

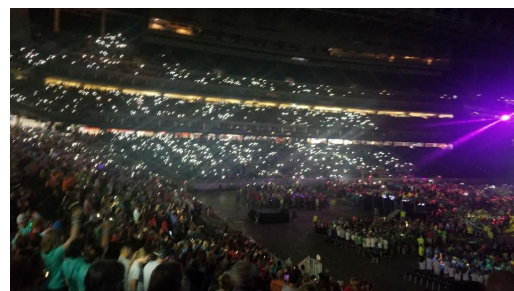
The Connection

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

Youth Gathering Update

Our students and chaperones worshipped with 31,000 high schoolers and adult leaders in Houston, TX last night at the ELCA Youth Gathering Kick-Off. Speakers included Ginny Owens and Bryan Stevenson, with messages that God's Love Changes Everything. The team extends a BIG Texas thank you to the Resurrection church family for your continued prayers. [To see more photos click here.](#)



Belle Vinez Winery

The Lutheran Adult Fellowship and Fun group invites all adults to Belle Vinez Winery Saturday, July 21. The LAFF group plans monthly social outings to foster connections, including a variety of activities and events. This month, come to Belle Vinez in River Falls with the group! The entertainment begins at 3pm, wine tasting is at 6pm and dinner is at 7pm. The wine tasting is free; the only cost is your dinner and wine you buy to take home. To sign up [contact Deb Daly](#). There will be carpooling available for anyone expressing interest when registering.

Family Camp Fun ~ S'More Jesus

Families once again got away to the shores of Camp WAPO for a family camp weekend. Children connected with new friends, or deepened acquaintances made during VBA. The Schafer family shares: "It was great to connect with other families at Resurrection." One of their children highlighted that she and a new friend helped each other on the scavenger hunt, while their son was thankful for the fun time and that "the beach is great!" S'mores were plentiful. We are grateful for this place of renewal and fellowship, and bringing people together around our walk with Jesus.



Preparing for Camp

Is someone in your family one of the 50+ campers headed for WAPO in late July? Come to our annual pre-camp pizza party on Wednesday evening, July 11 from 5:30 to 6:30pm. Whether it's your first trip to Camp Wapo or your tenth, we hope you can join us to get fired up for a great time *Together: created for community*. Parents are welcome too. This is a good opportunity to ask questions, pick up packing lists and prayer lists, or just meet others going to camp. Watch for a postcard soon.

Upcoming Events: (for more, visit Resurrection's [website](#))

Spread hay or mow rows at the Pumpkin Patch, June 28, 6:30pm
Food First Sunday, July 1
Office Closed, July 4 and 5