

Fourth Sunday in Lent

March 19, 2023



Pastor's Corner for March 19-25

Bend in the Road...Light on the Path (Isaiah 42:14-21; Ephesians 5:8-14)

I remember my first experience with a Christian labyrinth. As I first viewed the maze-like pattern on the floor in front of me, I thought it must be some sort of accommodation to a non-Christian Eastern religion. I'd never seen a maze like this inside a church! What I discovered was that "walking the labyrinth" has a storied history going back many centuries in the Christian faith. And I found that praying or meditating on a single passage of Scripture while walking the labyrinth rewarded me with an experience resembling Truth. Though it first created a sense of frustration as I discovered the road did not extend directly to its goal— but twisted and turned in every direction EXCEPT straight ahead— that frustration slowly gave way to relief as the end of my prayer coincided with the destination of the maze. The experience reminded me of how the unexpected in life is often confounding

and seems to lead us away from our life goals... but God gives us the eyes of faith to persevere and to trust in His plan— to the end.

This weekend, we consider three passages of Scripture with something to say about blindness and seeing. The people of God, called to “open the eyes of the blind,” live at times as if they themselves have become blind (Isa 42:19)! Yet because of God’s FAITHFUL servant Jesus, we are led to repentance and a new kind of seeing... through the eyes of faith. “At one time you were in darkness,” St. Paul writes, “but now you are light in the Lord. Walk as children of light... and try to discern what is pleasing to the Lord” (Eph 5:8-10). “Walking in the light” entails being guided by God’s priorities and being empowered by God’s grace to live in ways that will at times be counter cultural, moving forward by faith despite the twists in the road because we walk not by our own light but by God’s light on our path. Together with the man in our Gospel reading we can say, because of Christ: “I was blind... but now I see!” (John 9:25)

This weekend we continue to pray that we might walk in the light of Jesus throughout this Lenten season. The path forward in life might not always go according to plan. The healing work of Christ, the gift of God’s love made real for each of us on Calvary’s cross, makes every faith journey possible!

Usher “Refresher” and New Usher Training Tuesday, May 21

RLC needs you! I am so grateful for the dedicated folks who assist week after week by ushering at worship services at RLC. But we need to build our pool of volunteers for the job. I appeal especially to anyone reading this message at RLC not currently serving elsewhere who is looking for a way to “give back” to the RLC community: please join us at 7 PM this Tuesday (March 21) in the main sanctuary for a brief question and answer and time of orientation regarding what ushers do. If you are already serving as an usher, I invite you to come and tell us what we can do to better facilitate your service. Let’s encourage one another as we serve together!

Dinner and Mid-Week Lenten Service March 22 with Lake Country High School Band

All RLC members and friends are invited to a late afternoon/early evening meal with student musicians from one of our LCMS sister schools in Wisconsin, Lake

Country High School on March 22. We are blessed to have over 50 band members on hand for our Wednesday evening midweek service as well as a morning assembly at Resurrection Lutheran School on the following Thursday! [To register for the dinner and take part in this time of fellowship, just click here.](#)

Looking forward with the eyes of faith to all God has in store for us...
Pastor Jonathan

Gathering in God's name, we give thanks for our God's faithfulness and goodness to us, in Christ. We invite those desiring to submit an offering in person during worship services in the main sanctuary to do so upon entering the sanctuary so that all in person offerings can be presented at the altar during the Offertory or Offering Hymn.

Prayers of the Church



Nicholas and Alison Aiello
Savannah



Nicholas and Elena Balmes
William, Robert



Steve Buch



Alex and Melanie Clark
Sam, Henry



Michael and Tracy Douglas



Andy and Lisa McCorkle
Bailey



Lisa Ruck



Paul and Judy Schmidt



David and Justine Tate
Charlie



**Tyler and Erin Timm
Molly, Owen**

**Welcome our new members
after each Sunday service
with coffee and fellowship!**

**Thank you for helping them connect
and get to know their RLC Family!**

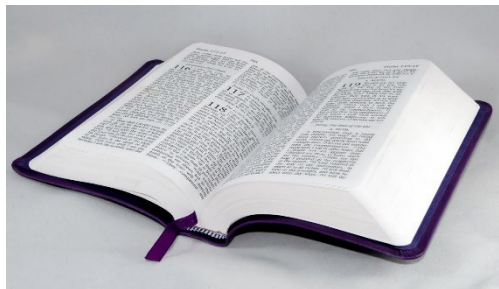
Not Pictured: Kegan Abbott and Annie Hall

