

# Resurrection Lutheran Church

By Grace Through Faith For Service

Fifth Sunday in Lent

March 21, 2021

## Prayers of the Church: (\*RLC Members)

### Ongoing Prayers

*Diane Cuper	*Eve Sommers	*David Brooks	*Anne Altieri
*Charlotte Raines	Stephanie Samuels	Ava Conklin	*Helen Puza
*Eric Hammergren	Frank Grace	Helen Wolf	*Anita Moore
*Vern Ebert	Dennis	*John Shaeffer	Shirley Fanger
Lois Keiper	*Aaron	*Marcus	*Malcolm
LaVerne	Ruth Bloedorn	Darcey	*Sandy Nigg
Chobanian Family	Bradley B.	Maureen B.	*Lynne Hoffman
Michael Flannery	Marc & Elizabeth Langefeld's Baby Adoption		

### Ongoing Cancer Treatments

Jeff Marshall	Carol & Frank	Don	Craig	Rachel
*Mike Allen	Anne Price	Bill	Rob	Rene
*Gary Ferro	Angie Price	Beth	Hope	Jack
Linda Gilson	Alison Zieglmeier	Jen E.	Carol Diliberto	
Roseanne Candiello	Sandy Mary	Hazel	Dave Paul	
Margie Galloway	Sheri Gloria	Jackie	Carol Pfitzinger	
Thomas Leister	Jim Metz	Janice Sommers		

### For Expectant Moms

Angela \*Holly Molly Leah \*Stacy

### Those Prayed For on March 14<sup>th</sup>

#### For the Sick

- \*Jaime Oesterling, \*Dennis Merrill, Barbara, Chris, Roberto, Douglas, Michael, Kay, David H., Kimmy Fix, Carla J., Ken, Herman, Harold, Gavin, Mara, Cliff
- All with cancer/leukemia, \*Doug Spitz, \*Rev. Art Beyer, Miriam Beyer, June, Patrick, Joe, Jackie, Phyllis, Dorothy Card, Janice Sommers (\*Eve's daughter), Tricia, Fernley Wagner (\*Dawn Leister's dad), Scott Brinkley
- Children with cancer and other chronic health conditions, especially Ansley, Hunter Stocks, Henry Otten (\*Pat & Mark Otten's grandson)
- Those ill or recovering with Covid-19, especially the \*Haertling family, Elijah, Jerry & Caroline, Carlos & his family in Peru

#### For Those Recovering from Surgeries and/or Procedures

- \*Pam Dickson, Lisa (\*Terri Nance's sister), \*Bill Kretzschmar, Josh Rochester

#### For Those Who Mourn

- Family of Paul Coleman (VDC Community)
- Family of Margie Galloway (\*Trudy Haertling's aunt)
- Family of Lois Kahre (\*Marilyn Hahne's sister-in-law)
- Family of Anne Ashmore (\*Jason Ashmore's mother)
- Family of \*Linda Cook (loss of mother)

#### For Protection, Wisdom, and Discernment

- RLC Associate Pastor Call committee
- Expectant parents, especially Sarah, Molly, \*Stacy, \*Holly, and Leah
- Family transitions, especially the Tyler family and others
- LeeAnn Hirt and family
- Those searching for jobs, especially the \*Kopola family and Trevor Card
- Margie & Jim, health concerns
- Families making educational decisions for the coming school year
- Safe In-Utero Surgery for Baby Kobe

#### For Provision, Peace, Strength, and Patient Endurance

- Seminary graduate placements and RLC's potential call
- Teens struggling with mental health concerns, especially Maegan, Maddie
- All college and high school graduates with virtual graduations
- Teachers returning to in person and/or hybrid teaching
- Deb and family; Jacob and his family



FIFTH SUNDAY  
in  
LENT

The Bible is filled with promises. Unlike the promises we make, and do not keep, God keeps His Promises. All the promises ultimately point to Jesus Christ. In Christ, our Lord has kept every promise to us --- forgiveness, life, and salvation. Christ came not to be served

but to serve and give His Life as a ransom for many. The path we follow will be shaped by the cross and will demonstrate the same loving service that we have received in Christ.

