

# CHURCH *Of the* RESURRECTION

Evangelical Lutheran Church In America



## Rev. Kimberly Jordan

I was born in Winona, MN, and grew up in Arcadia, WI. I graduated from the University of Wisconsin-Madison with degrees in education and drama. Additionally, I did graduate work in special education at UW. I taught middle school students for six years before answering God’s call to become a pastor. In 1991, I began my studies at Luther Seminary in St. Paul, MN. It was there that I met my husband, Lindsay Jordan. (Lindsay says he sat next to me on the first day of Greek class because “she looked like trouble...!”) I was ordained June 11, 1995 at Christ Lutheran Church in Arcadia.

I served my first pastoral call at Maria Lutheran Church in Dagus Mines, PA. Returning to the Midwest, I served at Our Redeemer Lutheran Church in La Crosse and as Director of Pastoral Care at Bethany Lutheran Homes in La Crosse. I have served as an interim pastor at Trinity Lutheran in Fort Atkinson, Living Hope Lutheran in Saukville, and Our Savior’s Lutheran in Oconomowoc. I began my call as pastor at Church of the Resurrection January 10, 2018.

Lindsay and I live in the Town of Delafield and are proud parents of two adult sons, Paul and Sam. We are also the “servants” of a Maltipoo named Gabby. I enjoy travel, reading, films and sharing time with family and friends.

**Favorite Bible verse:** Many Bible verses speak to me in a special way, but if I must choose a favorite, I’ll go with 1 John 3:1 – “*See what love the Father has given us, that we should be called children of God; and that is what we are.*” This goes straight to the heart of our identities as followers of Christ Jesus — we are God’s children. That’s the most important thing there is to know about each one of us. It’s the identity which should lead and guide our words and deeds, all the days of our lives. It’s the identity which brings joy, no matter our circumstances.

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