Sunday School / Shine Coordinator Needed—Redeemer is seeing growth in the Sunday morning children’s education classes during 2nd service (Shine) and between the first and second services during the adult education hour (Sunday School). There is a need for a helper to support this activity in areas including communication, scheduling, teaching, and curriculum. Persons interested in any of these areas, please contact the church office or Tim Hanson cell: 763.445.8691 email: tbl2705@yahoo.com for more information. Classes will resume after Labor Day. Thank you, Tim Hanson

Adult Bible Study—The Case for a Creator (6 sessions) Former atheist Lee Strobel has discovered that science, far from being the enemy of faith, now provides a solid foundation for belief in God. New scientific discoveries point to the incredible complexity of our universe, a complexity best explained by the existence of a Creator. Join Strobel in reexamining the theories that once led him away from God. Individual seekers realizing that answer tough questions about the existence of God will find compelling answers in the Case for a Creator study. Session include: 1—Science and God, 2—Doubts about Darwinism, 3—The evidence of Cosmology, 4—The Fine-tune of the Universe, 5—The Evidence of Biochemistry, 6—The DNA and the Origin of Life!

Wednesday Morning—Women’s Bible Study has resumed. We meet every Wednesday at 10AM in the Gathering room. This year we are beginning with Joshua, The Power of God’s Promises. This 12-week study will be exciting! Joshua includes the miraculous crossing of the Jordan, the crash of the walls of Jericho, and the sun stopping in the sky. Israel marches through the desert for 40 years, but we do not see God’s faithfulness and power. The battles we face today are different but no less real. We fight values, temptation, discouragement, and pressures at work and home. Joshua can arm us with the weapons we need—God’s promises.

Questions, Call Linda Krantz 763-476-0587 or Mary Sund 763-223-2417

Wednesday Night—40 Days of Community, a six week video-based study, formerly titled Better Together, Rick Warren teaches you how to fulfill God’s five purposes for your life. From the beginning, God planned for you to fulfill his purposes in community with other people-people in your church family, small group and in the world around you. Deb Wagner, Small Group Administrator, will begin a Wednesday evening study September 27. To sign up, get your materials or ask questions contact Deb at: thewagners@comcast.net

Men’s Bible Study COUNTER CULTURE—Saturday Mornings at the community room in Lund’s at Colonial Square in Wayzata from 7:30 to 9:00 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 cell: 612-709-4879 or email gordye@thefoursome.com

LifeLight Bible Study—invites you to meet with us on Thursdays from 9:30–11:30 am in the Conference room to study the Old Testament book of Daniel (of “Daniel in the Lion’s Den” fame.) Do you remember Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego? Or King Nebuchadnezzar who had a prophetic dream of a large statue with a head of pure gold, chest, and arms of silver, belly, and thighs of bronze, legs of iron, and feet and toes of iron and clay? After praying to the Lord, Daniel was able to tell the King his dream and explain its meaning. We are very close to the end of time and Christ’s return because we are already in the “toes” of that statue. Study God’s Word with us. Everyone is welcome. Questions? Ask Judymae Bowers (763-476-0913) or Eva McAtee (763-476-1827.)

September 24, 2017

Welcome to Redeemer for Worship! We ask that you fill out the appropriate cards (White/members Blue/Prayers Gold/Guest) found in the pew rack in front of you and pass to the usher.

Mark your calendars—
Directory Photo Shoot—Sept 26
LWML Conference Rally—Oct 2
Reformation 500—Oct 29
GiveMN—Nov 16

New Member Reception—join us between Services today to meet and welcome our new members!

Altar Flowers—are in loving memory of Carl and Mary Solstad from Robert and Lorraine Solstad and family.

7th and 8th Grade Fundraiser—on Sunday September 24th will be extra special!! We will be welcoming our new members with Butter Braids. What is Butter Braids you ask? Well, they are delicious pastries filled with cream cheese, blueberry, raspberry, strawberries and cream cheese, double chocolate and cinnamon. They will be freshly baked and served with a smile! To make it even better, you can order some for later. Butter Braids will be on sale as a 7th & 8th grade Redeemer Christian Academy fundraiser for a class trip to South Dakota. So bring your appetite and your checkbook. Orders placed on September 24th will be available for pick up October 23rd.

