



Resurrection
LUTHERAN CHURCH



*In the Holy
Christian Church*

Ephesians 1:13-23

- August 30, 2020 -

Sunday Morning Worship Schedule

10:00 am– Worship Service

WHAT TO EXPECT

- ◆ **We are asking you to wear face coverings.** *All employees, members and visitors in attendance shall wear face coverings before, during and after the service, whether indoors or outdoors. Please, continue to wear face coverings to sing – it must stay on for the duration of the service.*
- ◆ **The double doors in the lower lot will be our only access point.**
- ◆ **There will be no sharing of the peace before service or receiving line after church to maximize social distancing.**
- ◆ **Please do not attend church or other church activities if you have a respiratory illness or feel like they are coming down with one for at least 14 days after your full recovery.** Family members should not attend either.
- ◆ **If you are high risk, consider not attending service.** We will continue to stream our worship services for those who cannot attend.
- ◆ **Offering collection: We will not be passing the collection plate during the offertory.** Please either drop your offering in the collection plates by the door or give online. Alternatively, you may mail a check to the church office.
- ◆ **Communion will be coming in prepackaged hosts and cups, of both wine and grape juice. We are planning on having communion only 2 times a month (1st and 3rd Sundays.)** Pastor will consecrate the communion elements during the service and we will commune together in the service at the designated time for communion. There will be a receptacle at the door for disposing the supplies upon leaving the sanctuary.
- ◆ **There will be an elder who will be writing down those attending service.** If an outbreak occurs, this information will allow us to have a way to contact individuals that may have been exposed which may be critical to help save lives.

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PRELUDE

WELCOME/ANNOUNCEMENTS

OPENING HYMN

“The Church’s One Foundation” *LSB 644 verses 1, 2, 4, 5*

The Church’s one foundation
Is Jesus Christ, her Lord;
She is His new creation
By water and the Word.
From heav’n He came and sought her
To be His holy bride;
With His own blood He bought her,
And for her life He died.

Elect from ev’ry nation,
Yet one o’er all the earth;
Her charter of salvation:
One Lord, one faith, one birth.
One holy name she blesses,
Partakes one holy food,
And to one hope she presses
With ev’ry grace endowed.

Through toil and tribulation
And tumult of her war
She waits the consummation
Of peace forevermore
Till with the vision glorious
Her longing eyes are blest,
And the great Church victorious
Shall be the Church at rest.

Yet she on earth has union
With God, the Three in One,
And mystic sweet communion
With those whose rest is won.
O blessed heav’nly chorus!
Lord, save us by Your grace
That we, like saints before us,
May see You face to face.

INVOCATION

P: We worship in the name of the Father, Son, + and Holy Spirit.

C: Amen.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

P: To You, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit all honor, glory, and worship is due! We as the Church praise You, for Your love shown the Church Universal. You show this love every day, by transferring us from the dominion of darkness into the Kingdom of Your Son, who reigns as Head over His body, the church. Your church desires to be one as You are one! Shape Your church into the likeness of Christ, today and every day!

C: Amen.

ORDER OF CONFESSION & FORGIVENESS

P: Lord Jesus Christ,

C: In You we see awesome power. You triumph over death and bring forth new life. You stand over all earthly powers. You are the head of the church. Yet, we often fail to acknowledge this power in our lives. We see violence in the world. We see injustice in our communities. We see hunger and need among our neighbors. We see failures and faults in our lives. In all these things, we feel powerless. Forgive our hesitance to call upon You. Forgive our tendency to rely upon ourselves. Forgive our reluctance to acknowledge Your power. Speak Your words of power again to us, and the whole Church around the world!

(Silence for Confession and Self-Examination)

P: May our Triune God give you a spirit of wisdom and revelation, that the power of Jesus Christ may be visible in your life. By the grace of Jesus Christ, love of His Father, and power of the Holy Spirit + you are forgiven all your sins and empowered to serve as the Church!

C: Amen.

SCRIPTURE READINGS

First Reading: Ephesians 1:13-23

L: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

INSTRUMENTAL HYMN

GOSPEL READING

Gospel Reading: John 16:16-33

L: This is the Gospel of our Lord.

