

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.*

Grape juice is available in the inner ring of each tray for those who prefer it.

Pastor: Rev. Eric Little
Organist: Beverly Isgett
Lay Assistant(s): Kim Little
 “ Next Sunday: Jim Gates
Sound & Recording System Katie Haigler
 “ Next Sunday: Richard Smith
Altar Flowers: Madison and Ansley Turnblad
 “ Next Sunday: Brett and Laurin Evans
Nursery: Ashley Stowe and Barbara Haigler
 “ Next Sunday: Somer Lynne Haigler and Emily Haigler
Acolyte and Crucifer Finley Evans and Arleigh Nickel
 “ Next Sunday: Hadley Evans and Barbara Haigler
Altar Guild: Db Rast, Rosie Poston, and Brenda McLellan
“Ushers: Breck Burch, Capt., Doug Doster, Josh Johnson, and Monty Rast

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

Resurrection Lutheran Church

Cameron, South Carolina

Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost

October 5, 2025

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,
our maker, our helper, and our keeper.

Amen.

Trusting in God's mercy, let us confess our sin
In the presence of God and of one another.

Silence is kept for reflection.

Merciful and loving God,

we are stiff-necked people.

We trample on the needy.

We grumble about your grace to others.

We turn away from the poor.

Have mercy on us and forgive our sins.

**Rejoice over us as ones who were lost
and have been found.**

Amen.

Even when we are faithless, God remains faithful.
Jesus Christ came into the world to save sinners.
You who were lost have been found.

In the name of ✝ Jesus, your sins are forgiven!

Amen.

GATHERING HYMN NO: 596

MY HOPE IS BUILT ON NOTHING LESS

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.

HYMN OF PRAISE: "This is the feast...."

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PRAYER OF THE DAY

Benevolent, merciful God: When we are empty, fill us. When we are weak in faith, strengthen us. When we are cold in love, warm us, that with fervor we may love our neighbors and serve them for the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Amen.

WORD

Children's Message



FIRST READING: Habakkuk 1:1-4; 2:1-4

¹The oracle that the prophet Habakkuk saw. ²O LORD, how long shall I cry for help, and you will not listen? Or cry to you "Violence!" and you will not save? ³Why do you make me see wrongdoing and look at trouble? Destruction and violence are before me; strife and contention arise. ⁴So the law becomes slack, and justice never prevails. The wicked surround the righteous; therefore judgment comes forth perverted. ^{2:1}I will stand at my watchpost and station myself on the rampart; I will keep watch to see what he will say to me and what he will answer concerning my complaint. ²Then the LORD answered me and said: Write the vision; make it plain on tablets, so that a runner may read it. ³For there is still a vision for the appointed time; it speaks of the end and does not lie. If it seems to tarry, wait for it; it will surely come; it will not delay. ⁴Look at the proud! Their spirit is not right in them, but the righteous live by their faithfulness.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

PSALM: Psalm 37:1-9 (read responsively)

- ¹Do not be provoked by | evildoers;
do not be jealous of those | who do wrong.
- ²**For they shall soon wither | like the grass,**
and like the green grass | fade away.
- ³Put your trust in the LORD | and do good;
dwell in the land and | find safe pasture.
- ⁴**Take delight | in the LORD,**
who shall give you your | heart's desire.

⁵ Commit your way to the LORD; put your trust | in the LORD,
and see what | God will do.

⁶ **The LORD will make your vindication as clear | as the light
and the justice of your case like the | noonday sun.**

⁷ Be still before the LORD and wait | patiently.

Do not be provoked by the one who prospers, the one who succeeds in | evil
schemes.

⁸ **Refrain from anger, leave | rage alone;
do not be provoked; it leads on- | ly to evil.**

⁹ For evildoers shall | be cut off,
but those who hope in the LORD shall pos- | sess the land.

