

November Alta Guild

Rie Schibilla
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YTD Cash Receipts (8/1—11/2/16) \$422,493
YTD Cash Disbursements (8/1—11/2/16) \$438,423

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

Worship Attendance

November, 2016
Veterans Day 200
8:15 Service 78
10:45 Service 77



LUTHERAN CHURCH & SCHOOL

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

Christmas Decorating—Begin celebrating Christmas by helping decorate Redeemer on Saturday November 27th at 8:30. Help is needed to assemble trees, with light's and tree decoration, hang garland, and display the outdoor winter scenes. "Many hands make light work."

The Story, Bible Study— 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

Saturday Morning—Act Like Men Men's Bible Study—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

Wednesday Night Parenting Support Group – "...best parenting book I've ever read," writes the leader of one Christian denomination. He's talking about *How To Grow A Connected Family*, the book being studied on Wednesday Faith & Family Night at Redeemer. Pastor Steve is leading this 10-session small group experience from 6:15 – 7:15 p.m. You are welcome to join the dozen participants who meet in the Gathering Room off the auditorium.

Wednesday Night Adult Bible Study—"Life and Ministry of the Messiah. Discover Jesus. Journey back t to the times of Jesus. Marvel at the magnificence of Herod's palace. Scramble among the ruins of Qumran. And wonder at the simplicity and wisdom of Jesus' parables. In this third volume of *That the World May Know*, discover how the events of Jesus' day impacted his life, ministry, and communication. Then let them impact yours. Study is lead by Arnie Hilgenkamp and held in the conference room next to the nursery.

The **LifeLight Bible Study** will not be meeting during the month of December, but will be offering a new 9 week study of the first half of the New Testament book of **Romans** on Thursdays, **beginning January 12** from 9:30--11:30am in the Conference room. A Study guide (\$10) is available in the office. Come study God's Word with us. Bring a friend. Everyone is welcome. Questions? Ask Eva McAtee (763-476-1827) or Judymae Bowers (763-476-0913.)

Angel Tree kickoff—Erin Kelly is chairing the event again this year and planning is underway to bring Christmas gifts and Bibles to 18 families near Redeemer Lutheran Church and School. The Christmas tree will be in the church lobby the week before Thanksgiving with Angels requests for gifts, Bibles, volunteers to deliver and, money to cover shipping any remaining packages.

November 20
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 pass to the ushers following the offering.

Mark your calendars—

Thanksgiving Eve Service—Wed Nov 23rd, 7PM

Compassion Circle Cookie Pack—December 12

Christmas Day Service— Dec 25th 10AM

Advent by Candle Light—Dec 4th

Christmas Eve Service—Dec 24th, 3:30PM & 5PM

Martin Lutheran Art Tour—Jan 6th, 6PM

Advent by candlelight will be held on December 4th. It starts at 5pm. We will have a musical treat for our program, Tonia Hughes. She is a local African American gospel singer. Dan Oie has sung with her at other events. The sign up sheets are located at the table in the lobby. Remember, a table holds 8, and one of them is a hostess. Please consider being a hostess this year and invite some newcomers as well as your favorite guests. Questions? Mary Sund 763-233-2417

Redeemer Lutheran Preschool is looking for a long-term substitute extended school care teacher. If interested and to gather more detail of days and hours, please reply with resume and references to Marit Esterberg at:612-270-2005 or email mesterberg@redeemerwayzata.org

Sacrificial Giving to date— **\$150,600** received as of November 8, 2016. We are within **\$14,325** of our pledged of **\$164,925**.

We recently received gifts of \$88.86 from Wells Fargo Community Support Campaign, \$448.14 of stock sold through a Merrill Lynch account and \$171.00 from Thrivent Choice.

Coffee Hour—Join us in the auditorium between services for and fellowship and refreshments. Our host this Sunday will be the Lindberg family.

EXTRA COOKIES NEEDED – Redeemer's Compassion Circle invites cookie bakers to contribute as many "Christmas cookies" as you are willing to share with others for our annual Christmas Cookie Pack. They will be distributed to Home Free (a local shelter for battered women and children), Meals-on-Wheels, Interfaith Outreach and Vicksburg Commons families, and Redeemer's shut-ins. Please label cookie containers "for C.C." and deliver them to the Redeemer kitchen by Monday noon, December 12th. Adults are welcome to help sort and pack the cookies in the auditorium between 1-3 PM on December 12th. Please phone Judy-mae Bowers (763-476-0913) or Vi Schulte (763-473-5697) with questions, or to arrange for pickup if you are unable to deliver your cookies by noon on December 12th. **Thank you very much. "We love God by loving others."**

