

Resurrection

Lutheran Church

To call all people to a vibrant life of faith in Christ

Trust in Jesus as Savior

Live the call of God's Word

Serve the world God loves

Today's Announcements

New Member Orientation Discover the mission and purpose of Resurrection and how you can play a vital role in God's ministry. Resurrection is on the move and you can help us make an impact in Jesus' name. A New Member orientation is being offered as part of *Faith For Life* on Saturday, February 4 at 8:30 am. Adult family members attending will catch the vision of Resurrection, meet new friends and get questions answered. Snacks and childcare will be provided; please indicate your childcare needs when registering. To register please call the church office or email sguck@resurrection.woodbury.org.

Annual Congregational Meeting The annual meeting of Resurrection Lutheran Church will be held Sunday, February 12 at noon. Meeting packets will be available for review next Sunday. All members are encouraged to attend.

Lent 2012 Lent begins on Ash Wednesday, February 22. Our Lenten theme will be *Discover Vibrant Life* and our daily devotional will seek to be an expression of the Vibrant Life, using the internet through daily emails to creatively express how people at Resurrection discover the Vibrant Life of Faith in Christ.

You are invited to post a favorite inspirational YouTube video, picture, story or commentary that expresses your Vibrant Life of Faith. These creative links can be your own creation. For example you might write a story about the Vibrant Life of Faith using photos and words, or you might create your own video. Or these links might be from another part of the internet. For example, you might share a favorite worship video or inspirational story along with a brief statement on how the link expresses the Vibrant Life of Faith for you. A sample is available in the office.

Start your discovery process today. Find or create a web link that expresses the Vibrant Life for you and email it to sguck@resurrection-woodbury.org by Sunday, February 19. Questions, contact Pastor John Keller at jkeller@resurrection-woodbury.org.

Women's Retreat Ladies, it is time to get away from the routine and escape your responsibilities for a weekend! The 13th Annual Women's Winter Retreat is February 24-26 at Luther Point Retreat Center in Grantsburg, Wisconsin, approximately 1 1/2 hours from Woodbury. Stop in the lobby today for a brochure and to register.



God's Timeless
Treasures

Men's Bible Study Come study and discuss the Gospel of Mark. The Men's Bible Study meets every Tuesday morning from 6:30 to 7:20 in the Student LIFE Center. Bibles are provided and coffee served.

Online Reflections—Pastor John's Blog To follow along with Pastor John's blog—"Trust Live Serve, Reflections of a Pastor from Resurrection Lutheran Church" visit trustliveserve.wordpress.com.

Outreach Ministries

Food First Sunday Senior Life Fellowship collects non-perishable food the first Sunday of every month for the Christian Cupboard food shelf. To help those in need please leave donations in the collection box in the church's main entry Sunday, February 5. Together we can make a difference!

CURE Ministries Serve a free meal once a month at East Immanuel Lutheran Church in St. Paul. CURE Ministries provides a weekly meal, food shelf and Life Skills Center for underprivileged families in East St. Paul. Join others in preparing and serving a meal, assisting with the kids program and distributing groceries on Monday, February 13, as well as the second Monday of each month. The meal will be prepared in the afternoon and served at 5 pm. Please sign up in the lobby for cooking, serving, or both. Youth are welcome with their parents. Questions? Please contact Terri Dokken at Tdokken@comcast.net.

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Faith Outfitters

Sunday School Our Sunday morning programming is for children from 3-years-old through grade 6. Students will be escorted, following the children's message, to the dock area. 5th and 6th graders are reminded to meet their teacher, at the start of the children's message, to walk to their farmhouse classroom. Please wear your jacket. Parents of children in preschool or kindergarten, we ask that you pick up your child in their class area after worship. 1st-6th graders will be dismissed to the refreshment area in the lobby at that time. You may contact Betsy Hickey or Sarah Storvick for more information or with any questions.

Vacation Bible Adventure 2012 Watch for more details soon about this summer's awesome adventure! Our vacation Bible adventure is for children from 3 years old through grade 4, with many ways for youth and adults to serve. Save June 18-21 and talk to Sarah Storvick or Coordinators Suzie Heideman and Jill Blissenbach to learn more. Registration materials will be available in February.

Bible Expedition II 3rd – 6th graders, if you've been on our Bible Expedition, and are ready to dig deeper into God's word, come along on the next expedition! Sign up on the Faith Outfitters bulletin board for more learning fun on Saturday, February 11, at 5:30 pm.

Camp WAPO Summer Dates Camp Sunday is February 5! Join us that morning to pick up your WAPO brochure, ask questions, or register for summer camp. Registration deadline for summer camp weeks or weekends will be March 11; family camp deadline is May 1.



Family Camp, June 22-24
SEEDS Weekend for 2nd and 3rd graders, July 27-29
Youth Camp for 4th-6th and 7th-9th graders,
July 29 – August 3
T.I.M. Team (Teens in Mission) for 9th-12th graders,
July 28 – August 3

COMPASS Youth Ministries (6-12th gr)

Facebook and Text Messages Stay in touch and get Compass updates. Join Compass Ministries' facebook group - *Resurrection Lutheran Church Youth!* and sign up to receive text reminders at ministrytxt.com/join/sarahstorvick.

Save the Date Mark your calendar for tubing at Green Acres on Saturday, February 28, 11:30 to 3 pm.



Pathfinders (Middle School)

The MIX The SOUPer Bowl MIX Party is Sunday, February 5 at 5 pm. Grab your friends and come watch the big game on the big screen. The night includes (wii, 8 person fooseball, carpetball), food and fun! Please bring a nonperishable item to donate to the Christian Cupboard.



SOUPer BOWL Party

Lock-In Join your friends as we play noodle-wars, minute-to-win-it games, and capture the flag. This a great opportunity to connect with your friends, connect with God, and just have fun and be crazy. The lock-in will start on Friday, February 10 at 7 pm and wrap up on Saturday around noon. Please bring \$10 to help cover the cost of the lock-in. To participate please sign up on the Youth Ministries bulletin board across the hall from the Student LIFE Center. Please note that a signed waiver is required to watch the movie, *To Save A Life*. If you have questions please talk to Hannah.

Variety Show Outstanding job to those who participated in the Variety Show! Thank you for sharing your gifts, time and talent with our congregation. We have some very talented youth here at Resurrection!

Navigators (High School)

Bible Study Come to High School Bible Study at noon TODAY! Enjoy pizza, have a Bible Study, and pray for one another. This is a powerful way to meet with God, and also have the opportunity to hang out with your friends and enjoy fellowship. Our schedule changes in February so plan ahead and mark your calendar for HS Bible Study on Wednesday evenings beginning February 15. We will gather at 6 pm for pizza and study, and after Lent starts we will also worship together at Wednesday night Lenten Services.

Sunday, January 29—noon
Wednesday, February 15—6 pm
Wednesday, February 22—6 pm
Wednesday, February 29—6 pm



ELCA Youth Gathering Citizens with the Saints

Our second combined mandatory meeting with King of Kings Gathering participants is at King of Kings Lutheran Church on Sunday, February 12 from 5-6 pm. Parents do not need to come to this meeting.

In addition to building relationships with King of King participants, it is crucial to build community within our own group. Plan on meeting just with Resurrection participants on Thursday, February 16 at 7 pm in the Student LIFE Center. Parents are encouraged to attend also as we will be touching base on fundraising details.