

# Resurrection Lutheran Church

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*We celebrate the Sacrament of Holy Communion today  
which is open to all baptized Christians.  
All others are invited to come for a blessing.  
For those who are unable to partake of one of the elements of communion  
for any reason, please be assured that Christ is truly present in, with  
and under either element of the bread or the wine.*

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Pastor: .....Rev. Eric Little  
Organist:..... CB Bull  
Cantor:..... Peter Sonne  
Lay Assistant(s):..... Wayne Rast  
“ Next Sunday:..... Laurin Evans  
Altar Flowers:..... Steve and Venis Holstad  
“ Next Sunday:..... Hank and Donna Rhame  
Nursery:..... Emily Ann Evans and Sarah Haigler  
“ Next Sunday:..... Kathy Stowe and Arleigh Nickel  
Acolyte and Crucifer..... Felder Evans and Mollie Haigler  
“ Next Sunday:..... Ella Bea Austin and George Nickel  
Altar Guild:..... Esther Dufford and Nell Felkel  
“Ushers:..... Danny Philpot Capt., Drew Evans, Hayne Haigler, and Bates Houck

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

# Resurrection and St. Matthew's Lutheran Parish

Cameron, South Carolina.

*Fourth Sunday After Pentecost*

*July 6, 2025*

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## **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.*

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

**Amen.**

Baptized into Christ, let us confess our sin.

*Silence is kept for reflection.*

Merciful God,  
**You free us to love others,  
but we neglect our neighbors and follow our own way.  
You lead us by the Spirit of joy and peace,  
but we turn away from the abundant life you offer.  
You surround us with patience, kindness,  
and generosity,  
but we grow weary of what is right.  
In your mercy, forgive us.  
Do not give up on us.  
Heal us, break our bonds,  
and show us the path of life.  
Amen.**

You belong to Christ Jesus  
and you are Gods children through faith.  
In the cross of + Christ,  
and through the power of the Holy Spirit,  
your sins are forgiven.  
Clothed with Christ, you are a new creation.  
**Amen.**

**GATHERING HYMN NO: 803**

**WHEN I SURVEY THE WONDERFUL CROSS**

## 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

O God, the Father of our Lord Jesus, you are the city that shelters us, the mother who comforts us. With your Spirit accompany us on our life's journey, that we may spread your peace in all the world, through your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

**Amen.**

## WORD

### *Children's Message*



## FIRST READING: Isaiah 66:10-14

<sup>10</sup> Rejoice with Jerusalem, and be glad for her, all you who love her; rejoice with her in joy, all you who mourn over her—<sup>11</sup> that you may nurse and be satisfied from her consoling breast; that you may drink deeply with delight from her glorious bosom.

<sup>12</sup> For thus says the LORD: I will extend prosperity to her like a river, and the wealth of the nations like an overflowing stream; and you shall nurse and be carried on her arm, and dandled on her knees. <sup>13</sup> As a mother comforts her child, so I will comfort you; you shall be comforted in Jerusalem. <sup>14</sup> You shall see, and your heart shall rejoice; your bodies shall flourish like the grass; and it shall be known that the hand of the LORD is with his servants, and his indignation is against his enemies.

The word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

## PSALM: Psalm 66:1-9 (sung responsively, cantor begins)

<sup>1</sup> Be joyful in God, | all you lands;  
be joyful, | all the earth.

<sup>2</sup> **Sing the glory | of God's name;**  
**sing the glory | of God's praise.**

<sup>3</sup> Say to God, “How awesome | are your deeds!

Because of your great strength your enemies | cringe before you.

<sup>4</sup> **All the earth bows | down before you,  
sings to you, sings | out your name.”**

<sup>5</sup> Come now and see the | works of God,

how awesome are God’s deeds | toward all people.

<sup>6</sup> **God turned the sea into dry land, so that they went through the wa- | ter on  
foot, and there we re- | joiced in God.**

<sup>7</sup> Ruling forever in might, God keeps watch o- | ver the nations;

let no rebels ex- | alt themselves.

<sup>8</sup> **Bless our | God, you peoples;  
let the sound of | praise be heard.**

<sup>9</sup> Our God has kept us a- | mong the living

and has not allowed our | feet to slip.