Diaper Drive! -- Redeemer Lutheran is again partnering with New Life Family Services, a Twin Cities area pregnancy resource center, to provide much-needed diapers and wipes to their clients with new babies. Here's how it works: During the month of December, Redeemer members and friends will donate diapers (sizes 4,5, & 6) and wipes. Bring them to the church. We'll store them here until Wednesday, January 4th. On that night, a Faith & Family night, WINGS kids, student ministry participants, and adults will work together to: a) bundle the diapers, b) mark verses in Bibles provided by New Life, so that clients who receive diapers will also receive the Good News of Jesus, c) kids will write encouraging notes on 4 x 6 cards that will be put into the package of diapers, wipes, and Bibles. A staff member from New Life will speak at the event, and show a video of the organization's services. Dinner will be served at 5:30, followed by music and the service project. Come on Wednesday, January 4th, for this special Faith & Family service project! Get started today by buying and donating diapers and wipes. For more information, contact Amy Crum or Pastor Steve.

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: Sandy Tutka, Teacher
Officer: Deborah Schulz, MMLG
Ministry: Braille Ministry Volunteers

Prayer Requests for healing and strength for:

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

Wishing the following a Blessed Birthday

November

19 Gretchen Blount	20 Ben Lindberg
20 Allison Nuetzel-Printup	22 Pam Kabanuk
22 Carl Lymangood	24 Stephen Hanson
24 Audrey Larson	26 Aiden Branstad
26 Nicholas Jantzen	28 Judymae Bowers
28 Chad Edworthy	28 Lee Arowlyn
29 Sharon Hanson	29 Tim Stormoen
30 Roxanne Beisch	30 Jarret Gardner
30 Wyatt Rosendale	

December

1 Julie Kerber	1 Bethany Krause
3 Janet Malvitz	4 Timothy Oare
6 Naomi Bendix	6 Scott Carter
7 Rosalie Patnode	7 Jean Sahlstrom
7 Sandra Tutka	8 Glen Grave
8 K-Lynn McKevitt	8 Elizabeth Williamsen
9 Kris Anderson	10 Marlain Elling
10 Darla Haney	10 Stacy Syversen
12 Scott Hackbarth	12 John Jakupciak
13 Kate Moilanen	13 Ashley Selle
14 Lindsay Kuphal	14 Brighton Magnuson
15 Christian McAtee	15 Christian McAtee
16 Robert Helsing	16 Eric Jensen
16 Ruchti	18 Lorraine Solstad
19 Carol Strum	20 Braxton Koppin
21 Vera Johnson	21 John Skoglund
21 Anna Syversen	23 Kai Kroll
24 James Meyer	24 Jennifer Phalen
24 Cory Rosendale	25 Carilyn Heinecke
25 Dale Lemmerman	25 Christopher McSparron

This Week at Redeemer

Sunday, November 20
Stewardship Commitment
8:15 Worship Service—HC
9:15 Coffee Hour
9:30 Bible Study—all ages
10:45 Worship Service—HC

Monday, November 21
8:30 AM, AA—Conference room
9AM, Monday morning crew
7PM, AA—Gathering room

Tuesday November 22
12PM RL Staff meeting
4PM CyberSaints post due for Wednesday post

Wednesday November 23
No School
7Pm Thanksgiving Eve Service, Dessert to follow

Thursday, November 24
Blessed Thanksgiving
No School
Office Closed

Friday, November 25
No School
Office Closed

Saturday, November 26
7AM Men's Bible Study, Lunds Kitchen

Staff Directory

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Church & School Phone 952-473-1281
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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

November 20th, 2016

Elders:
8:15 Loren Krantz
10:45 Tim Hanson
Ushers:
8:15 Hank Radintz
10:45 Paul Kieffer
Acolyte
8:15 Carly Bjork
10:45 Tiara Boisselier
Readers:
8:15 Mary Sund
10:45 Andy Dahl
Greeters:
8:15 Vi and Darold Schulte
10:45 Jack Wahlfors

THANKSGIVING EVE 7:00 PM SERVICE

Elder:
Readers: Linda Krantz
Greeter:

November 27, 2016

Elders:
8:15 Steve Kaminski
10:45 Al Heitkamp
Ushers:
10:45 Bob Solstad
Steve Krause
Acolyte
8:15 Rachel Brinkman
10:45 Libby Jacobs
Readers:
8:15 Arnie Hilgenkamp
10:45 Pam Swanlund
Greeters:
8:15 Lorraine Solstad & Leah Fasching
10:45 Jack Wahlfors

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