

Upcoming Events

Operation Christmas Child, 10/24
LWML Gathering, 10/27
Advent by Candle Light, 12/2
Veterans Day Service, 11/12
Cookie Pack, 12/10

Minnesota Adult and Teen Challenge (MATC) CHOIR are guests today, at both the 8:15 and 10:30 a.m. Worship Services. They'll share their stories of drug and alcohol addiction, along with some family and criminal behaviors, and how Christ is healing them through the ministry of MATC. There will be a special offering taken for the ministry of MATC. You are also invited to have lunch with our guests (Lasagna, salad, breadsticks, desserts) at noon. The cost for dinner is \$8 per adult; children \$5. We are also inviting the congregation to assist the meal in serving our guests and cleaning up after the meal. You may also help support the dinner by paying for one or more of our MATC guests.

Shine (children nursery to grade 5) will be available for the entire worship time at the 10:30 service.

Fall Work Day Thank You: Thanks to everyone who came out for Work Day on Saturday, October 6th. There were 14 volunteers; 10 from the Church, and two Academy families. A long list of indoor and outdoor tasks was accomplished by the volunteers. Not having to hire outside services to complete these tasks saves the church and academy significant funds every year. Please consider volunteering next time for **Spring Work Day on Saturday, May 4th**. There are always more tasks that need to be done than can be completed by the volunteers that show up on Work Day. Blessings, Redeemer Board of Trustees

News byte from LWML: A brand-new On-Line, Bible study, The Task-Filled Life, authored by Jan Brunette, will be available online beginning Saturday, October 6.! It will begin with THIS session, The Great I AM, on Saturday, then continue digging a little deeper with a short session each weekday following. The study will continue for six weeks in this manner. The table of contents can be viewed at lwml.org/life Join by finding it online at LWML's Facebook page, or follow along on the LWML website at www.lwml.org/life

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. Cookies 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 10th. Adults are welcome to help sort and pack the cookies in the auditorium between 1-3 PM on December 10th. Phone Judymae Bowers (763-476-0913) or Rie Schibilla (612-803-5824) with questions, or to arrange for pickup if you are unable to deliver your cookies to the kitchen by noon on December 10th. **Thank you very much. "We love God by loving others."**

Redeemer family—Thank you for your prayers, calls, cards, and visits! We feel so blessed to be part of the big Redeemer family! Blessings to you all, Joanne and Jack Wahlfors.

Security System Fundraiser Update—The church and school are continuing to work hard to raise money for a new security system for the entire facility. The contract has been signed, and the work is scheduled to begin on Monday, October 15 at the cost of **\$30,303**. As of this post, we are within **\$3698** of our goal. If you wish to contribute, please leave your donation in the church office with Security System noted in the memo line of your check. **We thank all the generous donors thus far for their donations!!** If you have questions, please feel free to contact Bob Past or Keri Rouen.

Come and meet Gideon, a trained Comfort Dog. Gideon interacts with people at churches, schools, nursing homes, hospitals and in disaster response situations. Gideon and his escort will be at Redeemer on Saturday, October 27, 2018, 9:30am-11:30 am. A freewill registration and offering will be taken.

Parents are invited to bring their school-aged children to meet Gideon. The event is sponsored by the Lake Minnetonka LWML Zone. Any questions, contact Elaine Taggatz 952-934-4023 or elainetaggatz62@aol.com. Blessings, Elaine Taggatz

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:** Annette Vetse, Youth Leader
- Officer:** Bob Past, MMLG
- Ministry:** Advent by Candlelight

Requested Prayers for Healing and Strength

Mark Waldrep	Paula Lindberg	Megan Gustine	Carmen Melendez
Minnie Ann Klone	Dorothy Robinson	Phil Allmon	Scott Robinson
Bob Presler	Anna Gerber	Emelia Howe	Betty Oare
Estella Presler	Dewey Senneseth	Darold Schulte	

Altar flowers are a way to call attention to someone’s birthday, wedding anniversary, passing, confirmation, baptism, etc. The 2018 Flower sign-up chart can be found on the church bulletin board near the restrooms on the first floor.

