

# RISEN SAVIOR LUTHERAN CHURCH

*A Welcoming and Worshipping Community*



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## Twenty-first Sunday After Pentecost

October 22nd, 2023 || 8:00AM

WELCOME & MISSION STATEMENT

HYMN 873 "Christ, Whose Glory Fills the Skies"

SHARING OF THE PEACE

*(Please stand)*

INVOCATION

CONFESSION & ABSOLUTION

KYRIE *(LSB 186)*

GLORIA IN EXCELSIS *(LSB 187)*

SALUTATION AND PRAYER OF THE DAY

*(Please be seated)*

OLD TESTAMENT READING Micah 1:1-9

NEW TESTAMENT READING 1 Thessalonians 1:1-10

*(Please stand)*

ALLELUIA *(LSB 190)*

GOSPEL READING Matthew 22:15-22

APOSTLES' CREED

*(Please be seated)*

HYMN 543 "What Wondrous Love Is This"

SERMON

OFFERING AND RECORD OF ATTENDANCE

*(Please stand)*

OFFERTORY *(LSB 192)*

PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

LORD'S PRAYER

BENEDICTION

*(Please be seated)*

ANNOUNCEMENTS

*(Please stand)*

CLOSING HYMN 950 "Splendor and Honor"

WE WELCOME ALL GUESTS AND VISITORS!!!

*"We are inspired by the Word of God to be a welcoming and worshipping community, equipping people to live out and share their faith in love."*

## This week @ RSLC

### SUNDAY October 22nd

8:00am || Traditional Worship  
9:15am- 10:15am || Bible Study- All Ages  
10:30am || Contemporary Worship  
11:45am-12:45pm || Youth Band  
4:00pm-5:00pm || Confirmation  
5:00pm-7:00pm || Youth Group- Corn Maze

### MONDAY October 23rd

4:00pm-5:00pm || VanZago Connect Group

### TUESDAY October 24th

6:30pm-6:00pm || Youth Handbells

### WEDNESDAY October 25th

8:30am || Men's Bible Study  
9:30am-11:00am || Women's Bible Study  
12:00pm-2:00pm || GO Committee  
7:00-8:30pm || Chancel Choir

### THURSDAY October 26th

9:00am-11:00am || Women's Bible Study  
6:00pm || Praise Team Rehearsal

### FRIDAY October 27th

10:00am-11:30am || Mustard Seed Connect  
1:00pm-3:00pm || Mahjong Group

## Next week @ RSLC

### SUNDAY October 29th

NO 8:00am Worship  
9:15am- 9:45am || Bible Study- All Ages  
10:00am || Unified Worship Service  
11:00am || Potluck  
2:30pm-4:00pm || Trunk or Treat  
4:00pm-5:00pm || Confirmation

### TUESDAY October 31st

6:30pm-6:00pm || Youth Handbells

### WEDNESDAY November 1st

8:30am || Men's Bible Study  
9:30am-11:00am || Women's Bible Study  
12:00pm-2:00pm || GO Committee  
7:00-8:30pm || Chancel Choir

### THURSDAY November 2nd

9:00am-11:00am || Women's Bible Study  
6:00pm || Praise Team Rehearsal

### FRIDAY November 3rd

10:00am-11:30am || Mustard Seed Connect



### Youth Wreath Fundraiser

Visit the table in the fellowship area  
to place an order for Christmas wreaths.  
All orders are due by October 29th.



## UNIFIED WORSHIP & POTLUCK

### Sunday, October 29th

- Sunday School @ 915am
- Worship @ 10am
- Potluck Following Worship

No 8am service on October 29th



# NEWS & EVENTS

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## **DCE CALL PROCESS UPDATE**

Your DCE Call Committee (Kim Albert, Ronan Boras, Bob Eskam, Betty Friedrich, Pat Stoehr, Tara Eskam, Ashlyn Quertermus, and facilitated by Pastor Koch) is currently in the process of screening candidates and conducting interviews. Once the interviews are completed, they will be bringing a recommendation to a special meeting of the congregation on a date to be determined but certainly this year barring any unforeseen circumstances.

## **GO TEAM UPDATE**

The Governance and Organization (GO) team is close to completing its comprehensive work on major revisions to the congregation's Constitution and Bylaws that are intended to better serve us and our mission moving forward. This is one of the target areas that we asked Pastor Koch to help us address as part of making healthy changes in preparation for receiving our next pastor. Once these revisions are ready, the congregation will have the opportunity to review and thoroughly discuss them prior to giving approval. Upon receiving congregational approval, although they will still have to go through Rocky Mountain District approval before being finalized (several weeks-long process), Pastor Koch expects that we will then be ready to start the pastoral Call process. Please continue to keep this and our entire interim process in your prayers.

## **MYCHOICE RESOURCE CENTER**

We have seen over 304 clients for material assistant, that is how many clients we saw in 2022. Anything helps.

## **IMMEDIATE WINTERTIME NEEDS!**

Size 4 diapers, Wipes, Lotion and Shampoo, Receiving blankets and baby bed blankets

GIRLS AND BOY'S SIZES 9 months to 24 months:

Coats, sweaters, and hats, Onesies, Outfits, Sleepers

## **TRUNK OR TREAT HELP NEEDED!**

We are in need of candy and CARS! A basket to collect candy can be found in the fellowship area. Donations will be accepted through Sunday October 29th.

Would you be interested in decorating a car to help out with the event? All candy and treats will be provided by the church, you just need to show up and hand it out. A sign up for cars is in the fellowship area.



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## ADVENT BY CANDLELIGHT (LWML Event) December 3 from 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm

This year's theme is: Angels: Messengers and the message.  
We are currently seeking table hosts. If you are interested, please sign up at the LWML table in the hallway.



## OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

It's that time again! Grab a shoebox and fill it with items for a child around the world. Shoeboxes, labels and packing suggestions are available at the Operation Christmas Child display in the hallway.  
When you return your shoebox, please attach the appropriate label, indicating the gender and age the box is appropriate for. Secure the box with a rubberband (NOT TAPE) and leave it at the OCC display by **Sunday, November 12.**

## CHRISTMAS BOXES FOR OUR TROOPS

Risen Savior Women in Mission will be packing Military Care Packages on Tuesday, November 14th. Here's how you can help:

- Submit names and addresses of family and friends serving in the Armed Forces. They can be stationed at home or abroad. Send an email to the church office, [office@rslc.org](mailto:office@rslc.org) or drop off addresses in the basket on the LWML table. The deadline is Sunday, November 12th.
- Donate items including candy (no chocolate), homemade treats such as brownies and rice crispy treat, nuts, beef jerky, microwave popcorn, granola bars, gum, puzzle books, chapstick, Christmas napkins and paper plates and small Bibles. Please put the items in the bin under the LWML table in the main hallway by Sunday, November 12th or bring to the meeting. Lists available at the LWML table.
- Money for postage, each box approximately \$17.00 to mail. Please make checks payable to Risen Savior LWML.
- Pray for our troops, pick up a toy soldier at our table as a reminder to pray daily.
- Come and join the fun packing boxes on Tuesday, November 14th!

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*"Each one must give as he has decided in his heart, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver." (2 Corinthians 9:7)*

## WAYS TO GIVE:

- Cash or check: offering taken during service
- **Realm:** set up giving through your Member login
- Text Giving: text our church's keyword "LOVE2GIVE2RSLC" TO 73256
- More giving options available at [www.rslc.org](http://www.rslc.org)



**THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTRIBUTIONS**