

## September Alta Guild

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YTD Cash Receipts (8/1—9/22/16) \$216,861  
YTD Cash Disbursements (8/1—9/10/16) \$217,893

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

## Worship Attendance

September 18, 2016  
8:15 Service 83  
10:45 99



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](mailto: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**—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.

**Parenting 2 Part Workshop** – As part of our Faith and Family Night activities, we are excited to offer a workshop featuring dynamic speakers from *Connected Families*, a Twin Cities-based organization that provides quality, Christ-centered help for families. The 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. Last weeks session was very well attended and many positive comments have been shared. The fee for the two week class is \$10 per person or \$15 per couple. The last session will be held Wednesday September 28th from 6:15 – 7:15 p.m. Come for dinner at 5:30 and stay for the class if able.

**Coming in October!** Starting Sunday, October 2<sup>nd</sup>, 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

**God’s Not Dead 2**—We own the DVD and it is available to be checked out for view. We are also considering doing a 4 Bible Study that came with the movie, let us know if this would be of interest to you and we will form a class.

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2016

**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—**

**Compassion Circle**— Resumes Oct 3rd

**Fall Work Day**, Oct 8, 8:30 AM

**Teen Challenge**—Pot luck Oct 10th

**Operation Christmas Child Service Project**— Oct 25th

**Advent by Candle Light**—Dec 4th

**Fall Workday**—Plan on spending Saturday morning, October 8th, beginning at 8:30 to work on various projects here at Redeemer. Both indoor and outdoor work is planned. Sign up for your favorite task in the church lobby.

**Service Opportunity**—The waterfall winter display buildings are in need of repair and painting.. Please contact Loren Krantz or Hank Radintz if you have interest to help out.

**Sacrificial Giving to date**— **\$145,700** received as of September 19, 2016. We are within \$21,000 of our **pledged** goal of **\$164,925**.

**Coffee Hour**—Thank you to Judymae Bowers and June Mueller for hosting coffee hour last Sunday. Gloria Okrina and Eva McAtee will be our hostess's today, all are invited to come and welcome our new members and enjoy a cup of coffee, juice, pastries and a little fellowship.

**Sunday School & Shine** starts today, with two classes for each: Youngest through K in the Nursery, and 1<sup>st</sup> through 3<sup>rd</sup> 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 our CyberSaints email account and or are available to pick up at the church entrance or at the lobby desk.

**CyberSaint**—is a one way communication tool used to send our church and school information. Please be reminded not to reply back to any CyberSaints messages; instead send your message back to the person who authored the post.

**LifeTouch Photographers Returning to Redeemer November 4th.** If you missed getting your portrait taken for the new pictorial church directory, you have another opportunity to do so on Friday, November 4th. In addition to receiving a free directory, you will also receive a free 8x10 portrait! And, if you bring in a non-perishable food item, you will get \$5 off a portrait order. And since Redeemer is providing a link to LifeTouch on our website, every portrait order gets another \$10 knocked off. There are three ways you can sign up.

1. Go to [redeemerwayzata.org](http://redeemerwayzata.org) and click on the link to LifeTouch and sign yourself up for a time slot.
  2. Stop by at the Reception desk on Sundays, October 16, 23 and 30, and have a member of the Directory Team help you select a time slot.
  3. Call Stacy at 952-473-1281, and she will help you sign up.
- You are allowed to bring your pets for inclusion in your portraits, but we would request they not appear in the directory photo. The new directory will not be complete without you! So be sure to sign up soon for a time slot to get your portrait taken. If you have any questions, please contact Kristine Anderson, Minnie Ann Klone, or Linda Krantz.

## 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:** JoAnn Gardner, Pre school aide  
**Officer:** Dewey Schibilla, Treasurer  
**Ministry:** Lenten Suppers

### **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**

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 McKeivitt

#### **October**

1 Brenda Faust	3 Clayton Berge
3 Leah Fasching	3 Terry Grave
3 Jozef Radziwill	4 Ryan McAtee
5 Bruce Heitkamp	5 Robert J Solstad
6 Craig Mueller	6 Mildred Thiele
7 Nathan Grave	7 Sarah Kaminski
9 Hayden Davison	9 Allen Nelson
9 Michael Roepke	11 Karen Clark
13 Timothy Hanson	14 Wendy Krause
14 Glenn Rood	15 Scott Janke
15 Carly Kreger	15 Linden Zhang
16 Jamie Hammer	16 Lisa McSparron
16 Preston Rouen	17 Debra Isenberg
17 David Lindberg	17 Darold Schulte
17 Ruth Seevers	18 Jason Martin
18 Sandra Iovan Moilanen	19 Ronald Norman
19 Irene Rufer	20 Gaylen Thostenson

## This Week at Redeemer

**Sunday, September 25**  
**26th Sunday after Pentecost**  
8:15 Worship Service  
9:15 New Member Reception  
9:30 Bible Study—*all ages*  
10:45 Worship Service

**Monday, September 26**  
**School Picture Day**  
8:30 AM, AA—Conference room  
9AM Monday Crew  
7PM, AA—Gathering room

**Tuesday September 27**  
**School Picture Day**

**Wednesday September 28**  
10AM Women's Bible Study  
3:15 Early Confirmation—GR  
**Faith & Family Night**  
*5:30 Dinner*  
*6:00-7:30 Youth Group*  
*6:15 WINGS, Parent Classes*  
*6:20 Handbells*  
*7:30 DEO Gloria Choir*

**Thursday, September 29**  
9:30 AM LifeLight—CR  
5:30 JoySound Practice

**Friday, September 30**

**Saturday, October 1**  
7AM Men's Bible Study, Lunds Kitchen

## Staff Directory

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**Office Administrator/ Volunteer Coordinator**  
· Stacy Klone office ext 200  
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**Finance Secretary**  
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**Church & School Phone** 952-473-1281  
952-473-5356

**Prayer Line** 952-473-1281  
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 25, 2016

**Elders:**  
8:15 Allen Nelson  
10:45 Al Heitkamp

**Ushers:**  
8:15 Hank Radintz  
10:45 Paul Kieffer

**Readers:**  
8:15 Gaylen Thostenson  
10:45 Sue Past

**Greeters:**  
8:15 Wanyce and Gaylen Thostenson  
10:45 Jack Wahlfors

## October 2, 2016

**Elders:**  
8:15 Needed  
10:45 Needed

**Ushers:**  
8:15 Needed  
10:45 Needed

**Readers:**  
8:15 Mary Sund  
10:45 Needed

**Greeters:**  
8:15 Wanyce and Gaylen Thostenson  
10:45 Jack Wahlfors

*Time to build the **October** 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.*