

Resurrection Lutheran Church
675 W Vandament Ave, Yukon, OK
405.354.3322. rlcok.org
Sunday Worship @ 10:15 AM
Office Hours: M-F 9AM-12PM

Church Nursery
available
Sundays!



THIRD
SUNDAY

LENT

 **Suppers** SOUP

Sign-up today!

March Eternal Candle:
*In memory of Paula's brother
Fred Schroder.*

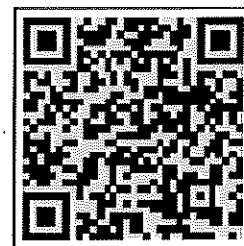


VBS Meeting!
Sunday, 3/8 after worship.
Hope everyone can make it!

Monthly general
expenses
average
\$33,426.....
supporting
missions,
utilities,
insurance,
payroll,
office supplies...

celebration of life

Penny Budzien
Saturday, March 21 @ 10 AM



March 2026
General giving \$8,393
Special giving \$423
Thank you for sharing!

Supporting
'God's mission',
thank you.....

Lent:

(Feb 18– April 2)

Purple is used during the penitential season of Lent as a vivid reminder of the contempt and scorn Jesus endured, and the subsequent sacrifice he made for our eternal salvation. It reminds us of our daily need to humbly give attention to leading a life of repentance.

The length of the Lenten season is forty days, which includes six Sundays. The season begins on Ash Wednesday.

Music during Lent is reflective of the season's focus on repentance and mercy. There are no "Alleluia" or "Glory to God in the Highest" verses sung in the liturgy during Lent. Fasting is practiced by some of the faithful during the Lenten season.

Pastor Mark's Remarks for March 2026***"Faith is about Relationship and Purpose, not just Destination"*****Genesis 12:1-4 - Now the Lord had said to Abram:***"Get out of your country,**From your family and from your father's house,**To a land that I will show you.**² I will make you a great nation; I will bless you**And make your name great; and you shall be a blessing.**³ I will bless those who bless you, and I will curse him who curses you;**And in you all the families of the earth shall be blessed."**⁴ So Abram departed as the Lord had spoken to him, and Lot went with him.*

So often we talk about faith as our access point to salvation. It is, but it is meant to be an access point to much more than that. Faith is meant to bring us into a greater experience of God's presence and purposes now and not just qualify us to go to heaven when we die.

Because Abraham was a man of faith, God chose him to model what ought to be normal life in God's Kingdom. He was a friend of God, and he would be blessed to be a blessing to his generation and many generations to come because of his faith.

When faith remains a private thing which I depend on for my own salvation without becoming something acted out in my life for the sake of glorifying God and blessing others, it misses out on much of what it is intended to do. Abraham acted on his faith and allowed God to lead him into his purpose. It is being willing to take the risk of acting on his faith which led him into both a greater intimacy with God and a greater impact in the world.

As I get older, I am less satisfied with my faith getting me to heaven and hungrier to allow it to lead me into risks and adventures where I will get to know aspects of God I would otherwise never know and be part of spreading God's Kingdom in the world in ways I would otherwise never imagine by keeping my faith intellectual rather than experiential.

Father may my faith be more than just an intellectual exercise that gets me to heaven when I die. May it be an invitation to risk and adventure which will lead me to greater intimacy with you and greater participation in what is in the world. AMEN

**Wednesdays During Lent – Soup Supper/Light Supper at 6:30 and Service at 7:00**

We had a wonderful first Midweek Lenten soup supper and service on February 25, and I am excited to see what God will be up to the rest of Lent. We are gathering each Wednesday through March 25 for a soup supper (or other light supper items) at 6:30pm followed by informal time of worship, conversation, prayer and learning about how to become true apprentices of Jesus in daily life. For those who want to go deeper into the topic, we are using the book *Practicing the Way* by John Mark Comer as our study resource. If you would like the church to order you a book, let Pastor Mark know.

