

September Alta Guild

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YTD Cash Receipts (8/1—9/8/16) \$146,655
YTD Cash Disbursements (8/1—9/7/16) \$132,786

If you honor Me with your first fruits, you will overflow with abundance.
Proverbs 3:9-10

Worship Attendance

August 28, 2016
8:15 Service 65
10:45 Service 98



LUTHERAN CHURCH & SCHOOL

HAPPENINGS
Sunday Worship Services
8:15 AM and 10:45 AM

Act Like Men” Men’s Bible Study—Saturday Mornings at Lund’s Kitchen restaurant (across from the Muni) in Wayzata from 7:00 to 8:00 am. Society and the church so desperately need men who embrace all that God created them to be, who long to follow God without limits and meet the needs of those around them without hesitation. To get there, we need what Pastor/Author James MacDonald calls “radical surgery”—a deep, probing exploration and reparation of all that it means to be a man. MacDonald calls men to be watchful, firm in their faith, strong, and loving. It’s a call for men to mix tender and tough, to be humble, to follow Jesus. Bring your Bible and bring a friend. Questions contact Gordy Engel- 612-709- 4879; email gordye@thefoursome.com

LifeLight Bible Study invites you to a 9 week study of the OT books of **1 and 2 Chronicles** beginning Thursday, **September 15th** from 9:30--11:30am in the Conference room. Come study God's Word with us. Everyone is welcome--bring a friend! Study Guides are available in the office. Questions? Ask Judymae Bowers (763-476-0913) or Eva McAtee (763-476-1827.)

Adult Bible Study—held Sundays between services with Pastor Steve —“Faith Lessons on the Death and Resurrection of the Messiah.” Noted teacher Ray Vander Laan will teach on location in Israel for this 10-session video-based series. Let’s journey together to ancient times, places, and customs! The class will be held in the auditorium. Invite a friend, come, and enjoy!

Wednesday Morning Women's Bible Study Starts Sept. 7th Have you been contemplating going to a Bible Study? We invite you to join us as we start a new season and a new book, "The Secret of Contentment". It's been said being discontent makes rich people poor, and contentment makes poor people rich. In this study we will discover that by faith, contentment is a state of the heart that does not fluctuate with circumstances or people. We will find out what to do with the "what ifs", "if onlys", and "whys" of life, and to be content with God's will. Please join your fellow sisters in Christ Wednesday mornings at 10:00 in the Gathering Room. For more information contact Linda Krantz at 763-476-0587 or Mary Sund at 763-233-2417.

New Member Class coming soon! – On Saturday, September 17th, Pastor Steve will lead a 4-hour class for those who would like to become members of Redeemer Lutheran Church. The class begins at 9 a.m. and concludes at 1 p.m., with lunch served. If you would like to become a member of Redeemer, please email Pastor Steve at pastorferber@redeemerwayzata.org to sign up, or speak with him personally. New members will be received into membership at Redeemer on Sunday, September 25th, at both services.

Parenting Workshop September 21st – As part of our Faith and Family Night activities, we are excited to announce a 2-session parenting workshop featuring dynamic speakers from *Connected Families*, a Twin Cities-based organization that provides quality, Christ-centered help for families. The two-session workshop is entitled **Discipline That Connects**. Here is a summary: *“What kids learn when they are disciplined will last a lifetime. But well-intentioned parents miss their kids’ hearts during discipline. It happens all the time. Instead of building the wisdom and respect they hope for, parents inadvertently build discouragement and resentment, which drives their kids to misbehave more. But it doesn’t have to be that way!”* Parents will learn to communicate four powerful messages that all children need to hear: you are safe, you are loved, you are God’s workmanship, you are responsible. Suggested fee for the two week class is \$10 per person or \$15 per couple. The sessions will be held from 6:15 – 7:15 p.m. Stay tuned for registration information.

Coming in October! Starting Sunday, October 2nd, Pastor Steve will teach a new course during the Adult Education Hour at 9:30 a.m., called *The Story*. *The Story* is a fresh, effective way to study and understand the great themes of the Bible. Using selections from the Scriptures (*The Story: Scripture Book*) condensed into 31 chronological chapters, this course takes us from Genesis through Revelation. Each class begins with a 10-minute teaching video, followed by discussion from *The Story Participant’s Guide*, which is filled with time lines, discussion questions, list of Bible characters, charts of biblical events, and more. Cost of the course materials: \$10. What a great way to study the Word together!
Thank you, Pastor Steve

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Welcome to Redeemer for Worship! We ask that you fill out the appropriate cards found in the pew rack in front of you and hand them to the ushers following the offering. **Visitors-gold card; Members-white card; Prayer Request-blue card.**

Mark your calendars—

Rally Day Picnic, Today, all are welcome to stay!!

Sunday School—Resumes September 18th

Compassion Circle— Resumes October 3rd

Fall Work Day, Saturday October 8, 8:30 AM

School started—so that means all visitors entering the building during the hours of 8AM-5:30PM (Monday through Friday) will need to sign in at the lobby desk and get a visitor badge. A step that takes little time but give our students and staff a great sense of relief when they see the yellow badge; knowing the visitor has permission to be in our building. We also have the same program for our **SHINE** program. Parents will now fill out a yellow sticker for each child going into the nursery. Writing the child’s name and your cell phone number on the sticker and place on your child’s back. Then the staff will be able to text you if need be, and call your child by name. These steps are put in place for the safety of our greatest asset—God’s children!

