

## January Altar Guild

Linda Krantz  
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YTD Cash Receipts (8/1—1/4/17) \$681,918  
YTD Cash Disbursements (8/1—1/4/17) \$694,414

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

## Worship Attendance

1/8/17 8:15 73  
1/8/17 10:45 110



Lutheran Church & School

January 15  
2017

*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.

## HAPPENINGS

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

**Attention Crafters!** The next craft marathon is scheduled for Saturday, **Feb 4th!** So mark your calendar now if you would like to join the next crafters marathon. We have reserved the auditorium and kitchen from 10am to 10pm, all are free to come and go as their schedule allows. Your fellow crafters are welcome to join. Contact Judi Micoley for more info and to sign up at 952-476-0214.

**The Story, Bible Study**— Pastor Steve continues to teach a course during the Adult Education Hour at 9:30 AM 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 event and more. Cost of the course materials: \$10. What a great way to study the Word together! 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 and 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)

**Wednesday Morning Bible Study**—Life is full of trials! Women face disappointments, despair and doubts. In [Trials - Don't Resent Them as Intruders](#), we are going to look at four pertinent questions about trials: Why does God allow trials? How can I handle my trials? What can I learn from trials? How can I have joy in the midst of trials? As we search God's Word for answers to these questions we will find the help we need to live lives that are pleasing to God - even in the midst of difficult circumstances. We invite you to join your fellow sisters-in-Christ on Wednesday mornings in the Gathering Room at 10:00am for Bible study, prayer, and the singing of old, favorite hymns. For more information, please contact Linda Krantz at 763-476-0587 or Mary Sund at 763-233-2417. We hope you will join us!

**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**—"The Promised Land" Go Beyond the Films! Why Here? Why Now? Just as the time and place of our birth and life shapes our journey, so the land and culture of the Hebrew people shaped their story. In this first volume of *That the World May Know*, discover how God guided his people to a specific place—the Promised Land—to impact the world both in ancient times and today. Study is lead by Pam Swanlund, held in the conference room next to the nursery. Dates: 1/11, 1/18, 1/25, 2/8, 2/25 books will be available for \$10.

The **LifeLight Bible Study** is studying the New Testament book of **Romans** on Thursdays, from 9:30--11:30am in the Conference room. Come study God's Word with us. Bring a friend. Everyone is welcome anytime. Look at the Study guide in the church office, and if you have questions, ask Eva McAtee (763-476-1827) or Judymae Bowers (763-476-0913.)

**Mark your calendars—**

**Crafter's Day**—Feb 4th

**Lent Services 5PM**— Wednesday's March 8 –April 5

**Good Friday, 4/14**— 7PM Worship Service

**VBS and Music Camp**—June 12 through 16

**Ash Wednesday, 3/1**—9AM and 7PM Worship Services

**Maundy Thursday, 4/13**—6PM dinner program

**Easter, 4/16**—9:00 and 10:30 Worship Services

**Lutheran Night at the TWINS**—Aug 8th

**New Member class**—have you considered joining Redeemer? Or were you unable to make the last New Member Class? Do you want to learn more about become coming a member of Redeemer? If you answered yes to any of those questions our New member class is for you. Class will be Saturday, January 21 9AM to 1PM and lunch will be provided. Contact Pastor to sign up.

**Hiring**—a part time janitor to work Monday through Friday from 1PM to 5PM; hours can be a little bit flexible. Job includes daily housekeeping of kitchen, bath rooms, class rooms, auditorium, gym, church and removal of trash and recycling. This person would also help to cover Jim Menzel's vacation time and would be asked to help [occasionally](#) on Saturdays and Sundays when the church or school has large functions. Please share this opportunity with those you know that may be interested and have them contact Stacy Klone for more information and to apply.

**Coffee Hour**—new sign up sheet to host the coffee table between services can be found at the coffee table. In most cases the volunteers will find the table set-up, coffee made, and pastries here and ready to be put on a platter. Volunteers will be responsible to serve coffee and keep the table stocked as well as cleaning up after. Thank you to **June and Hank Radintz** for volunteering last week.

**Redeemer Lutheran School Open House** – Prospective students and families are invited to attend an open house at Redeemer in Wayzata on Tuesday, January 24 and Tuesday, February 21 from 4-6 p.m. Redeemer offers affordable, faith-based education for children in preschool through eighth grade. Come meet the teachers and talk with parents to find out what they love about Redeemer. For more information contact the school office at 952-473-5356 or [lwibold@redeemerwayzata.org](mailto:lwibold@redeemerwayzata.org).

**BOX TOPS**—We just received \$620 thanks to all the Box Tops our members and students have turned in so far! These dollars are going to be used to buy new books for our school library. Keep collecting and bringing in your Box Tops to the church lobby, year round.

**Stainless Steel Watch**—found in one of our offering bags a few weeks ago. If you have lost your watch or put the watch in the offering bag, please contact the church office.

**Member Envelopes** are here for those that requested a box; they can be found in the church lobby. If you don't see yours or wish to have envelopes please contact Stacy Klone or Steve Swanlund to have a number assigned to you. **Please note all have been assigned a new number starting January 1st, 2017.**

**Sacrificial Giving to date**— \$153,500 received as of December 8, 2016. We are within \$11,425 of our pledged of \$164,925.

