

RESURRECTION

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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

August 26 Announcements

Outdoor Worship Today is our last outdoor worship for 2018. It is a wonderful experience to worship in such a beautiful setting. This is made possible because a group of dedicated volunteers work behind the scenes to set up and tear down each week. A huge thank you to the sound team and our setup team who show up each week and give their time so the Resurrection community can experience God's creation as we worship. We are grateful always to all our Sunday servants.

Annual Church Picnic - September 16 All are invited to share a meal, spend time in fellowship and enjoy our beautiful property at the Annual Church Picnic, Sunday, September 16. Gather after the 10:30 worship hour for a potluck meal near the outdoor worship space. Brats and hotdogs will be provided (gluten free options available). Please bring a dish to share. If your last name begins with the letter A-M, bring a side or salad, and last name beginning with N-Z, bring a dessert. There will also be some activities for kids. To help with set up and clean up, please email Rachel Dillon (mndillons@yahoo.com).

Yoga Devotion Yogadevotion classes begin Tuesday, September 18. Yogadevotion is a practice of breath, prayer and movement led by Woodbury Resident Robin Norsted, who has been with Yogadevotion since its creation in 1999. She has the gift of compassion and can make Yoga accessible to all bodies. The fall session will be Tuesdays, 6-7pm, September 18-October 23. Cost is \$64 for 8 wks or \$32 for 4 wks. To learn more contact Sarah Greene (sarah_sue_greene@hotmail.com).

Alpha Course Share the news! Invite your friends! The fall Alpha Course is coming to Resurrection. Following an introductory dinner on September 10 to learn what the course entails, there are 10 Monday or Thursday evening sessions where basic questions of the Christian faith are addressed, such as Who is Jesus?, Why and how should I read the Bible?, and Does God still heal today? It is a great opportunity for anyone to explore faith in a relaxed, non-threatening setting that is thought-provoking, low-key, friendly, fun, and supported by all denominations. See dates and times online, or pick up an informational card in the lobby to share with anyone who may be seeking answers to life's big questions. Please visit the church website or complete the Welcome Card from your worship folder to register.



Book Talk This book discussion group meets Monday, September 10, to discuss *Half of a Yellow Sun*, by Chimamanda Ngozi Adichie, at the Johnson home (9667 Wellington Lane). If you like to discuss thought-provoking books, both fiction and nonfiction, come to Book Talk. The conversation begins at 7 pm and adults are welcome to join any time.

Women's Bible Studies Women are invited to Bible study and fellowship Tuesdays, beginning September 11, at 9:30am. *Living Love When We Disagree*, a study of First Corinthians, will be the basis for fall discussions and is available for purchase in the church office. Additional study groups for women are being planned. Watch for more details soon!

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Resurrection Supper Club Resurrection Supper Club begins in the fall! What is the supper club? It is a small group social opportunity and a time to gather around good food. Adults are invited to sign up for this 4-session potluck. Participants are placed in groups of 7-8. Each couple or individual hosts one meal at your home. Using provided recipes, all participants bring a portion of the dinner. This is a fun way to get to know others better and enjoy a night out. Express your interest on a Welcome Card, or email Kelly Fownes (kfownes@yahoo.com).

Moms Group Sunday, September 9, join other moms of young children (infants – kindergarten). Lunch and childcare will be provided. Look at possible resources for a fall study or devotional time, get to know one another, and help plan the direction of this new small group. We'll meet at noon. Please rsvp to Sarah Storvick (ssstorvick@resurrection-woodbury.org).

Sr. Life Group Sr. Life Fellowship meets the second and fourth Wednesdays of each month at 1pm, and all seniors are invited to attend. Faith is renewed and strengthened through regular Bible study and fellowship. Occasionally we have a guest speaker, as well as a social gathering at an area restaurant.

We will begin this fall with a 12pm potluck lunch on Wednesday, September 12. Please bring a dish to share. We will discuss what it means to make a difference in retirement and learn about our fall study, *Aging in the Grace of God!* Contact Ron Freimark ([call/text 651-207-5269](tel:651-207-5269), or ronjonf@comcast.net).

Outreach

FMSC Mobile Pack in Woodbury As you enjoy your next meal, consider how you can be a part of Five Million Meals. This Mobile Pack effort with Feed My Starving Children will be at HealthEast Sports Center, October 4-7. Our confirmation students will be serving, and ministry teams may choose to serve together. Childcare will be provided at Resurrection during one shift, to help young parents be involved. Sign up online during one of our congregation's shifts, or reserve spaces at another time and gather a group. Visit resurrection-woodbury.org to link to FMSC.

Faith Outfitters Children's Ministry

Guided Hands Thank you to Resurrection's Guided Hands puppet team for sharing their ministry of drama and music in today's Woodbury Days parade.

Sunday School Sunday School is offered for 3-6 year olds during 9am worship, through today. During the summer, activity bags are available in the lobby or at outdoor worship for children's use during every worship hour. Thank you to the families who led the children's time this summer. We appreciate you.

Sunday School begins September 9 with a large group service project. Age-group programming begins September 16. Please register soon for this school year, if you have not done so already. Forms are available in the church lobby. Volunteers, a leader orientation will be Tuesday, September 11, at 6:30pm.

Outreach Help Sunday School students assemble health kits. Faith Outfitters will kick off the school year by assembling Flu Free Kits, to be distributed to vulnerable individuals by Community Thread, in Stillwater. Please bring in any of these needed items for the kits by September 5: small hand sanitizer containers, tissue packs, quart-size Ziploc bags, Vitamin-C packets, antibacterial wipes.



Youth Ministries (6-12th grade)

Register for Middle School Ministry/Confirmation

Confirmation for students in grades 6-8 begins September 19. Classes will be held weekly on Wednesdays, 6:30-7:45pm. Program details and registration forms are available in the lobby and online. Or contact Pastor Paul or Hannah Lorence to learn more. Small group leader orientation is Tuesday evening, at 6:30pm on September 11.

That High School Thing Want to have a safe place where you be can be yourself? *That High School Thing* is for you! Join us as we kick off the year on Wednesday, September 19, 8-9:30pm. We will hang out, dive into faith topics, pray together and enjoy tacos and nachos! Please register your High School student for this ministry school year. Registration forms are available in the lobby.

Friends, Food, and Fun Wednesday nights middle school youth will gather at church from 5:45-6:30 for a home cooked meal, fellowship and games. It's a great time to hang out and make new friends at church. On September 19 youth and families are invited to our first Friends, Food, and Fun, before Confirmation orientation scheduled to begin at 6:30pm. A \$4 donation is suggested to help cover costs of the meal.