

Resurrection Lutheran Church

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Welcome

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.
Lay Assistant: Wayne Rast
Lay Assistant Next Sunday: Kathy Black
Altar Flowers: Bryan and Mallory Baldwin
“ Next Sunday: Wayne and Sharon Polin
Nursery: Somer Lynne Haigler and Ashley Stowe
“ Next Sunday: Mallory Baldwin and Barbara Haigler
Acolyte and Crucifer Corbin Johnson and Natalie Grace Porth
Acolyte and Crucifer Next Sunday: Jordyn Baldwin and Jami Gates
Altar Guild: Mitzi Weeks and Kelly Edge
Ushers: Fred Austin; Capt., Jonathan McLellan, Tracy Poston,
and Mickey Weeks

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

Resurrection and St. Matthew's Lutheran Parish

Cameron, South Carolina.

Third Sunday after Pentecost

June 18, 2023

PRELUDE

SHARING

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

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

Blessed be the holy Trinity, † one God, who greets us in this and every season, whose word never fails, whose promise is sure.

Amen.

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

Merciful God,

we confess that we have sinned. We have hurt our community.

We have squandered your blessings. We have hoarded your bounty.

In the name of Jesus, forgive us and grant us your mercy.

Silence is kept for reflection.

Righteous God,

we confess that we have sinned. We have failed to be honest.

We have lacked the courage to speak. We have spoken falsely.

In the name of Jesus, forgive us and grant us your mercy.

Silence is kept for reflection.

God is a cup of cold water when we thirst. God offers boundless grace when we fail. Claim the gift of God's mercy: you are freed and forgiven in the name of † Jesus Christ.

Amen.

GATHERING HYMN NO. 883 (RLC) 669 (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

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PRAYER OF THE DAY

God of compassion, you have opened the way for us and brought us to yourself. Pour your love into our hearts, that, overflowing with joy, we may freely share the blessings of your realm and faithfully proclaim the good news of your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Amen.

WORD Children's Message



FIRST READING: EXODUS 19:2-8A

²[The Israelites] had journeyed from Rephidim, entered the wilderness of Sinai, and camped in the wilderness; Israel camped there in front of the mountain.³Then Moses went up to God; the LORD called to him from the mountain, saying, “Thus you shall say to the house of Jacob, and tell the Israelites: ⁴You have seen what I did to the Egyptians, and how I bore you on eagles’ wings and brought you to myself. ⁵Now therefore, if you obey my voice and keep my covenant, you shall be my treasured possession out of all the peoples. Indeed, the whole earth is mine, ⁶but you shall be for me a priestly kingdom and a holy nation. These are the words that you shall speak to the Israelites.”

⁷So Moses came, summoned the elders of the people, and set before them all these words that the LORD had commanded him. ^{8a}The people all answered as one: “Everything that the LORD has spoken we will do.”

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

PSALM: PSALM 100 (spoken responsively)

¹Make a joyful noise to the LORD, | all you lands!

²Serve the LORD with gladness; come into God’s presence | with a song.

³**Know that the LORD is God, our maker to whom | we belong;
we are God’s people and the sheep | of God’s pasture.**

⁴Enter the gates of the LORD with thanksgiving and the | courts with praise;
give thanks and bless God’s | holy name.

⁵**Good indeed is the LORD, whose steadfast love is | everlasting,
whose faithfulness endures from | age to age.**

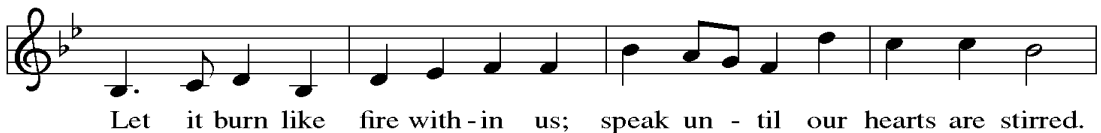
SECOND READING: ROMANS 5:1-8

¹Since we are justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ, ²through whom we have obtained access to this grace in which we stand; and we boast in our hope of sharing the glory of God. ³And not only that, but we also boast in our sufferings, knowing that suffering produces endurance, ⁴and endurance produces character, and character produces hope, ⁵and hope does not disappoint us, because God's love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit that has been given to us. ⁶For while we were still weak, at the right time Christ died for the ungodly. ⁷Indeed, rarely will anyone die for a righteous person—though perhaps for a good person someone might actually dare to die. ⁸But God proves his love for us in that while we still were sinners Christ died for us.

The word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.



GOSPEL ACCLAMATION



The Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew, the ninth chapter.

Glorify to you, O Lord.

³⁵Jesus went about all the cities and villages, teaching in their synagogues, and proclaiming the good news of the kingdom, and curing every disease and every

sickness. ³⁶When he saw the crowds, he had compassion for them, because they were harassed and helpless, like sheep without a shepherd. ³⁷Then he said to his disciples, “The harvest is plentiful, but the laborers are few; ³⁸therefore ask the Lord of the harvest to send out laborers into his harvest.”

