# **Resurrection Lutheran Church Announcements**For the week of August 10, 2025

#### Welcome

Welcome to Resurrection Lutheran Church. We are currently worshipping online and in person!

For more information about our church, you may call the office at 972.867.0460 or visit our website:

www.rlcplano.org.

# New Adult Class: Oceans of Faith Sundays, August 10, 17, 24, & 31

Are you an Anchor of Hope looking to explore the deep waters of faith? Join us for Oceans of Faith, a four-week class designed to spark conversation, offer insight, and help us grow together.

This class will include summaries of selected PLMA sessions, meaningful discussion, and time for participants to reflect, share, and connect.

# Class Schedule: Sundays after worship- in room one

Week 1: New Ways to Learn the Old Testament Week 2: New Ways to Learn the New Testament — including Pre-New Testament topics like: Why is the Septuagint in Greek?

Week 3: Lutheran Identity in Today's World

Week 4: 50 Ways to Pray — we'll explore and practice 4–5 unique prayer styles

Come ready to listen, learn, and dive into faith together. All are welcome!

#### Social and a Shower on Sunday

Our Second Sunday Social potluck is this week with a special guest, Rev. Kelsey Fitting-Snyder, Bishop's Associate for Leadership Formation and Congregational Care! Come on up to the Celebration Center after worship for a fine feast. As we wrap up our meal, we'll get this party started with a baby shower to support Plano ISD's School-Age Parent Program. This shower is for all ages, guys and gals, looking for a good laugh.

Please consider supporting this program by bringing unwrapped gifts. Diapers are really needed - especially newborn and size 1 - so for every package of diapers you bring, you'll be entered into a drawing for prizes. Other necessities we are collecting include sensitive baby wipes, bibs, baby mittens, and baby socks.

# **Brew Crew Wants You**

Join the Brew Crew – a vital ministry for Sunday morning survival and socializing. Crew members host coffee hour after our Sunday service by making coffee, bringing treats, and setting up then cleaning up afterwards. Hosting duties are great for families or a group of friends. Training and reimbursement available. Sign up online or on the sign-up sheet found on the kitchen counter. Questions: Becky Schuerman Choi at beckyschuerman@gmail.com.

# **Support for Mount Olive**

The focus of the Mount Olive food pantry ministry is now distributing Blessing Bags to unhoused and low-income members of the Fair Park community. The number of people they serve has declined due to dwindling donations. If you want to support them, please send money! Make notes that donations are for the pantry when you mail checks to 3100 Martin Luther King, Jr. Blvd, Dallas, TX 75215 or Zelle to <a href="mailto:mountolivedallas@gmail.com">mountolivedallas@gmail.com</a>.

#### **Sunday School Teacher Installation**

During worship on **Sunday, August 17**, we will bless and install our Sunday School teachers and Christian educators. This special time honors the dedication of those who help guide the spiritual growth of our children and youth. We're still looking for a few more volunteers! Whether you enjoy teaching, assisting, or simply being a supportive presence, there's a place for you. Let's come together to build a warm, welcoming space where every child feels seen, supported, and encouraged in faith.

#### Ice Cream Social & Bunco Night!

All women are invited! **Wednesday August 20**, 7:00 - 9:00 pm in the Celebration Center.

Bring your favorite topping; ice cream will be provided. We will teach you to play Bunco if you need help. PRIZES and fun for all. Sign up in the narthex. Help us elect officers & board members of Women of RLC. We have the slate.Free-will offering for School Supply Project is welcome and will be appreciated.

# **Guy's Night Out in August**

Guys Night Out for August will happen at Austin Avenue Grill & Sports Bar located at 935 W Parker Road, Plano, TX on **Thursday August 28**. Starting time 6:00. Join their Loyalty Program for a \$1 discount on food item orders over \$10! Contact Craig Feronti (972)989-3222 for information.

# **GWOH Super Sunday on September 7**

The annual ELCA day of service is less than a month away! On **September 7**, come to worship at 10am, then join us for the final and largest potluck of the season in the Celebration Center. Afterwards will be a time to participate in community service projects – sign-ups are <u>online</u> and in the narthex. If you or your ministry have a project idea or are willing to lead a project, please contact anyone on the Impact planning team: Cathie Irons, Ellen Frost, Nancy Parker, Sharon Bosse, or Becky Schuerman Choi.

We will also host a blood drive from 9am to 1pm. The donor appreciation gift is a Cowboy's / Carter BloodCare t-shirt! The Aluminati will be collecting aluminum can donations. The donor appreciation gift is air conditioning!

# **Community**

#### **Kroger Community Rewards**

Don't forget you have to re-enroll every year for the Krogercommunityrewards.com

RLC# - GX672

It's a simple process and can be done right on your phone! Call the church office for help! 972-867-0460

Tom Thumb Good Neighbor Program
Click the icon to download the form with
Resurrection Lutheran Church's Charity
Number on it. Fill out the form and take it to
the Customer Service Counter in your local
Tom Thumb Store or email the form to
good.neighbor@tomthumb.com



# **Bread Wanted**

If you're able to provide bread one Sunday for Communion please let Pat Fisher know. You can email her at: <a href="mailto:pmifisher@gmail.com">pmifisher@gmail.com</a>, sign up for one Sunday a month or only periodically.

# **Volunteers Needed**

One vital part of Share the Care is the Transportation Team. These volunteers pick up members who need occasional rides to Church or to medical appointments. Often substitutes are needed to fill in for regular drivers who bring elderly members to Church but have to miss a Sunday or two. Currently there are only five volunteers for this important ministry. If this is something you could do on an occasional basis, call Barbara Klier at 214.476.8911.

# **PRAYERS**

Continued Prayers for:

Marie Fabricius Jackie Bluhm Miller Dietsche Elizabeth Kelton Ginny Mallardi Lorraine Laut

Pat Martin, for strength and speedy recovery after a hospital stay

Bruce Fisher, for continued strength and health

Goebel and Felenstein family, after the death of former RLC member Charles Goebel

Norma Kemmet, for strength and recovery after surgery

Melody, daughter of Ruth Shainline, after her cancer diagnosis

Pam, sister of Pat Fisher, after her diagnosis of CLL

Tom Pierson, nephew of Judy and John Hoffman, for strength as he navigates a cancer diagnosis

Rosanne Fisher, for strength as she recovers in rehabilitation after a fall

Rene Miller, daughter of Marlene Hillyer, as she battles breast cancer

Carol Eggers for strength as she fights breast cancer

Amie, niece of Bruce and Pat Fisher, for continued health and strength

Erin Drawert, daughter-in law of Ginny Mallardi, who was recently diagnosed with breast cancer

Gary Stewart, father of Kim Hampton for continued healing.

Tony Kemmet, for peace as he battles liver cancer

Becky Hutzell, friend of the Loeffler's, for comfort while they navigate medical concerns.

Courtney Tallos, Nicholas Tallos, and Michael A. serving in our military. Also families and members of RLC who are traveling, seeking employment, the men and women in the US military, and those members who are homebound.

The Altar flowers today are presented by:

Beth Smith

In honor of Kím Hampton's bírthday

 Weekly Attendance
 Weekly Offerings)

 July 13-129 (32 online)
 \$9,987.35
 \$-1,927.61

 July 20- 121 (31 online)
 \$9,008.37
 \$-2,906.59

 July 27- 126 (31 online)
 \$9,558.00
 \$-2,356.96

August 3-132 (33 online)

\*2025 weekly RLC budget needs are \$11,914.96

\$10,931.66

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