

# THE CROSS

October 19, 2025

## JOIN US FOR WORSHIP SUNDAYS AT 8AM & 10AM



#### TRUNK-OR-TREAT!

What: Decorated Trunks, Candy, Food, Games, and

SO MUCH MORE!!!

Where: 322 Ohio Street Racine, WI When: October 26th, from 12pm-1:30pm

Cost: FREE!!!

Join us! ALL ARE WELCOME!!!

CLICK on the link to Sign-up to participate and also to donate food

https://lcrracine.flocknote.com/signup/227824

## **Sunday October 19**

8am - Worship

9:15am - Band Practice 9:15 - Bell Choir Practice

10am - Worship-Sunday School during worship

## **Monday October 20**

1pm - Hope & Joy Circle-Meeting Room

### **Tuesday October 21**

8am-11am - Sew & Sews

### **Wednesday October 22**

11am - Fall Bible Study 4pm-6pm - Public Involvement Meeting-Gathering Area 5:30pm - Band Practice 6pm - Fall Bible Study 6pm-8pm - Youth Night

#### Thursday October 23 10am - Grief Support-

Youth Lounge 1pm-3pm - Rainbow Quilters-Meeting Room 4:15pm - Wedding Rehearsal

#### **Saturday October 25**

1pm - Wedding 11am-1pm - Fellowship Hall Reserved

#### **Sunday October 26**

8am - Worship

9:15am - Band Practice 9:15 - Bell Choir Practice

# 10am - Worship-Sunday School during worship

12pm-1:30pm - Trunk or Treat 1:30pm-3:30pm - Community Meal Prep

Articles for The Cross need to be to the office by Wednesday.

#### PLEASE PRAY FOR...

Kim Mohalley for comfort and healing following an upcoming surgery. Pastor Druckrey as he is now in hospice. Karen Nelson Belz for comfort and healing. Sonya, Larry, Heidi, Sharie, Pam and Maggie all facing a long term cancer diagnosis.

Those facing long term health concerns: Christine Andreasen, Michelle, Mardell Fisher, Marilyn & David Dargin, Linda Lewis, Jay, Darwin Behlke, Joyce, Robert Bleeke, Heather, Betty Schneider, Florence Rossmann, Bob Modrow and Mark Wanggaard.

On a sad note, Ruth Schoening, Resurrections organist for 50 years, passed away on October 9 in Lynchburg, VA. She was 103 years old. Please hold up her family in prayer as they mourn her passing. If you would like to send a card to her family, please contact the church office.



On Sunday, October 26, our church will come together to pack and deliver a Community Meal right here at Resurrection!

For this month, our **Youth and their Families** will take the lead as volunteers—what a powerful way for them to serve and grow together in faith. BUT we need the **whole congregation's help** to make it possible!

- f If you can donate food items, please click the link below.
- If you are a parent or guardian of one of our Youth, please sign up for one of the volunteer roles (and don't forget to include your youth in the spot you choose!).

This is more than just a meal. It's a chance for us to show up for one another—and for our community.

"And let us consider how we may spur one another on toward love and good deeds, not giving up meeting together, as some are in the habit of doing, but encouraging one another—and all the more as you see the Day approaching."

- Hebrews 10:24-25

Thank you, Resurrection, for being a church that loves God, loves people, and serves the world.

Click here to Sign-Up <a href="https://lcrracine.flocknote.com/signup/228485">https://lcrracine.flocknote.com/signup/228485</a>



#### It's Pledge Card Season at Resurrection!

Friends, this is the time of year when we invite our Resurrection community to prayerfully consider how they will support the mission and ministry God is doing in and through this church. Our annual Pledge Cards are being sent out — not as part of a flashy campaign or pressure-filled program, but simply as an opportunity for each of us to pause, pray, and respond.

At Resurrection, we don't run traditional stewardship drives. We trust that those who have made this community their home already share in the calling to invest deeply in the work God is doing here — in Racine and around the world. Your pledges allow us to plan and dream boldly, sustaining ministries that feed the hungry, nurture faith, build relationships, and proclaim good news.

But more than that, we're grateful. Grateful for the many ways you already live generously: giving your time, your skills, your prayers, your love. Through you, Resurrection continues to be the hands and feet of Jesus in a world that so desperately needs hope.

