

Redeemer Lutheran Church

869 7th Avenue SE
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Redeemer Lutheran Church
Epiphany

Saturday, January 6, 2018 – 5:30 pm
Sunday, January 7, 2018 – 8:00 and 10:40 am

Family of Believers
IN THE WORD JOHN 11-18

Grow In Christ ♦ SHARE HIS LOVE ♦ Encourage

Our Mission Statement: *“As Christians based on the solid foundation of God’s Word, empowered by the Holy Spirit we strive to live out, lift up, and share our faith in Jesus Christ – welcoming all into our Family of Believers.”*

Values:
Truth, Community Engagement, Family of Believers, Teaching, Healing/Caring, Joy, Prayer

WELCOME VISITORS We have printed out our worship service to make it easier for all of us to follow. Hymns are found in the hymn section of the Lutheran Service Book or in Worship & Praise, the purple supplement. The service is also projected on the screen. Please visit our “Welcome Center” in the Narthex for additional information about Redeemer.

OUR THEME FOR TODAY is “Navigating.” Sometimes we are navigating from A to B. Sometimes we are navigating a new reality, life stage, diagnosis, year. Today, we learn a lesson on navigating from the Magi.

+ We Come Into God’s Presence +

() Those who are able are asked to stand during these parts of the service.*

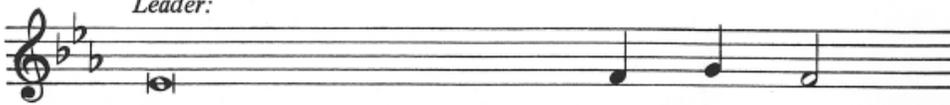
WELCOME AND GREETINGS *(We welcome our fellow worshippers.)*

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(*) OPENING LITANY *(Please stand.)*

Leader:



Jesus Christ, you are the light of the world;

All:



the light no darkness can o - ver - come;

Leader:



Let your light scat - ter the darkness,

All:



and shine within your peo-ple here. —

(*) HYMN "Joyous Light Of Heavenly Glory"

Joyous light of heav'nly glory, loving glow of God's own face,
You who sing creation's story, shine on ev'ry land and race.
Now as evening falls around us, we shall raise our songs to you,
God of daybreak, God of shadows, come and light our hearts anew.

In the stars that grace the darkness, in the blazing sun of dawn,
In the light of peace and wisdom, we can hear your quiet song.
Love that fills the night with wonder, love that warms the weary soul,
Love that bursts all chains asunder, set us free and make us whole.

You who made the heaven's splendor, ev'ry dancing star of night,
Make us shine with gentle justice, let us each reflect your light.
Mighty God of all creation, gentle Christ who lights our way,
Loving Spirit of salvation, lead us on to endless day.

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(*) CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION (1 John 1:5-10)

P: In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C: **Amen.**

P: We gather today to proclaim the excellences of him who,

C: **Called us out of darkness and into his marvelous light.**

P: God is light.

C: **In Him there is no darkness at all.**

P: If we say we have fellowship with him while we walk in darkness, we lie and do not practice the truth.

C: **But if we confess our darkness, Jesus Christ who is our true light will illuminate our darkness and enlighten our lives.**

Silence for reflection on God's Word and for self-examination.

P: The light of Christ shines in the darkness of your sin illuminating your life with His forgiveness. In Christ, your light, your sins are forgiven.

C: **Amen.**

P: The light shines in the darkness.

C: **And the darkness has not overcome it.**

(*) HYMN OF PRAISE

(W&P 123, st. 1)

Lord, the light of your love is shining,

In the midst of the darkness, shining;

Jesus, light of the world, shine upon us,

Set us free by the truth you now bring us.

Shine on me, shine on me:

Shine, Jesus, shine, fill this land with the Father's glory;

Blaze, Spirit, blaze, set our hearts on fire.

Flow, river, flow, flood the nations with grace and mercy;

Send forth your Word, Lord, and let there be light!

(*) SALUTATION AND COLLECT OF THE DAY

P: The Lord be with you.

C: **And also with you.**

P: Let us pray.

Blessed are you, Creator of the universe from old you have led your people by night and day. May the light of your Christ make our darkness bring, for your Word and your presence are the light of our pathways and you are the light and life of all creation.

C: **Amen. (Please be seated.)**

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+ God Speaks to Us +

SCRIPTURE READINGS

L: The Old Testament Reading for Epiphany is from the sixtieth chapter of Isaiah.