**Funfest Carnival: Friday, January 27, 5:30 – 8PM**—We'll be hosting our annual Funfest Carnival on Friday, January 27 from 5:30-8 p.m. If you have never experienced the Redeemer Funfest Carnival, this event **cannot** be missed! This is a great evening of fun, fellowship and fundraising for our school. The evening will include games (cake walk, crazy hair, teacher's pet, treasure chest, pop bottle ring toss and many more), inflatable activities, prizes and food. We'll have pizza and hotdog meal deals, so plan to come for dinner!

## 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 Wiebold, Administrator/Teacher  
**Officer:** Paul Kieffer, MMLG  
**Ministry:** LifeLight Bible Study

### **Prayer Requests for healing and strength for:**

Mark Waldrep	Dorothy Robinson
Paula Lindberg	Megan Gustine
Carmen Melendez	Jan Waldrep
Minnie Ann Klone	Anna Gerber

### Wishing the following Members a Blessed Birthday

#### **January**

1 Amanda Peterson	2 Staci Edworthy
2 Dorothy Ryshavy	3 Carol Connolly
4 Betty Elling	4 Dylan Kent
4David Sahlstrom	5 Carol Shields
6 Ken Olson	6 Cynthia Pannier
7 David Gesch	8 Amy Meyer
9 Mary Moilanen	9 Alex Rita
11 Megan Staffanson	11 Derek Olson
12 Mavis Huepenbecker	12 Pam Whightsil
13 Debra Olson	14 Rie Schibilla
14 Mary Sund	15 John Branstad
15 Allison Olson	17 Fran Peterson
18 Arnie Hilgenkamp	18 Paili Smale
19 Brian Oare	20 Daniel Walmsley
20 Kay Kaminski	20 Estella Presler
21 Steve Pannier	21 Jacob Zbacnik
21 Amanda Rueb	23 Marjorie Foss
23 Ken Luby	24 Betsy Sutherland
26 Dennis Krump	26 Randall Staffanson
27 Dorothy Eggert	28 Matthew Staffanson
29 Stephen Jr. Kaminski	

#### **February**

2 Barb Grave	4 Chris Tutka
7 LaDonna Schumacher	10 Donna Ferber
10 David Past	15 Terry Blount
16 Victoria Johnson	18 Jeanne Cur
18 Aaron Printup	21 Faith Hanson
21 Loren Krantz	

## This Week at Redeemer

### **Sunday, January 15**

#### **1st Sunday after the Epiphany**

8:15 Worship—HC  
9:30 Bible Study, all ages  
10:45 Worship—HC

### **Monday, January 16**

#### **Office Closed**

#### **Martin Luther King Jr. Day**

9AM AA—GR  
7PM AA meeting—GR

### **Tuesday January 17**

#### **9AM, Monday morning crew**

12PM RL Staff meeting

*CyberSaints articles due for Wednesday Post*

### **Wednesday January 18**

9AM Chapel—Pastor Mike Michalk

10AM Women's Bible Study—GR

5:30 PM Faith & Family Dinner  
6:15 WINGS

6:15 Adult Bible Study

6:30 Handbells

7:30 choir practice

### **Thursday, January 19**

8:20 Moms in Prayer—GR

9:30 LifeLight—CR

5:30 JoySound Practice

*Website Photo's & Article due*

### **Friday, January 20**

*Spirit Day wear your Redeemer wear*

7:30 Breakfast Buddies—auditorium

### **Saturday, January 21**

7:00 AM Men's Bible Study Lunds Kitchen

9AM New Member Class—GR

## Staff Directory

**Pastor Steve Ferber** office ext 211  
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### **Music Director**

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### **Youth Leader**

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### **Day School Administrator**

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### **Office Administrator/ Volunteer Coordinator**

· Stacy Klone office ext 200  
· sklone@redeemerwayzata.org

### **Finance Secretary**

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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

## Sunday, January 15th, 2017

### **Elders:**

8:15 Tom Heinecke  
10:45 Cory Schulz

### **Ushers:**

8:15 Ray Bowers  
10:45 Gordy Engel

### **Acolyte**

8:15 Sawyer Solstad  
10:45 Craig Swanson

### **Readers:**

8:15 Tom Heinecke  
10:45 Deborah Schulz

## Sunday, January 22nd, 2017

### **Elders:**

8:15 Steve Pannier  
10:45 Al Heitkamp

### **Ushers:**

8:15 Hank Radintz  
10:45 Tim Anderson

### **Acolyte**

8:15 Abigail Vetse  
10:45 Carly Bjork

### **Readers:**

8:15 Mary Sund  
10:45 Tom Sullivan

## Sunday, January 29nd, 2017

### **Elders:**

8:15 Loren Krantz  
10:45 Lynn Grave

### **Ushers:**

8:15 Lee Fretheim  
10:45 Don Okrina

### **Acolyte**

8:15 Tiara Boisselier  
10:45 Rachel Brinkman

### **Readers:**

8:15 Arnie Hilgenkamp  
10:45 Needed

Time to build the **February** 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. Thank you.