

# Redeemer Lutheran Church and School

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**Welcome to worship with the Redeemer family on Sunday, May 12!** In ministry since 1955, Redeemer is a Christ-centered church that prepares, equips, and motivates adults and children to serve God while leading others to know and love Jesus Christ. 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.

**Redeemer Kids (Sunday School)** for 4 yr olds – 5<sup>th</sup> grade meets during the later part of the 8:30 a.m. service. Children will be dismissed immediately after the children's message to the Conference Room for Bible lessons, games, crafts, and fun! Parents may pick up their children after worship.

**Sunday Bible classes meet between services** as follows:

Adult Bible class meets in Albracht Hall.

Women's Bible study meets in the church office.



## ***God's Blessings to Redeemer's High School Graduates!***

**The Lord bless you and keep you; the Lord make His face shine upon you and be gracious to you; the Lord lift up His countenance upon you and give you peace.**

**We are excited to announce** that Andy Gauthier has accepted the position of Chairman of the Nominating Committee. We would ask that you keep Andy in your prayers as he assumes this new position and that you prayerfully consider serving if he reaches out to you as we continue to strive to build our team here at Redeemer.

**School News:** We are seeking dedicated and passionate teachers to fill the Kindergarten, 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade, and Spanish positions. You are invited to provide names of potential teachers to the principal ([kmchrystal@rlcsrams.com](mailto:kmchrystal@rlcsrams.com)) for consideration. We are thrilled to announce that we would like to issue a Call for one of these positions. We will have a Call Meeting on either **Sunday, May 26 or June 2**, time is yet to be determined.

**“Imprisoned”** is a presentation by member, Tim Mirly, Education Supervisor at the Martin County Correctional Institution in Indiantown, Florida. Tim will be sharing stories and his experiences in working with inmates in the correctional system and what is being done to help them get back to a healthy, law abiding life style. See you **Monday, May 13 at 6:00 p.m.** in Albracht Hall to listen and see how the Lord guides our community outreach efforts. Light refreshments will be served. Not able to join us in person? Zoom is available this time! Contact the church office for the link.

**Want to be on the newsletter mailing list?** Let us know and make sure we have your email address!

**Women's Tuesday Bible Study** continues the study of *Rest and Release Tuesdays at 1:30 p.m.* in the Conference Room. Please contact **Pam Storm (217-549-3387)** for more information.

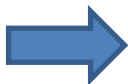


**Baby Bottle Boomerang!** You can change a life! It's as easy as 1.2.3! This month, take a bottle, located by each church exit. Fill it with change. Bring it back to church. All proceeds benefit CareNet Pregnancy Services, a Christian ministry dedicated to defending life; meeting physical, social, and 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 through Father's Day. Bottles may be returned to CareNet, Redeemer's church office, Pam Storm or Pat Risser. Last year we raised \$2,778.36! Thank you for your continued support of this important ministry.



The next LWML meeting will be at **9:00 a.m., June 8** in Albracht Hall. Please join us for fellowship and Bible study.

Redeemer's LWML is collecting the following to assemble toiletry kits for the homeless: men's and women's deodorants, razors, shaving cream, body and hand lotions, toothpaste (adult and children's), toothbrushes, hair brushes and combs, hair conditioner, soap bars or liquid soap, non-alcohol mouth wash (mini's), lip balm, hand sanitizer (4 oz. mini's), dental floss, and cotton balls or swabs. A washtub is located in the rear of the church for the donations. For more information, contact **Karen McCarthy (772-214-2041 or [ladyblue44kjm@gmail.com](mailto:ladyblue44kjm@gmail.com))**.



**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!



**Save the Date for "Scuba" VBS June 3-7, 6:00-7:30 p.m.** for preschool-5th grade participants. Contact [kwenger@rlcsrams.com](mailto:kwenger@rlcsrams.com) to volunteer. We would love help with games, crafts, food, teaching, and other activities. Registration is open now!

**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 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!



**The flowers today** have been given to the glory of God by Rob & Sarah West in celebration of their 13<sup>th</sup> anniversary and Karyn McChrystal in celebration of Frank and Megan's birthdays.

✝ ✝ ✝ **Weekday Bible Studies, Etc.** ✝ ✝ ✝

- **Men's Tuesday Bible Study:** Morning Glory Café, **Tuesdays at 7:00 a.m.**
- **Women's Tuesday Bible Study:** **Tuesdays at 1:30 p.m.** in the Conference Room.
- **Zoom Bible Study:** **Wednesdays at 2:00 p.m.**
- **Café Conversations with Pastor Stan:** Bagel Break, **Fridays at 10:00 a.m.**

## ✠ ✠ ✠ In Our Prayers ✠ ✠ ✠

### Hospitalized, Ill, or Special Requests:

2023-2024 school year; Military men & women and their families; Pastor and teacher Call Process; Redeemer's next Senior Pastor; Afghan family, come to faith in Jesus; Dennis Jones; Becky Grazioli; Dr. John Shedd; Meghan

