









# LUTHERAN CHURCH *BESURRECTION*

## TIME AND TALENT 2025

## LCR MISSION STATEMENT

LUTHERAN CHURCH OF THE RESURRECTION exists to... WELCOME people to a community of faith; CONNECT people to Jesus through the Word of God; and SEND disciples into the world to SERVE in Jesus' name.

## TO USE THIS CATALOG

**Find Out How You Are Called** There is an ELCA link that discusses special abilities and how to use them: https://tinyurl.com/ELCAassessment

### Look Through the Pages

to see the many opportunities to use your gifts in the life and work of the church here at Lutheran Church of the Resurrection.

Use the Response Form to indicate where you can serve (one form per person). You can fill this out online: LCRMarion.org/volunteer SCAN ME

Return your Response Form as soon as you can.

## WORSHIP

#### 101 Worship Greeter:

Arrive early to provide a warm and friendly welcome to guests and members as they come to worship.

#### 102 Usher:

(9th grade to adult. Younger children may usher with their parent.)

Arrive early to distribute bulletins, light the candles, distribute Communion cups, and help with seating. After the service, pick up bulletins, put out the candles, straighten the Worship Room, and put loose offering in the safe.

#### 106 Communion Set-Up:

8:30 am - Place bread and wine on serving plate and place on the altar;

10:30 am - Take bread and wine from the altar to the set-up room, clean and put away the cup and plate.

#### 107 Altar Linen Care:

Change colored altar hangings (paraments) and care for altar cloths (launder, iron, and mend as needed); launder the dish towels used in washing communion ware. Be responsible for one month at a time.

#### 108 Tech Booth Volunteer:

Assist in the tech booth during worship services (Sunday mornings or Wednesday evenings) or other events that require audio/visual assistance. You will receive training on how to use any or all of the following: soundboard, cameras, projected slides/videos, or interacting with the livestream. Volunteers will typically work with our tech staff until fully trained.

#### 112 Nursery Assistant:

Watch children in the nursery room during special worship services or other special events. Be able to fill in as needed.

#### 115 Worship Planning Team:

Help to dream of and provide seasonally appropriate opportunities to connect worshipers more deeply through the use of aesthetic, multi-media, liturgical, and other creative means.

#### 118 Offering Counter:

Each person will be trained and put into a group. When it is that group's Sunday they will arrange a time to count the Wednesday & Sunday offering.

#### 119 Special Events Planner:

Help plan special events in worship and then help make them happen.

#### 120 Resurrection Choir:

Adult mixed choir. Rehearses on Wednesdays at 7:15 pm, September through May.

#### 123 Galileans:

Women's Chorus. Rehearsals on Wednesdays at 6:15 pm. *All ages are welcome!* 

#### 124 Adult Bell Choir Ringers:

Adult handbell choir. Rehearsals at 6:30 pm on Thursdays.

#### 125 Children's Hand Bells:

All kids welcome to come forward in worship to ring bells according to the color cards that bell leader holds up.



#### 126 Contemporary Band:

A contemporary praise and worship band that plays at the 10:30 am service. Evening rehearsals are scheduled as needed.

Additional gatherings are held periodically. *Auditions required* 

#### 127 Special Music - Instrumental:

(2nd grade to adult) Brass, woodwind, string, percussion, and pianists are needed for special music and concerts. This could be for a solo or in a group. Please list what instruments you play at the bottom of your Response Form. Auditions required

#### 128 Special Music - Vocal:

Soloists or small groups to provide vocal music at Christmas or other special services. *Auditions required* 

#### 130 Wednesday Evening Music Team:

Singers, pianist/keyboard players, and guitarists needed to participate in a worship team to lead an "acoustic contemporary" service on Wednesday evenings. *Auditions required* 

#### 133 Bake Communion Bread:

Bake bread for communion. Recipe is provided.

