

# RISEN SAVIOR LUTHERAN CHURCH



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**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 24, 2021**

**22ND SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST, 9:30AM**

**GUEST PREACHER: REV. DR. TILAHUN MENDEDO**

Rev. Dr. Tilahun Menedo serves as the Executive Development Officer of Lutheran Bible Translators. Dr. Menedo was born and raised in Ethiopia.

He knows firsthand the value of the heart language to communicate God's promises. Dr. Menedo spearheaded the Ethiopian Evangelical Church Mekane Yesus effort to develop a strong, accredited training system. The effort utilizes many local Bible schools and training institutions the church has throughout Ethiopia. He served as the seventh President of Concordia University in Selma, Alabama from 2010 – 2016.

Dr. Menedo draws on his experiences and relationships in Ethiopia and the USA. He is delighted to serve God by making His Name known to those who have never had the Bible in a language they understand. Dr.

Menedo is a gifted event speaker, Law and Gospel Preacher, Mission Communicator, and Higher Education and Cultural Education presenter. He has spoken at District, Synodical, LWML, LCMS conventions and NYG events.

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Questions? Contact Lynda Kluth, Finance Manager through the **church office**.

## THIS WEEK @ RSLC

### TUESDAY 10/26/21

4:45pm || Handbells & Handchimes Rehearsal  
6:30pm || Women's Bible Study

### WEDNESDAY 10/27/21

8:30am || Men's Bible Study  
9:30am || Women's Bible Study

### THURSDAY 10/28/21

9:00am || Women's Bible Study

### FRIDAY 10/29/21

6:30am || Men's Bible Study

### SUNDAY 10/31/21

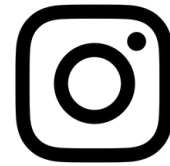
8:00am || Traditional Service  
9:15am || Adult Bible Study  
9:30am || Contemporary Service  
9:30am || Nursery  
9:30am || Sunday School K-5th  
9:30am || Sunday School 6th-12th  
10:45am || Adult Bible Study  
2:00pm || Trunk or Treat

\*Check out our website for detailed information  
on each Bible study group!

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# EVENTS

**CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS SERVICE REGISTRATION** || The Children's Christmas Service will be at 9:30am on Sunday, Dec. 12th! This year we are asking parents of all K-12th grade students who will participate to quickly [REGISTER HERE](#). There is more information there, and rehearsals are beginning soon!

**TRUNK OR TREAT || OCT. 31ST, 2:00PM** || Join us on October 31st from 2-4pm for our annual Trunk or Treat event! There is no theme this year, so decorate your trunk any way you'd like. There will be prizes for the most creative, most innovative, and best overall trunk (costumes included). Sign up for this event [HERE](#) to reserve a spot for your trunk. We are also in need of candy donations for this year's Trunk or Treat. If you would like to donate there will be a box in the office, now through Halloween, to collect any donations. Reminder: All candy must come individually wrapped!

**NAME TAG NOVEMBER** || This November everyone will be wearing nametags! This is to help everyone with names, but also bring the congregation together for a fun activity each service. Make it a goal to meet one or two new people and learn their names. Get ready to wear a name tag!

**OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD || NOV. 7TH** || Get ready for Operation Christmas Child shoeboxes! Plan to pick up your boxes in the Fellowship Center on November 7th, 14th, and 21st. Head over to the Samaritan Purse website [here](#) for online boxes or other ideas!

**PROGRESSIVE LOCK-IN || NOV. 12TH-13TH** || We are hosting a progressive lock-in on November 12th for Youth Group! We will start at Gethsemane Lutheran Church with a youth service, followed by bowling, and ending by meeting back at our respective churches by 12:00am. For more information, contact [Nick Duclos](#).

**VOTER'S MEETING || NOV. 14TH, 11:00AM** || Please join us on November 14th at 11:00am for our Annual Voter's Meeting. This meeting will cover the 2022 budget, the election of Board of Directors/Board of Elders members, and any other business topics. There will be food provided.

**ADVENT SERVICES || DEC. 1ST/8TH/15TH/21ST** || We will be starting Wednesday night Advent services this year! Please join us at 6:30pm for a casual service in the Fellowship Area, as we reflect on the season of Advent and find solace during the busy Christmas season.