## **SECOND READING: Galatians 6:[1-6] 7-16**

[<sup>1</sup> My friends, if anyone is detected in a transgression, you who have received the Spirit should restore such a one in a spirit of gentleness. Take care that you yourselves are not tempted. <sup>2</sup> Bear one another’s burdens, and in this way you will fulfill the law of Christ. <sup>3</sup> For if those who are nothing think they are something, they deceive themselves. <sup>4</sup> All must test their own work; then that work, rather than their neighbor’s work, will become a cause for pride. <sup>5</sup> For all must carry their own loads.

<sup>6</sup> Those who are taught the word must share in all good things with their teacher.]

<sup>7</sup> Do not be deceived; God is not mocked, for you reap whatever you sow. <sup>8</sup> If you sow to your own flesh, you will reap corruption from the flesh; but if you sow to the Spirit, you will reap eternal life from the Spirit. <sup>9</sup> So let us not grow weary in doing what is right, for we will reap at harvest time, if we do not give up. <sup>10</sup> So then, whenever we have an opportunity, let us work for the good of all, and especially for those of the family of faith.

<sup>11</sup> See what large letters I make when I am writing in my own hand! <sup>12</sup> It is those who want to make a good showing in the flesh that try to compel you to be circumcised—only that they may not be persecuted for the cross of Christ. <sup>13</sup> Even the circumcised do not themselves obey the law, but they want you to be circumcised so that they may boast about your flesh. <sup>14</sup> May I never boast of anything except the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ, by which the world has been crucified to me, and I to the world. <sup>15</sup> For neither circumcision nor uncircumcision is anything; but a new creation is everything! <sup>16</sup> As for those who will follow this rule—peace be upon them, and mercy, and upon the Israel of God.

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. Luke, the tenth chapter.

### **Glory to you, O Lord.**

<sup>1</sup>After this the Lord appointed seventy others and sent them on ahead of him in pairs to every town and place where he himself intended to go. <sup>2</sup>He said to them, "The harvest is plentiful, but the laborers are few; therefore ask the Lord of the harvest to send out laborers into his harvest. <sup>3</sup>Go on your way. See, I am sending you out like lambs into the midst of wolves. <sup>4</sup>Carry no purse, no bag, no sandals; and greet no one on the road. <sup>5</sup>Whatever house you enter, first say, 'Peace to this house!' <sup>6</sup>And if anyone is there who shares in peace, your peace will rest on that person; but if not, it will return to you. <sup>7</sup>Remain in the same house, eating and drinking whatever they provide, for the laborer deserves to be paid. Do not move about from house to house. <sup>8</sup>Whenever you enter a town and its people welcome you, eat what is set before you; <sup>9</sup>cure the sick who are there, and say to them, 'The kingdom of God has come near to you.' <sup>10</sup>But whenever you enter a town and they do not welcome you, go out into its streets and say, <sup>11</sup>'Even the dust of your town that clings to our feet, we wipe off in protest against you. Yet know this: the kingdom of God has come near.'" <sup>16</sup>"Whoever listens to you listens to me, and whoever rejects you rejects me, and whoever rejects me rejects the one who sent me." <sup>17</sup>The seventy returned with joy, saying, "Lord, in your name even the demons submit to us!" <sup>18</sup>He said to them, "I watched Satan fall from heaven like a flash of lightning. <sup>19</sup>See, I have given you authority to tread on snakes and scorpions, and over all the power of the enemy; and nothing will hurt you. <sup>20</sup>Nevertheless, do not rejoice at this, that the spirits submit to you, but rejoice that your names are written in heaven."

The gospel of the Lord.

### **Praise to you, O Christ.**

## SERMON

Pastor Eric Little

**HYMN OF THE DAY NO: 659**

**WILL YOU LET ME BE YOUR SERVANT**

**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.**

Lift up your hearts.