Adult Sunday School Class ***Poetry and Our Christian Faith***

Poets have often addressed the key issues of life, such as love, faith, hope, grief, and death. This series of lessons will examine some of the world's greatest poems and will use them as springboards to examine what the Scriptures have to say on the same topics. Included in this study will be poems by Emily Dickinson, William Shakespeare, Elizabeth Barrett Browning, Dylan Thomas, T.S. Eliot, and William Butler Yeats.

**Join us on Sunday mornings from 9:30-10:30 am in the Fellowship Hall
from March 5-May 14!**

You will want to bring your Bibles to each class. Copies of the poems will be distributed at each session. Led by Larry Cameron.



Mites for Missions

We will be collecting Mites for Missions at all services this weekend, March 18 and 19. Please place your gifts in the large purple Mite Box in the Narthex near Sanctuary Worship.

Gifts can also be made by check, payable to RLC, and mailed directly to Donna Krupcale, % Resurrection Lutheran Church, 100 Lochmere Drive West, Cary NC 27518.



Lenten Midweek Worship

Amazing Grace

God interacts with the most broken people with His Amazing Grace. Throughout Lent, we will be focusing on some familiar or not so familiar characters in Scripture that had life-changing experiences with God's Amazing Grace. Grace that causes the blind to see, gives water to the thirsty, welcomes the broken, and raises the dead.

Join us on Wednesdays, 6:00 pm in the Sanctuary!

May His Amazing Grace continue to change you this Lenten season.



Live stream available on our [YouTube channel](#).

Note: Wednesday evening classes will begin at 6:45 pm after service.

Lake Country Lutheran High School Band and Choir Visit

Lake Country Lutheran High School is currently in its 24th year of operation and is enjoying tremendous success. The school opened in the fall of 1999 with 5 students and has grown to its current enrollment of 332 students. Our recently Called Teacher, Tyler Timm, taught at LCLHS last year.

The music department of LCLHS is in a continual state of growth as the school itself continues to grow and expand. Currently, the curricular offerings include Concert Band and Concert Choir, with extra-curricular offerings in Pep Band, Jazz Band, Drumline, Brass Choir, Recorder Ensemble, Resound Handbell Choir, and Vocal Ensemble. As God has blessed their ensembles, so it is their passion and joy to serve others through the gift of music - to Him be the Glory!

56 students and 7 adults comprise this Tour Group, and we at RLC/RLS are excited to host them for this special concert of worship as they share and celebrate the musical gifts with which they have been blessed. **Please make every effort to attend this Concert/Worship on Wednesday, March 22 at 6:00 pm in the Sanctuary.**

Before worship, join us for a Congregational Supper of City BBQ from 4:30-5:30 pm in the Family Life Center. Hosted by RLC in honor of the LCLHS musicians. All

are welcome. Suggested donation of \$5 per person or \$20 per family for RLC attendees. Cash or check payable at door. [Please register in advance here.](#)

LCLHS will also present their music at an all-school assembly for RLS on Thursday, March 23 at 9:00 am.

Weekly Bible Study Opportunities

- **Monday Night Women's Bible Study**

Join us for Max Lucado's *Life Lessons from Revelation*, a 12-session study on the book of Revelation. We meet on **Mondays, 7:00-8:00 pm** (in-person and via Zoom). Class will run January 9 through March 27. The apostle John writes about an amazing vision he saw while in exile that gave him a glimpse into heaven.

Key Themes are God has a plan and a future for the world, God will be ultimately victorious over evil, there will be a final accounting for our faith and our lives, and there is a better world in store. Books are available through Amazon and christianbook.com. A digital version is also available through Amazon. For more information, contact Jamee Thieme through RCB.

