

\*Anne Altieri

\*Helen Puza

\*Anita Moore

Shirley Fanger

\*Sandy Nigg

\*Lynne Hoffman

\*Malcolm

Second Sunday of Easter

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

# **Ongoing Prayers**

*Diane Cuper	*Eve Sommers	*David Brooks	*Ann
*Charlotte Raines	Stephanie Samuels	Ava Conklin	*Hele
*Eric Hammergren	Frank Grace	Helen Wolf	*Anit
*Vern Ebert	Dennis	*John Shaeffer	Shirle
Lois Keiper	*Aaron	*Marcus	*Male
LaVerne	Ruth Bloedorn	Darcey	*Sano
Chobanian Family	Bradley B.	Maureen B.	*Lyn:
Michael Flannery	Marc & Elizabeth L	angefeld's Baby Ado	option

# **Ongoing Cancer Treatments**

Jeff Marshall	Carol & F	rank	Don	Craig	Rachel
*Mike Allen	Anne Pric	e	Bill	Rob	Rene
*Gary Ferro	Angie Prie	ce	Beth	Hope	Jack
Linda Gilson	Alison Zie	eglmeier	Jen E.	Carol Dilib	erto
Roseanne Candiello	Sandy	Mary	Hazel	Dave	Paul
Margie Galloway	Sheri	Gloria	Jackie	Carol Pfitz	inger
Thomas Leister	Jim Metz		Janice Somn	ners	

# For Expectant Moms

Angela \*Holly Molly Leah \*Stacy Sara Erin

# Those Prayed For on April 4<sup>th</sup>

## For the Sick

- Bruce (\*Ralph Klevenow's brother), Tim (\*Brenda Peterson's brother-in-law), Miriam Beyer
- All with cancer/leukemia, \*Doug Spitz, \*Rev. Art Beyer, June, Patrick, Joe, Jackie, Phyllis, Dorothy Card, Janice Sommers (\*Eve's daughter), Tricia, Fernley Wagner (\*Dawn Leister's dad), Scott Brinkley, Jack
- Those awaiting results of tests/upcoming procedures, \*Wayne Conners
- Children with cancer/other chronic health conditions, Jaxon Ferguson, Hunter Stocks, Henry Otten (\*Pat & Mark Otten's grandson)
- Tim, Mette, Virginia, Gunther, Gary, Ken, Harold, Herman, Gavin, Alex, Alison, Matthew, Pam, Pete Brown

# For Those Recovering From Surgeries and/or Procedures

 \*Pam Dickson, \*Dennis Merrill, \*Marie Bruce, \*Phil Gresens, Chuck, David Pfister (\*Janet Lucien's dad), Ruth & Hal (\*Lea Webb & \*Lynda Whitcher's mother and stepfather)

# For Those Who Mourn

- Family of \*Bill Kretzschmar, especially wife \*Jan Kretzschmar
- Family of Carol McMillan, \*Roberta Danilowicz' mother
- Family of Rachel Caprio (4 yrs.), friend of \*Ed & Anne Altieri

# For Protection, Wisdom, and Discernment

- Family transitions especially those finding new homes and moving
- Those searching for jobs and new job paths, especially \*Kopola family, Trevor Card, Peter, \*Sue, \*Tom

# For Provision, Peace, Strength, and Patient Endurance

- Seminary graduate placements and RLC's potential call
- All college and high school graduates with virtual graduations
- \*Charlotte Raines, Deb and family, Jacob and his family
- Richard (\*Brenda Peterson's dad)
- Scheduling and waiting for the COVID vaccinations
- Tom Striker, in hospice (\*Susan Striker's brother-in-law)



April 11, 2021

The initial appearance of the Lord on the Day of Resurrection expanded into a series of appearances by Jesus to His disciples and others. He is God in person on earth, encouraging His faithful followers that He is with them always. To disciples gathered together in fear and apprehension, He brings a word of peace and assurance. His Presence among them gives a full sense of "shalom" – of

complete well-being. Jesus is present among us in our worship this day as well, assuring us that all is well and that we are truly at peace with God and with one another. As we worship, we celebrate that peace which passes all human understanding.