### Thanking God Today

- First class of 20 pastors graduating from Lutheran Church of Uganda seminary
- Last radiation treatments for Maureen
- Those healing from COVID and more opportunities for vaccinations
- The blessings of the Abide Virtual Prayer Retreat
- Son's promotion
- House closings, house purchases, and safe moves
- Pastor Jon's ministry in Kinston, offering Zoom worship and parking lot communion
- National Lutheran Schools week, especially our schools at RLC
- Crossways class completion, especially for Mel Tolliver's and Todd Trautman's leadership
- Sherry Buser's Birthday
- Beautiful, Warm Sunshine and Spring Flowers

### Ongoing Prayers

- Those awaiting results of medical tests
- Healthcare workers worldwide-our members serving in area hospitals
- Mental health caregivers
- First responders, firefighters, and rescue workers across the nation
- All current military personnel - our members serving currently
- Those struggling with mental illness, isolation, and loneliness, especially those living alone or in long term care
- Churches with pastoral vacancies and the call process
- Our US President and Vice President, NC Governor, Congressional representatives, and local Wake Co. officials
- Pastor Jonathan and Juli, Vicar Alan and family, church and school staff, teachers, and area pastors
- RLC leadership as we continue to move forward during this season
- Stephen Ministry at RLC

### For Our Missionaries

- Mark and Megan Mantey, Uganda
- Shauen and Krista Trump, Kenya
- JP and Aimee Cima, Cambodia

*Lord Jesus, thank You for Your abiding Presence and saving grace. All is in Your Hands. We trust You are working all things according to Your good plan and purposes, and with that trust and confidence, we release these prayers to You. In Your Holy Name, Amen.*



Join us online for worship **live**  
**Sunday at 8:00 am and 11:00 am!**

Connect through our YouTube channel at  
[youtube.com/ResurrectionLutheranChurchCaryNC](https://youtube.com/ResurrectionLutheranChurchCaryNC)  
 or through our website at  
[rlcary.org/about-us/online-worship](http://rlcary.org/about-us/online-worship).

### Easter Flowers and Plants

The flowers and plants will be used to decorate all of the Easter services.

Orders and checks need to be received **by Sunday, March 21**.  
 Please include the name with "In Memory of" or "In Honor of".



Lilies - \$15

Hydrangeas - \$20  
 Blue, Purple, Pink, or White

Azaleas (Pink) - \$25

You may email your order to [office@rlcary.org](mailto:office@rlcary.org) and drop off check made **payable to RLC** to the church office or mail to 100 W. Lochmere Drive, Cary NC 27518.

Pick up after worship on Easter, April 4 during church office hours (Monday, Wednesday, Friday from 9:00 am-3:00 pm).

Questions? Contact the church office ([office@rlcary.org](mailto:office@rlcary.org) or 919-851-7248).

### LENTEN MIDWEEK WORSHIP

#### ***In the Footsteps of Jesus***

*Of all religious beliefs in the world, past or present, none have more thoroughly based themselves on history than Judaism and Christianity...[involving] real people, living in real places, who acted in real events of the past" (Paul Maier, In the Fulness of Time, xv).*

*Come take a journey of faith with us as we visit the real places inhabited and hear the real words spoken by the Son of God, our Savior, Jesus Christ. This Lenten season, we seek God's grace together as we walk, in the footsteps of Jesus, to Calvary's cross.*

**Join us Wednesday evenings at 6:00 pm  
 February 24 to March 24 as we gather  
 for Evening Prayer and quietly give thanks  
 to God for all Jesus did to win salvation for us.**



**Week 5: House of Caiaphas/The Dungeon**  
 Mark 14:53-72

In-person worship will be limited.

To attend, please sign up here:

<https://bit.ly/3k3x8We>

Services will also be live streamed. To view:  
[youtube.com/resurrectionlutheranchurchcarync](https://youtube.com/resurrectionlutheranchurchcarync)

Weekly Announcements Deadline: Thursday  
 Submit to [Susan.Moore@RLCary.org](mailto:Susan.Moore@RLCary.org).



## Holy Week Observances and Easter Celebrations

### Passion/Palm Weekend

*Saturday, March 27*

6:00 pm Worship with Holy Communion in the Sanctuary

*Sunday, March 28*

8:00 am Sanctuary Festival Worship with Holy Communion\*

11:00 am Praise and Worship with Holy Communion in the Family Life Center\*

### Maundy/Holy Thursday

*Thursday, April 1*

4:00 pm Worship with Holy Communion in the Sanctuary

7:00 pm Worship with Holy Communion in the Sanctuary\* ~ First Communion for Fifth Grade Students

### Good Friday

*Friday, April 2*

12:00 pm Worship in the Sanctuary

7:00 pm Tenebrae Service in the Sanctuary\*

### Easter Weekend

*Saturday, April 3*

6:00 pm Family Easter Vigil in the Prayer Garden

*Sunday, April 4*

8:00 am\*, 9:30 am Sanctuary Easter Festival Worship with Holy Communion

11:00 am Praise and Worship with Holy Communion in the Family Life Center\*

***To sign up for in-person attendance, [rlcary.org/about-us/easter-worship](http://rlcary.org/about-us/easter-worship).***

***\*These services will be live streamed. Connect through our YouTube channel at [youtube.com/ResurrectionLutheranChurchCaryNC](http://youtube.com/ResurrectionLutheranChurchCaryNC).***



### Holy Week and Easter Items Pick Up

We will have two pick up days for Palm branches, Easter bags for children, and communion sets on **Wednesday, March 24 and Friday, March 26 from 9:00 am-3:00 pm.**

Contact the church office ([office@rlcary.org](mailto:office@rlcary.org), 919-851-7248) with any questions.

