



REDEEMER LUTHERAN CHURCH AND SCHOOL

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Welcome to worship with the Redeemer family on the First Sunday in Advent, November 30!

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 connect with you. Nursery care available every 3rd Sunday of the month (Next: November 16). A cry room is available in the Narthex and busy bags are available in the back of the sanctuary. Restrooms are located in both rooms 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 classes meet between services as follows:

Adult Bible class - Albracht Hall.

Christianity 101 – Music Room. **Next meeting December 21.**

Women's Bible class (The Chosen) - Church Office.

Kids' Connection (ages 4-5th grade) meets during the latter part of the early service. Children will be dismissed immediately after the children's message to the Conference Room for Bible lessons, games, crafts, and fun! Parents, pick up your child after worship.

Weekday Bible Studies

Men's Bible Study: @ Morning Glory Café, **Tuesdays @ 7:00 a.m.**

Women's Bible Study: Conference Room, **Tuesdays @ 1:30 p.m.**

Café Conversations with Pastor Stan: @ Bagel Break, **Fridays @ 10:00 a.m.**

School Advent Services: Don't miss these fun, heartwarming services!

5th – 8th grades: *In a Galilee Far, Far Away* **Wed., December 3 at 9:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.**

K-4th grades: *Uncertain Poor Shepherds* **Wed., December 10 at 9:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.**

Preschool: *Christmas in our Jammies* **Friday, December 19 at 10:00 a.m.**

Our gracious Lord called Ellen Hamann home to heaven on October 27. A funeral service will be held **Friday, December 5 at 1:30 p.m.** Blessed is she who dies in the Lord!

“Singing Christmas Tree,” Thursday, December 4 at 7:00 p.m. at Hobe Sound Bible Church. Contact Mark Fueger (mark.fueger@yahoo.com or 330-581-7029) to RSVP or if you need a ride. This professionally done program honoring our Lord with choirs, orchestra music and drama is a great way to start the Christmas season and celebrate the birth of Jesus.

Do you love to bake cookies? We love to eat them! We will be serving cookies to our children, families, and congregation members following the Advent services, **at 7:00 p.m. on December 3, 10, and 17.** If you would bake and donate them for our enjoyment, please drop them off at the church or school office by **Tuesday of each week December 2, 9, or 16.** Thank you so much!

Don't miss the next Congregational Meeting Sunday, December 14 between services!

Many volunteers needed (Lay assistants, greeters, ushers, tech team) for services throughout December. Contact the church office to say you'll help!



Advent Food Drive: Once again, let's be a blessing to others! Take a bag located at the sanctuary exits and add one item to the bag each day throughout Advent. Return your full bags on Christmas Eve or Christmas Day to be given to a local food pantry.



Giving Tree: This year we will bless CareNet, Mary's Home, Volunteers in Medicine, and Safe Space with gift cards that they can use to bless those they serve or use them to purchase much-needed items. Please take an envelope from the tree located in the rear of the sanctuary and return your gift card by **December 14**. Suggestions for cards (\$10 or \$25) include Publix, Walmart, Target, Amazon, etc. Be creative and bless your neighbor!

Voices for Children Toy Drive: Share the joy, bring happiness! Donate new, unwrapped toys and help make this Christmas special for less fortunate children. Drop toys off in the large boxes in either the church or school offices by Sunday, December 14. For more information contact John Lendman (772-485-1592).



Join LWML for Bible study, fellowship time, and mission service opportunities at **10:00 a.m., Saturday, December 13**, in Albracht Hall. Questions? Call Cindy Heintz (287-0362).

Altar Guild Volunteers Needed for 2026: It's time to sign up to serve our Lord by preparing the sanctuary and altar for worship. No experience is necessary; you will be scheduled with an experienced team who will lovingly guide you through filling communion cups, prepping the altar, and straightening the pews. You will experience how rewarding this act of service to our church family and our Lord will be. Prayerfully consider serving and contact Cindy Aycock, Kathy LaBar, or Tammi Langlois with questions. Can't serve for an entire month? Substitutes are needed too! Sign-up sheets are in the Sacristy.

