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Welcome to worship with the Redeemer family on the Second Sunday in Advent, December 7! 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: December 21). 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.**

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

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

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.**



Hope Is Born: a service of comfort, joy, and hope for those who suffer from grief, loss, loneliness, hurt, or sadness this Christmas season. This simple service will rekindle hope in God's eternal promises on **Wednesday, December 17 at 7:00 p.m.**

Many volunteers are 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).

His Servants' Place Needs You! Please contact Margaret Barnett (772-631-8279) if you are able to deliver meals one Thursday a month to our shut-ins. Delivery takes about 90 minutes total.

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. 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.

Please Join Us for Worship

Uncertain Poor Shepherds: Wednesday, December 10 @ 9:00 a.m. & 7:00 p.m.

Hope is Born: Wednesday, December 17 @ 7:00 p.m.

Christmas Cantata: Sunday, December 21 @ 8:30 & 11:00 a.m.

Christmas Eve: 4:00, 6:00, & 11:00 p.m.

Christmas Day: 10:00 a.m.

✝ ✝ ✝ In Our Prayers ✝ ✝ ✝

Hospitalized, Ill, or Special Requests:

2025-2026 School year; military personnel & their families; Victoria Lamoureux; Diane Holbrook; families of Ron Kirchman and Mitzi Hellyer, peace and comfort; Devantier family

Homebound or in Nursing Homes:

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

✝ ✝ ✝ In His Service ✝ ✝ ✝

Preacher: Pastor Billy Brath

Lectors: (8:30) 7th grade student (11:00) Lisa Navarro

Lay Assistants: (8:30) Wayne Reynolds, Jim FitzGerald, Brad Jeske, **NEED 1** (11:00) Brad Jeske, Jennifer Heath, Kathy LaBar, Daren Hamberger

Crucifers: (8:30) Savannah Beach (11:00) **NEED 1**

Acolytes: (8:30) Faith Beurrier, Noah West

(11:00) **NEED 2**

Ushers: (8:30) John Ford, 7th grade students (11:00) John Ford, John Niemeyer, Buck Buesking, Cathy Mitsch

Greeters: (8:30) Pam Storm, Dave & Carolyn Shore (11:00) Flo Owens, **NEED 1**

Projection: (8:30) Jim Beurrier (11:00) Sue Wulf

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

Kids' Connection: Jen Snyder

✝ ✝ ✝ This Week at Redeemer ✝ ✝ ✝

Sunday, December 7

Worship with communion (S)

Fellowship & Bible Class)

8:30 & 11:00 a.m.

9:00 a.m.

Monday, December 8

Tuesday, December 9

Men's Bible Study (Morning Glory Café)

Quilters (AH)

Women's Bible Study (CR)

School Board (CR)

Cantata Rehearsal (MR)

Women's Ensemble (MR)

7:00 a.m.

9:00 a.m.

1:30 p.m.

7:00 p.m.

6:00 p.m.

7:00 p.m.

Wednesday, December 10

Coffee in the Courtyard (AH)

K-4th grade Advent Service (S)

Cookies and Cocoa (AH)

8:30 a.m.

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

7:45 p.m.

Thursday, December 11

His Servant's Place (CFC)

Adult Handbells (MR)

5:00 p.m.

7:00 p.m.

Friday, December 12

Café Conversations (Bagel Break)

10:00 a.m.

Saturday, December 12

LWML (AH)

10:00 a.m.

✠ ✠ ✠ Order of Worship ✠ ✠ ✠

Pre-Service Music

“Still, Still, Still”

Mokelbust – 7th & 8th grade Bells of Praise (8:30)

“Great Our Joy”

Wagner – 6th grade Bells of Praise (8:30)

Call to Worship

“Holy Forever”

Tomlin (8:30)

“The Advent of Our King”

LSB #331 st. 1-3 & 6

Invocation, Confession and Forgiveness

Advent Wreath/Song of Praise

“O Come All Ye Faithful”

Wade – 6th grade Bells (8:30)

“Gloria in Excelsis”

LSB p. 204

Prayer of the Day

The Scripture Readings

Isaiah 11:1-10; Romans 15:4-13; Luke 1:39-45 ESV

The Apostles' Creed

Children's Message

Sermon Song

“Come Thou Fount”

Crowder (8:30)

On Jordan's Bank the Baptist's Cry”

LSB #344 st. 1-2

Message

Prayers of the People

Gathering of the Tithes and Offerings

“Little Drummer Boy”

Hermany – 7th & 8th grade Bells

“Create in Me”

LSB #956

The Service of the Sacrament

Distribution Songs of Praise

“Lamb of God”

Haugen (8:30)

“Wonderful Merciful Savior”

Rodgers (8:30)

“All Is Well”

Kirkpatrick (8:30)

“Emmanuel”

Morgan (8:30)

“Lamb of God”

LSB p. 210 (11:00)

“O Come, O Come, Emmanuel”

LSB #357 st. 1, 4-6 (11:00)

“Prepare the Royal Highway”

LSB #343 (11:00)

The Communion Blessing & The Prayer of Thanksgiving

The Benediction

Announcements

Closing Song of Praise

“Forever”

Tomlin (8:30)

“Lift Up Your Heads, Ye Mighty Gates”

LSB #340 st 1, 3, 5

The Sending

Postlude

“Sing We Now of Christmas”

Scholes – 7th & 8th grade Bells

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