**The Trustee Work Party** plans to be distributing pine straw to beautify the Resurrection campus on **Saturday, March 27.** Please join us at 8:30 am with a mask, gloves, and pocket knife to help distribute 100+ bales of pine straw. We will be preparing the church for Palm Sunday and Easter Sunday.

### Stay Connected Through Online Zoom Meetings!

**Prayer Community** - Mondays, 11:00 am  
Contact: Barb Shimmel

**Men's Ministry** - Mondays, 7:00 pm  
Contact: Tom Gebbia ([mens-ministry@rlcary.org](mailto:mens-ministry@rlcary.org))

**Women's Bible Study** - Mondays, 7:00 pm  
Contact: Jamee Thieme

**Bagel Bunch** - Tuesdays, 7:30 am  
Contact: Dan Shaltanis

**Pastor's Bible Class of Weekly Readings** - Tuesdays, 10:30 am  
Contact: Pastor Jonathan ([jonathan.blanke@rlcary.org](mailto:jonathan.blanke@rlcary.org))

Through RCB, join the group you are interested in or email the group leader prior to the start time to receive instructions on how to join the online meeting.

Questions? Contact the church office ([office@rlcary.org](mailto:office@rlcary.org), 919-851-7248).

### Reaching Out with the Love of Christ to All People through Lent Offerings

Each Season of Lent, RLC designates a few ministries to support in reaching out with Christ's love to all people.

This year, the following organizations were chosen:

#### Lutheran Hour Ministries

A trusted resource in global media that equips and engages a vibrant volunteer base to passionately proclaim the Gospel to more than 125 million people worldwide each week. Through its North American headquarters and ministry centers on six continents, LHM reaches into more than 50 countries, often bringing Christ to places where no other Christian evangelistic organizations are present. LHM's flagship ministry, The Lutheran Hour®, airs weekly on more than 1,800 radio stations and the American Forces Network.

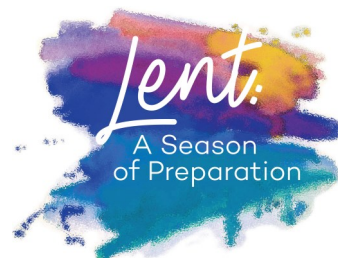
#### Hope International

To invest in the dreams of families in the world's underserved communities as we proclaim and live the Gospel. We share the hope of Christ as we provide biblically based training, savings services, and loans that restore dignity and break the cycle of poverty. The love of Jesus Christ motivates us to identify with those living in poverty and be His hands and feet as we strive to glorify God.

#### Inter-Faith Food Shuttle

A member of the Feeding America National Network of Food Banks. We recover and distribute food to our low-income neighbors, but we know putting food on a plate is not enough. We also provide programs designed to empower people with skills to meet their own food needs through culinary job training, beginner gardening, and cooking healthy on a budget. We feed, teach, and grow to create a hunger-free and healthy community.

Please use Lent Offering envelopes or indicate 'Lent Offering' on memo of checks. Offerings began on the First Sunday in Lent, February 21.



**Adult Christian Education Class**  
**Sunday Mornings at 9:30 am via Zoom**  
**Part 3: The Movement Started March 14**

Session guide can be downloaded here:

**[A Man Named Martin - Part 3: The Movement](#)**

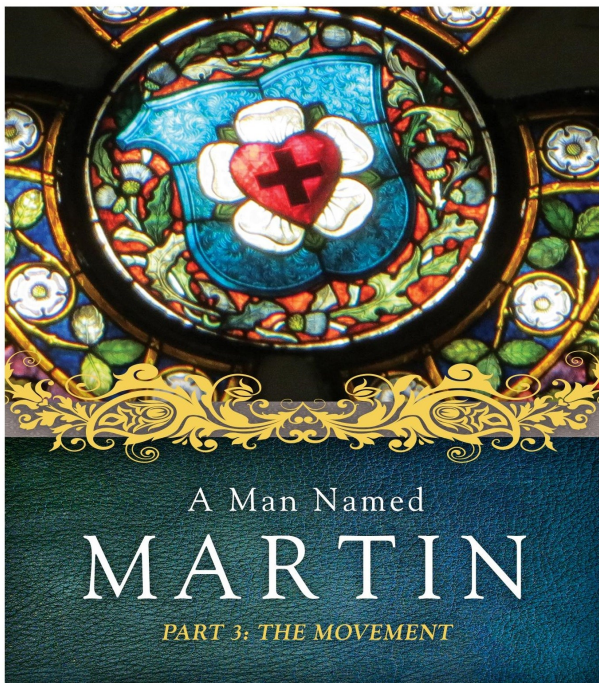
They are also available in the church office.

