

April Altar Guild

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YTD Cash Receipts (8/1/16—3/29/17) \$ 988,163
YTD Cash Disbursements(8/1/16—3/29/17) \$ 1,046,630

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

Worship Attendance

3/19/17	8:15	86
3/19/17	10:45	118



Lutheran Church & School

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

The Story, Bible Study— Pastor Steve continues to teach a course during the Adult Education Hour at 9:30 AM called *The Story*. 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

Men's Bible Study COUNTER CULTURE—Saturday Mornings at the community room in Lund's at Colonial Square in Wayzata from 7:00 to 8:00 am. As we all know, "We live in momentous days marked by a rapidly shifting moral landscape. As Christians how are we supposed to respond to all this? In the words of Counter Culture author and Pastor, David Platt, "my aim in this Bible Study is to call us to a contrite, compassionate but courageous response in such a way that we're able to speak the gospel clearly to our culture. Bring your Bible and bring a friend. Questions contact Gordy Engel- 612-709- 4879; email gordy@thefoursome.com

Heaven: Finding Our True Home is the new Bible study for the Wednesday Morning Women's Bible Study. Heaven is hard for us to picture. We think of floating on clouds, singing praises and playing harps, or walking on streets of gold. While we know we want to go to heaven, we are a little nervous about what it will be like. These Bible studies provide a biblical perspective on heaven—something richer and more exciting than we can imagine! Wednesday, April 6th, we will start our study of Heaven, and we invite you to join us each Wednesday morning at 10:00 in the Gathering Room. For more information, contact Linda Krantz at 763-476-0587 or Mary Sund at 763-233-2417.

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 Path to the Cross" Embracing Obedience and Sacrifice for this time of Lent. This is a five lesson video series presentation by Ray Vander Laan. We will meet **Wednesday** evenings at 6:15pm in the Conference Room beginning March 8 and concluding on April 5. Books are available for \$10.00; all are welcome to join whether you can make one or all meetings. Arnie Hilgenkamp will be study leader. Call him at 763-473-2116 if you have any questions.

Thursday Morning LifeLight Bible Study--invites all who are interested to study and discuss the New Testament book of *Romans* in the Conference room on Thursdays from 9:30-11:30am. Martin Luther called it "the purest gospel. (and said)..every Christian should know it word for word, by heart, but also that he should occupy himself with it every day, as the daily bread of the soul." Questions: ask Judymae Bowers (763-476-0913) or Eva McAtee (763-476-1827.)

Arctic Blast Youth Retreat Recap—Youth Director, Joe Lomando, traveled to Camp Lebanon with 16 of our youth students and 5 adult chaperones. All reports back where ...everyone had a great time and came back feeling refreshed. The event ending up costing **\$175** more than what we collected. If you are led to donate to make up the difference please drop your donation in the church office with Arctic Blast noted on your check. Thank you for your support and investment in our youth!

We are hiring—We are prayerfully seeking a grade 2 teacher at our school, Redeemer Christian Academy. If you know of someone who would be a great fit, please have them submit their resume electronically to Linda Wiebold at by April 5. As a Lutheran Church Missouri Synod School, LCMS-trained teachers receive priority status in our hiring process.

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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 pass to the ushers following the offering.

Mark your calendars—

Lent Services 5PM—Wednesday's through April 5

Good Friday, April 14—7PM Worship Service

Spring Work Day, May 6—8:30AM

Lutheran Night at the TWINS—Aug 8th

Maundy Thursday, April 13—6PM dinner program

Easter, April 16—9:00 and 10:30 Worship Services

VBS and Music Camp—June 12 through 16

Annual Garage Sale—Aug 2nd & 3rd

Church of the Week—Pastor Steve Ferber's interview will air on Monday April 3rd at 4:15 PM during "On The Way Ridgeway" and the full extended interview will air on Saturday, April 8th at 3PM. Starting on Monday, April 3rd you will be able to go to www.am980the.mission.com where the our Church will be featured. It will be available here: www.am980the.mission.com/cotw

FOOD DRIVE—help us to fill the stage with food for the March FoodShare Campaign. Bring in your donations now through April 4th, 2017. Last year we gathered just under 1800 pounds, let's see if we can gather over 2000 pounds this year! Leave your donations in the grocery shopping cart found in the church lobby or place your donation directly on the stage. **Top 10** items: Cereal, Canned meat, Diapers/Pull-ups, Canned fruit, Peanut butter, Jelly, Dish/laundry soap, Toilet paper, Paper towels, Toiletries (shampoo, toothpaste, bar soap, deodorant).

By directing Choice Dollars(R) through **Thrivent Choice**, eligible members recommend where Thrivent Financial distributes some of its charitable outreach grant dollars among thousands of participating nonprofit organizations and congregations. (Directing Choice Dollars and receiving funds from the Thrivent Choice program are subject to the Terms and Conditions of the Thrivent Choice program.) - **Amount of deposit: \$1,620.00** was received this week.