OCTOBER BIRTHDAY BLESSING *Please let the office know if your we have missed your birthday.*

7 Sarah Kaminski	8 Harmony Sullivan	9 Allen Nelson	9 Michael Roepke	13 Tim Hanson
14 Wendy Krause	15 Carly Kreger	15 Linden Zhang	16 Jamie Hammer	16 Preston Rouen
17 Deb Isenberg	17 David Lindberg	17 Darold Schulte	19 Ronald Norman	20 Gaylen Thostenson
22 William Engelhardt	23 Laurie Morgan	23 Michelle Sutton	24 Cheryl Oie	25 Ryan Kreger

SMALL GROUPS

Sunday Bible Study—Pastor Steve will lead participants in the 9:30 Adult Education Hour through a resource called *Joy: Fully Lutheran*. Written by Rev. Matthew Harrison, president of the Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod, *Joy Fully Lutheran* a “state of the union” message, describing both the challenges of the LCMS and how we can face them. Join Pastor Steve on Sunday mornings between services! Adult Bible study begins at 9:30 a.m. in the auditorium. Bring a friend! Contact Pastor Steve if you have any questions. 952-473-1281

Redeemer Golden Seniors Club—Redeemer Seniors, mark your calendars for Tuesday, October 16, at 10:00 AM for a study focus on the incredible Holy Bible’s genealogy. We will explore why it is an important part of God’s inspired Word. Bring one of your favorite family ancestor stories, artifact, picture, etc. to share with the group. At this meeting, the group will suggest and select topics of vital interest for future meetings. Welcoming Senior singles, couples, widows, widowers, and their friends! Questions? Call Rolly or Al Heitkamp, 952-540-6471 or e-mail: alrolene@aol.com

Wednesday Morning Women’s Bible Study invites you to join them for a study on the Twelve Disciples. Each week we will look at one specific disciple and the impact that spending three years with Jesus had on him. So, feel free to drop into this Bible Study as your schedule permits. We meet every Wednesday morning at 10:00 in the Gathering Room. Come and join us! For more information contact Mary Sund at 763-233-2417 or Linda Krantz at 763-476-0587.

There’s something for everyone on Wednesday nights at Redeemer! Join us for dinner at 5:30 pm, and programs for all ages at 6:00 pm. The nursery is available for those under 4, Wings for ages Kindergarten to 5th grade, and youth group for grades 6th-12th. Adult programs include **Moms on a Mission** led by Amanda Dahmer and Lindsey Kuphal, **Alpha** led by the Daonna and Andy Start in the Gathering room, and “The Promise Land,” a video-based Bible Study led by Arnie Hilgenkamp in held in the Conference room.

Youth Group We are currently meeting on Wednesday evenings from 6:00 to 8:00 in the house at Redeemer, occasionally we meet in other locations. **Sunday Mornings**, we meet in the house between services (9:30-10:20) and are walking our way through the Bible. **Fall Retreat to Trout Lake Camp** is tentatively scheduled for November 9th to 11th at Trout Lake Camp. We will need some parent chaperones (especially a male chaperone to assist Ben with the boys) and possibly some drivers (who don’t need to spend the night). Please let me know how you can help via the signup genius below. The cost will be \$120 or less per student; if you can contribute more than this, donations are welcome. The price depends on how many attend, how much fundraising we can do and the cost for transportation. Even if you have told me that you want to register, chaperone or drive, please officially register here!!!

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70A0B49ABAC2CA46-trout> Have questions, ideas or suggestions for the youth group, please email Annette Vetse at youth@redeemerwayzata.org or call/text at 612-245-1409.

LifeLight Bible Study hopes you will join us for a 9-week study of the two New Testament books **James** and **Jude**, held each **Thursday**, from 9:30-- 11:30 am in the Conference room. James, a brother of Jesus and a leader in the early Jerusalem church, describes "the type of life a Christian should live, as a child of God whose life is molded by the gospel of God's grace." Jude, who describes himself as a brother of James, encourages us, "Keep yourselves in God's love as you wait for the mercy of our Lord Jesus Christ to bring you to eternal life." Come anytime you can. Questions? Ask Judymae Bowers (763-476-0913) or Eva McAtee (763-476-1827).