Watch the trailer video here:

**[RightNow Media - A Man Named Martin](#)**  
**[Part 3: The Movement](#)**

Zoom invitations will be sent on Sunday mornings prior to class through your RCB email, after you have registered. All who attended the Part 2 classes are already registered for Part 3, but newcomers are welcome.

To register, contact the church office at [office@rlcary.org](mailto:office@rlcary.org) or 919-851-7248.



From Luther's 95 Theses in 1517 to the Peace of Westphalia in 1648, God was at work in the Reformation. Fierce debates over Scripture, church doctrine, and late medieval church practice led to theological positions articulating salvation as God's grace in action, with man being left to add nothing to his own salvation. In *A Man Named Martin--Part 3: The Movement*, viewers will see how the Reformation transformed European society and, eventually, left a profound impression around the globe.



# COUNT ME IN!

## REACH OUR GOAL OF 50 PLEDGES



2021 is shaping up to be a busy year at Resurrection. We foresee opening our church campus to a new worship and small group schedule this fall. We look forward to engaging more intentionally with our local neighborhoods in person. And, following our most recent church meeting, we have submitted call documents for one of three candidates soon-to-graduate Concordia Seminary, St. Louis as our new Associate Pastor! All of it, of course, is not possible without the prayer, love, and support of all of you.

All Resurrection members are invited to stand up and be counted. Last year our Stewardship Pledge Drive resulted in 75 of the roughly 400 households of our congregation pledging to support the mission and ministry at RLC with a portion of their income. If you or your family were one of those 75 households, thank you. You are all set! But there are at least 300 households who were not able to join us in this challenge last year. **We have set a goal of adding 50 NEW pledges--people who have never made a pledge to RLC--to the 75 or so gathered last November.** The pledge will be for monies spent in the period beginning July 2021 (fiscal 2022). Asking 50 out of 300 family units to stand up and be counted is a modest goal. We can do this!

If you did not take part in the November 2020 pledge event, we invite you to fill out and return the pledge card or submit the pledge form online at [rlcary.org/ministries/count-me-in](http://rlcary.org/ministries/count-me-in).

Looking forward--together with you--to seeing our member involvement grow in this new season of RLC's life together!



## MEN'S MINISTRY

**DAY of  
SERVICE**

### Plan to Attend a Day of Service at Camp Agape on Saturday, March 20!

Details are still being refined but we will begin between 8:00 am and 8:30 am with breakfast and a devotion, followed by a variety of service projects.

We will come back together for a mid-day meal and devotion, followed by project wrap up and fellowship.

The service projects range from bridge repair, trail mulching, basketball court striping, and more.

(This event is in lieu of the annual Men's Retreat.)

If interested or have questions, contact Tom Gebbia at [mens-ministry@rlcary.org](mailto:mens-ministry@rlcary.org).

## Men's Ministry



### Join Us on Mondays at 7:00 pm for Fellowship and Study!

Mark Otten will lead a study, *Standing Tall - Developing a Leader's Heart Through the Book of Nehemiah*, currently on RightNow Media.

The book of Nehemiah is one of the greatest sources for leadership development that has ever been written. This series helps us discover from Nehemiah himself, the heart and means of leading others to accomplish the impossible.

If you would like to be added to the group, please contact Mark Otten or Tom Gebbia through RCB. You can also email [mens-ministry@rlcary.org](mailto:mens-ministry@rlcary.org).

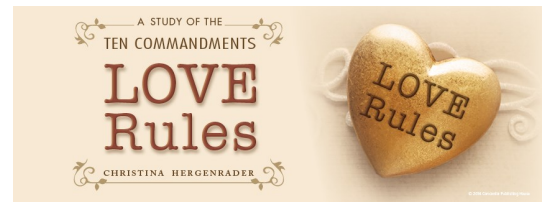
## Thank You!