## MINISTRY

#### 201 Church Council:

For those interested in being considered for church council, which works to lead the congregation toward fulfilling its purpose and mission. Council meets on the 3rd Tuesday each month plus one team meeting earlier in the month. Terms are for 3 years.

#### 203 Social Concerns Team:

People interested in planning mission and ministry projects.

#### 204 Mission of Hope Meal Team:

Help prepare and serve a lunch once or twice a year at Mission of Hope.

#### 205 Mission of Hope Cookie Baking:

Bake cookies for lunches at Mission of Hope.

#### 208 Prayer Chain (e-mail):

Pray for LCR programs and ministries, and persons requesting prayer support.

#### 209 Woodworking Group:

Work on woodworking projects for the church and community. Projects are done as requests come in and time allows.

#### 210 Comforting Hands Quilters:

Help make tied quilts for Lutheran World Relief, local ministries, and disadvantaged people in our area. We meet at the church on Monday mornings from 9:00-11:30 am. We also need people to cut squares and/or sew squares together in your home.

#### 211 Baptismal Quilts:

Help make quilts to be given to infants and small children at their baptisms.

#### 213 Care Ministry Team:

Call on congregation members who are homebound or in nursing homes.

#### 217 Food Serving:

Serve prepared meals to groups at church such as chili supper, summer picnic, etc.

#### 218 Bring Food:

Prepare at home or purchase food and bring to the church for large or small group events.

#### 219 Coordinate Lenten Suppers:

Set up food and tableware for one or more of our 6 Wednesday evening gatherings and clean up afterwards.

#### 222 Food for Funerals:

Prepare home-made sides, salads, or desserts and bring to the church for funeral luncheons.

#### 226 Serve at Funerals:

Help set up, serve food, and clean up for funeral luncheons.

#### 225 Feeding Lunch to Youth

**Volunteers:** (youth to adult) The FLY program prepares sack lunches in the summer for local students in need. Volunteers can help pack lunches or deliver & serve at the designated sites. Youth need to serve with an adult.

#### 232 Donate Blood:

Be a blood donor in support of the Marion Lutheran Churches blood drives. Drives occur three times each year in the LCR fellowship hall.



233 Deliveries to the Churches of Marion Food Pantry & Helping Hands Clothes Closet: Pick up donated food and clothing here at the church and deliver to the Food Pantry/Clothes Closet once a month. Best time for deliveries is between 10 am and 2 pm.

#### 235 Churches of Marion Food Pantry Volunteer:

Help at the local food pantry to meet the needs of food-insecure people in our community by: helping to hand out food on Tue/Thu afternoons, cleaning the pantry, picking up food, or stocking the food pantry shelves on Tue/Thu mornings. *Need ability* to stay in touch via email or text.

#### 236 LCR Community Garden:

Participate in planting, watering, tending, and harvesting our community garden.



# OUTREACH/YOUTH

## Outreach

#### 301 Outreach Team:

Support church activities that invite others in the community to participate.

#### 303 Summer Picnic Helper:

Help with set-up, take-down, serving, and helping with games at LCR's annual summer picnic.

#### 306 Visitors Hospitality Team

Extend hospitality to visitors at LCR before worship services or special events. Actively look for visitors and engage with them. Provide a warm welcome, information, directions, and any other help that is needed.

#### 307 Bingo Volunteer:

Extend hospitality, assist with set-up and tear down, call bingo games, and/or help with refreshments for bingo events, typically on 1st Sunday of the month at 1:00 pm.

#### 308 Car Cruise-in/Car Show:

Extend hospitality, assist with setup and tear down, and/or serve refreshments for Car Cruise-ins (2nd Thursday evening each month, spring-fall) or LCR's annual car show (one Saturday in the summer).

#### 309 Neighborhood Nights:

Neighborhood Nights events are held one Saturday per month throughout the summer. Help with set-up, tear-down, serving food, and/or monitoring events.

#### 310 Gatherings @ LCR:

Organize and lead this popular outreach to adults who are looking for connections on Fridays at 12 pm. Gatherings builds relational bridges into our community by inviting people to come and join in an hour of topical conversation that feed peoples souls.