Looking ahead... join us for *Heroes of Faith*, based on Hebrews 11, **Mondays, 7:00-8:00 pm** from April 17-May 22. (We will not meet on April 3 and 10.)

Hebrews 11 gives us a list of role models: ordinary people who trusted God in radical ways. This eight-session LifeGuide® Bible Study by Douglas Connelly on the heroes of faith will encourage you and help deepen your own trust in our great God who still keeps all his promises, so that you might live out your faith in radical ways today.

- **Men's Ministry Weekly Study and Fellowship**
Meet on **Mondays, 7:00-8:15 pm** in Room 240, Family Life Center.
- **Tuesday Morning Bible Study and Fellowship**
We study the coming Sunday Scripture lessons from **10:30-11:30 am** in the Fellowship Hall with Pastor Jonathan Blanke and Pastor Zach Sarrault.
- **Men With Kids**
Meet on **Wednesdays, 6:45-7:30 pm*** in Room 247, Family Life Center. We will follow the Confirmation schedule.
- **Wednesday Night Adult Christian Ed**
Christianity: The First 3 Centuries From Christ to Constantine
How could a tiny sect ever conquer the world? This video-based class has teachings from Dr. Paul Maier, a retired Professor of Ancient History from Western Michigan University. Each class will have a video led by Dr. Maier, and then time for questions and answers. Topics include Our Sources of Information, Jesus of Nazareth: What else do we know?, Apostles and Emperors, Persecutions and Bishops, Defenders of the Faith, Martyrs for the Faith, Torments of the 3rd Century, The Great Deliverance.

Class will meet on **Wednesdays, 6:45-7:45 pm*** in Room 151, Family Life Center. Led by Mindy Stephani.

Note: Wednesday evening classes will begin at 6:45 pm after midweek worship during Lent.

Lenten Offerings

Offerings received during the Lenten Midweek Worship Services this year will go to support the following:

Warmth for Wake

Seasonal energy assistance outreach program to provide fuel to low-income residents of Wake County during winter months. Sponsored by [Wake Co. Health & Human Services](#).

Lutheran Church Charities

LCC's mission is to share the mercy, compassion, presence and proclamation of Jesus Christ to those who are suffering and in need through disaster and crisis relief and K-9 ministries. For more information, [lutheranchurchcharities.org](#).

Heifer International

Strives to end hunger and poverty in sustainable way by supporting and investing alongside local farmers and their communities. Learn more: [heifer.org](#)

Please place your offerings in the specially marked offering envelopes or denote "Lenten Offerings" on your check. Thank you for your generosity in supporting these important charities and ministries!

Men's Softball

Attention Men: Spring is just around the corner. 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 late March through June.

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 week of March 12. **All sign-ups must be made by March 19.**

RLC Worship Servants

There is a need for volunteers to help out in all of our worship services. If you have ever watched an usher, worship assistant, or lay reader and thought “I could do that”, we would love to have you! Reach out to the following for more information:

- Saturday, 6:00 pm - Lori Jannings
- Sunday, 8:00 am - Brenda Peterson
- Sunday, 9:30 am - Dara Linn
- Sunday, 11:00 am - Suzi Heffner

You may also contact the church office at 919-851-7248 or office@rlcary.org for assistance.

There is especially the need for ushers at all services and with that in mind, we are having an **Usher Training/Refresher Session on Tuesday, March 21 at 7:00 pm in the Sanctuary**. Everyone is welcome and it shouldn't take more than 45 minutes. RSVP to Lori Jannings through RCB or the church office, so we can have a headcount for handouts.

Habitat for Humanity, Lutheran Coalition

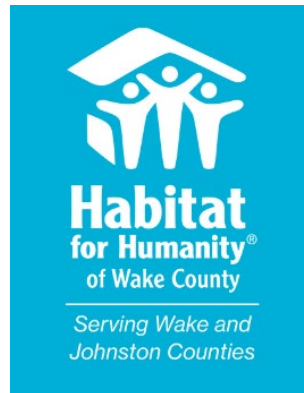
Permits have been secured for Old Poole Place in Southeast Raleigh. To finish the house by the end of the fiscal year, we have a 9-week build schedule, so we are going to be moving fast.