# Thanking God Today

- Safe travel
- Senior communities reopening, allowing visiting in person
- COVID vaccinations, especially increased availability
- Ansley in remission
- Churches returning to in-person worship
- Our Pastors and Worship servants, especially for Holy Week services
- Spending time with grandchildren
- \*Hannah & Tom, moving into their first home
- First Communicants
- RLC, the Lord's blessings, joyous Easter
- Kay's survival after 26 days in ICU

# **Ongoing Prayers**

- Those ill or recovering with Covid-19
- 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
- Teens and young adults struggling with mental health concerns
- Those struggling with mental illness, isolation, and loneliness, especially those living alone or in long term care
- Churches with pastoral vacancies and their 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.

# Pastor's Corner for Week of April 11-17



Dear brothers and sisters in Christ,

Alleluia, Christ is risen! He is risen indeed, Alleluia! Eastertide 2021 brings with it the opportunity to journey with John through his first epistle (1 John). I will be beginning a new sermon series on this book of the Bible this weekend. Part one of that epistle has a thing or two to say about truth and falsehood, which will be our topic.

I'm not a golfer, but with the change in weather I often find myself living vicariously through the Facebook posts of friends who get out on the links and announce the glorious results of their games. Golf is the epitome of a game that exists through honesty and good sportsmanship. Even those of us playing putter golf know the temptation to futz with the ball when no one is looking... to make "adjustments" to our score when our opponent's back is turned. Though no one knows for sure whether or not the story is true, a kind of legend has grown up around the Canadian golfer David Mulligan. As the story goes, he was teeing off one day at a country club in Montreal...and not happy with his first shot, decided to tee off and take another. His own word for this behavior was a "correction shot." But his fellows thought calling the do-over a "mulligan" was a better idea! And "mulligan" has been the official term for a do-over—both in golf and in life—ever since. Though mulligans are often allowed in friendly games of golf, the problem occurs when the do-over is not agreed upon but taken anyway, and the imperfect game is passed off as something else. Easter is a reminder that mulligans are a part of life...that the life lived as if "do-overs" WEREN'T necessary is not Godpleasing. Jesus' resurrection from the dead is God's promise that there can always be another beginning for those who sin. "If ever we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us, But if we confess our sins, God, who is faithful and just, will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness." Saying that we are sinners is something that Easter gives us the privilege of doing. Whether on the job, at home, or right here at church in the many activities we do together with one another... no one is right all of the time. Easter doesn't mean that we have to be perfect. Easter means we are people living intimately with the resurrected Christ. We have the freedom to be honest and real...both with God and, just as importantly, with one another.

Here are some of the newest happenings at RLC in April:

- This weekend, we are pleased to welcome to our congregation 27 brothers and sisters in Christ:
  - Meredith Amundson
  - ◊ Elliot Bartelt
  - Katie Helme (Avelyn Mattress)
  - Troy and Sheila Hirt
  - Sara Hirt
  - Kenn and Carol Buckner (Mary, Steve)
  - o Robert and Sally Cotton
  - o Bob and Melissa Cotton
  - Mike and Janet Lucien
  - Matt and Brittany McGrady
  - Mike and Katie Riccitiello (Carter, Ryan, Graham, Emilyn)
  - Marcia Shaw [received as a friend of RLC]
  - Kelley Vick

You will see their photographs displayed during the worship service. All will be received at either 8 or 11 AM on the 11th. Welcome, one and all!

