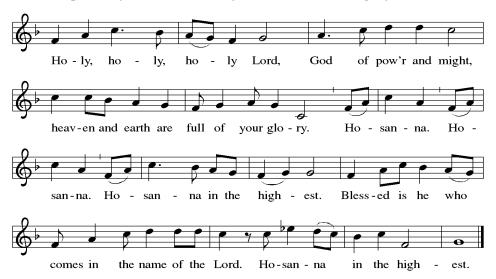
MEAL

DIALOGUE



It is indeed right, our duty and our joy,

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



THANKSGIVING AT THE TABLE

EUCHARISTIC PRAYER AND LORD'S PRAYER

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INVITATION TO COMMUNION

COMMUNION SONG



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.

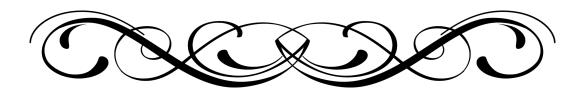
Amen.

SENDING HYMN NO: 729 (RLC) 504 (SMLC)

DISMISSAL

Go in peace. Christ is with you.

Thanks be to God.



Resurrection Lutheran Men in Mission...

will hold their Annual Christmas Dinner on Thurs., Dec. 1, 2022 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. The cost is \$25.00 per person. 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!

Christmas Angel Trees ...

will appear very soon! The beneficiaries again 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 now available to be picked up from the Fellowship Hall of the church. There will be a list of items that can be used to help you determine what you would like to buy to fill up your box. All boxes must be filled and returned to the church Fellowship Hall by Nov. 13, 2022.

We Express Our Sympathy...

to the family and friends of *Billy Smith* at his death Tuesday, October 25, 2022. His graveside service was held on Friday, October 28, 2022 at St. Matthew's Lutheran Cemetery. May God comfort his family and friends with the assurance of the Resurrection!

Poinsettia and World Hunger Slips...

are in the bulletin today. The poinsettias will cost \$16.00 and will be in the church starting December 11, 2022. If you would like to place one in honor or in memory of someone, please fill out a slip and turn it into the offering plate as soon as possible to allow for an accurate count and to assure that no one is left out. The deadline to order Poinsettias is Sunday, November 13, 2022 and the World Hunger Offering deadline is Sunday, December 4, 2022.

Behold, I stand at the door and knock: if any man hear my voice, and open the door, I will come in to him, and will eat with him, and he with me. Revelation 3:20

SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK OF OCTOBER 30, 2022

Monday 7:00 pm Bible Study: SMLC
Wednesday 10:00 am Bible Study: RLC
7:00 pm Choir Practice: RLC

Next Sunday 9:00 am Worship: SMLC Sunday Church School: RLC

10:00 am Sunday Church School: RLC 10:00 am Sunday Church School: SMLC

11:00 am Worship: RLC



MEMBERS:

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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

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