SECOND READING: 2 Timothy 1:1-14

¹ Paul, an apostle of Christ Jesus by the will of God, for the sake of the promise of life that is in Christ Jesus, ² To Timothy, my beloved child: Grace, mercy, and peace from God the Father and Christ Jesus our Lord. ³ I am grateful to God—whom I worship with a clear conscience, as my ancestors did—when I remember you constantly in my prayers night and day. ⁴ Recalling your tears, I long to see you so that I may be filled with joy. ⁵ I am reminded of your sincere faith, a faith that lived first in your grandmother Lois and your mother Eunice and now, I am sure, lives in you. ⁶ For this reason I remind you to rekindle the gift of God that is within you through the laying on of my hands, ⁷ for God did not give us a spirit of cowardice but rather a spirit of power and of love and of self-discipline. ⁸ Do not be ashamed, then, of the testimony about our Lord or of me his prisoner, but join with me in suffering for the gospel, in the power of God, ⁹ who saved us and called us with a holy calling, not according to our works but according to his own purpose and grace, and this grace was given to us in Christ Jesus before the ages began, ¹⁰ but it has now been revealed through the appearing of our Savior Jesus Christ, who abolished death and brought life and immortality to light through the gospel. ¹¹ For this gospel I was appointed a herald and an apostle and a teacher, ¹² and for this reason I suffer as I do. But I am not ashamed, for I know the one in whom I have put my trust, and I am sure that he is able to guard until that day the deposit I have entrusted to him. ¹³ Hold to the standard of sound teaching that you have heard from me, in the faith and love that are in Christ Jesus. ¹⁴ Guard the good deposit entrusted to you, with the help of the Holy Spirit living in us.

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 seventeenth chapter.

Glory to you, O Lord.

⁵The apostles said to the Lord, “Increase our faith!” ⁶The Lord replied, “If you had faith the size of a mustard seed, you could say to this mulberry tree, ‘Be uprooted and planted in the sea,’ and it would obey you. ⁷“Who among you would say to your slave who has just come in from plowing or tending sheep in the field, ‘Come here at once and take your place at the table’? ⁸Would you not rather say to him, ‘Prepare supper for me; put on your apron and serve me while I eat and drink; later you may eat and drink’? ⁹Do you thank the slave for doing what was commanded? ¹⁰So you also, when you have done all that you were ordered to do, say, ‘We are worthless slaves; we have done only what we ought to have done!’ ”

The gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, O Christ.

SERMON

Pastor Eric Little

HYMN OF THE DAY NO: 733

GREAT IS THY FAITHFULNESS

SERVICE OF HOLY BAPTISM

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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 your 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

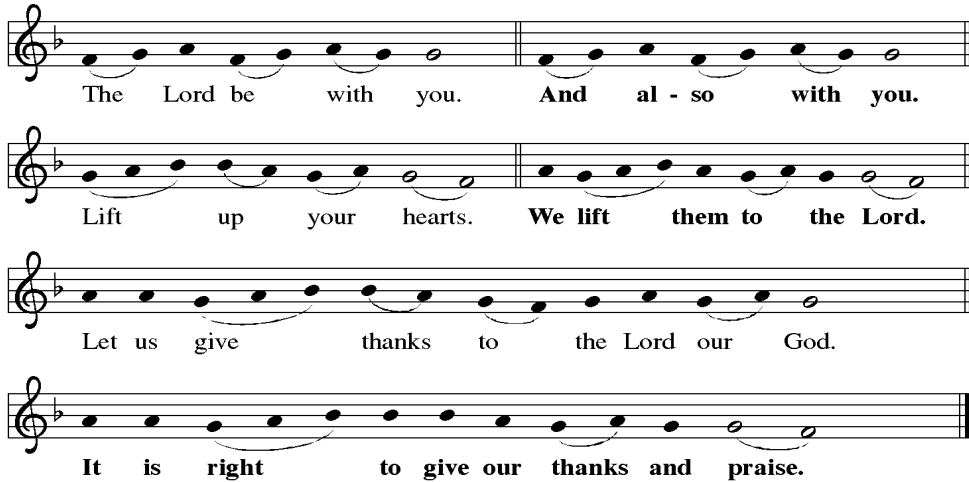
“Praise God, from Whom...”