Vaughn; Melissa Gomes

### Homebound or in Nursing Homes:

Charlene Bradley, Carol Codet, Sandy Corn, Carol Novak, Bev Rahlfs, Elaine Shoup, Herb & Ruth Utgard, Jane Wolfe

## ✠ ✠ ✠ In His Service ✠ ✠ ✠

**Lectors:** (8:30) Tim Mirly (11:00) Lisa Novarro

**Lay Assistants:** (8:30) Matt Grubb, Lisa Mirly, Dee Hudson, Debi Stroik (11:00) Jeff Banks, Dick Shugert, Leslie Kingsley, Jenny Norman

**Crucifers:** (8:30) Eryn Grubb (11:00) Ross White

**Acolytes:** (8:30) Noah West, Abby McCarthy (11:00) Wyatt Andre, **NEED 1**

**Ushers:** (8:30) Susie Murray, Cody Hughes, John Lavallata, Caleb Lavallata, Michael Hellyer (11:00) John Ford, Cathy Mitsch, John Niemeyer

**Greeters:** (8:30) Ridgway family, Pat Risser (11:00) Flo Owens, Jessica Wittcop

**Projection:** (8:30) Daren Hamberger (11:00) Daren Hamberger

**Sound:** (8:30 & 11:00) Grant Hundertmark

## ✠ ✠ ✠ This Week at Redeemer ✠ ✠ ✠

### **Sunday, May 12**

**Worship with communion (S)**

Fellowship & Bible Classes (AH & Church Office)

**6:30, 8:30 & 11:00 a.m.**

9:45 a.m.

### **Monday, May 13**

“Imprisoned” Men’s Group Presentation (AH)

6:00 p.m.

### **Tuesday, May 14**

Men’s Bible Study (Morning Glory Café)

7:00 a.m.

Quilters (AH)

9:00 a.m.

Women’s Bible Study (CR)

1:30 p.m.

School Board (CR)

7:00 p.m.

### **Wednesday, May 15**

Coffee in the Courtyard/Chapel (AH/S)

8:35 a.m./9:05 a.m.

Zoom Bible Study

2:00 p.m.

Nite with the Pastors for Prospective Members (CR)

7:00 p.m.

### **Thursday, May 16**

Finance Committee (CR)

4:30 p.m.

His Servant’s Place (CFC)

5:00 p.m.

Women’s Ensemble (MR)

7:00 p.m.

### **Friday, May 17**

Café Conversations (Bagel Break)

10:00 a.m.

### **Saturday, May 18**

Mary’s Home Walk, Rock & Roll

8:30 a.m.

✠ ✠ ✠ **Order of Worship** ✠ ✠ ✠

<i>Pre-Service Music</i>	“The Water Is Wide”	Moklebust – Redeemer Handbells
<i>Welcome and Announcements</i>		
<i>Recognition of High School Graduates</i>		
<i>Call to Worship</i>	“God So Loved”	Cash
	“A Hymn of Glory Let Us Sing”	hymn #157 st. 1, 4 & 7
<i>Invocation, Confession and Forgiveness</i>		
<i>Song of Praise</i>	“Sanctuary”	Thompson/Scruggs
<i>Kyrie &amp; Hymn of Praise</i>		LSB p. 168-172
<i>Prayer of the Day</i>		
<i>The First &amp; Second Readings</i>		Acts 1:1-11; Ephesians 1:15-23 ESV
<i>The Alleluia Verse</i>		LSB p. 173
<i>The Gospel Reading</i>		Luke 24:44-53 ESV
<i>Children’s Message</i>		
<i>Sermon Song of Praise</i>	“You Are My All in All”	Jernigan
	“Oh Worship the King”	hymn #548 st. 1, 2 & 6
<i>Message</i>	“What Goes Up Will Come Down”	
<i>The Nicene Creed</i>		
<i>Prayers of the People</i>		
<i>Gathering of the Tithes and Offerings</i>		
“When the Saints Go Marching In”		Moklebust – Redeemer Handbells
<i>The Offering Prayer</i>		
<i>The Words of Institution</i>		
<i>Distribution Songs of Praise</i>		
“Lamb of God”		Marty Haugen
“Hear Our Praises”		Reuben Morgan
“Ancient Words”		DeShazo
“Lamb of God”		LSB p. 180
“Jesus the Very Thought of You”		hymn #316
<i>The Communion Blessing</i>		
<i>Post-Communion Canticle</i>		LSB p. 181
<i>The Prayer of Thanksgiving</i>		
<i>The Benediction</i>		
<i>Closing Song of Praise</i>	“There Is Joy in the Lord”	Cheri Keaggy
	“Alleluia! Sing to Jesus”	hymn #158 st. 1, 4 & 5