

# ***Resurrection Lutheran Church***

*To Live & Share the Love of Christ*

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Pagel

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*Congregational responses are printed in **Bold Type**.*

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Welcome to Resurrection Lutheran Church where different people come together for the shared purpose of worshiping God and encouraging each other through the inclusive love of Jesus. Whether you are our guest, looking for a church home, or already a member, we want you to feel welcomed by our congregation and inspired by our worship service.

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## **Introduction**

God is the source of our nourishment. Jesus' invitation to "take and eat . . . take and drink" is a repeated one. In holy communion, in the word read and proclaimed, in the assembly of the people of God, the dominion of God has come near. Rejoice! Your name is written in heaven.

## **Gathering**

### **Announcements**

In the name of ✝ the One  
who was, who is, and who is to come.  
**Amen.**

*Gathering Hymn    My Lord What a Morning    next page*

## My Lord, What a Morning

*Refrain*



My Lord, what a morn-ing; my Lord, what a morn-ing; oh,



my Lord, what a morn-ing, when the stars be-gin to fall.



- 1 You will hear the trum-pet sound,
- 2 You will hear the sin-ner cry, to wake the na-tions un-der - ground,
- 3 You will hear the Chris-tian shout,



look-ing to my God's right hand, when the stars be-gin to fall.

Text: African American spiritual

Music: BURLEIGH, African American spiritual

## Confession and Forgiveness

Baptized into Christ's death and resurrection, and called to live the baptized life, let us give thanks for the gifts of baptism.

*Silence is kept for reflection.*

Merciful God,

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

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

### **Prayer of the Day**

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

*Please be seated.*

### **First Reading: Isaiah 66:10-14**

Rejoice with Jerusalem, and be glad for her,  
all you who love her;  
rejoice with her in joy,  
all you who mourn over her—  
that you may nurse and be satisfied

from her consoling breast;  
that you may drink deeply with delight  
from her glorious bosom.

For thus says the LORD:

I will extend prosperity to her like a river,  
and the wealth of the nations like an overflowing stream;  
and you shall nurse and be carried on her arm,  
and dandled on her knees.

As a mother comforts her child,  
so I will comfort you;  
you shall be comforted in Jerusalem.

You shall see, and your heart shall rejoice;  
your bodies shall flourish like the grass;  
and it shall be known that the hand of the LORD is with his  
servants,  
and his indignation is against his enemies.

Word of God, Word of Life. **Thanks be to God.**

### **Psalms 66:1-9**

Be joyful in God, all you lands; be joyful, all the earth.

**Sing the glory of God's name; sing the glory of God's  
praise.**

Say to God, "How awesome are your deeds!  
Because of your great strength your enemies cringe before  
you.

**All the earth bows down before you,  
sings to you, sings out your name."**

Come now and see the works of God,  
how awesome are God's deeds toward all people.  
**God turned the sea into dry land, so that they went through  
the water on foot,  
and there we rejoiced in God.**  
Ruling forever in might, God keeps watch over the nations;  
let no rebels exalt themselves.  
**Bless our God, you peoples; let the sound of praise be  
heard.**  
Our God has kept us among the living and has not allowed  
our feet to slip

## **Second Reading Galatians 6:[1-6] 7-16**

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

Those who are taught the word must share in all good things with their teacher.]

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

faith.

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

Word of God, Word of Life. **Thanks be to God.**

*Please rise in body or in spirit.*

***Gospel Acclamation***

***Alleluia***

***ACS 1088***

### Hallelujah



Hal-le, hal-le-lu - jah. Hal-le, hal-le-lu - jah. Hal - le-lu-jah, hal - le-lu-jah,  
hal - le-lu-jah. Hal - le-lu-jah, hal - le-lu-jah, hal - le-lu-jah!

Text: Traditional

Music: SYRIAN HALLELUJAH, Syrian traditional

## **Gospel: Luke 10:1-11,16-20**

**The Holy Gospel according to Luke 10:1-11,16-20 Glory to you, O Lord.**

After this the Lord appointed seventy others and sent them on ahead of him in pairs to every town and place where he himself intended to go. He said to them, “The harvest is plentiful, but the laborers are few; therefore, ask the Lord of the harvest to send out laborers into his harvest. Go on your way. See, I am sending you out like lambs into the midst of wolves. Carry no purse, no bag, no sandals; and greet no one on the road. Whatever house you enter, first say, ‘Peace to this house!’ And if anyone is there who shares in peace, your peace will rest on that person; but if not, it will return to you. Remain in the same house, eating and drinking whatever they provide, for the laborer deserves to be paid. Do not move about from house to house. Whenever you enter a town and its people welcome you, eat what is set before you; cure the sick who are there, and say to them, ‘The kingdom of God has come near to you. But whenever you enter a town and they do not welcome you, go out into its streets and say, ‘Even the dust of your town that clings to our feet, we wipe off in protest against you. Yet know this: the kingdom of God has come near.’ ”

“Whoever listens to you listens to me, and whoever rejects you rejects me, and whoever rejects me rejects the one who sent me.”

The seventy returned with joy, saying, “Lord, in your name even the demons submit to us!” He said to them, “I watched Satan fall from heaven like a flash of lightning. See, I have given you authority to tread on snakes and scorpions, and over



all the power of the enemy; and nothing will hurt you. Nevertheless, do not rejoice at this, that the spirits submit to you, but rejoice that your names are written in heaven.”  
The Gospel of the Lord. **Praise to you, O Christ.**

**Sermon**

**Pastor Melissa Pagel**

*Hymn of the Day*  
*ELW 888*

*O Beautiful for Spacious Skies*

### **Prayers of Intercession**

Drawn into the embrace of the holy Trinity, we lift our prayers for the wholeness of the church, the world, and all creation.