¹Arise, shine, for your light has come, and the glory of the LORD has risen upon you. ²For behold, darkness shall cover the earth, and thick darkness the peoples; but the LORD will arise upon you, and his glory will be seen upon you.

³And nations shall come to your light, and kings to the brightness of your rising. ⁴Lift up your eyes all around, and see; they all gather together, they come to you; your sons shall come from afar, and your daughters shall be carried on the hip.

⁵Then you shall see and be radiant; your heart shall thrill and exult, because the abundance of the sea shall be turned to you, the wealth of the nations shall come to you. ⁶A multitude of camels shall cover you, the young camels of Midian and Ephah; all those from Sheba shall come. They shall bring gold and frankincense, and shall bring good news, the praises of the LORD. *Isaiah 60:1-6*

L: The light shines in darkness,

C: and the darkness has not overcome it.

L: The Epistle Reading is from the third chapter of Ephesians.

⁷Of this gospel I was made a minister according to the gift of God's grace, which was given me by the working of his power. ⁸To me, though I am the very least of all the saints, this grace was given, to preach to the Gentiles the unsearchable riches of Christ, ⁹and to bring to light for everyone what is the plan of the mystery hidden for ages in God who created all things, ¹⁰so that through the church the manifold wisdom of God might now be made known to the rulers and authorities in the heavenly places. ¹¹This was according to the eternal purpose that he has realized in Christ Jesus our Lord, ¹²in whom we have boldness and access with confidence through our faith in him. *Ephesians 3:7-12 NIV*

L: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God. *(Please stand to sing.)*

(*) ALLELUIA AND VERSE

(LSB 357, st. 6)

**O come, Thou Dayspring from on high,
And cheer us by Thy drawing nigh;
Disperse the gloomy clouds of night,
And death's dark shadows put to flight.
Rejoice! Rejoice! Emmanuel shall come to thee, O Israel!**

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(*) HOLY GOSPEL

L: The Holy Gospel according to St. John, the first chapter.

C: **Glory to You, O Lord.**

¹ After Jesus was born in Bethlehem in Judea, during the time of King Herod, Magi from the east came to Jerusalem ² and asked, "Where is the one who has been born king of the Jews? We saw his star when it rose and have come to worship him."

³ When King Herod heard this he was disturbed, and all Jerusalem with him. ⁴ When he had called together all the people's chief priests and teachers of the law, he asked them where the Messiah was to be born. ⁵ "In Bethlehem in Judea," they replied, "for this is what the prophet has written: ⁶ ""But you, Bethlehem, in the land of Judah, are by no means least among the rulers of Judah; for out of you will come a ruler who will shepherd my people Israel. ""

⁷ Then Herod called the Magi secretly and found out from them the exact time the star had appeared. ⁸ He sent them to Bethlehem and said, "Go and search carefully for the child. As soon as you find him, report to me, so that I too may go and worship him."

⁹ After they had heard the king, they went on their way, and the star they had seen when it rose went ahead of them until it stopped over the place where the child was. ¹⁰ When they saw the star, they were overjoyed. ¹¹ On coming to the house, they saw the child with his mother Mary, and they bowed down and worshiped him. Then they opened their treasures and presented him with gifts of gold, frankincense and myrrh. ¹² And having been warned in a dream not to go back to Herod, they returned to their country by another route.

Matthew 2:1-12 NIV

L: The light shines in darkness,

C: **and the darkness has not overcome it.** *(Please be seated.)*

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

(Parents, please feel free to come forward with smaller children.)

HYMN "As With Gladness Men Of Old" LSB 397

SERMON "Navigating" – Matthew 2:1-12

+ We Respond To God's Word +

GATHERING OF THE OFFERINGS

(The pastor will collect any special prayer request cards at this time.)

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(Sunday) **MUSICAL OFFERING** “The Glory Of The Father” – Sounds of Praise

FRIENDSHIP REGISTRATION

(Please pass the red booklets in your row, if you have not already done so.)

(Please stand to sing as the offerings are brought forward.)

(*) OFFERTORY

(LSB 394, st. 5)

**Grant us grace to see Thee, Lord, Present in Thy holy Word
Grace to imitate Thee now and be pure, as pure art Thou;
That we might become like Thee at Thy great Epiphany
And may praise Thee, ever blest, God in man made manifest.**

(*) CHRISTMAS CREED

I believe in God the Father, Creator of all things, who sent His Son as my Savior.

I believe in Jesus Christ, my Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, announced by angels, worshiped by the Wise Men; who lived to suffer, die, and rise again, to free me from sin, death and the power of the devil.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, who has brought me to faith in the Christ and by whose continuous work in my heart I am ever led to lay before the feet of Christ my worship, my life, my love, to live under Him as my King, both now and forevermore. Amen.