Sacrificial Giving to date— **\$155,110** received as of March 15, 2017. We are within **\$9,815** of our pledged of **\$164,925**.

Coffee Hour—Thank you to **Jan and Arnie Hilgenkamp** for serving us last week. Be sure to join us this week for Bible Study and Fellowship between services in the auditorium, for fellowship and a cup of coffee.

Are you interested in ministering to the children of Redeemer? Due to the popularity of our children programs we are seeking more people to help with SHINE and WINGS. It is as easy as signing up on a calendar and then play, read, sing, color; and share God's Word with our children for about an hour. Calendars can be found in the Nursery for our kids 5 and under, in the ESC room for K-3rd graders. WINGS volunteers are needed from 6:15-7:15 on Wednesday nights in the nursery, to listen to our kids read Bible verses, and in the gym. Sign up on the "Wings wall" in the cafeteria. Contact Amy Crum (amybcrum@gmail.com) for more information.

Redeemer Church Directories—Have arrived and are available for pick up in the church office. For those that had their photo taken, your copy is labeled and ready for pickup. Any others wishing to have a copy or wanting a second copy can purchase them for \$5 in the church office.

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, Teacher
Officer: Lynn Grave, Elder
Ministry: Small Group Ministry

Prayer Requests for healing and strength for:

Mark Waldrep	Dorothy Robinson
Paula Lindberg	Megan Gustine
Carmen Melendez	Jan Waldrep
Minnie Ann Klone	Anna Gerber
Vera Johnson	Arlene Beavers
Phil Allmon	

Wishing the following Members a Blessed Birthday

Please let the office know if we've missed your birthday.

March

24 Mary Jo Jensen	24 Joshua Pannier
25 Laten Justice	27 Steve Swanlund
28 Wendy Branstad	28 Crystal Micoley
28 Kurt Ross	29 Kate Monskey
30 Anthony Tutka	31 Heidi Gesch

April

1 Nate Kieffer	1 Dell Sonnenfeld
2 Jacalyn Engelhardt	3 Dean Micoley
4 Steven Ruchti	6 Pastor Steve Ferber
7 Al Heitkamp	8 Dan Oie
9 Bryce Crum	12 Micheal Stewart
16 Christian Kroll	20 Heather Lamp
22 Taylor Lemmerman	22 Cory Schulz
25 Alec Johnson	25 Ross Vetse
26 Leslee Stewart	28 Stacy Klone
29 Adrienne Zhang	

Altar Flowers—are a way to call attention to someone's birthday, wedding anniversary, passing, confirmation, baptism and etc. The Flower sign-up chart is located on the church bulletin board.

This Week at Redeemer

Sunday, April 2

4th Sunday in Lent

8:15 Worship—HC
9:30 Bible Study, all ages
10:45 Worship—HC
6PM Shadows Rehearsal

Monday, April 3

No School-Spring Break

9AM, Monday morning crew
9AM AA—GR
1PM Compassion Circle—GR
7PM AA—GR

Tuesday April 4

No School-Spring Break

11AM Interfaith/Food Shelf pickup
12PM RL Staff meeting

Wednesday April 5

No School-Spring Break

10AM Women's Bible Study —GR
5PM Lent Service
6:30 PM Handbells

Thursday, April 6

No School-Spring Break

9:30 LifeLight—CR
5:30 JoySound Practice
6PM Elders—CR
7PM MMLG—GR
7PM Shadows Rehearsal

Friday, April 7

No School-Spring Break

Saturday, April 8

7:00 AM Men's Bible Study -Lunds Community Room
9:30AM Spelling Bee
10AM Outreach Visits

Staff Directory

Pastor Steve Ferber office ext 211
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Day School Administrator

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Office Administrator/ Volunteer Coordinator

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Finance Secretary

· Steve Swanlund office ext 215
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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, April 2, 2017

Elders	8:15	Jeff Klone
	10:45	Steve Jantzen
Ushers	8:15	Nick Dahlheimer
	10:45	Tim Anderson
Acolyte	8:15	Jack Kreger
	10:45	Grant Lindberg
Readers	8:15	Jeff Klone
	10:45	
Music	8:15	Blessings Gospel Trio
	10:45	Blessings Gospel Trio

Wednesday, April 5, 2017

Elders	5PM	Needed
Ushers	5PM	Needed
Reader	5PM	Needed

Sunday, April 9, 2017

Elders	8:15	Tom Heinecke
	10:45	Al Heitkamp
Ushers	8:15	Ray Bowers
	10:45	Tim Hanson
Acolyte	8:15	Luke Meadows
	10:45	Matthew Melton
Readers	8:15	Needed
	10:45	Needed
Music	8:15	Redeemer Handbells
	10:45	JoySound Band

Wednesday, April 5, 2017

Elders	5PM	Needed
Ushers	5PM	Needed
Reader	5PM	Needed

*Time build the **April** 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!