C: **Praise to You, O Christ.**

SERMON HYMN

“I Love Your Kingdom, Lord” *LSB 651 verses 1, 3-5*

I love Your kingdom, Lord,
The place of Your abode,
The Church our blest Redeemer saved
With His own precious blood.

I love Your church, O God,
Your saints in ev'ry land,
Dear as the apple of Your eye
And graven on Your hand.

For them my tears shall fall;
For them my prayers ascend;
For them my cares and toils be giv'n
Till toils and cares shall end.

Sure as Your truth shall last,
To Zion shall be giv'n
The brightest glories earth can yield
And brighter bliss of heav'n.

APOSTLES' CREED

I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth.

And in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary; suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried.

He descended into hell. The third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From thence He will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Christian Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

SERMON

In the Holy Christian Church

Ephesians 1:13-23

Pastor Matt Mantey

REFLECTIVE MUSIC

*You can mail an offering or donate via the
"Give to RLC" button at resurrection-lcms.org*

PRAISE SONG

"Come and See"

Behold the Author of our salvation
Behold the wonder of grace so free
Behold the blessing of true forgiveness at Calvary
Behold the answer for all the broken
Behold the mercy that makes a way
Behold the promise of perfect healing at Calvary

Chorus

Come and see
Come and see what God has done
Come and see
Come and see what love has won
In this place hearts and lives waking up
To the light of the world
You're the light of the world
The cross is speaking Your words of freedom
No condemnation shall we now fear
Our shame is silenced
Your love has triumphed at Calvary

Bridge x2

God it's Your love here on display
We stand in awe it takes our breath away
God it's Your love here on display
We stand in awe it takes our breath away

Ending

In this place hearts and lives waking up
To the light of the world
You're the light of the world
In this place hearts and lives waking up
In this place hearts and lives waking up
In this place hearts and lives waking up
To the light of the world
You're the light of the world

PRAYERS OF PRAISE

PRAISE CHORUS

“Glorify Thy Name”

Father we love You
We worship and adore You
Glorify Thy name in all the earth
Glorify Thy name
Glorify Thy name
Glorify Thy name in all the earth

Jesus we love You
We worship and adore You
Glorify Thy name in all the earth
Glorify Thy name
Glorify Thy name
Glorify Thy name in all the earth

Spirit we love You
We worship and adore You
Glorify Thy name in all the earth
Glorify Thy name
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Glorify Thy name in all the earth

PRAYERS & LORD'S PRAYER

P: Let us pray for the whole people of God in Christ Jesus and for all people according to their needs.

(After each portion of the prayers)

P: Lord, in Your mercy,
C: hear our prayer.

Our Father who art in heaven, Hallowed be Thy name,
Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread; And forgive us our trespasses
As we forgive those who trespass against us;
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory
forever and ever. Amen.

BENEDICTION

P: The Lord bless you and keep you.

The Lord make His face shine on you and be gracious to you.

The Lord look upon you with favor and + give you peace.

C: Amen!

CLOSING SONG

“This Is Amazing Grace”

Who breaks the power of sin and darkness
Whose love is mighty and so much stronger
The King of Glory the King above all kings

Who shakes the whole earth with holy thunder
And leaves us breathless in awe and wonder
The King of Glory the King above all kings

Chorus

This is amazing grace
This is unfailing love
That You would take my place
That You would bear my cross
You laid down Your life
That I would be set free
Oh Jesus I sing for all that You've done for me

Who brings our chaos back into order
Who makes the orphan a son and daughter
The King of Glory the King of Glory

Who rules the nations with truth and justice
Shines like the sun in all of its brilliance
The King of Glory the King above all kings

Chorus

Bridge

Worthy is the Lamb who was slain
Worthy is the King who conquered the grave
Worthy is the Lamb who was slain
Worthy is the King who conquered the grave
Worthy is the Lamb who was slain
Worthy is the King who conquered the grave
Worthy is the Lamb who was slain
Worthy worthy worthy

Chorus

SERVING IN WORSHIP

Pastor:	Matthew Mantey
A/V Techs:	Dale & Suzy Lindeke
Elder:	Joe Thomas
Organist:	Carl Kishline
Worship Team:	Chris Linderman

In Our Prayers:

