Resurrection Lutheran Church

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" Next Sunday:Richard Smith
Altar Flowers: Gilmore and Peggy Haigler
" Next Sunday:
Nursery: ————————————————————————————————————
" Next Sunday:Emily Ann Evans and Megan Bozard
Acolyte and Crucifer: ————Olivia Turnblad and Sarah Haigler
" Next Sunday: "Monts Burch and Natalie Grace Porth
Altar Guild:Erin Burch, Amanda Johnson, Mallory Baldwin,
Deborah Porth, Kathy Rast, and Dawn Robinson
" Next Month: " Ansley Turnblad, Ashley Stowe, Kathy Stowe, Krystal Zeigler,
······Mims Taylor, Beth Rast, Mallie Shaw, and Julia Sonne
"Ushers: ————————————————————————————————————
Mike Haigler, and Jonathan McLellan
" Next Month: "Drew Evans, Capt., Denny Haigler,
Sandy Houck, and Perry Weeks

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



Resurrection and St. Matthew's Lutheran Parish

Cameron, South Carolina

Christ the King Sunday

November 23, 2025

PRELUDE

SHARING

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

All may make the sign of the cross, the sign that is marked at baptism, as the presiding minister begins. In the name of the Father, and of the + Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

Amen.

God of all mercy and consolation, come to the help of your people, turning us from our sin to live for you alone. Give us the power of your Holy Spirit that we may confess our sin, receive your forgiveness, and grow into the fullness of Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Amen.

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

Silence is kept for reflection.

Most merciful God,

we confess that we are captive to sin and cannot free ourselves. We have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. For the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy name.

Amen.

In the mercy of almighty God, Jesus Christ was given to die for us, and for his sake God forgives us all our sins. As a called and ordained minister of the church of Christ, and by his authority, I therefore declare to you the entire forgiveness of all your sins, in the name of the Father, and of the + Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

Amen.

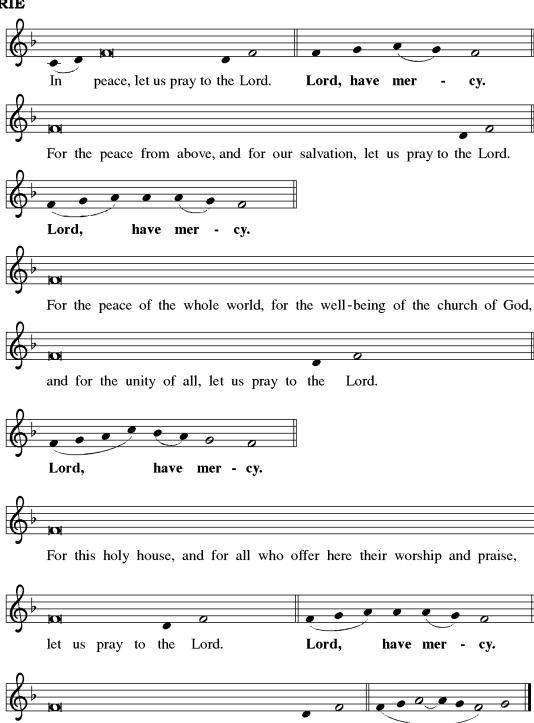
GATHERING HYMN NO: 434 (RLC) 634 (SMLC)

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.

KYRIE



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

men.

CANTICLE OF PRAISE



PRAYER OF THE DAY

O God, our true life, to serve you is freedom, and to know you is unending joy. We worship you, we glorify you, we give thanks to you for your great glory. Abide with us, reign in us, and make this world into a fit habitation for your divine majesty, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Amen.

word Children's Message

FIRST READING: Jeremiah 23:1-6

¹ Woe to the shepherds who destroy and scatter the sheep of my pasture! says the LORD. ² Therefore thus says the LORD, the God of Israel, concerning the shepherds who shepherd my people: It is you who have scattered my flock and have driven them away, and you have not attended to them. So I will attend to you for your evil doings, says the LORD. ³ Then I myself will gather the remnant of my flock out of all the lands where I have driven them, and I will bring them back to their fold, and they shall be fruitful and multiply. ⁴I will raise up shepherds over them who will shepherd them, and they shall no longer fear or be dismayed, nor shall any be missing, says the LORD. ⁵ The days are surely coming, says the LORD, when I will raise up for David a righteous Branch, and he shall reign as king and deal wisely and shall execute justice and righteousness in the land. ⁶ In his days Judah will be saved, and Israel will live in safety. And this is the name by which he will be called: "The LORD is our righteousness."

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

PSALM: Psalm 46 (sung responsively—cantor beginning)

- ¹God is our ref- | uge and strength, a very present | help in trouble.
 - ² Therefore we will not fear, though the | earth be moved, and though the mountains shake in the depths | of the sea;
- ³ though 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.
 - ⁵ God is in the midst of the city; it shall | not be shaken; God shall help it at the | break of day.
 - ⁶ The nations rage, and the | kingdoms shake;

God speaks, and the earth | melts away.

- ⁷The LORD of | hosts is with us; the God of Jacob | is our stronghold.
- 8 Come now, regard the works | of the LORD, what desolations God has brought up- | on the earth;
- 9 behold the one who makes war to cease in | all the world;
 who breaks the bow, and shatters the spear, and burns the | 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.