I wanted to send a note of thanks for the generous gift we received from the Resurrection congregation. On behalf of the Mid-Atlantic Lutherans in Mission (MALIM) Board, we are very grateful for your partnership in our efforts to move God's mission forward!

Tim Fangmeier, MALIM President

## Women's Bible Study — March 8-May 24, 2021

The Monday Night Women's Bible Study will begin a new study on Monday, March 8 at 7:00 pm via Zoom.



*Love Rules* tells the story of spiritual transformation, shows how God wants us to love better, and helps us see how we can. This Bible study addresses one commandment each week, then follows up with four devotions that approach the topic from different angles. The readings take a what does this mean approach by asking open-ended questions and providing related Bible readings.

Study guides are available through Concordia Publishing House, Amazon, or ChristianBook.com.

If you would like to be added to the group, please contact Sharon Hahne or Jamee Thieme through RCB.

## Resurrection Service Project (RSP)

assists elderly, infirmed, those in financial difficulty, others in our community with home maintenance and repairs.



Contact Tim Hiteshew through RCB or the church office (919-851-7248, [office@rlcary.org](mailto:office@rlcary.org)).

**Are you someone who wants to learn more from the Bible?** Has it ever “dawned on you” that nothing has ever dawned on God? He knew before the world began that His people would face hardship, so He gave us His Word. The Book of Ephesians is a survival manual—it equips believers to thrive in a world that hates the message of Jesus Christ. Paul the Apostle writes to encourage believers to live well—we’ve been lifted from the graveyard of sin and called to shout the gospel into the darkened world.

**Join us after our Midweek Lenten worship  
on Wednesdays, 7:30-8:30 pm  
from February 24-April 28 via Zoom!**

Class is led by Mindy Stephani. Register with church office.

To view the trailer or download the study guides:  
[RightNow Media : The Book of Ephesians : J.D. Greear](#)



### Mites for Missions

We are still collecting Mites for Missions, but changed the procedure in 2021.

Mite boxes with coins and currency can be placed in Donna Krupcale’s church mailbox, if you happen to be at church. There is also a large collection box on the information table in the Narthex.

Gifts can also be made by check, **payable to RLW**, placed in Donna Krupcale's church mailbox *OR* mailed directly to Donna at church.

*Donna Krupcale  
% Resurrection Lutheran Church  
100 Lochmere Drive West  
Cary NC 27518*

**Thank you for supporting the mission grants of Lutheran Women in Mission!** We want to make sure that all the mission grants are fully funded and missions are supported. If you need a Mite box, contact either Donna Krupcale or Jamee Thieme through RCB.



**Take control of your money  
with *Financial Peace University*!**

This nine-lesson class uses biblical wisdom and common sense to help you tackle budgeting, pay off debt, and make your money work for you!

The Zoom classes, led by Bob Williams, will **start on April 15**. Cost is \$60 per couple. Assistance will be offered to anyone interested in the class, but are unable to pay the sign up fee.

Please register with the church office at [office@rlcary.org](mailto:office@rlcary.org) or 919-851-7248.

### Items Needed

Church member looking to borrow or buy a rollator and/or counter microwave. Please contact Dawn at 919-632-9473.

We are grateful for all who are able to maintain financial contributions to our congregation!

There are four ways to make your offering:

- Place in offering plate as you exit the in-person worship service
- Mail to Resurrection Lutheran Church, 100 Lochmere Drive West, Cary, NC 27518
- Online Giving through our church website at [www.rlcary.org/ministries/online-giving](http://www.rlcary.org/ministries/online-giving)
- Download the “GivePlus+” APP, search for Resurrection Lutheran Church, transfer funds from your checking or savings account to RLC.

Questions? Contact [finance@rlcary.org](mailto:finance@rlcary.org).



After months of hostings being stalled due to Covid, the Hursts were thrilled to get the call in August of an opportunity to serve again as a host family. This young mother had a six month old baby with no support from friends or family. SFFC supported her as she worked the hours required to qualify for a Wake County daycare voucher.

During the following several months, we babysat her baby boy three to five times a week and our family of six fell in love with her sweet son and enjoyed our time with him. As time went on, we grew in our friendship with his momma and were honored to be able to assist her during this time of crisis.

This hopeful young momma now has steady employment, her son is in daycare, she is working on many other goals such as drivers ed and starting a small business selling key chains.

It was also a blessing to us to witness others serve this young mother in so many ways to help get her back on her feet, such as replacing her broken bed, babysitting when we couldn't and taking her to multiple medical appointments.

It is such a delight to see her be able to love and care for her boy and pursue her dreams all while becoming more and more stable. Her son just celebrated his first birthday and our circle of support was able to come together and celebrate.