- **We lift up to you places of division in our nation.** We continue to lift up our communities, such as Kenosha, Portland, and Seattle that are in such a state of unrest. Bring your restorative presence to places of anger, fighting in the streets, and places of hopelessness. Shine your light, that communities would be transformed in your image! May there be an end to injustice through your justice and may we see people of all races as your children!
- **Merciful God, we entrust to your tender care those who are ill or in pain, knowing that whenever danger threatens your everlasting arms are there to hold them safe. Comfort them, heal them, and restore them to health and strength.** We especially lift up to you Betty Cissel's son Jim in our prayers for full healing from his cancer. We praise you that it has not spread! Please remove it fully and give the doctors the wisdom on the best way to do that!
- **We lift up to you regions of our country that are hurting because of disasters.** We continue to lift up to you California and all the firefighters who are battling the wildfires there. Bring your rains and relief to the region. We continue to pray over Iowa, as they continue to clean up after the terrible storms that hit them. And finally, we lift up the whole Gulf Region as it is hurricane season and storms are hitting hard. Keep people safe and allow them to evacuate safely. We ask there would be recovery, not just physically, but spiritually for all those enduring suffering in our nation!
- **During this time, O God, enter into our sorrows, worries, addictions, financial burdens, fears, and injustices.** Fill us with your grace, hope, and joy abundantly, Turn each home into a place of peace, unity, and love for each other. Renew our hearts and minds to seek the knowledge of your mercy and love. And Help the Church Universal to be united in incessant prayer.

ZOOM BIBLE STUDY QUESTIONS

In The Holy Christian Church

When you hear the word church what do you think of? What can be added to our definitions that might be lacking?

What does it mean that the church is holy? Is it without sin, or does that mean something else?

What is the difference between big C Catholic and little c catholic? How are we little C catholics? How should this impact the church?

Read Ephesians 1:13-25. What as a church around the world do we need to begin with to forge unity and grace among fellow Christians and non-Christians? Where does Paul start this passage?

How is Christ the head of the church? Why is it critical for all churches to believe this? What happens when we do? How does this impact the rest of the body?

Are you thankful to God for fellow believers in the church? Have you told a fellow believer this lately? How can this strengthen the church as a whole?

How is Paul's view of the church different from the view taken by most Christians today? What would happen if we took a high view of the church?

How can we pray for the holy Christian church this week?

UPCOMING EVENTS

Office Hours: Monday—Thursday 9 am—2 pm

Email: secretary@resurrection-lcms.org

SUNDAY, September 6th
10:00 am Worship Service

live stream @ [facebook.com/rlcdesmoineswa](https://www.facebook.com/rlcdesmoineswa)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

What's Coming Up?

We look forward to seeing you next Sunday as we lift our hands and worship together as the church either online or in-person at 10:00 am! As we continue the series “Credo” we will be looking at what it means to believe in the communion of saints. As Pastor Matt gives a recorded message it will highlight how the communion of saints goes beyond our Sunday morning gathering. It goes beyond this time and place, through the entire world and all times. Thinking about that makes us realize what a huge deal the communion of saints is so we look forward to you joining us in person or online for the service!

Reserve Your Spot for 10 AM Service

Please continue to inform Rachel in the office that you will be attending service in person so we can get an accurate count. Thank you for your flexibility and understanding during these uncharted times!

Zoom Bible Study—Join us at 7 PM on Wednesday

Zoom Bible Study continues this week on Wednesday at 7 PM. This study will be following our series “Credo” by digging in depth into the Apostles’ Creed. On Wednesday we will be exploring what we covered this morning, celebrating the work of the Holy Spirit in our lives and how he makes streams of living water flow through them! We look forward to seeing you there! Regardless of if you join us or not, may these streams of living water refresh you this week!

September 20th will be a 2 Service Sunday at 8 and 10:30 am!

To celebrate our rich width of worship at RLC we will be having two services on September 20th at our normal service times. We would ask that you still reserve your spot for your service of choice. We look forward to seeing you at either and to be able to celebrate the Lord’s Supper with you all!

RLC is on Youtube!

If you miss the livestream or want to share our services with a friend our youtube site makes it easy to watch service from anywhere, even if you don’t have facebook. Here is the website <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCKdfcOYdsnh9a0xHiekKfwQ> While that is a complicated website to remember, just type RLC Des Moines into the search feature of youtube and it will pull up. Thanks for watching and sharing!