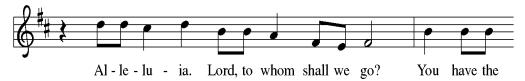
SECOND READING: Colossians 1:11-20

¹¹ May you be made strong with all the strength that comes from his glorious power, so that you may have all endurance and patience, joyfully ¹² giving thanks to the Father, who has enabled you to share in the inheritance of the saints in the light. ¹³ He has rescued us from the power of darkness and transferred us into the kingdom of his beloved Son, ¹⁴ in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins. ¹⁵ He is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn of all creation, ¹⁶ for in him all things in heaven and on earth were created, things visible and invisible, whether thrones or dominions or rulers or powers—all things have been created through him and for him. ¹⁷ He himself is before all things, and in him all things hold together. ¹⁸ He is the head of the body, the church; he is the beginning, the firstborn from the dead, so that he might come to have first place in everything. ¹⁹ For in him all the fullness of God was pleased to dwell, ²⁰ and through him God was pleased to reconcile to himself all things, whether on earth or in heaven, by making peace through the blood of his cross.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION





The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the twenty-third chapter.

Glory to you, O Lord.

³³ When they came to the place that is called The Skull, they crucified Jesus there with the criminals, one on his right and one on his left. ³⁴ [[Then Jesus said, "Father, forgive them, for they do not know what they are doing." And they cast lots to divide his clothing. ³⁵ And the people stood by watching, but the leaders scoffed at him, saying, "He saved others; let him save himself if he is the Messiah of God, his chosen one!" ³⁶ The soldiers also mocked him, coming up and offering him sour wine ³⁷ and saying, "If you are the King of the Jews, save yourself!" 38 There was also an inscription over him, "This is the King of the Jews." ³⁹ One of the criminals who were hanged there kept deriding him and saying, "Are you not the Messiah? Save yourself and us!" ⁴⁰ But the other rebuked him, saying, "Do you not fear God, since you are under the same sentence of condemnation? ⁴¹ And we indeed have been condemned justly, for we are getting what we deserve for our deeds, but this man has done nothing wrong." 42 Then he said, "Jesus, remember me when you come in your kingdom." 43 He replied, "Truly I tell you, today you will be with me in paradise."

The gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, O Christ.

SERMON

Pastor Eric S. Little

HYMN OF THE DAY NO. 838

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PEACE

The peace of Christ be with you always.

And also with you.

OFFERING

SPECIAL MUSIC HYMN NO. 662

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

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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. 855

CROWN HIM WITH MANY CROWNS

DISMISSAL

Go in peace. Serve the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

OFFICIAL NOTICE

Congregational Meetings at Resurrection to be held after the morning worship services on the following dates:

November 30, 2025

Purpose to receive additional nominations from the floor for council members for the term 2026-2028.

December 14, 2025

Purpose to consider and approve the budget for 2026 and to elect council members for the term 2026-2028

January 18, 2026Purpose to receive annual reports and any other business that may come before the congregation.

Memorials Given to

St. Matthew's Lutheran Church

In Memory of

Cecile Smith

Given by:

Beth Stone

Church Flowers....

The beautiful flowers are given in loving memory of Mr. J. Hutto Haigler by His Family.

Pastor Eric...

will be on vacation this week and will be back in the office on December 2, 2025.

Bible Study...

There will be no bible study for the next two weeks (Nov. 24th & 26th and Dec. 1st & 3rd). Bible study will resume the week of December 8, 2025.

The Community Thanksgiving Service...

will be held this evening here at Resurrection Lutheran Church. A light supper will be at 6 pm and the service will begin at 7 pm.

Lutheran Men in Mission...

met on Wednesday November 11 for our regular meeting. We enjoyed fellowship while discussing plans for upcoming opportunities to serve our Church, congregation and community. A traditional Thanksgiving meal was served to include butter bean pie. We are excited to again hold our prime rib dinner on December 4. Please see Jim Gates or Richard Smith for tickets. Upcoming Lutheran Men's events include a congregation wide breakfast before the December 21, 2925 morning service. We encourage men of the congregation to join us for our planned events and regular meetings.

ALERT!...

The annual Christmas Angel Trees have arrived and are in the Fellowship Hall at Resurrection. Further instructions will come later. Thanks to all for assisting the Care Ministry Team with this very special project for our parish to help support needy children in our community.

World Hunger Slips...

You may still give a memorial or honor donation for world Hunger until December 1st.

Children and Youth Sunday...

is coming! The children and youth of the church will be taking over our morning service on December 14th at RLC! This is a Sunday you don't want to miss! Dinner will immediately follow the morning worship service on Dec. 14th. Everyone is asked to bring a side and dessert. The church will provide the meat.

The Proposed Budget...

for 2026 will be on the table by the fellowship hall. If you have any questions, please contact Jim Gates or Pat Black.



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SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK OF NOVEMBER 23, 2025

Today	10:00 am	Children's Christmas Program practice: RLC
·	6:00 pm	Community Thanksgiving Supper: RLC
	7:00 pm	Community Thanksgiving Service: RLC
Next Sunday	9:00 am	Worship: SMLC
·	10:00 am	Sunday School: SMLC
	10:00 am	Children's Christmas Program practice: RLC
	10:00 am	Sunday School: RLC
	11:00 am	Worship: RLC
	12:00 pm	Congregational Meeting: RLC



MEMBERS:

Chris Philpot John Capizzi, III Mary Lynd Heape

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. Yehiel Curry, Presiding Bishop—ELCA

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 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

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David Adden—friend of the Community
Nan Barwick—mother of Larry Barwick
Kathryn Lamar—mother of Kathy Rast, grandmother of Ansley and Erin
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
Virginia Moore—friend of David Rast
Gary Ryder—friend of Larry Barwick