Even though our hosting has officially ended, we are so thankful that our friendship with her and her baby has continued.

## as time went on we grew in our friendship with each other

HOST FAMILY TESTIMONY



## SFFC Current Hostings

SURROUNDING FAMILIES  
WITH CARING,  
COMPASSIONATE COMMUNITY.

 Safe Families  
for Children  
Surrounding families in crisis with  
caring, compassionate community

- ◆ Southbridge Church is currently hosting a 4 year old child.
- ◆ Resurrection Lutheran Church is currently hosting 2 children, 4 and 6 years old.
- ◆ Resurrection Lutheran Church and Summit Apex are currently hosting 2 children, 1 and 2 years old.
- ◆ Christ the King Church is currently hosting 1 child, 9 months old.
- ◆ Church of the Apostles is currently hosting 1 child, 2 months old.

**25+ volunteers supporting these hostings  
and a few more needed!**

Interested in Learning More about the Volunteer Approval Process? [Check out the "Where Do I Start" Document.](#)

Contact Dan Shaltanis through RCB for more information.



### Chainsaw Safety and Fundamentals Class

Interested in serving in disaster response, specifically chainsaw work and debris clearing? Would you like to learn how to operate a chainsaw safely and effectively? Even if you've never operated a chainsaw before, that's OK!

On **Saturday, March 20**, Hope Lutheran Church in Wake Forest will host an all day (8:30 am-4:00 pm) Chainsaw Safety and Fundamentals class, which includes classroom instruction in the morning and hands-on training in the afternoon. Current pandemic health/safety protocols (face coverings, social distancing) will be employed throughout the day. Participants will learn the ins and outs of safety in the chainsaw environment, both from an operator and bystander perspective, proper Personal Protective Equipment (PPE), basic chainsaw maintenance, and cutting techniques.

Even if you've taken a similar course before, this class offers various new material and will be a great 'refresher' for anyone who's looking to hone their experience.

Please contact Alex Schandert at [alex.schandert@gmail.com](mailto:alex.schandert@gmail.com) or 919-697-1493 to sign up, or if you have any questions about the class.



### Camp Agape Spring Golf Outing

(in-person or virtual)

**Monday, April 19**

**8:30 am Tee Off  
Box Lunch on Course**

Format: Captain's Choice at Lochmere Golf Club  
Cost: \$90 Single, \$350 Foursome, \$50 Virtual

*Always lots of fun!*

Raising Funds for Camp Agape Campership Fund

Contact Brenda Peterson through RCB or the church office (919-851-7248, [office@rlcary.org](mailto:office@rlcary.org)).

Upper Elementary honoring our essential workers!

RLS families show our healthcare professionals some well deserved gratitude at WakeMed! Thank you for keeping us safe.



*Thank you to every RLS family for your amazing participation in our National Lutheran Schools Week service project!*

*We were thrilled with all the items donated to create care bags for the healthcare heroes in the WakeMed Intensive Care Unit.*

*Our families donated gift cards, lotions, snacks, gum, water bottle flavorings, pop sockets, pens, protein bars, thank you notes... and the list goes on.*

*With your generosity, we were able to provide thank you care bags to the entire 73 members of the WakeMed ICU nursing team!*

*Resurrection Lutheran School is committed to educating generations of children in the training and instruction of the Lord. Because of this commitment, we will provide a Lutheran educational experience that is Christ-centered as well as academically focused for children in junior kindergarten through eighth grade.*

## Children and Family Ministry

Questions you may have regarding any of these programs or events can be directed to Director of Infant and Family Ministry, [MaryAnn.Unger@rlcary.org](mailto:MaryAnn.Unger@rlcary.org) or Director of Children's Ministry, [Lea.Webb@rlcary.org](mailto:Lea.Webb@rlcary.org).



We are providing Sunday School virtually for children through 8th grade. Everything is on the website at [rlcary.org](http://rlcary.org), under Ministries on the **Sunday School for Kids** webpage.

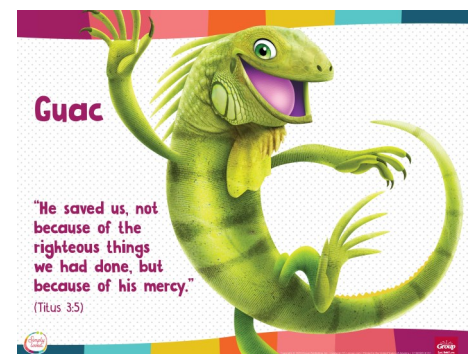
**For children through 4th grade**, we are using the *Simply Loved* curriculum. In this third unit, our Bible point is Jesus takes care of us... yay! Jesus!! We meet another Bible buddy, Guac the Iguana, and learn the memory verse, Titus 3:5.

