

# Redeemer Lutheran Church and School



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**Welcome to worship with the Redeemer family on Ascension Sunday, May 21!** In ministry since 1955, Redeemer is a Christ-centered church “reaching out into our community to do what’s best for our community” by sharing God’s love. If you would like to know more about our church and school, we would like to meet you. If children become restless during worship, you are welcome to use the parent’s room, located in the narthex. Children’s quiet bags for use during church services are available by the rear sanctuary door. A family restroom is located in the parent’s room in the narthex. Gluten-free communion wafers are available; please tell a pastor if you require one. We pray you are blessed by today’s worship.

**Sunday Bible class** meets **between services** as follows:

Adult Bible class meets in Albracht Hall

Women’s Bible study meets in the church office

Sunday School: Last meeting today until September 10. Enjoy your summer!

**Thelma Henderson is turning 100 on June 27!** Let’s shower her with love and birthday blessings. You may send a card to 2929 SE Ocean Blvd. #I-4, Stuart, FL 34996.



**A Congregational Meeting to present results of Pastor Ted’s interviews** with staff, members, and lay leaders will be held **Sunday, June 4 between services** in the sanctuary. This important meeting will provide Redeemer with feedback gleaned from these interviews and inform how we move forward before Calling our next Senior Pastor. Don’t miss this important meeting.

**Priscilla Shirer’s *Elijah*: Summer Women’s Bible Study:** Old Testament heroes are best known for their most celebrated moments: Moses dividing the Red Sea; David slaying Goliath; Joshua marching around the defiant walls of Jericho. And Elijah—calling down fire on Mount Carmel. Every believer longs to summon up that kind of boldness and faith, yet few are willing to go through the process required to get them there. Join us on this 7-session journey through the life of the prophet Elijah to discover how the fire on Mount Carmel was forged in the valley of famine. And how the emboldened, fiery faith you desire is being fashioned by God right now. This study will begin **Wednesday, June 7 at 7:00 p.m.** and may be held at a member’s house. Please contact the church office if you would like to carpool or to RSVP. **Books MUST be preordered by May 30.**



**Children’s Chrismons:** We are looking for people to make the plastic canvas Chrismons for the children’s Chrismon tree for Christmas Eve. Materials and design are available in the church office. They must be completed by **December 1**. For more information, call **Emily Allen (772-283-1717)**.

**Sponsored by Thrivent, the quilts you see displayed today** have been lovingly crafted by Redeemer’s quilters for a variety of ministries including Helping People Succeed. Thank you, quilters, for your generosity of time and talent!

**Chaplain David McCarthy** has reached his station in Kuwait. Please continue to pray for him, his family, and his congregation while he is deployed. If you'd like to send a card of encouragement, his address in Kuwait is: MAJ David McCarthy, 528<sup>th</sup> HC / 785<sup>th</sup> COSC, APO AE, 09366

**Spring Cleaning?** In addition to distributing travel-sized hygiene items and clothes, His Servants' Place, Redeemer's Soup Kitchen, also gives away trinkets and household goods each week. If you are decluttering *small* items in good repair, please bring them for us to donate to our guests.

**Children's Clothes Needed** - The 4 C's charity needs donated children's clothes (infant to teens) to give to needy families. If you have anything to donate (including books and toys) please contact **Mary Lendman (772-872-1028)**.



**Baby Bottle Boomerang!** You can change a life! It's as easy as 1.2.3! This month, take a bottle, located by each church exit. Fill it with change. Bring it back to church. All proceeds benefit CareNet Pregnancy Services, a Christian ministry dedicated to defending life; meeting physical, social, and spiritual needs of those who may be experiencing a crisis pregnancy; bringing healing and wholeness to lives traumatized by abortion; presenting the Gospel of Jesus Christ; and challenging our communities to adopt a godly view of sexuality and the sanctity of human life. This fundraiser runs from Mother's Day to Father's Day. Bottles may be returned to CareNet, Redeemer's church office, Pam Storm or Pat Risser. Thank you for your continued support of this important ministry. Last year Redeemer gave \$2,357.09! New this year is a matching gift of \$2,500! Thank you!

**Cooks Needed:** His Servants' Place needs cooks once or twice in the months of July and August. Please contact **Kathleen Fleming (772-370-4349)** to say you'll help!



**2:00 p.m., Wednesday Zoom Bible Study:** Contact **Ron Gilbert (561-212-2312 or [Ron.GilbertEMS@gmail.com](mailto:Ron.GilbertEMS@gmail.com))** to receive the Zoom invitation and other bible study related materials. We look forward to your participation and fellowship.

**Café Conversations with Pastor Stan** continue **Fridays at 10:00 a.m.** at Bagel Break across from Redeemer for conversations about any and everything!

**It's easy to forget cash or your checkbook.** Even if you've left both behind you can still support Redeemer by using your smartphone. Simply scan the code to the right or visit [www.redeemerstuart.com/church](http://www.redeemerstuart.com/church) and click "online giving" to donate using your credit or debit card or download the Vanco Mobile app to give anytime on the go!