Sign up in the Fellowship Hall if you are able to bring soup or other items for the dinner one or more of the Wednesdays.

Holy Week and Easter Schedule

Holy Week and Easter will be here before we know it. Our Holy Week schedule will be as follows:

Sunday, March 29 – Palm Sunday worship at 10:15

Thursday, April 2 – Maundy Thursday worship at 7:00pm

Friday, April 3 – Good Friday worship at 7:00pm

Sunday, April 5 – Easter Worship at 8:15 and 10:15 with Breakfast in between

If you would like to offer special music or help in any other way with any of the Easter or Holy Week services, let Pastor Mark know.

LifeWise Bible Classes in Yukon and Mustang Schools

Pastor Mark is part of a group working to provide school-day, released-time, off-site Bible classes in Yukon and Mustang schools. It is through an Ohio-based group called LifeWise which has started over 1000 such programs in about 35 states so far. We have hired a director in Yukon and are working to find one in Mustang. If you want to learn more, Pastor Mark is hosting a table a LifeWise's Vision

night on Thursday, April 9 at 6pm at the Omni in OKC where LifeWise founder Joel Penton will be speaking. If you would like to come to the event, it is free, and you can register at <http://lifewise.org/ok-markborseth>

Wednesday's During Lent (February 18-March 25) – Our Focus will be Apprenticeship with Jesus:

February 18 – Ash Wednesday Service at 7pm

February 25 – Apprenticeship with Jesus (7pm)

March 4 – Being with Jesus (7pm)

March 11 – Becoming like Jesus (7pm)

March 18 – Special guest (7pm)

March 25 – Doing as Jesus did

Book we will be reading during Lent – Practicing the Way by John Mark Comer

Feel free to order or purchase the book yourself, but if you want the church to order it for you, please sign up in the Fellowship Hall by Sunday, February 8 or let Pastor Mark know you want a book.

It looks like with shipping it will be about \$18 a book, available also on Audible.

Blessings Box Theme for March is, "Nourishing our Neighbors."

Verse: Proverbs 22:9 -The generous will be blessed for they share their food with others.

"Our Blessing Box is currently being used daily, and the need in our community is high. To keep it stocked, we need 3 volunteers to commit to checking and restocking the box one day a week, for 1 month. This ensures it remains a blessing, rather than empty, for our neighbors. Please sign up in the lobby or contact Brandy O. to take a day!" At this time we are looking for volunteers for the month of March.

Food items we are collecting this month:

canned veggies, tuna, protein bars and canned fruit.

Winter Jam 3/14 @ Pay Com Center,
\$15 at the door, opens at 5 PM.
Performing 6-10 PM: Chris Tomlin,
Matthew West, Katy Nichole, Hulvey,
Disciple, Emerson Day and New Song.
Meet @ RLC by 4 PM to carpool.

**Easter Egg Hunt & Stations of the
Cross Sunday March 29th,** after the
worship service. This year we will be
doing *TWO* areas for Stations of the
Cross. *A deeper reflection* in the
Sanctuary; shorter experience in the
small fellowship hall.

Synod Youth Event. Once a month
youth from across our Synod Cluster
will meet at Trinity Lutheran on the
last Friday of every month from 6-8
PM; see Lori B.



**Mon-Fri
8:30AM-4PM
DHS certified
MDO/
Preschool
10 months-4
yrs.
Contact
Rhonda @
405.354.3721**



Preparing for Easter

**Easter flowers
for the altar.....**
Help celebrate Easter
morning with fresh
flowers, mark your
donation:

'Easter flowers.'