In the video this week, we talk about how *Jesus Calls the Storm (Never Fear, Jesus is Here)*, Mark 4:35-41.

You can watch the video at home anytime and it will be available for a few weeks for your convenience.

**For children, 5th-8th grade**, we continue with *Connect* by Sparkhouse. The current unit is *The Apostle*.

**Join Ms. Sandy via Zoom on Sundays, 9:30 am!**  
An email will be sent with the Zoom link.



**Plan to join us for Sunday School fun!**

Contact Ms. Lea at [lea.webb@rlcary.org](mailto:lea.webb@rlcary.org) with any questions.



**Virtual Seder Meal**

**Wednesday, March 31 at 6:00 pm**

Fifth grade students and families, we will be celebrating our Seder Meal virtually this year.

Please see the shopping list and brief video from Chef Kim at [rlcary.org/ministries/children-and-family-ministry](http://rlcary.org/ministries/children-and-family-ministry) to be prepared with what is needed to fully participate in your home.

Questions? Contact [MaryAnn.Unger@rlcary.org](mailto:MaryAnn.Unger@rlcary.org).



**First Communion ~ Maundy/Holy Thursday**  
**Thursday, April 1 at 7:00 pm**

Fifth grade Communicants who participated in the classes will celebrate their First Communion during the Maundy/Holy Thursday worship service on April 1 at 7:00 pm in the Sanctuary.

Questions? Contact [MaryAnn.Unger@rlcary.org](mailto:MaryAnn.Unger@rlcary.org).

## Student Ministry

Questions you may have regarding any of these programs or events can be directed to Middle School Youth Director, [LeAnn.Trautman@rlcary.org](mailto:LeAnn.Trautman@rlcary.org) or High School Youth Director, [Jenny.Piontek@rlcary.org](mailto:Jenny.Piontek@rlcary.org).

### Ignite (6<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> Grades)

God blessed St. Patrick greatly as he returned to Ireland and taught, served, and ministered to the people. St. Patrick lived his years as a great example for us today. But he didn't live it out simply by "the luck of the Irish", but through God's presence and supreme power. We are not lucky, we are blessed.



#### Upcoming Events:

**Sunday, March 21 - 1:30-3:00 pm - IN-PERSON ALL GRADES (6th/7th/8th) - How Lucky We Are!** - RLC Parking Lot (20 youth)  
We will be doing this event on Sunday afternoon to have more sunshine and possibly warmer weather.

[www.signupgenius.com/go/20f0f4fa4a62c7-ignite5](http://www.signupgenius.com/go/20f0f4fa4a62c7-ignite5)

**Friday, April 9 - 6:30-8:00 pm - IN-PERSON ALL GRADES (6th/7th/8th) - Hop To It!** - RLC Parking Lot (20 youth)

[www.signupgenius.com/go/20f0f4fa4a62c7-ignite7](http://www.signupgenius.com/go/20f0f4fa4a62c7-ignite7)

**Friday, April 16 - 7:00-8:00 pm - Fun Friday Zoom!**

Link will be sent out the week of the event. All are welcome to join!

**Friday, April 23 - 6:30-8:00 pm - IN-PERSON ALL GRADES (6th/7th/8th) - It's Spring!** - RLC Parking Lot (20 youth)

[www.signupgenius.com/go/20f0f4fa4a62c7-its](http://www.signupgenius.com/go/20f0f4fa4a62c7-its)

Have a wonderful weekend!

Ms. LeAnn

### Breakaway (9<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> Grades)

**Sunday, March 21**      9:30 am    Connection Café  
                                 4:00 pm    Breakaway (In-Person, Parking Lot)

**Wednesday, March 24**    7:30 pm    Open Zoom

As always if you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to reach out. Stay safe and well!

Joyfully His,  
Ms. Jenny





### Preschool CAMPS continue!

Much fun was had last week by children as well as Staff~ giggles, smiles, and movement with friends.  
Our next Camp is in April.



Our next Camp is in **April**  
Children born before August 2017 are eligible.

Spots are filling fast.

