

THE CROSS

October 29, 2023





UPCOMING EVENTS

Sunday October 29

8am - Worship
9:15am - Sunday School
9:15am - Bell Choir Practice
9:15am - Band Practice
10am - Worship
Trunk or Treat to follow 10am
Worship

Monday October 30

11am - Band Practice

7pm-9pm - Lighthouse Quilters Meeting

Wednesday November 1

6:30pm - Confirmation at Mount Pleasant

Thursday November 2

9am-3pm - Pieceful Quilters 10am - PEO Meeting

Sunday November 5 ALL SAINTS DAY

8am - Worship

9:15am - Sunday School 9:15am - Bell Choir Practice 9:15am - Band Practice 10am - **Worship** 11am - Band Practice 6pm-7:30pm - Youth Night-ELCA

Focus

LGBTQ&A - NOVEMBER 5 & 12

Join the Reconciling in Christ team on **November 5 and 12 between worship services.** We will be joined by Barb Farrar, the Executive Director at the LGBT Center of SE WI located here in Racine. Barb will take us through some terminology related to sexual orientation and gender identity. Come with your questions and an open mind!

UPCOMING WORSHIP VOLUNTEERS

October 29 - 8am

Worship Asst: Jeff Wunderle
Ushers: Joe Kiemen,
Grace Holm
Communion Asst: Grace Holm

October 29 - 10am

Worship Asst: Jeff Wunderle
Ushers: Steve Dues,
Colin McKenna
Communion Asst:
Sandy & Jim Georgeson
Power Point Tech:
Jakob Mohalley

Steve Jacobson
Livestream Tech:
Heather Keszler

Sound Tech:

November 5 - 8am

Worship Asst: Leah Krueger
Ushers: Joe Kiemen,
Grace Holm
Communion Asst: Grace Holm

November 5 - 10am

Worship Asst: Leah Krueger
Ushers: Aaron Kozlik,
Connie Gardner
Communion Asst:

Power Point Tech: Valerie Nance Sound Tech:

Livestream Tech:Gayle Wint

PLEASE PRAY FOR...

Marty, Rachel Petrach's mom, for healing following a cardiac procedure.

Jill Schwartz for continued healing.

Kris Hansen for continued healing and comfort following knee surgery.

Mary Sporer as she is in hospice.

Inge VanderLeest for continued healing.

Heather for continued health concerns.

Our members facing long term health concerns: Myrna & Jim DeCamp, Shirley Alton, and Mark Wanggaard.

INFORMATION ABOUT OFFERING ENVELOPES & CONTRIBUTIONS

2024 offering envelopes will be available soon. For example, if an individual gives once a year, once a month, or gives on-line, then envelopes are not necessary or cost effective. If you do not receive envelopes and give by check, your name on your check will be sufficient to record your offering. If you give cash, please place it in a regular envelope with your name on it. All "active members" have their offering recorded and will receive statements of their giving. If you are not sure if you are an "active member" or you did not receive envelopes and feel you should have, please contact Cheryl at the church office.

MAKE SURE TO CHECK OUT THE NEXT PAGE FOR INFORMATION ABOUT THE ADVENT STUDY COMING UP!

Advent Study 2023

For four weeks this winter, I invite you to rediscover the gift of Advent that comes without packages, ribbons, and bows by joining me in our Advent Study: "The Heart that Grew Three Sizes-Finding Faith in the Story of the Grinch!"

We don't know why the Grinch hated Christmas. We just know he did. In our Advent study we will explore the faith themes in the Christmas classic, How the Grinch Stole Christmas! Including: How did the Grinch's heart grow three sizes come Christmas morning? How did Christmas save the Grinch? Could it be that the very thing we think we hate is the one thing that changes our lives? This Advent and Christmas season, I invite you to look at a familiar classic through the lens of faith and see how Christ speaks to us through our culture.

Session 1, Sun. 11/26 at 9:15am OR Wed. 11/29 at 6:30pm: When Everything Is Wrong

Session 2, Sun. 12/3 at 9:15am OR Wed. 12/6 at 6:30pm: When Christmas Isn't Christmas

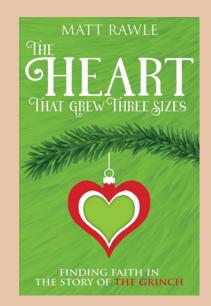
Session 3, Sun. 12/10 at 9:15am OR Wed. 12/13 at 6:30pm: When Light Shines Session 4, Sun. 12/17 at 9:15am OR Wed. 12/20 at 6:30pm: When Joy Is Our Song

ALL are welcome to join this study! We will gather each Sunday in Advent between services starting on November 26th and each Wednesday at 6:30pm starting November 29! Please sign up in the office or through the Flocknote email if you are interested in joining this study! We will order books at the beginning of November and they will be available for purchase!

Please contact me, or Cheryl in the office with any questions! I am excited to enter

the story of the Grinch with you all this Advent Season!

Love and Peace to you all!
Pastor John



CHURCH INFORMATION UPDATE

Please help us to get our church communication information correct and up-to-date. If you have not been worshiping at Resurrection for a year or more, we may need to update your information in our files. This will ensure that you receive all the church communication.

Please contact Cheryl at 262-637-7431 to verify your information. THANK YOU! If you are not currently, but would like to be a part of Resurrection, please contact Cheryl at 262-637-7431 to take the easy step of being part of the Resurrection family! EVERYONE is welcome!

Happy Birthday!					
10/28	Vicki Barke	11/4	Sharon Molina		
10/29	Sue Bush	11/4	Parker Schinkowitch		
10/29	Kristopher Rosemann	11/6	Juliana Arneson		
10/30	Kim Jensen	11/6	Karley Robe		
10/30	Melvin Miritz	11/10	Linda Henkel		
10/31	Jean Modrow	11/10	Fred Jacobson		
11/2	Candace Gedemer	11/10	Toby Robe		
11/2	Calvin Vacek				

Happy Anniversary!

10/30	Kirsten & Jay Weiss	47
11/4	Rachel & Chuck Petrach	27
11/5	Keri & Leigh Carlson	35
11/6	Lyn & Floyd Curran	28



SCRIP CARDS ARE AVAILABLE

Scrip cards are available for purchase on Sunday mornings. We ask at this time you pay only by check and make it out to LCR Scrip. If you have any questions contact Danielle at 262-989-1999.

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