RLC Build Days are March 25 and May 13

15 volunteers each day (ages 16+)

Also, there are two slots on Thursday and Friday each week for Lutherans, if you would like to come out during the week.

Sign Up: <http://vhub.at/lutheranbuild>



Saturday, March 25

We will use the Taize format of worship for the Saturday, 6:00 pm service.

A darkened setting with candles, singing of short ostinato refrains of Biblical and liturgical phrases, periods of quiet for reflection, the celebration of communion, readings, and sermon.

Game Night

Looking for a night of fun and fellowship? Like to play games?

**Join us Sunday, March 26 from 5:00-9:00 pm
for Adult Game Night in Room 240, Family Life Center!**

We will provide board and card games, some easy and some more challenging - Wingspan, Ticket to Ride, Carcassonne, Cat in the Box, Qwirkle, Deception: Murder in Hong Kong. Bring a friend and join us!

Contact Sandy Wuori or Ben Wuori through RCB or the church office at 919-851-7248 or office@rlcary.org.

Food & Fellowship for the Blind



Resurrection's Ministry for
the Visually Impaired meets

Friday, March 31

5:30-7:30 pm in the Fellowship Hall

Contact Annette Langefeld-Kennedy to learn more and for volunteer needs
or the church office (919-851-7248, office@rlcary.org).

Sanctity of Life

(We) have fought the good fight, (we) have finished the race, (we) have kept the faith.

2 Timothy 4:7

THANK YOU! THANK YOU! THANK YOU!

We do thank you all for your support and prayers for the unborn and their parents. We/You had a most successful baby bottle campaign and Gateway cannot thank you enough. I want to offer some special thanks to people who helped bring this about. First of all, we thank our pastors for all their support. We thank Bob Unger and his staff and faculty at Resurrection Lutheran School for deciding to take part even though they had just concluded a major fundraiser for the Ukrainian family. Can't forget Garret Nigg for all his support on the logistics of the campaign and Susan Moore for her editorial support. I also want to include John and Virginia Heilman for covering the Saturday Service and for obtaining from Thrivent a \$250 grant for the purchase of baby bottles. If there is anyone I have forgotten, please know that this thank you is meant for you as well.

A little background first. Last year Resurrection Lutheran School raised \$3,000 and the Church another \$5,000, which was a new record of financial support to Gateway, over \$8,000. Last year, we were also blessed with an anonymous donor, not connected with our Church, who added another \$5,000 to our giving credit, bringing us up to \$13,000.

This year, we do not have that anonymous donor to add to our giving. But we, as a Church family, "stepped up to the plate." The School, despite having just concluded a major fundraiser, decided they would take part again this year and they contributed some \$300. The Church family set a new giving record of over \$9,100. Thus, we were able to provide over \$9,400 to Gateway Women's Care to save more lives and support more new families.

God's Blessings on all of you and on the unborn and their parents.

Coffeehouse for Special Needs Adults Friday, April 14

We thank all our volunteers who helped us to have a wonderful Coffeehouse in March! We had 135 people attend. We would like to thank Travis Taylor and his band, The Real Housewives of Room 3121, who played for us.

We couldn't do it without our faithful volunteers. Please come be a volunteer! Our special needs guests love to come to these events, and we need lots of volunteers to make them feel special and loved! We need setter uppers at 5:30 pm (both food and room), servers at 6:30 pm, and cleaner uppers at 8:30 pm.

Sign Up: <https://bit.ly/3kqoHGN>

The next Coffeehouse is **Friday, April 14** from 7:00-8:30 pm in the Family Life Center Gym. *Rooted* will be our band.

Questions? Contact Brenda Peterson or the church office at 919-851-7248, office@rlcary.org.



Men's Retreat & Service Event April 14-16

We are one month away from our Men's Retreat and Service Day at Camp Agape. Please mark your calendars for **April 14-16!** All men are invited.

We kick-off Friday evening, April 14, around 6 pm with a cookout/potluck gathering at the Retreat House.

Service: Weather permitting, we will spend most of Saturday morning and afternoon tackling multiple projects throughout the camp utilizing multiple skill sets and capabilities. All men are invited.