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- Resurrection Lutheran Church is resuming pre-COVID office hours. Feel free to stop by the church during regular hours (9 AM to 3 PM) at any time, Monday through Friday.
- Sign up here for worship services this Saturday and Sunday, April 10-11. Holy Communion will be offered at 6 PM Saturday evening and at 11 AM Sunday morning. In-person worshippers are limited to 75 persons per service. Smaller services of Holy Communion for groups of 10 or fewer will continue to be offered throughout April, Sundays at 1 PM.
- This weekend (April 11) RLC member and financial planner Bob Williams will lead Adult Sunday School at 9:30 AM with a presentation on estate planning and building a legacy that lives on at RLC. Then our spring Bible class will begin April 18, facilitated by me. It is entitled "Race and the Gospel." <u>You can preview the</u> <u>class by clicking here.</u> Study guides in digital format are available at no cost through your RightNow Media account (search inside the platform for "Race and the Gospel") and are also printed out for you to pick up any time at church. To register for the class, send an email with your name to <u>office@rlcary.org</u>.
- By now you have probably seen my invitation to first-time pledgers to consider a pledge to Resurrection Lutheran Church for fiscal year 2021-2022. We are halfway through our pledge drive, having received 25 of our goal of 50 new pledges to date. Many thanks for all of those who have stepped up to be counted! This week I want to call to mind that Christian stewardship is all about giving of our firstfruits--not our leftovers (Proverbs 3:9-10). If you aren't doing so already, I invite you to consider approaching your contributions to church and community as a promise made ahead of time...known only to you and to the Giver of all good gifts: God Himself. To make an intentional commitment of firstfruits, <u>submit the pledge</u> <u>form online by clicking here</u>.
- Are you or someone you know and love looking for financial peace? Beginning Thursday, April 15, Bob Williams will also be facilitating a 9-week class on money management that sheds light on God's work of leading us to manage ourselves. It is called "Financial Peace University" and it is life-changing! The class will gather via Zoom each week on Thursday evening. <u>You can view a preview of the class here.</u> Couples can register for \$60. If you'd like to register, please contact the church office at <u>office@rlcary.org</u>.
- Save the date: April 28. This is the day for Assignments of Calls to candidates for the pastoral office at Concordia Seminary, St. Louis. Make plans now to watch the live stream of the Call Service that day to see the outcome of our call extended to three potential candidates in the seminary's class of 2021. To find out more, access the web site for Call Day by clicking here.

Join us this Sunday as our living Lord Jesus, the One who has made an atoning sacrifice for our sins and the sins of the whole world, keeps us honest. By the power of the risen Christ at work among us, let's be ready to confess our wrongdoing to one another and to our God of mercy who restores and renews!

Christ is risen! Pastor Jonathan





It is with great sadness and in Christian love and hope that we announce that our brother in Christ, **William Kretzschmar**, was called to rest with Jesus on Wednesday, March 31, 2021.

Our prayers are with his wife, Jan, and their family at this time.

The family is making arrangements for burial at Arlington National Cemetery. There are no services planned at RLC at this time.



Baptized on Sunday, April 11 at 8:00 am is

# Elliot C. Bartelt

and

Avelyn Elizabeth Mattress born April 22, 2014,

daughter of Kathleen B. Helme.

Godparents are John J. and Elizabeth Jane-Gigi Helme.

May God's blessing be upon Elliot and Avelyn Elizabeth as they grow in their baptismal grace.

# 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)

**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)

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 (<u>office@rlcary.org</u>, 919-851-7248).





# Join us online for worship <u>live</u> Sunday at 8:00 am and 11:00 am!

Connect through our YouTube channel at youtube.com/ResurrectionLutheranChurchCaryNC or through our website at <u>rlcary.org/about-us/online-worship</u>.

## **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).



Join us for a Bible class on various passages of Scripture, though centered on St. Paul's letter to Ephesians, entitled "Race and the Gospel." Pastor Jonathan will facilitate a 5-week study on the topics of reconciliation in Christ, racial justice and the church, etc. as St. Paul and other New Testament authors touch on these topics, enabling us to apply the insights of Scripture to our circumstances today.

You can find the study guide for the class inside your RightNow Media platform, on the <u>Christian Education</u> <u>webpage</u>, or in the church office.

Won't you join us? Sign up indicating your interest by sending an email to <u>office@rlcary.org</u>.

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
- Download the "GivePlus+" APP, search for Resurrection Lutheran Church, transfer funds from your checking or savings account to RLC.

Questions? Contact <u>finance@rlcary.org</u>.

Weekly Announcements Deadline: Thursday Submit to <u>Susan.Moore@RLCary.org</u>.

# 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 soonto-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 <u>rlcary.org/ministries/count-me-in</u>.

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

## Men's Ministry



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

Mark Otten is leading the 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 <u>mens-ministry@rlcary.org</u>.

#### 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. 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 on Wednesdays, 7:30-8:30 pm February 24-April 28 via Zoom!

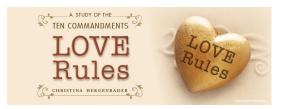
Class is led by Mindy Stephani. Register with church office.