Men's Bible Study "Bigger Than Me"—The Saturday morning Men's Group meeting at Folkestone Wayzata will be doing the study titled "Bigger Than Me." This brotherhood of men meets every Saturday morning from 7 to 8:00 a.m. in the Folkestone Auditorium, 100 Promenade Avenue. Some of the 27chapter titles include "Losing My Religion," "Who Are You Calling Greedy," "Alienation," "Go and Do Likewise," "Far from Boring." Come and join us. Contact: Gordy Engel 612-709-4879 or Dan Oie at 763-221-9123 New Study begins in November.

OCTOBER <u>ALTAR GUILD</u> Wendy Krause June Radintz Judi Micoley	Beginning Checkbook Balance 8/1/18 \$15,667 YTD Cash Receipts (in) \$291,056 YTD Cash Disbursements (out) \$312,614 Transfer to Checking from Dedicated Savings \$55,000 Current Checkbook Balance 10/9/18 \$49,109	WORSHIP ATTENDANCE <u>OCTOBER 7, 2018</u> 8:15— 71 10:30—130 <i>Kingdom Kids drew a crowd!</i>
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THIS WEEK AT REDEEMER

Sunday, October 14 8:15 AM Traditional Service 9:30 AM Coffee Hour Fellowship / Bible Study 10:30 AM JoySound Worship 12 Dinner for Mn Adult and Teen Challenge	Monday, October 15 8:30 AM Women AA Group—GR 9:00 AM Monday Morning Crew 1.30 PM Braille, Copy room 6:30 PM AI Anon—GR
Tuesday, October 16 Cybersaints due to News@redeemerwayzata.org 6:30 AM Men's BB—Gym 10:00 Golden Seniors Club—CR 12:00 Staff Meeting—CR 3:00 Study Hall	Wednesday, October 17 Happenings due to News@redeemerwayzata.org 8:45 AM Chapel—Pastor Neal—Zion Hopkins <i>Chapel Offerings Support Operation Christmas Child</i> 10:00 AM Women's Bible Study—GR 4:15 PM Confirmation No Faith & Family 6:00 PM Youth Group 5:30 Alpha dinner, 6:00 PM Bible study—GR 6:30 PM Handbells
Thursday, October 18 No School-Educator's Conference 9:30 AM LifeLight—CR	Friday, October 21 No School-Educator's Conference 1:30 PM Braille—Copy room
Saturday, October 20 7:00 AM Men's Bible Study—Folkestone 8:30 AM Men's BB—Gym	Redeemer Office Hours 8:30 to 4:30 Monday – Friday Closed Holidays <i>For the safety of our students and staff, all doors remain locked while school and ESC are in session until 5:30 PM. To enter: Ring the doorbell by door 1, identify who you are and who you are here to see, proceed to the lobby desk, and fill out a visitor's badge.</i>

	TIME	SUNDAY, OCTOBER 14	SUNDAY, OCTOBER 21	SUNDAY, OCTOBER 28
ELDER	8:15 10:30	Jeff Klone Al Heitkamp	Loren Krantz Gordy Engel	Stephen Kaminski Don Okrina
USHER	8:15 10:30	Ray Bowers Noah Rouen	Hank Radintz Tim Hanson	Lee Fretheim Steve Swanlund
READER	8:15 10:30	Adult and Teen Challenge Choir	Linda Krantz Doreen Sullivan	Mary Sund Marion Kelley
ACOLYTE	8:15 10:30	Brooke McKeivitt Eva Restrepo	Abella Nystrom Kees Van Oosbree	Lydia Holst Clayton Berge
MUSIC	8:15 10:30	MN Adult and Teen Choir MN Adult and Teen Choir	Soloist, Zach Hedner JoySound, Zach Hedner	

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News for Redeemer—Do you contribute information to share in the Happenings, Facebook, News Letter, Cybersaints or our website? If so, send your requested information to News@redeemerwayzata.org. Be sure to include all the who, where, when, what and how information along with how long you want it posted.



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