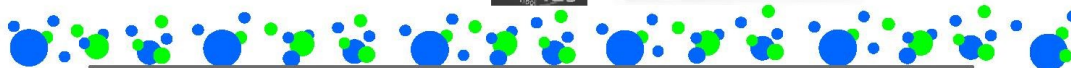
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March 15<sup>th</sup>-18<sup>th</sup>  
(weather makeup: March 22<sup>nd</sup> - 25<sup>th</sup>)  
April 12<sup>th</sup>-15<sup>th</sup>  
(weather makeup: April 19<sup>th</sup> - 22<sup>nd</sup>)  
May 3<sup>rd</sup>-6<sup>th</sup>  
May 24<sup>th</sup>-27<sup>th</sup>

**SUMMER CAMPS**

June 7<sup>th</sup>- 10<sup>th</sup>  
June 14<sup>th</sup>-17<sup>th</sup>  
June 21<sup>st</sup>-24<sup>th</sup>  
?July 26<sup>th</sup>-29<sup>th</sup> May 3<sup>rd</sup>-6<sup>th</sup>  
(tbd on Staffing/facility's schedule)



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at Resurrection Lutheran

for the 2021-22 preschool year continues at RLP.

Openings are available in our **transitional-kindergarten** (young 5-year-old), **4-year-old**, **3-year-old**, and **2-year-old** classes; however, some classes are getting close to full.



Email or call to **ENROLL** or

\*Individual, safely distanced **TOURS** provided by appointment.



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*We are blessed to be able to offer an age-appropriate, learning through play, loving, and Christian environment for our community's children to begin their educational journey and foster a love for learning.*



## FIFTH SUNDAY IN LENT

**In-Person Worship Attendance**

Saturday, March 13, 6:00 pm - 37

Sunday, March 14, 8:00 am - 29

Sunday, March 14, 11:00 am - 56

Wednesday, March 17, 6:00 pm - 41

**Total In-Person Worship: 163****Views of Online Worship at RLC's YouTube Channel**

Sunday, March 14

8:00 am - 187 views      11:00 am - 65 views

Lenten Midweek, March 17

6:00 pm - 49 views

**Total Online Views: 301**

*Most households consist of more than one person,  
so each view probably indicated at least 2 people, if not more.  
What a way to share God's love during this time!*

**General Fund Giving and Spending - February 2021**

	<u>Current Month</u>	<u>Year to Date</u>
General Receipts	\$ 78,521.12	\$ 780,037.71
Total Disbursements	<u>\$ 93,361.68</u>	<u>\$ 758,132.83</u>
Receipts Less Disbursements	\$-14,840.56	\$ 21,904.88
Last Week's Offerings		\$29,093.73
Average Weekly Giving for 2020/21		\$22,286.79
Average Weekly Giving Budgeted for 2020/21		\$23,750.00

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**Calendar for the Week of March 21-28****Sunday**

8:00 am	Worship/Holy Communion, Sanctuary
9:30 am	Sunday School for Kids, Online
9:30 am	Breakaway Connection Café, Online
9:30 am	Adult Christian Education, Online
11:00 am	Praise Worship, FLC
12:30 pm	Small Group Communion, Sanctuary
1:00 pm	Oromo Ev. Lutheran, Fellowship Hall
1:30 pm	Ignite, All Grades, Parking Lot
3:30 pm	Mekane Yesus, Fellowship Hall
4:00 pm	Breakaway, Parking Lot
5:30 pm	Stephen Ministry Sunday Group, Online
6:30 pm	7th Grade Confirmation, Online

**Monday**

11:00 am	Prayer Community, Online
7:00 pm	Men's Ministry Bible Study, Online
7:00 pm	Women's Bible Study, Online

**Tuesday**

10:30 am	Tuesday Morning Bible Study, Online
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**Wednesday**

9:00 am	RLS Chapel, Sanctuary and Online
10:00 am	Piecemakers Quilting, Room 151
12:00 pm	Church Staff Meeting, Online
6:00 pm	Lenten Midweek Service, Sanctuary
7:00 pm	8th Grade Confirmation, Online
7:00 pm	Heavenly Handbells, Sanctuary
7:30 pm	Breakaway, Online
7:30 pm	Ephesians Bible Study, Online
8:00 pm	Sanctuary Choir Ensemble

**Thursday**

7:00 pm	College Crew, Online
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**Friday****Saturday**

6:00 pm	Worship/Holy Communion, Sanctuary
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**Sunday — Palm Sunday**

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RLC Middle School Youth Ministry  
**IGNITE**

# How Lucky We Are!

In-Person Event RLC Parking Lot!

Join us for an afternoon of games, fellowship,  
and celebrating just how lucky/blessed  
we are to have God on our side!

6th, 7th, & 8th Grade

• **Sunday, March 21st 1:30-3:00pm**

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20f0f4fa4a62c7-ignite5>

All youth need to sign up, have 2020/21 health form,  
and signed covid wavier on file prior to event.  
Covid protocols mask, and 6ft rule will be followed.  
There will still be NO access to water fountains or restrooms.  
Please bring chair and full water bottle.