### **YOUTH**

#### 403 PK-5th Grade Sunday School

**Group Leader:** (*adult*) This is the job for adults who want to work with the same group of children during the school year, building relationships and growing in faith together. All activities are planned and prepared.

Substitutes are always available. At least 12 adults are needed every year to accommodate our classes.

#### 406 Sunday School Substitute Leader:

If you like to help out occasionally with the children who come to LCR, this is a great way! You do not need to have kids in Sunday School to volunteer.

### 416 Wednesday Night Live

Helper: (adult) Aid leaders in crafts, games, service projects, and snacks on Wednesdays at 6:00 pm, September through May.

#### 436 Preschool VBS:

(summer; 6th grade to adult) Adults - Be a Group Guide or a Station Leader Youth - Be a Group Guide Assistant, Station Leader, or an Assistant



**430 Day Camp Helpers:** (summer; 8th grade to adult) Help with stations for small groups as well as supervise crafts, snacks, or recreation. There is plenty of help needed and we will help you find what suits you best.

#### 431 Day Camp - Team Meals:

Host our team of leaders for dinner or provide them lunch during the week of Day Camp.

#### 432 Day Camp - Lodging

### for Leaders: Provide lodging for youth leaders

during Day Camp.

#### 433 Day Camp - Kids' Snacks and Lunches:

Coordinate or assist with snacks for Day Camp.

#### 435 Worship Activity Bags:

Help with seasonal re-stocking of the worship bags for kids.

#### 437 VBS/Day Camp Decorating:

(all ages) Help decorate the church for VBS or Day Camp in the summer.

#### 438 Holiday Outreach Events:

(all ages) Help with special events such as holiday parties, the Easter Egg Hunt, or Trunk or Treat.

#### 461 E.D.G.E. High School Leader:

Spend time with high school youth on Wednesday nights and support the youth director in providing a safe and welcoming environment.

## ADULT/FELLOWSHIP

### Adult

#### 443 Rebecca Mary Martha Circle:

We are ELCW-affiliated for bible study, fellowship, and LWR & other charity projects. Our group meets 1st Wednesdays at 1:00 pm, September through May. (Women)

#### 445 JAM (Jesus And Me):

We meet on the 2nd Monday of the month at 1:00 pm. There is open discussion and acceptance of all thoughts as we study the Bible using guides and/or DVDs. Group meets at the church. (Women)

#### 447 Pastor-Led Studies:

Take part in pastor-led scripture studies on Sunday or Wednesday mornings or at other times.

#### 448 Evening Bible Studies:

LCR currently has three evening groups, two of which meet offsite. If evenings work better for you, try one of these distinctive gatherings. Check website for specifics.

#### 466 Small Group Facilitator:

Lead a small group of 8-12 people during the week, facilitate the Bible study, coordinate the meeting schedule, encourage caring relationships.

## Fellowship

#### 501 Fellowship Team:

Organize events to help people get to know each other within our Christian community.

#### 502 Golf Outing - Planning Team:

Participate in activities to support the golf outing such as: working on the course on day of event, organizing golfer prizes.

**504 Golf Outing - Participant:** Take part in an afternoon fellowship golf outing one day each summer.

#### 512 Indoor Christmas Decorating:

Help decorate the church for Christmas and then help take down the greens in January.

#### 510 Outdoor Seasonal Decorating:

Fill large planters with Christmas, spring, fall, and winter flowers or decorations. Decide on outside decorations for Christmas.

#### 511 Help Making Popcorn

Pop popcorn for occasional special events like presentations, movie nights, or bingo, using our professional popcorn machine, easy to learn!

#### 514 Knitting/Crochet Group:

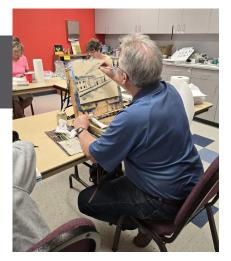
Fellowship while working on service projects for the community or your own current project. We meet Thursday evenings, March through November.