So, as you receive your Pledge Card, take a moment to breathe, to listen, and to ask: "God, how are You calling me to join in what You're doing through Resurrection this year?"

As Paul wrote to the Corinthians:

"Each of you must give as you have made up your mind, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver." — 2 Corinthians 9:7

Thank you — for giving, for serving, for showing up. And thank you for being part of this joy-filled, hope-bringing, Jesus-centered adventure we call Resurrection.

If you haven't received a pledge card in the mail, there are pledge cards available on the back tables in the sanctuary.



Click on the link to sign up for Pastor Time <a href="https://www.lcrracine.org/pastortime">https://www.lcrracine.org/pastortime</a>

Pastor Time appointments are only scheduled out a couple weeks at a time.



# Hope & Joy Women's Circle

Monday, October 20 at 1pm

Please join us the third Monday of each month for our Bible study. We will learn more about God's message for us, have good conversation, and enjoy delicious treats. All women are welcome!



#### **GRIEVE - PRAY - LOVE**

It is with full hearts and love we continue our grief support ministry. Our last October session is Thursday, October 23 at 10am. Our November dates are Sunday, November 2 at 2pm, Tuesday, November 11 at 6:30pm or Thursday, November 20 at 10am. You can enter through the main doors 15 minutes prior to the group starting and then through the Youth Lounge exterior door on the south side of the building up to 15 minutes after the group has started. Please knock softly. Come as your are in your grief. All are welcome. Together we pray, share and learn through our individual journeys of grief.

Click on the link to sign up <a href="https://lcrracine.flocknote.com/signup/227540">https://lcrracine.flocknote.com/signup/227540</a> or call the church office.



## Fall Bible Study at Resurrection:

## "CONTEXT: Putting Scripture in Its Place"

Our bible study continues as we explore Pastor Josh Scott's book, Context: Putting Scripture in Its Place, and take a fresh look at some of the most well-known verses in the Bible. Join us Wednesdays through November 12 at either 11am or 6pm. Everyone is welcome—bring a friend!

Want the book? You can order it here: Amazon Link

Come with an open heart and curious mind—let's put Scripture back in its place, together!



We are collecting monetary donations again for Laundry Love. We will only be accepting cash donations, **no coins** please. Donations can be placed in the offering plate. It is the second Wednesday of every month.



**TECH HELP NEEDED!** Have you noticed on Sundays when you are in church how the service is projected on the screen and how great the band sounds? And, that you are able to watch the service at home when you are sick or on vacation? Well, it's not little elves that magically do all of this. It is our **GREAT volunteers** and **we need more!!!!** We need volunteers to advance the slides during worship, work the sound board and do our livestreaming. If you don't know how, we will teach you! Please contact Pastor Ryan if you are interested.



The church office will be closed while I am on vacation **October 20-27**. Please call ahead before stopping at the church as the pastors may have appointments in and out of the office. Cheryl - Office Manager & Finance Specialist



# Happy Birthday!

10/17	MaryJane Canman	10/22	Debbie VanderLeest
10/18	Savannah Birkhoff	10/26	Adam Nelson
10/18	Kierra Mohalley	10/26	Caitlyn Steensen
10/20	Debbie Trabert	10/27	Kinsley Micnovicz
10/21	Gayle Wint	10/28	Vicki Barke
10/21	Jacqueline Ziolecki	10/30	Kim Jensen
10/22	Emily Israel	10/31	Jean Modrow

# Happy Anniversary!

10/19	Lisa & Daniel Sell	29
10/20	Linda & Bill Gissell	52
10/20	Kaylee & Corey Sheckles	7
10/21	Connie & Steve Dues	25
10/21	Renee & Glenn Hansen	30
10/25	Tanya & Tony Baumgardt	22
10/26	Sara & Jim Capasso	40
10/30	Kirsten & Jay Weiss	49

#### SCRIP CARDS ARE AVAILABLE

Scrip cards are available for purchase on Sunday mornings. Checks can be made out to LCR Scrip. To see what is available for ordering, please visit raiseright.com. You may order online by entering the following Enrollment Code for Resurrection: LB7668L5383L. If you have any questions contact Danielle at 262-989-1999.

#### **OFFICE HOURS**

Monday - Thursday 9am-3pm
The Office Manager & Finance Specialist works remotely on Tuesdays and is available by phone.

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