Our study is woven in throughout the impactful weekend with sessions Friday night, Saturday morning, Saturday evening, and Sunday morning. Participants have the option to stay overnight at the Retreat Lodge or commute. Our overnight accommodations are optimal at 16 with a max of 24.

If interested or have questions, contact Tom Gebbia at mens-ministry@rlcary.org.

Room/House for Rent

We have a church member who is looking for longer term room or even house to rent, or a roommate who is looking for the same. If you have space available or know of an opportunity and would like to speak with them, please reach out to the church office at 919-851-7248 or office@rlcary.org.

Children's Ministry at RLC

Exciting things are happening in Children's Ministry at RLC. Sunday School is in full swing, please feel free to send your child(ren) any Sunday! Children's Church is available during the 11 am worship service. Children grades 3-5 have monthly events through our KICKS (Kids In Christ Keep Shining) program.

Contact erika.hulse@rlcary.org for details!



EASTER EGGSTRAVAGANZA!



Fun for the Family

March 26
3:00 - 4:00pm
Ages 0 - 5th grade

Bring your Easter Basket!

Contact :
Erika Hulse (erika.hulse@rlcary.org)
or
Jenny Piontek (jenny.piontek@rlcary.org)
for more info.

Join us @
Resurrection Lutheran Church
for an Easter Celebration

Stories and Games 3:00 - 3:30

Egg Hunt @ 3:30

Prizes, treats and Games 3:45 - 4:00

See you @ 3:00
in the Family Life Center

Vacation Bible School (VBS)
Monday, June 26 - Friday, June 30
9:00 am-12:00 pm



Shine a light on Jesus' love!

Let's launch on a cosmic quest where we'll have a blast shining Jesus' light to the world. Stellar rockets us on an out-of-this-world adventure that's light years of faith building fun.

We welcome all children ages 4 through rising 5th grade to join us for this amazing week in God's Word. It will be filled with games, crafts, music, and most importantly, Jesus' learning that'll last for light years to come.

[Click Here to Register Now!](#)

Cost: Early Bird Price from March 15-May 31, \$5 per child or \$15 max per family
June 1-June 26, \$10 per child or \$30 max per family

Cash or check accepted, payable to Resurrection Lutheran Church. Mail or drop off to Church Office, 100 W. Lochmere Drive, Cary NC 27518.

Student Ministry

Middle School and High School

Our last big, organized service project is going to be on March 26 (the Easter Egg Hunt). Mark your calendars!

Here's what is coming up:

- **Sundays, 9:30-10:30 am**
Connection Cafe in The Warehouse (Sunday School for Middle and High School)
- **Breakaway ~ High School Youth Group**
Sundays, 6:30-8:00 pm
- **No Open Warehouse on Wednesday Nights During Lent!**

- Service Project ~ Easter Egg Hunt
March 26, 2:00-4:30 pm



BREAKAWAY
HS Youth Ministry

March 19th
Schedule:

Connection Cafe @ 9:30am
Youth Group @ 6:30-8:00pm

*It's also not too late to get into the March Madness brackets!
 Check out Group Me. Don't forget you also have to pick the teams too! Prizes for top 2!*

Questions? Contact Ms. Jenny, Youth Director
jenny.piontek@rlcary.org

Resurrection Lutheran Preschool



**Resurrection Lutheran
Preschool**

**3-year-olds
to rising kindergarteners**

(children currently in our 2's classes are eligible)
(ALL Ages **MUST** be toilet-trained)

June 5 – 8 (9:15–12:30)

June 12 – 15 (9:15–12:30)

June 19 – 22 (9:15–12:30)

Neighbors, friends, & family welcome!

EMAIL FOR BROCHURE & REGISTRATION FORMS!