*A brief silence.*

Response: God of grace, **hear our prayer.**

Gather all our prayers in your mercy, O God, through Jesus Christ, our Savior.  
**Amen.**

### **Offering Prayer**

### **Peace**

The peace of Christ be with you always.  
**And also with you.**

*Please share a sign of the Lord's peace with those around you.*

*Please be seated.*

## **Offering**

*Please rise in body or spirit.*

## **Offering Prayer**

Creator God,  
in your wisdom you bring forth all that is good  
and the harvest is plentiful.  
Strengthen us at your table with these gifts of the earth  
and our labor, that we may work for the good of all; through  
Jesus Christ, our Savior. **Amen.**

## **MEAL**

### **Great Thanksgiving**

The Lord be with you.

**And also with you.**

Lift up your hearts

**We lift them to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord, our God.

**It is right to give God thanks and praise.**

### **Preface**

It is indeed our right, our duty and our joy....

We praise your name and join in the unending hymn:

***Holy, Holy***

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## **Words of Institution**

In the night he was betrayed, our Lord Jesus....  
Do this in remembrance of me....

### **The Lord's Prayer**

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.**

### **Invitation to Communion**

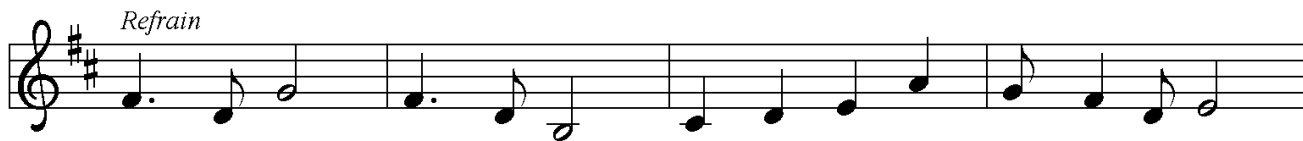
The kingdom of God is set before you.  
Eat and rejoice.

*Communion Hymn*

*Eat This Bread*

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## Eat This Bread, Drink This Cup



Eat this bread, drink this cup. Taste and see the good-ness of God.



Bread of life, cup of love, we re-joice in your pres-ence.



- 1 I will bless the Lord at all times, praise with heart and voice;
- 2 Look up - on the Lord, be ra - dant, nev - er turn a - way.
- 3 An - gels fold their wings a - round us, guard through good and ill.
- 4 Saints of God, bow down and wor - ship, bless the ho - ly name.



in my God I glo - ry for - ev - er: lis - ten and re - joice!  
God will save in ev - 'ry af - flic - tion, hear us when we pray.  
Those who seek the Lord will lack noth-ing; taste, and have your fill.  
Rise to tell God's great-ness for - ev - er, won-drous deeds pro - claim!

Text: Jeremy Young, b. 1948, refrain; *With One Voice*, stanzas, based on Ps. 34  
Music: STONERIDGE, Jeremy Young  
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*Please rise in body or in spirit.*

The body and blood of our Lord, Jesus Christ, strengthen and keep you. God's grace, **Amen.**

### **Post Communion Prayer**

Mothering God,  
you gathered us to your table  
and we drank deeply of your grace.  
Send us out by your Spirit  
to love our neighbors as ourselves  
and proclaim your love in Jesus' name.  
**Amen.**

### **Benediction**

The love of God abounds in you;  
the grace of our Savior Jesus Christ fills your hearts;  
and the life of the Spirit  
✝ bless you and give you peace.  
**Amen.**

***Sending Hymn    The Spirit Sends Us Forth to Serve***

***ELW 551***

### **Dismissal**

Go in peace. To live and share the love of Christ.  
**Thanks be to God.**

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### **This Week at a Glance**

Monday -Wednesday Office Hours    9:00am-1:00pm

Tuesday- Quilters 9:00am

Wednesday- 6:30 pm Campfire Worship

Thursday- 9:00am-11:00am

Sunday- 10:00 am Worship then Picnic at Colburn park

## Upcoming Events

*Pantry items that we need at the pantry include: baked beans, soup, meals in a can, side dish packs (Knorr type items) canned fruit, and laundry soap. As usual, we have a lot of Peanut butter but little Jelly. Jelly is greatly appreciated. Canned pasta sauces are always helpful. Glass jars are a little risky for handling.*

There will be a congregational meeting following worship on July 20 regarding the future of the house on Shawano. Please plan to attend.

Ascension will be delivering food today following worship. Please stay to help if you are able. Many hands make light work.

Campfire Worship here, July 9, 6:30 pm in cooperation with Trinity and Bethel. Smores to follow. Please plan to bring a chair if you are able.

Combined worship/picnic with Bethel and Trinity: **July 13, 10:00 at Colburn Park.** Please bring a dish to pass for the potluck following worship. Beverages and plates/utensils will be provided.

## **Assisting us this week July 6<sup>th</sup>**

Usher: Alan Gabriel

Communion Deacon: Jodi Koch

Counters: John/Jodi Koch/ Debbie La Plante

Lector: Jodi Koch

Altar Guild: Linda Bertrand

Fellowship:

## **Assisting us next week July 13<sup>th</sup>**

Usher: Alan Gabriel

Communion Deacon: Jim Gatske

Counters: John/Jodi Koch/ Debbie La Plante

Lector: Bill Hartung

Altar Guild: Linda Bertrand

Fellowship:

## **Church Council Members**

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Peterson

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