NEW LIFE IN CHRIST GOLF SCRAMBLE—Thursday, September 15th. The 9th Annual New Life in Christ golf scramble will be Thursday, September 15 at Noon at the Pioneer Creek golf course in Maple Plain. All proceeds over costs will be used to support the aftercare of the Transitions jail ministry which includes Lynn Grave, Bob Past, and Gordy Engel from Redeemer who serve teacher/mentors. Flyers are on the table as you enter the Church on the lower level. Please pray for this event and consider in golfing or other financial support options.

Sacrificial Giving to date— \$164,925 pledged \$145,700 received as of August 22, 2016. We are so near our goal.

Coffee Hour—No coffee hour today—instead we are having a picnic! We are in need of a host/hostess on 9/18 and 9/25—please consider serving. Sign up calendar is located near the picnic table or contact Stacy Klone.

Sunday School & Shine will resume Sept 18th with two classes for each: Youngest through K in the Nursery, and 1st through 3rd in the ESC room. Also we still need one or two volunteers to help occasionally in the Nursery. The details are on the walls posted last week around the building

Good News Newsletter—is sent each month through the our CyberSaints email account and or available for you to pick up at the church entrance or at the lobby desk.

Organic Recycling—new to Redeemer! We now have four blue food compost bins for food waste and food-soiled paper products. Any and all food, coffee ground, filters, paper towels, Kleenex, tea bags, pizza boxes, napkins, paper cups, paper plates, butter wrappers, milk cartons, and egg shells can all go right into the blue bin; helping to reduce waste in the land fills and at a \$55 savings to Redeemer per month.

Thrivent Choice—We are pleased to let you know that we have made a deposit of \$135 in your account on behalf of Thrivent Financial's Thrivent Choice(R) program. We hope this gift helps to further support your important work.

Prayers

As a family and body of Christ we are to bear each others burdens. Call the Church office to inform us of your pastoral, human care or prayer needs. Throughout the week please include the following in your prayers :

Staff Member: Linda Edmison, Preschool Plus Teacher
Officer: Bob Past, MMLG
Ministry: Handbells, pray for more to join

Prayer Requests for healing and strength for:

Mark Waldrep	Dorothy Robinson
Paula Lindberg	Megan Gustine
Jean Erickson	Terry Blount
Phil Allmon	Carmen Melendez
Jan Waldrep	Minnie Ann Klone
Anna Gerber	

Wishing the following a Blessed Birthday

September	
7 Jari Domstrand	7 Michelle Edworthy
7 Sharon Magnuson	8 Barbara Wothe
8 Levi Grave	9 Jocelyn Devanesan
10 Don Okrina	10 David Presler
10 Robert Solstad	11 Jenny Branstad
11 Matthew Hanson	13 Sarah Dykhoff
13 Michael Kemna	14 Paul Lemmerman
14 Isabelle Lyon	14 June Radintz
14 Patty Smith	16 Christine Grave
16 Abby Hanson	16 Richard Hanson
17 Katherine Fishel	17 Janis Beavers Jantzen
18 Ellie Phalen	19 Isabelle Vetse
19 Nadia Vetse	20 Kevin Edworthy
21 Robert Bushnell	21 Garrett Engelhardt
21 Leslie Oare	21 Melissa Peterson-Blodgett
22 Brian Faue	22 Isaac Morkrid
22 Brandon Zbacnik	24 Oscar Erickson
25 Brett Enghauser	25 Katherine Kirk
25 Dianne Marti	26 Todd Bartels
26 Arden Bushnell	26 Gregory Servin
26 Kristine Koppin	26 Gloria Okrina
27 Julie Jacques	27 Judith Sutherland
28 Darci Domstrand	28 Richard Koenig
28 Noah Rouen	28 Marcus Sund
29 Zachary Hedner	30 Christopher McKevitt

This Week at Redeemer

Sunday, September 11
17th Sunday after Pentecost
10:00 Worship
11:15 Rally Day Picnic
No Bible study or Coffee hour

Monday, September 12
8:30 AM, AA—Conference room
9AM Monday Crew
7PM, AA—Gathering room

Tuesday September 13
10AM LWML—CR

Wednesday September 14
10AM Women's Bible Study
Faith & Family Night
5:30 Dinner
6:15 WINGS, Parent Classes
6:20 Handbells
6:30 Youth Group
7:30 DEO Gloria Choir

Thursday, September 15
9:30 AM LifeLight—CR
5:30 JoySound Practice
New Life Golf Scramble

Friday, September 16

Saturday, September 17
7AM Men's Bible Study, Lunds Kitchen
8:30 AM 5K Fun Walk/Run
9AM New Member Class

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Press #5, to leave prayer request

Web: Redeemerwayzata.org
Facebook: Wayzata-Redeemer-Lutheran

Church and School Office Hours
Monday—Friday 8:00 to 4:30
Holidays—Closed

September 11, 2016

Elders:
10:00 Stephen Kaminski

Ushers:
10:00 Lee Fretheim

Readers:
10:00 Pastor Steve and Dan Oie

Greeters:
10:00 Sue Past and Jack Wahlfors

September 18, 2016

Elders:
8:15 Tom Heinecke
10:45 Cory Schulz

Ushers:
8:15 Ray Bowers
10:45 Tim Anderson

Readers:
8:15 Arnie Hilgenkamp
10:45 Deborah Schulz

Greeters:
8:15 Eva and Herb McAtee
10:45 Jack Wahlfors

Time to build the September schedule. Please reach out to Tom Heinecke to Elder or usher, Linda Krantz to be a Reader, and Herb McAtee to be a Greeter, if able to serve.