To view the trailer or download the study guides: RightNow Media : The Book of Ephesians : J.D. Greear



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

The Monday Night Women's Bible Study began 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.



# 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. Tell your money where to go instead of wondering where it went!

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 <u>office@rlcary.org</u> or 919-851-7248.

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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

See brochure at end of this announcement.

Contact Brenda Peterson through RCB or the church office (919-851-7248, <u>office@rlcary.org</u>).

# Attention Men: Time to grab your glove and cleats

and join your fellow church members in representing RLC in the Town of Cary's Church League.

Games will be played Tuesday and Thursday nights May-July.

If you are interested in joining us for some exercise, fun, and fellowship, please see Adam Brake or send an email to mens-softball@rlcary.org.

Practices will start the first week of May. All sign-ups must be made <u>by May 9th</u>. COVID-19 safety measures will be in place and can be found at

https://www.townofcary.org/ recreation-enjoyment/sports/ adult-sports/adult-softball.





When you lie down, you will not be afraid; When you lie down, your sleep will be sweet. Proverbs 3:24

# **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, <u>MaryAnn.Unger@rlcary.org</u> or Director of Children's Ministry, <u>Lea.Webb@rlcary.org</u>.



We are providing Sunday School virtually for children through 8th grade. Everything is on the website at <u>rlcary.org</u>, under Ministries on the **Sunday School for Kids** webpage.

**For children through 4th grade,** we are using the *Simply Loved* curriculum. In this new unit, our Bible point is *God guides us...and gives us what we need*. We meet another Bible buddy, Radar, and learn the memory verse, Proverbs 3:5-6.

In the video this week, we talk about how God Sends Manna and Quail From Heaven (Israel's Wanderings and Wonderings), Exodus 16.

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* and this week's lesson is The Cross.

Join Ms. Sandy via Zoom on Sunday at 9:30 am! An email will be sent with the invite link.





## Plan to join us for Sunday School fun!

Contact Ms. Lea at <a href="mailto:lea.webb@rlcary.org">lea.webb@rlcary.org</a> with any questions.



# All Aboard!!

Save the Date for Vacation Bible School

# **Rocky Railway**

is coming July 12-16, 2021

3 year old-6 year old are invited to attend each day!

We will hit the tracks and explore how Jesus' power helps us through everything.

More information coming soon! Volunteer Conductors needed, too!

Mark your calendar and plan to join us for VBS this summer. Contact Ms. Lea at <u>lea.webb@rlcary.org</u> with any questions.

# **Student Ministry**

Questions you may have regarding any of these programs or events can be directed to Middle School Youth Director, <u>LeAnn.Trautman@rlcary.org</u> or High School Youth Director, <u>Jenny.Piontek@rlcary.org</u>.

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

**He is risen! Hallelujah!** I hope you had a beautiful and blessed Easter. As we go about our days after Easter, please remember that the resurrection event is not only an awesome miracle that happened in the past, but also a present reality for us today - Jesus is alive and is there for us every day.

**7th and 8th Graders,** how are you doing for service hours? If you need more hours, please reach out to me and I will help with service projects.

## **Upcoming Events:**

After doing morning carpool at RLS and getting covered in pollen from head to toes, I have decided to move the Friday, April 9 event inside to the gym. There are still spots available, so sign up using the link below. Also, we will have 2 in-person events and one Zoom event this month to allow us to get together more often. Everyone is welcome to attend one or all events!

Friday, April 9 - All Grades (6th-8th) - In-Person Hop To It! - 6:30-8:00 pm RLC GYM (20 youth) <u>signupgenius.com/go/20f0f4fa4a62c7-ignite7</u>

Friday, April 16 - Fun Friday Zoom! - 7:00-8:00 pm Link will be sent out the week of the event! All are welcome to join.

Friday, April 23 - All Grades (6th-8th) - In-Person It's Spring! - 6:30-8:00 pm RLC Parking Lot/Gym (20 youth) <u>signupgenius.com/go/20f0f4fa4a62c7-its</u>

Have a wonderful week! Ms. LeAnn

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

Happy Easter and welcome back! It is hard to believe we are starting the last quarter of this school year. We have so much going on and coming up in Breakaway. Watch GroupMe for sign ups!