OFFERING PRAYER



MEAL

DIALOGUE



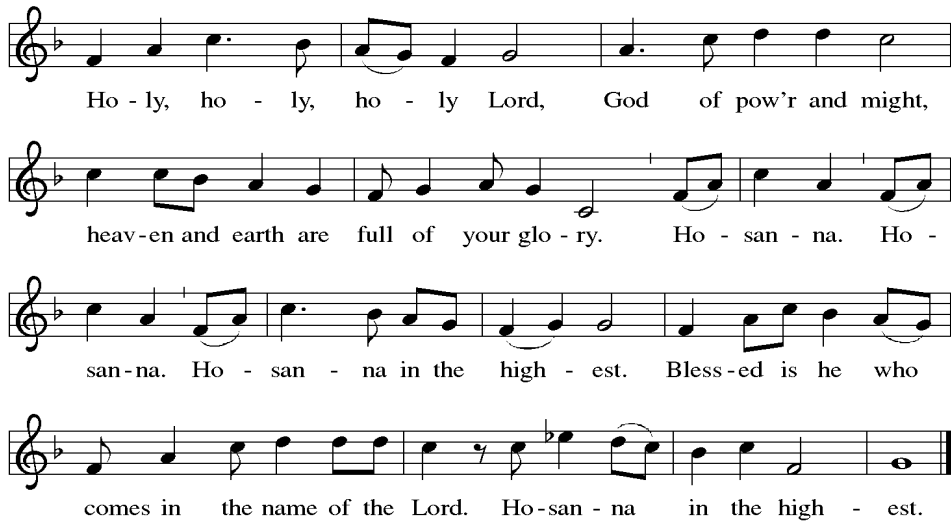
The Lord be with you. And al - so with you.

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:



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow'r and might,
heav-en and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho - san - na. Ho -
san-na. 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.

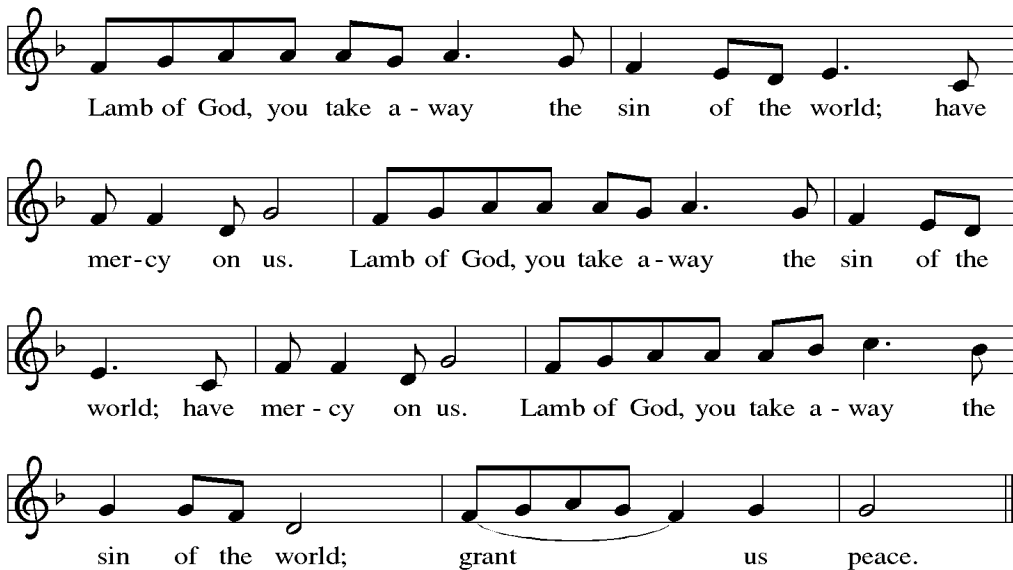
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EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER AND LORD'S PRAYER

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INVITATION TO COMMUNION

COMMUNION SONG



Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the world; have
mer-cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the
world; have mer - cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a - way the
sin of the world; grant us peace.