^{10:1}Then Jesus summoned his twelve disciples and gave them authority over unclean spirits, to cast them out, and to cure every disease and every sickness. ²These are the names of the twelve apostles: first, Simon, also known as Peter, and his brother Andrew; James son of Zebedee, and his brother John; ³Philip and Bartholomew; Thomas and Matthew the tax collector; James son of Alphaeus, and Thaddaeus; ⁴Simon the Cananaean, and Judas Iscariot, the one who betrayed him. ⁵These twelve Jesus sent out with the following instructions: “Go nowhere among the Gentiles, and enter no town of the Samaritans, ⁶but go rather to the lost sheep of the house of Israel. ⁷As you go, proclaim the good news, ‘The kingdom of heaven has come near.’ ⁸Cure the sick, raise the dead, cleanse the lepers, cast out demons. You received without payment; give without payment. [⁹Take no gold, or silver, or copper in your belts, ¹⁰no bag for your journey, or two tunics, or sandals, or a staff; for laborers deserve their food. ¹¹Whatever town or village you enter, find out who in it is worthy, and stay there until you leave. ¹²As you enter the house, greet it. ¹³If the house is worthy, let your peace come upon it; but if it is not worthy, let your peace return to you. ¹⁴If anyone will not welcome you or listen to your words, shake off the dust from your feet as you leave that house or town. ¹⁵Truly I tell you, it will be more tolerable for the land of Sodom and Gomorrah on the day of judgment than for that town. ¹⁶“See, I am sending you out like sheep into the midst of wolves; so be wise as serpents and innocent as doves. ¹⁷Beware of them, for they will hand you over to councils and flog you in their synagogues; ¹⁸and you will be dragged before governors and kings because of me, as a testimony to them and the Gentiles. ¹⁹When they hand you over, do not worry about how you are to speak or what you are to say; for what you are to say will be given to you at that time; ²⁰for it is not you who speak, but the Spirit of your Father speaking through you. ²¹Brother will betray brother to death, and a father his child, and children will rise against parents and have them put to death; ²²and you will be hated by all because of my name. But the one who endures to the end will be saved. ²³When they persecute you in one town, flee to the next; for truly I tell you, you will not have gone through all the towns of Israel before the Son of Man comes.”]

Praise to you, O Christ.

SERMON

Pastor Eric Little

HYMN OF THE DAY

“I LOVE TO TELL THE STORY”

NO. 661

APOSTLES’ CREED

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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

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:



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow-er and might,



heav'n and earth are full of your glo-ry. Ho-san - na in the high - est.



Bless - ed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho -



san - na in the high - est, ho - san - na in the high - est.

THANKSGIVING AT THE TABLE

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father who art in Heaven,

hallowed be thy name,

thy kingdom come,

thy will be done,

on earth as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread;

and forgive us our trespasses,

as we forgive those

who trespass against us;

and lead us not into temptation,

but deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom,

and the power, and the glory,

forever and ever.



Amen.

INVITATION TO COMMUNION

COMMUNION SONG



- 1 O Lamb of God, you bear the sin of all the world a - way;
2 O Lamb of God, you bear the sin of all the world a - way;
3 O Lamb of God, you bear the sin of all the world a - way;



you suf-fered death our lives to save: have mer-cy now, we pray.
you set us free from guilt and grave: have mer-cy now, we pray.
e - ter-nal peace with God you made: give us your peace, we pray.

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

"O ZION, HASTE"

NO. 668

DISMISSAL

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

It's time to vote...

Once again we are asking for you to vote for your favorite hymns. Slips will be inserted into the bulletins for the month of June and the votes will be tallied. The hymns that get the most votes will be sung during the services in July. Not all hymns will be able to be sung but we will try and sing as many as we can.

**'23 DAY
CAMP
KICKOFF**

**Today at
4:00pm with an
Ice Cream Social!!**

**Everyone is
invited to attend!**



The Cameron VBS Registration is now live!!

June 26–June 29 • 9:00am — 12:00pm

Website: vbspro.events/p/Cameron

Stellar VBS is for rising K4 – rising 7th grade students.

Rising 8th grade – adults are encouraged to volunteer.

Please register (both attendees & volunteers) as soon as possible to help in the planning process!



SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK OF JUNE 18, 2023

Today	4:00 pm	Ice Cream Social: RLC
Next Sunday	9:00 am	Worship: SMLC
	10:00 am	Sunday Church School: RLC
	10:00 am	Sunday Church School: SMLC
	10:15 am	Choir Practice: RLC
	11:00 am	Worship: RLC

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
Rev. Bob Young—former pastor of the parish
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
Jacquie Muir—friend of Larry and Debbie Barwick
Courtney Line—granddaughter of Lois “Bud” Porth
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
Bill Epting—friend of Gwen Fulmer
Gary Ryder—friend of Larry Barwick
Rosie French—friends of Larry Barwick
Adrienn Grimsley—niece of Larry Barwick
Eleanor Bassett—friend of Caroline Porth
Matthew Wannamaker—friend of Gary Porth
Joy Rush—friend of the Barwick family
Candy Johnson—friend of the Barwick family
Rhett Tindall—friend of Larry Barwick
Steve Brunson—friend of Mickey Weeks
Megan Lucas—sister of Katie Haigler
Beth Stone—daughter of Cecile Smith
Pete Lesesne—brother-in-law of Larry & Debbie Barwick
Julie Crider Layton—friend of Gwen Fulmer
John Capizzi, Jr.—father of John Capizzi, III
Justin Line—grandson of Lois “Bud” Porth
Frazier Baldwin—friend of Olivia and Reed Salley
Alison Weeks—Daughter-in-law of Perry and Martha Ann Weeks
Sandy Barwick—sister-in-law of Larry and Debbie Barwick
Mack Shirer—brother of Martha Ann Weeks
Kristi Bolton—friend of the Community
Emory Rush—friend of the Community
Michelle Jones—daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Holloman
Winnie Rickenbaker—friend of Doug and Lynn Doster
Billy Price—cousin of Doris Giese
Glenda Goings—cousin of Doris Giese



MEMBERS:

Rev. & Mrs. Baylis Corley
Debbie Barwick
Chris Philpot
Rev. Paul Hirth
John Capizzi, III

MILITARY:

Andrew Pekarek

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Rev. Emily Hartmann,
Asst. to the Bishop
Rev. Ginny
Aebischer, Bishop
Rev. Elizabeth Eaton,
Presiding Bishop—ELCA