We are moving our in-person events back to The Warehouse (RLC Youth Space). I am so excited to welcome everyone back! Please check your email or the <u>Student Ministry webpage</u> for in-person event rules.

Sunday, April 11	Connection Café at 9:30 am		
	Breakaway from 7:00-8:30 pm (The Warehouse)		
Sunday, April 18	Connection Café at 9:30 am		
	Leadership from 5:30-6:45 pm All leadership students and those interested in joining the team!		
	Breakaway from 7:00-8:30 pm		

If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to reach out to me.

Joyfully His, Ms. Jenny









#### 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 close to full. Email or call to **ENROLL** or SCHEDULE \*Individual, safely distanced Your Tour TODAY! **TOURS** provided by appointment. office@rlpcary.org 919.851.7270 For an experienced qualified de the second devices of the second d average ... experienced/qualified, dedicated, loving teachers/staff ... average of 10 years staffing stability of \$20 ... weekly Chapel & Music for all; Science for 4's & T-K a day: ... we partner with families to provide the finest program for children ... balance of social/academic opportunities ... developmentally age-appropriate, hands-on, child-centered experiences ... all in a loving Christian atmosphere You are invited to view RLP's classrooms, Chapel, Drive-Up 'Drop-Off/ Pick-Up', and playground through videos and pictures on our social media sites (see below) RLP is blessed to be able to offer an age-appropriate, learning through play, loving, and Christian environment for our community's children Visit & 'Like' our Facebook page: Resurrection Lutheran Preschool Follow us on Instagram: www.instagram.com/rlpcary Website: TAR BES ripcary.org RLP's classrooms, Chapel, Drive-Up 'Drop-Off/ Pick-Up', and playground available through videos and pictures

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

Spots are filling fast. Email or call for more information: office@rlpcary.org 919.851.7270





April 5, 2021

Greetings, RLS Families,

I trust your Easter Break was God-blessed and that you had a chance to get out of the routine and reconnect with God and family.

I need to share with you some difficult news. Many of you know our beloved Third Grade Teacher, Mrs. Kathy Siemon. She has been an integral member of our staff for many years and anchored our 3rd grade for that entire time. If you have been here awhile, you may be aware that she battled cancer seven years ago, but has been in remission since then.

Unfortunately, right before Easter Break it was discovered that her cancer has returned. She is in good spirits and the prognosis is good, but the doctors wanted to act quickly. The extent of her treatment will mean that Mrs. Siemon will not be able to physically return to finish out the year with her third graders this school year. She needs to concentrate on her treatment regimen so that she can return to us next school year.

We have made arrangements to cover her courses with staff already on hand. If this would mean any changes to your child's classes, you have already been contacted (this is mainly only with Middle School as we are asking Middle School Teacher, Mrs. Carner, to finish up the year for Mrs. Siemon, and then covering the "gaps" that Mrs. Carner's move will mean in Middle School).

Please keep Mrs. Siemon, her husband Skip, and son AJ in your prayers. While she won't be with us physically, it is hoped that she can connect with her students virtually. That possibility is one "good" thing I guess that Covid has provided. We can make virtual connections happen! I will keep you informed of Mrs. Siemon's progress and what, if anything, you may do to help out. I know she would love to finish out with us this year, but it is not to be. God has a way of using trying times in our lives to allow us to more fully rely on Him and His Grace.

Blessings to you all, Tom Kolb, RLS Principal

> 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.



Art Instruction Helps Children Develop Fine Motor Skills, Take Risks, Practice Inventiveness and It's Pretty! (3<sup>rd</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> Grade Gallery)



Come be a part of providing a Christ-centered challenging academic experience for the students at RLS!

RLC members, the **RLS School Board is seeking candidates for board seats** that will become available this summer. We would love to talk with you to share more information and answer your questions! No "education" experience necessary, just a heart to serve.

If interested, contact Michelle Wood at <u>michellewood@rlscary.org</u> or Neil Porter at <u>neilporter@rlscary.org</u>.