Mark Your Calendars!

email- **office@rlpcary.org**

call- **919-851-7270**

Resurrection Lutheran School



Looking forward to welcoming Lake Country Lutheran High School Band & Choir during the Lenten Midweek Service on **Wednesday, March 22** and for a School Assembly on **Thursday, March 23!**

Resurrection Lutheran School | 919-851-7271 | rlscary.org

Latest Lion's Tale

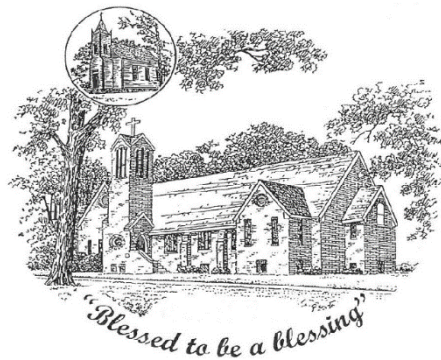
To the Members of Resurrection Lutheran Church:

On behalf of the RLS School Board, School, and Staff, we thank you for your continued support during the Principal call process. As a school board, we met and feel confident and committed that we will be hiring a full-time Principal for the 2023-2024 school year. We will be moving expeditiously to ensure this role is filled.

Sincerely,
Mackenzie Sottini, Board Chair

Be joyful in hope, patient in affliction, faithful in prayer. Let us not become weary in doing good, for at the proper time we will reap a harvest if we do not give up. But if we hope for what we do not yet have, we wait for it patiently. - Romans 12:12

YOU ARE INVITED!



**ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH
125TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION
SUNDAY, MAY 7TH 2023
10:30 AM**

You are invited to join the saints of St. Paul's Lutheran in Ridgeway, NC
as we prepare to celebrate 125 years of ministry together.

A meal will be served following service.

We look forward to this day of celebration,
and hope that you can join us for this joyous occasion!

Anyone planning to attend and join us for the meal needs to RSVP
to the church or to Pastor Corey Brooks by April 2, 2023:

St. Paul's Lutheran Church
114 Poplar Mount Road
Norlina, NC 27563

splcridge@gmail.com or revcsbrooks@gmail.com



Online Worship Bulletins

For online services, connect through our YouTube channel at

youtube.com/ResurrectionLutheranChurchCaryNC

or through our website at

rlcary.org/about-us/online-worship.

Attendance and Giving

Church Calendar

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rlcary.org | 919-851-7248 | office@rlcary.org

Prayers of the Church – March 19, 2023

*Let us then approach God's throne of grace with confidence,
so that we may receive mercy and find grace to help us in our time of need.
Hebrews 4:16*

We lift the following prayer requests this week:

Ongoing Prayers

*Diane Cuper, *Eve Sommers, *Anne Altieri, *Charlotte Raines, *Eric Hammergren, *Anita Moore, *John Shaeffer, *Vern Ebert, *Aaron, Marcus, *Malcolm, *Sandy Nigg, Henry Otten, Michael Flannery, *Helen Campbell, *Lena Licciardi, Paul Batt, Peter and Esther Kuo, *Geoffrey Wiggins, Marc & Elizabeth Langefeld's Baby Adoption, Caitlyn, Mark Zimmerman, Justus Nicolai, Beverly Kunitsky, Alex Fernandez, *Cheri Spitz

Ongoing Cancer Treatments

*Mike Allen, Anne Price, *Gary Ferro, Angie Price, Alison Zieglmeier, Carol Diliberto, Roseanne Candiello, Jackie, Linda H., Kathy Siemon, Scott Brinkley, *Bill Xenakis, Linda, Jimmy Ketner, Hope Mackelprang, Melissa Huntsman, Sue, Kathy, Glenn Wagner, Pamm Haley, Judy Dean, Bob, Cheryl Schlage, Michael Murphy

For Expectant Moms

Laura, Amy Lambert, Brianne Kibler, *Janet Lucien

Those Prayed for on March 12, 2023

Thanking God Today

- Our RLC Family
- Family Celebrations and Time Together, Anniversaries, Birthdays, Weddings, Baptisms
- Our Many Blessings
- Safe Travels
- Caring Organizations Within Our Local Communities
- Baby Olivia Boyer, New Granddaughter of *Bill and *Jan Boyer
- Nathan and Brianne Kibler, Expecting a Baby in Late Summer
- Second Grandson

For Healing

- *Becky Berger
- *Kim Goss
- All Those Exposed to COVID, with COVID, and Recovering from COVID
- Blind Ministry Guests - Maria Barker, Judy Dean, Sheila McNair, Linda Jones, Desiree, James
- *Brendan Nigg