Folding Machine—all funds have been collected and a new machine is on the way, thank you to those who donated!

Redeemer Photo Directory Information—The green form inserted in today’s Happening only needs to be turned into the church office if you wish to be added to the directory, or make any change to your current listing. Such as: new cell number, disconnected landline, or add your email. Please fill out the form and return to the church office by Tuesday, September 26th.

Coffee Hour—Join us this Sunday for refreshments and fellowship. Paula Lindberg and Rie Schibilla will be our host today. Thank you to Cheryl Davis and Marjorie Foss for hosting last week. Next week Vi and Darold Schulte will be serving us homemade treats in celebration of their 60th wedding anniversary.

SCRIP—our box is full of gift cards ready for purchase! Please consider buying gas, grocery, restaurant, and local retail cards from the program. Each company sells their gift cards at a discount to Redeemer, we sell to you at face value, and the difference goes to back Redeemer. SCRIP is sold during coffee hour each Sunday, or stop by the office during business hours.

Out of the office—Stacy Klone will be vacationing through Saturday September 30th.

LWML Conference Rally Oct 2—Guest Speaker Rev. Fred Hinz, Public Policy Advocate, MN South District LCMS. Gifts from the Heart: TBD 6:30pm refreshments in the Fellowship Hall, 7PM. Trinity Lutheran Church, 601 E. 2nd St., Waconia Questions: Contact Carol Hubert 952-443-2695

Haiti Trip Postponed—Pastor Steve’s mission trip has delayed due to violence in the capital city. Pastor Steve thanks everyone that contributed in filling the suitcases! All of the items are neatly packed and ready to go once the trip is rescheduled or they will be sent to Food For The Poor to be distributed.
Prayers
As a family and body of Christ, we are to bear each other’s 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/Administrator
Officer: Guang Zhang, Treasurer
Ministry: LifeLight Bible Study

Prayer Requests for healing and strength for:
Ministry:
Officer:
Staff Member:

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This Week at Redeemer

**Sunday, September 24**
16th Sunday after Pentecost
8:15 Traditional Worship, Welcome New Members
9:30 Reception for New Members, Bible Study to follow—(Case for Christ)
10:45 Worship, Welcome New Members

**Monday, September 25**
8:30am AA—GR
9am Monday Crew
7pm AA—GR

**Tuesday, September 26**
12-1:30 Staff meeting—CR
2-9PM Directory Photo’s—Auditorium

**Wednesday, September 27**
Bulletin information due to office
8:45 Chapel, Pastor Steve Ferber
10am Women’s Bible Study—GR
5:30 faith & Family Dinner
6PM WINGS
6PM 40 Days of Community Small Groups
6:30 Handbells Rehearsal
7:30 Choir Rehearsal

**Thursday, September 28**
9:30 am LifeLight Study—CR
5:30PM JoySound Practice

**Friday, September 29**
Redeemer Christian Academy Spirit Wear Day
Mid Terms

**Saturday, September 24**
Plymouth On Parade—7AM Men’s Bible Study—Lund’s Wayzata

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Press #5, to leave prayer request

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Sunday September 24, 2017

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

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

**Acolyte**
8:15 Needed
10:45 Needed

**Readers**
8:15 Aaron Printup
10:45 Tom Sullivan

**Music**
8:15 Choir, Redeemer Brass

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Sunday October 1, 2017

**Elders**
8:15 Jeff Kline
8:15 Loren Krantz
10:45 Lynn Grave
10:45 Tim Hanson

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

**Acolyte**
8:15 Needed
10:45 Needed

**Readers**
8:15 Jeff Kline
10:45 Mary Sund

**Music**
8:15 Kingdom Kids
10:45 JoySound, Communion Instrumental

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**Prayer**

**Altar Flowers**—are a way to call attention to someone’s birthday, wedding anniversary, passing, confirmation, Baptism, etc. The Flower sign-up chart can be found on the church bulletin board.