**Tuesday 6:30-8 PM
Contact Donna Gorrell
405.205.9385**

**Walk and
Pray..Friday
nights starting at
RLC @ 6pm.**



**Communion
Bread
provided by the RLC Hand
Foot Canasta Players.**



If you are struggling with grief of a loved one, or know someone who is. Please join us as we navigate this Journey together. Contact Lori for more information. 6:30 PM 3rd Thursday



Donna Anderson, 20 years ago she lost a kidney to cancer. Doctors have found a growth/lesion on her healthy kidney.
Desiree Arbett, Pam Metscher relative, is suffering from major health complications with severe aftereffects from a diabetic coma.
Penny Budzien, prayers of peace for the entire family.
Wanda Bonavida, Health concerns.
Kay, undergoing cancer treatment
Winnie Lauden, Sheri Campbell's cousin, health problems.
Doug Glense, Marcie's uncle, has bladder cancer.
Barb Gigstad, kidney cancer
Bob Gomez, Lufkin's son-in-law, cancer treatment.
Logan Hambree, has a rare genetic disorder, Leukodystrophy.
Connie Houpt and family, comfort a peace for the loss of her dad, Glen.
Cindy Jacobs' family, prayers of peace and comfort.
John & Emma's nephew G, his cancer relapsed; doing treatments again
Linda Maune's sister, Marylou, pray for her as her kidneys are shutting down & on life support while undergoing dialysis.
Keyley McDonald, Breast Cancer.
Monica, Marice's sister, surgery on a blood clot.



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2026 Church Council

Jason Wauson, President. Ryan McGivern, Vice President. Linda Locascio, Secretary, Peter Cox, Kyle Cranmer, Mary Funkhouser, Connie Houpt, Kim Ramsey, Bobette Whitlock, & **Teresa Carter, Treasurer**

Events

From 3/8 to 3/17/26

- RLC Public Calendar
- test
- Holidays in United States
- Work

March 2026							April 2026						
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15	16	17	18	19	20	21	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
22	23	24	25	26	27	28	19	20	21	22	23	24	25
29	30	31					26	27	28	29	30		

Sunday, March 8

- All-Day Events
 - 3/8 Nursery Available
 - 3/8 Daylight Saving Time starts
- Notes: Observance
- To hide observances, go to Google Calendar Settings > Holidays in United States

- Events
 - 10:15AM to 11:15AM Worship
 - 12:00PM to 1:00PM VBS Meeting after worship

Monday, March 9

- Events
 - 8:00AM to 4:00PM Res Kids

Tuesday, March 10

- Events
 - 8:00AM to 3:45PM Kiddie Korral
- Location: Sm Fellowship hall
- 1:00PM to 3:30PM Woman's bible study
- 6:30PM to 8:00PM Cub Scout meeting
- 6:30PM to 7:30PM Woman's Bible Study

Wednesday, March 11

- Events
 - 8:00AM to 4:00PM Res Kids
 - 7:00PM to 8:00PM Lenten Service

Thursday, March 12

- Events
 - 8:00AM to 3:45PM Kiddie Korral
- Location: Sm Fellowship hall
- 5:15PM to 6:45PM Pack Committee Meeting

Friday, March 13

- All-Day Events

3/13 to 3/20 Spring Break No School

Saturday, March 14

- All-Day Events
 - 3/13 to 3/20 Spring Break No School
- Events
 - 9:00AM to 2:00PM Quilting
- Location: large fellowship hall
- 4:00PM to 8:00PM Winter Jam

Sunday, March 15

- All-Day Events
 - 3/13 to 3/20 Spring Break No School
 - 3/15 Nursery Available
- Events
 - 10:15AM to 11:15AM Worship

Monday, March 16

- All-Day Events
 - 3/13 to 3/20 Spring Break No School
- Events
 - 8:00AM to 4:00PM Res Kids

Tuesday, March 17

- All-Day Events
 - 3/13 to 3/20 Spring Break No School
 - 3/17 St. Patrick's Day
- Notes: Observance
- To hide observances, go to Google Calendar Settings > Holidays in United States
- Events
 - 8:00AM to 3:45PM Kiddie Korral
- Location: Sm Fellowship hall
- 6:30PM to 8:00PM Cub Scout meeting
- 6:30PM to 7:30PM Woman's Bible Study