**ADVENT BY CANDLELIGHT || DEC. 5TH, 6:00PM** || Ladies, it's not too early to start planning to attend this year's Advent by Candlelight, sponsored by LWML. There will be decorated tables, tea, dessert, and a devotional program, "The Greatest Gift." It will be an evening of worship, song, and fellowship preparing our hearts for Christmas. Family and friends are welcomed. Sign up at the display in the fellowship area. If you are interested in being a Table Hostess, pick up an instruction sheet at the display. For more information, contact Becky Warren through the [church office](#).

**LIVE NATIVITY || December 17TH, 5:00PM** || The 6th Annual Live Nativity is on December 17th at 5:00pm and like every year, it's only a success because of you! Join us to share the light of Christmas and the story of Christ with our family and friends. Volunteers are needed the night of for set-up crew, parking attendants, welcome hosts, craft table hosts, and clean up crew. Sign up in the fellowship area or contact Sarah O'Connor through the [church office](#).

# VOLUNTEERING OPPORTUNITIES

**LCMS FOUNDATION: GIFT PLANNER** || A builder needs the right tool to perform his work. God's people need the right tools to make the right gifts, the right way, from their estates to family and ministry. Maybe the Lord has quietly prepared you to make a gift that is not future, but today. Is there an asset that has appreciated in value over the years just waiting for your direction to support a ministry today? Your Risen Savior Gift Planning Counselor can lead you through a process to plan what you want to do, and how to do it. Contact Jason Jones at [Jason.Jones@lfnd.org](mailto:Jason.Jones@lfnd.org) or call him directly at (970)988-0305.

**SWEET DREAM IN A BAG** || Sweet Dream in a Bag was a huge success! Thank you to all the volunteers that came to help fold and pack 100 Sweet Dream Bags. About 40 people joined us and worked for 3 hours (one young lady came on her 14th birthday). Thanks to you, 100 children will have the opportunity to choose their Sweet Dream in a Bag.

**CHRISTMAS BOXES FOR OUR TROOPS** || **NOV. 16TH** || LWML will be packing military care packages on November 16th. You can get involved in many ways: Submit names and addresses of family and friends serving in the Armed Forces by emailing the church office or dropping them off at the LWML table in the Fellowship Hall. They can be stationed at home or abroad. Donate items in the bin under the LWML table (please pick up a list for what is okay and not okay to donate). Each box costs \$16 to mail, so any monetary donations are also helpful. Please make checks payable to Risen Savior LWML. The deadline for these things is Sunday, November 14th. Pray for our troops! Join the packing event on Tuesday, November 16th!

**SISTERS** || Calling all single, older, adult women! We invite you to Sisters; a group who meets the 2nd Wednesday of the month for a game day, and the 4th Saturday of the month for brunch. If you are interested in this group, please contact Annette Wagenknecht through the **church office**.

## SUNDAY YOUTH SCHEDULE

Sunday School Classes K-5

Sunday morning 9:50am – 10:30am

**Lori Hakes, Director of Children's Ministries**

Sunday School Grades 6-12

Sunday morning 9:30—10:30am

**Nick Duclos, Director of Student Ministry**

Confirmation Class

Sunday afternoon 4:00—5:00pm

**Nick Duclos, Director of Student Ministry**

Student Ministries Youth Group

Sunday afternoon 5:00-7:00pm

**Nick Duclos, Director of Student Ministry**

## MUSIC

**HANDBELLS AND HANDCHIMES**

Rehearsals: Tuesdays 4:45-5:30pm

Adult ringers may join the high school Ring Tones group on Tuesdays, now through December 7th at 4:45-5:30pm. Let **Lori Hakes** know if you're interested!

**GLOW**

Rehearsals: Sundays 10:30-11:00am

Children in grades 2-12 are welcome to join us on Sundays for our vocal choir, GLOW. We will meet from 10:30-11:00am in the Fellowship Center. Please contact **Lori Hakes** for more information.

**YOUTH BAND**

Rehearsals: Sundays 10:30am-12:00pm

Join at anytime! Please contact **Sarah O'Connor** or **Colten Highley** for more information.