- *Marty Stephani, Recovery and Waiting for Surgery
- Roger Robbins; Jerry Crueger; Bruce Klevenow, Brother of *Ralph Klevenow
- *Lyle Malotky, Recovery
- *Sally Cotton
- *Vern Ebert
- *Cheri Spitz, Recovery from Surgery
- *Tina Ashworth, Healing from Surgery
- Anna, Niece of *Eve Sommers
- Margaret Ryan, Recovery
- Wendy Wood, Recovery
- *Jim Rhodes
- *Jim Sanvi
- Alex, Patti, Chanel, Cindy, Glenn, James, Randi, Angela, Margaret, Alice, Brendan, Marty, Karen, Martha, Artie, Julian, Fran, Sylvia, Victor, Ken, Donald, Terry, Judy, Corey, Shannon

For Comfort

- Friends and Family of Chuck Wolfe, Member of the Via de Cristo Community
- Friends and Family of Thelma Stauffer

For Provision, Peace, Strength, and Patient Endurance

- People of Ukraine, And All Those Who Serve to Support Them
- Persecuted Christians
- Uganda Lutheran Church
- People of Turkey and Syria After Recent Earthquakes
- Residents of East Palestine, Ohio, Recovery from Train Derailment and Contamination
- All Those Supporting Family Members with Caregiving Needs
- Resurrection Lutheran School Principal Call Process
- Call Committee and DCE Call Process
- Safe Travels/Travel Mercies
- *Randi and Barry Munns
- Annie Ruth Ford, *Dennis Ford's Mother
- *Eric and *Jill Hammergren
- *Pam Dickson
- *Jan and Paul Wozniak
- Jan and Rich Bloom
- Stuart and Sue Sanders, and the *Boyer Family
- Susan and David, Continued Recovery
- Linda H., In Hospice Care
- Those Enduring Marriage Struggles
- Those Struggling with Faith
- Faith Lutheran in Kinston, Covid Outbreak

For the Lord's Wisdom, Guidance, Strength for the Health and Well-Being of the People They Serve

- Pastor Jonathan and Juli, Associate Pastor Zack and Kelsey, Assistant Pastor Alan and Faith, and Their Families

- Resurrection Lutheran Church and Schools Staff
- *Bob Unger and Robin Hester's Leadership of RLS During This Interim Period
- Area Pastors and School Staff
- Our Stephen Ministers

For Our Missionaries

- *Mark and *Megan Mantey, Uganda
[Click here for the Mantey's Newsletter!](#)
- JP and Aimee Cima, Cambodia
[Click here for the Cima Family Newsletter!](#)
- Shauen and Krista Trump, Kenya
[Click here for the Trump's Newsletter!](#)

*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.*

***RLC Members**

Updated 3/17/23

Attendance and Giving – March 19, 2023

In-Person Worship Attendance

Saturday, March 11

6:00 pm - 53

Sunday, March 12

8:00 am - 52; 9:30 am - 74; 11:00 am - 192

Lenten Midweek Service - Wednesday, March 15

6:00 pm - 60

Total In-Person Worship: 431

Views of Online Worship at RLC's YouTube Channel

Sunday, March 12

8:00 am - 103; 11:00 am - 46

Lenten Midweek Service - Wednesday, March 15

6:00 pm - 23

Total Online Views: 172 views

General Fund Giving and Spending - February 2023

	<u>Current Month</u>	<u>Year to Date</u>
General Receipts	\$ 82,402.75	\$ 871,183.55
<u>Total Disbursements</u>	<u>\$ 113,329.97</u>	<u>\$ 871,014.92</u>
Receipts Less Disbursements	\$ -30,927.22	\$ 168.63

Last Week's Offerings: \$20,859.07

Average Weekly Giving for 2022/23: \$24,890.96

Average Weekly Giving Budgeted for 2022/23: \$26,908.65

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 rlcary.org/ministries/online-giving
- Download the Vanco Mobile app, search for Resurrection Lutheran Church, transfer funds from your checking or savings account to RLC

Questions? Contact finance@rlcary.org.

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