**Save the Date for "Stellar" VBS July 17-21, 6:00-7:30 p.m.** for preschool-incoming 5th grade participants. If you are interested in volunteering, please contact [kwenger@rlcsrams.com](mailto:kwenger@rlcsrams.com). We would love help with games, crafts, food, teaching, and other activities.



ALTAR FLOWERS

**The flowers today** have been given to the glory of God by the Grubb family in celebration of Ethen's graduation from Jensen Beach High School.



**Meet the Pastor:** Let's be a blessing to Pastor Ted while giving him an opportunity to get to know members of the congregation. If you are willing to host Pastor Ted for dinner on a Friday night, please contact the church office. If dinner doesn't work, coffee is always an option!



**If a hospital stay** is in your future, please contact the pastors through the **church office (286-0911)** before admission, if possible. If admission is through the emergency room, please notify the office through a family member or friend. The best source of information is that which comes directly to the office, the hospital doesn't always tell us if you are there. Your help in this matter will greatly aid the pastors and is appreciated.

### ✝ ✝ ✝ In Our Prayers ✝ ✝ ✝

#### Hospitalized, Ill, or Special Requests:

2022-2023 school year; Military men & women and their families; Diane Holbrook; Nick M.; Desiree Leseer; Jane Wolfe; asylum process

#### Homebound or in Nursing Homes:

Charlene Bradley, Connie Chag, Carol Codet, Lorraine Grant, Bill & Marlene Keene, David Marion, Ginny Moore, Carol Novak, Elaine Shoup, Ruth Utgard

### ✝ ✝ ✝ This Week at Redeemer ✝ ✝ ✝

#### **Sunday, May 21**

**Worship with communion (S)**

**8:30 & 11:00 a.m.**

Fellowship & Bible Class (AH); Sunday School (CR)

10:00 a.m.

AA (AH)

6:00 p.m.

#### **Monday, May 22**

AA (AH)

12:00 p.m.

#### **Tuesday, May 23**

Men's Bible Study (Morning Glory Café)

7:00 a.m.

Quilters (AH)

9:00 a.m.

School Board (CR)

7:00 p.m.

#### **Wednesday, May 24**

AA (AH)

12:00 p.m.

Zoom Bible Study

2:00 p.m.

#### **Thursday, May 25**

His Servants' Place (CFC)

5:00 p.m.

Discovery Class (CR)

6:30 p.m.

#### **Friday, May 26 – Last Day of School**

Preschool Graduation (S)

9:00 a.m.

Café Conversations (Bagel Break)

10:00 a.m.

Chapel (S)

10:00 a.m.

8<sup>th</sup> Grade Graduation (S)

7:00 p.m.

## ✠ ✠ ✠ Order of Worship ✠ ✠ ✠

### *Pre-Service Music*

“The Gospel Ship”

Walker – Voices of Praise (11:00)

“Beautiful Savior”

Fettke – Voices of Praise (11:00)

### *Welcome and Announcements*

#### *Call to Worship*

“God So Loved”

Cash (8:30)

“A Hymn of Glory Let Us Sing”

hymn #157 st. 1, 4 & 7 (11:00)

### *Invocation, Confession and Forgiveness*

#### *Song of Praise*

“Sanctuary”

Thompson/Scruggs (8:30)

#### *Kyrie & Gloria In Excelsis*

LSB p. 204 (11:00)

#### *Prayer of the Day*

#### *The Scripture Readings*

Acts 1:1-11; Ephesians 1:15-23; Luke 24:36-53 ESV

#### *Children’s Message*

#### *Sermon Song of Praise*

“You Are My All in All”

Jernigan (8:30)

“Oh Worship the King”

hymn #548 (11:00)

#### *Message*

#### *The Nicene Creed*

#### *Prayers of the People*

#### *Gathering of the Tithes and Offerings*

“The Gospel Ship”

Walker – Voices of Praise (8:30)

#### *The Offering Prayer*

#### *The Service of the Sacrament*

#### *The Lord’s Prayer & The Words of Institution*

#### *Distribution Songs of Praise*

“Lamb of God”

Marty Haugen (8:30)

“Beautiful Savior”

Fettke – Voices of Praise (8:30)

“Ancient Words”

DeShazo (8:30)

“Lamb of God”

LSB p. 210 (11:00)

“Jesus the Very Thought of You”

green book hymn #316 (11:00)

#### *The Communion Blessing*

#### *Nunc Dimittis (Song of Simeon)*

LSB p. 211 (11:00)

#### *The Prayer of Thanksgiving*

#### *The Benediction*

#### *Closing Song of Praise*

“There Is Joy in the Lord”

Cheri Keaggy (8:30)

“Alleluia! Sing to Jesus”

hymn #158 st. 1, 4-5 (11:00)