Many Thanks to those who regularly bring in donations of goodies and fruit for our fellowship hour. You are appreciated! If you would like to share, please contact Barb Gendron (485-0529).

Forgot Your Wallet? No Problem! Support Redeemer on the go: Simply scan the code or visit www.redeemerstuart.com/church and click "online giving" to donate using your credit or debit card or download the Vanco mobile app for easy mobile donations.



2026 Offering envelopes are available in the back of the sanctuary. If you have switched to online giving and no longer require envelopes or if you do not have envelopes and would like them, please contact the church office (286-0911).

If you have envelopes from previous years, please discontinue use. Numbers have been reassigned and you may not get credit for your giving. Contact the church office with questions.

✠ ✠ ✠ In Our Prayers ✠ ✠ ✠

Hospitalized, Ill, or Special Requests:

2025-2026 School year; military personnel & their families; Victoria Lamoureux; Diane Holbrook; Lori Dendinger; Matthew Krug

Homebound or in Nursing Homes:

Charlene Bradley, Carol Codet, Sally Hellyer, Bob Jacobi, Bill Keene, Ron Kirchman, George Krawczyk, Carol Novak, Bev Rahlfs, Pat Sawusch, Karen Schlamp, Ruth Utgard

✠ ✠ ✠ In His Service ✠ ✠ ✠

Preacher: Pastor Billy Brath

Lector: Holly/Emily Ridgway

Lay Assistants: Wayne Reynolds, Mike Ridgway, Kathy LaBar

Crucifer: Kensington Jones

Acolytes: Faith Beurrier, Billy Ridgway

Ushers: John Ford, Susie Murray, Russ Reaver, Buck Buesking

Greeters: Julie Jessell, Pat Risser

Projection: Daren Hamberger

Sound: Grant Hundertmark

Kids' Connection: Debra Gilkey

✠ ✠ ✠ This Week at Redeemer ✠ ✠ ✠

Sunday, November 30

Hanging of the Greens (S)

8:30 a.m.

High School Bible Study (CR)

9:00 a.m.

Worship with communion (S)

9:45 a.m.

Potluck Luncheon (AH)

11:00 a.m.

Monday, December 1

Tuesday, December 2

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.

Cantata Rehearsal (MR)

6:00 p.m.

Women's Ensemble (MR)

7:00 p.m.

Elders (CR)

7:00 p.m.

Wednesday, December 3

Coffee in the Courtyard (AH)

8:30 a.m.

5th-8th grade Advent Service (S)

9:00 a.m./7:00 p.m.

Cookies and Cocoa (AH)

7:45 p.m.

Thursday, December 4

His Servant's Place (CFC)

5:00 p.m.

Adult Handbells (MR)

7:00 p.m.

Singing Christmas Tree (Hobe Sound Bible Church)

7:00 p.m.

Friday, December 5

Café Conversations (Bagel Break)

10:00 a.m.

Memorial Service of Ellen Hamann (S)

1:30 p.m.

Stuart Christmas Parade (SE Ocean Blvd.)

7:00 p.m.

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Welcome

Call to Worship

“Come Thou Long Expected Jesus”

Wesley

Invocation, Confession and Forgiveness

Advent Wreath/Song of Praise

“O Come O Come Emmanuel”

Helmore st. 1 & 2

Prayer of the Day

The First Reading

Isaiah 2:1-5 ESV

The Apostles' Creed

Children's Message

Sermon Song

“Come Emmanuel”

Paris

Message

The Gospel Reading

Luke 1:68-79 ESV

Prayers of the People

Gathering of the Tithes and Offerings

“Behold the Savior”

Andrews

The Offering Prayer

The Words of Institution

The Lord's Prayer

Distribution Songs of Praise

“Lamb of God”

Haugen

“Even So Come”

Tomlin

“While I Wait”

Brewster

“What Love My God”

Robinson

The Communion Blessing

The Prayer of Thanksgiving

The Benediction

Announcements

Closing Song of Praise

“Unchanging”

Tomlin

The Sending