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: 759

MY FAITH LOOKS UP TO THEE

DISMISSAL

Go in peace. Christ is with you.
Thanks be to God.

Welcome...

to Beverly Isgett who is our supply organist for today.

St. Francis of Assisi...

In honor of St. Francis of Assisi, a Blessing of the Animals service will be held this afternoon 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 or give him a call.

Help needed...

Council wants the congregation to know that as of August 30, 2025 we are running an operational deficit of \$58,131.43 for 2025. Please prayerfully consider how you can help us catch up to support the ministry of this congregation. Any questions, please contact out Treasurer, Jim Gates, our finance chair, Pat Black, or the pastor. Thank you for your continued time, talents, and gifts.

The Sacrament of Holy Baptism...

is being administered today to *Carlyle Doster*, son of *Brantley and Ashley Doster*. May the power of the Holy Spirit be upon Carlyle throughout his life to guide him and strengthen his faith; and may God's presence and blessing always be a part of his home!

RLC Lutheran Men In Mission...

Lutheran Men are excited about the many events we have scheduled:

October:

- Wed. the 8th @ 6:30 pm—Regular Meeting
- Sat. the 11th @ 11:00 am—4:00 pm Cameron Neighborhood Association Fall Festival Catfish Stew Cook—off Competition
- Sun. the 12th @ 11:00 am—Lutheran Men Sunday Service
- Sun. the 26th RLC Fall Festival supporting our Youth Ministries

December:

- 4th @ 7:00 pm—Prime Rib Dinner

It's Budget Time Again...

Resurrection's finance committee will be working on the 2026 budget for council's recommendation and the congregation's approval soon. We request all committees get their 2026 budget requests in to the chairman of the finance committee, Pat Black (patblackjr@aol.com) as soon as possible.

Council Meeting...

will be Sunday, September 14, right after the morning worship service in the Fellowship hall. Please let Richard Smith, Council Chair, and Pastor Eric know whether you can attend.

Fall
FESTIVAL

Hosted by the Resurrection Lutheran Church in Cameron

SUNDAY OCTOBER 26TH, 2025 AT 4:00 PM

TRUNK OR TREAT, FACE PAINTING, GAMES, MUSIC, HAYRIDE,
BOUNCE HOUSE, PIZZA, AND S'MORES!

SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK OF OCTOBER 5, 2025

Today 10:30 am
4:00 pm
Monday 7:00 pm
Wednesday 10:00 am
6:30 pm
Next Sunday 10:00 am
10:30 am
11:00 am
12:00 pm

Adult Choir Practice: RLC
Blessing of the Animals: RLC
Bible Study: SMLC
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LMM Meeting: RLC
Sunday School: RLC
Adult Choir Practice: RLC
Worship: RLC (LMM Sunday)
Council Meeting: RLC



MEMBERS:

Chris Philpot
John Capizzi, III

MILITARY:

Andrew Pekarek

Alison Weeks—Daughter-in-law of Perry and Martha Ann Weeks

SC SYNOD STAFF:

Deacon Kimberly Heindl,
Asst. to the Bishop

Rev. Rick Carter,
Asst. to the Bishop

Rev. Ginny
Aebischer, Bishop

Rev. Yehiel Curry,
Presiding Bishop—ELCA

Kathryn Lamar—mother of Kathy Rast, grandmother of Ansley and Erin

Chris and Clarence Felder—friends of Doug Doster

John Rich—friend of Larry Barwick

BJ Harrelson—mother of Deborah Porth

Emerson Jones—friend of John Capizzi, III

Pete and Pam Lesesne—family of Larry Barwick

Sally Sonne—mother of Peter Sonne

Max Moreno—friend of the Zeigler family and Megan and Will Bozard

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

Matthew Lizewski—friend of Gary Porth

Barbara Ryder—friend of Larry Barwick

David Mellon—brother of Chris Philpot

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