### In-Person Worship Attendance

Maundy/Holy Thursday, April 1 4:00 pm - 36 7:00 pm - 86

Good Friday, April 2 4:00 pm - 59 7:00 pm - 82

Easter Weekend Saturday, April 3, 6:00 pm - 71

Sunday, April 4

8:00 am - 79 9:30 am - 96 11:00 am - 88

# Total In-Person Worship: 597

# Views of Online Worship at RLC's YouTube Channel

Maundy/Holy Thursday, April 1 at 7:00 pm - 129

Good Friday, April 2 at 7:00 pm - 138

Sunday, April 4

8:00 am - 352 views 11:00 am - 104 views

#### **Total Online Views: 723**

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**

	Current Month	<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	\$44,666.13	
Average Weekly Giving for 20	\$22,286.79	
Average Weekly Giving Budgeted for 2020/21		\$23,750.00

#### Learn more about Resurrection Lutheran Church!

# rlcary.org

100 Lochmere Drive West, Cary NC 27518office@rlcary.org919-851-7248

#### Calendar for the Week of April 11-18

Calendar for the Week of April 11-18			
Sunday			
	8:00 am	Worship, Sanctuary/Online	
	9:30 am	Children's Sunday School, Online	
	9:30 am	Breakaway Connection Café, Online	
	9:30 am	Adult Christian Ed, Endowments Presentation	
	11:00 am	Praise Worship/Holy Communion, FLC/Online	
	1:00 pm	Oromo Ev. Lutheran, Fellowship Hall	
	3:30 pm	Mekane Yesus, Fellowship Hall	
	6:30 pm	7th Grade Confirmation, Online	
	7:00 pm	Breakaway, The Warehouse	
Monday			
	RLP April Ca	amp Week	
	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	
	7:00 pm	Church Council, Online	
	7:00 pm	Stephen Ministry Tuesday Group, Online	
Wednes	day		
	8:30 am	RLS Chapel, Sanctuary/Online	
	10:00 am	Piecemakers Quilting, Room 151	
	12:00 pm	Church Staff Meeting, Fellowship Hall	
	6:30 pm	Heavenly Handbells, Sanctuary	
	7:00 pm	8th Grade Confirmation, Online	
	7:30 pm	Breakaway, Online	
	7:30 pm	Ephesians Bible Study, Online	
	8:00 pm	Sanctuary Choir Ensemble, Sanctuary	
Thursday	y		
	6:00 pm	Men's Ministry Fellowship, Parking Lot	
	7:00 pm	College Crew, Online	
	7:00 pm	Financial Peace University, Online	
Friday			
	6:30 pm	Ignite, Online	
Saturda	у		
	8:30 am	8th Grade Confirmation Meetings, FH	
	6:00 pm	Worship/Holy Communion, Sanctuary	
Sunday			
	8:00 am	Worship/Holy Communion, Sanctuary/Online	
	9:30 am	Children's Sunday School, Online	
	9:30 am	Breakaway Connection Café, Online	
	9:30 am	Adult Christian Ed, Race and the Gospel	
	11:00 am	Praise Worship, FLC/Online	
	1:00 pm	Oromo Ev. Lutheran, Fellowship Hall	
	3:30 pm	Mekane Yesus, Fellowship Hall	
	5:30 pm	Stephen Ministry Sunday Group, Online	
	5:30 pm	Breakaway Leadership, The Warehouse	
	6:30 pm	7th Grade Confirmation, Online	
	7:00 pm	Breakaway, The Warehouse	



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AGAPÉ & KURE BEACH MINISTRIES CODET OUTTANG MONDAY, APRIL 19 Lochmere Golf Club 2511 Kildaire Farm Rd 2511 Kildaire Farm Rd 2511 Kildaire Farm Rd 2511 Kildaire Farm Rd 8:00 A.M. Check-in opens Coffee, Donuts & Biscuits 8:00 A.M. 2"Dint Ect Alim For Alim F	(Boxed lunch served on the course) (Boxed lunch served on the course) When your round is done, head home! Prizes & auction items awarded by email	Directions to Lochmere can be downloaded from our website: www.agapekurebeach.org <b>*VIRTUAL REGISTRATION</b> Can't make it on the 19th?	You can still participate - Register to play virtually! Make a gift to camp of \$50.00 to register. You'll receive a program and a customized cart gift. Then you decide how to play: T Choose a course of your own between April 12th and 26th and play a round for camp.	The providence of the second providence of the p
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