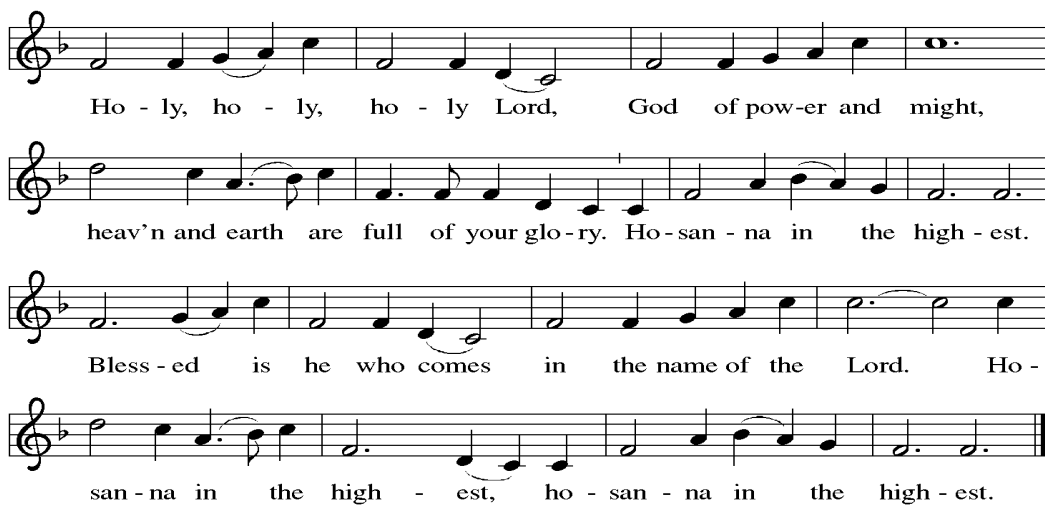
**We lift them to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**It is right to give our 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

#### 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 NO: 674 (RLC)      396 (SMLC)**

### DISMISSAL

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



**Help needed...**

The care ministry team is collecting items over the next several weeks to take to the residents of Magnolias in Eutawville, SC. Items needed are: shower caps, tissues, shampoo, Depends, wipes, body wash, wash cloths, towels, dog food, disposable pads, lotion, and Glade automatic air fresheners and refills. There are bins for the collection of these items in the fellowship hall. Any questions, contact Rebekah Haigler at [803-682-4284](tel:803-682-4284). Thank you for helping make the lives of these residents a little brighter.

## SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK OF JULY 6, 2025

Today	10:30 am	Choir Practice: RLC
Next Sunday	10:30 am	Adult Choir Practice: RLC
	10:00 am	Sunday School: RLC
	11:00 am	Worship: RLC



### **MEMBERS:**

Chris Philpot  
Frank Gruetzmacher  
Frank Heape  
Richard Smith

### **MILITARY:**

Andrew Pekarek

### **SC SYNOD STAFF:**

Deacon Kimberly Heindl,  
Asst. to the Bishop

Rev. Rick Carter,  
Asst. to the Bishop

Rev. Ginny  
Aebischer, Bishop

Rev. Elizabeth Eaton,  
Presiding Bishop—ELCA

Kathryn Lamar—mother of Kathy Rast, grandmother of Ansley and Erin  
Chris and Clarence Felder—friends of Doug Doster

### **FRIENDS AND FAMILY OF THE PARISH:**

Carol Rivers—wife of Delmar Rivers  
Patsy Brooks—friend of Esther Dufford  
Courtney Line—granddaughter of Lois “Bud” Porth  
Bill Epting—friend of Gwen Fulmer  
Eleanor Bassett—friend of Caroline Porth  
Matthew Wannamaker—friend of Gary Porth  
Rhett Tindall—friend of Larry Barwick  
Megan Lucas—sister of Katie Haigler  
Julie Crider Layton—friend of Gwen Fulmer  
Mack Shirer—brother of Martha Ann Weeks  
Roy Lockett—friend of Gary Porth  
Gwynette La-Terra—friend of Larry Barwick  
Alison Weeks—Daughter-in-law of Perry and Martha Ann Weeks  
Matthew Lizewski—friend of Gary Porth  
Barbara Ryder—friend of Larry Barwick  
David Mellon—brother of Chris Philpot  
Gwen Huffman—friend of the Community  
Emily Knobeloch—friend of Nell Felkel  
Karen Kennedy—cousin of Mickey Weeks  
Tasha Gaffney—friend of John Capizzi  
Gregg Culler—friend of Mitzi and Mickey Weeks  
Delane Cochran—friend of the Community  
Janina Grimsley—sister of Larry Barwick  
Pinckney Thompson—friend of the Community  
David (Shack) Felkel—friend of Doris Giese  
Donnie Fulmer—husband of Gwen Fulmer  
Rosie Such—friend of the Barwick's  
Jennifer Davies—family of the Barwick's  
David Adden—friend of the Community  
Nan Barwick—mother of Larry Barwick