#### 515 Painting Group:

Love to paint? Want to learn? This group is open to adults painting in all different mediums - acrylic, watercolor, oils, etc. You are welcome even if you've never painted before. We meet 1st and 3rd Tuesday evenings each month.

#### 516 Donut Runner:

Pick up donuts here in Marion for Sunday morning fellowship.



#### 517 Serve in the Café:

Be a fill-in for serving in the café when needed on Sunday morning or Wednesday evening.

#### 519 Scrapbooking:

Enjoy scrapbooking with others. Put your name on a list to get updates when these events are scheduled.

#### 520 Woodcarving:

Fellowship and learn with other carvers on Thursday evenings, March through November.

#### 521 Walking Club:

Join other walkers on local trails (summer) and in the mall (winter) for fellowship and recreation.

#### 526 Adult Book Club:

Resurrection members read and discuss novels of your choice. Meets 2nd Tuesday of the month at 6:30 pm.

#### 527 PEP 55+ Group:

Fellowship events for those 55 and older, including, but not limited to, games, potlucks, movies, speakers, and off-site plays or concerts. Group members plan & host events.

#### 528 Cribbage and/or Dominoes:

Gaming fun at the church on Friday afternoons.

## 529 Interested in starting a new group?

Please list your idea at the bottom of the Response Form.

## **SUPPORT**

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#### 601 Auditing Committee:

Conduct a thorough audit of the congregation's financial records each year. Term is three years.

#### 602 LCR History Team:

Help maintain and organize the LCR History and historical documents.

#### 605 Living Legacy Committee:

(Trust Fund) Help with promoting the work and opportunities available through our trust fund, which include scholarships and benevolence & educational opportunities.

#### 606 Gifts & Memorial Team:

Help by writing Thank You letters to donors or scrapbooking the Gifts & Memorial Album.

#### 607 Personnel Committee:

Share your expertise on personnel issues on behalf of LCR.

#### 608 Stewardship Fall Appeal Team:

Plan, design, and implement the annual fall appeal.

#### 620 Property Team:

Advise and assist on LCR property maintenance and needed facility improvement. Help organize volunteer teams for work projects.

#### 610 Moving Crew:

Be available for occasional moderate to heavy lifting tasks. Also, 10:30 service attenders willing to stay after and set up tables, etc. for Sunday or Monday programs.

#### 611 Skilled Maintenance Team:

Light electrical, carpentry, locks, and plumbing jobs.

#### 612 General Maintenance Team:

Painting, carpet, or other occasional deep cleaning.

#### 609 Landscaping Team:

Maintain a specific area of the church grounds throughout the growing season. Schedule the work to fit your schedule.

#### 616 Kitchen Upkeep:

Work with others on kitchen upkeep, organization, and occasional deep clean work days.

#### 617 Cross Talk Assembly:

Help assemble our monthly newsletter for mailing (on weekdays). May also assist with other mailings or office projects as needed.

#### 619 Filling Pew Pockets:

Come once or twice a month to tidy the sanctuary pew pockets and replenish items that are getting low. This task requires repeated bending and standing up & down.

#### 614 Photography and Video:

Help us record memories of our events, new members, mission trips, and more.

#### 618 Website/Technology:

Share your expertise in all areas of website, media, and technology.



### 621 Photo/Video Presentations:

Create presentations for YouTube, DVD, and other events around the church.

#### 622 Graphic Designer:

Work with various teams to design and prepare materials.

#### 628 Building Lock-Up Team:

Secure the church building one night each week after 9:00 pm, or act as a substitute.



EACH OF YOU SHOULD USE WHATEVER GIFT YOU HAVE RECEIVED TO SERVE OTHERS, AS FAITHFUL STEWARDS OF GOD'S GRACE IN ITS VARIOUS FORMS. 1 Peter 4:10