(Please be seated.)

(*) PRAYERS

- Congregation's response: “Hear our prayer”

(*) THE LORD'S PRAYER

C: Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever and ever. Amen.

+ God Serves Us His Holy Meal +

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(*) SANCTUS

(LSB 380, st.3)

Hail, the heav'n born Prince of Peace! Hail, the Sun of Righteousness!
Light and life to all He brings, Ris'n with healing in His wings.
Mild He lays His glory by, born that man no more may die,
Born to raise the sons of earth, born to give them second birth.
Hark! The herald angels sing, "Glory to the newborn King!"

(*) THE WORDS OF OUR LORD

(*) PAX DOMINI

P: The peace of the Lord be with you always.



☐ A - men.

(*) AGNUS DEI



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+ God Sends Us Forth to Serve and Proclaim +

(*) **COMMON DISMISSAL** - *spoken by the pastor*

(*) **BENEDICTION**

P: The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord make His face shine on you and be gracious to you. The Lord look upon you with favor and give you peace.



(*) **HYMN** "O Morning Star, How Fair and Bright"LSB 395, sts. 1,2,5

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Redeemer Lutheran Church
Weekly Announcements and Highlights
Week of January 7, 2018



Special Prayer Opportunities:

Health Concerns:

- ✠ Dick Kostel, Don Knick, Tammy Konicek, Oscar Scheid, Julie Gehrking, Wil Mennecke, Bill Kraus, Ted Saxman, Mark Kuisle, Tami Timbeross, Dustin Seering
- ✠ Receiving Hospice care: Marty Cordes, Merilynn Schacht, and Bob Salley

Grieving:

- ✠ Jeff Sorgatz and his family upon the recent death of his grandmother.
- ✠ Joanne Iverson and her family upon the death of her husband, Durwood, on Thursday.

Thanksgiving:

- ✠ Upon the installation of Pastor Benjamin Loos as our Associate Pastor.

PRAYER CHAINS – If you have a prayer request, call Gail Sim (289-2087), the church office (289-5147), or send an email to Lori Hameister at littlebitmoo@gmail.com.

PRAYER CARDS - Take a look in your pew rack and you'll see our prayer request cards! These cards will be collected by one of the pastors during the offering time.

FLOWERS IN THE CHANCEL

- ♥ are honor of Merrilyn Schacht's 94th birthday on January 8.
- ♥ Are in honor of Pastor Loos' installation on Sunday.



**INSTALLATION THIS
SUNDAY!**

Please plan to join your Family of Believers in welcoming Pastor Benjamin Loos and his wife, Christine, and their children, Josiah, Juliette, and Serena, at a special installation service on Sunday, January 7, at 4 pm, at Redeemer. A meal and fellowship will follow the installation. **All are welcome to attend – even if you didn't sign up!**

**WOMEN'S TUESDAY MORNING
BIBLE STUDY**

Will resume on Tuesday, January 9, 2018, at 9:00 am, in the North Fellowship Hall. We will be studying Matthew, Part 1, session 3, Day 3: Matthew 4:1-11. Please join us! Any questions, contact Jan Walters at 507-876-2832.

CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS PROGRAM RECORDINGS!

If you would like a video recording of the Christmas program, please sign up at the Welcome Center for a copy. Cost is \$5 for this. Please sign up by **THIS Sunday, January 7.** Thank you!



ANNUAL MEETING

Sunday, January 14—12:30 pm

- Thanks to our youth who will be serving a light lunch following the late service, from 11:30 am to 12:30 pm, in the Fellowship Hall.
- Childcare will be provided for our little ones.
- All members of Redeemer, 18 and over, are voting members of Redeemer and are encouraged to attend. Others are welcome as guests.
- The Annual Report is available out on a table by the Welcome Center for you to review before the meeting. Please pick one up!
- On the Agenda will be.....
 - Proposed 2018 Budget
 - Staff Reports
 - Team/Committee Reports
 - Proposed Missions for 2018



The Legacy Journey is a seven-week, biblically based class that teaches you how to truly live and leave a legacy for generations to come. This class will lead you deeper into:

- Investing
- basic estate planning
- purposeful living
- safeguarding your legacy
- discovering the keys to generational wealth
- and true generosity

When: February 11 - March 25 (7 Sundays)

Time: 4-5:30pm

Cost: \$119

Where: Fellowship Hall

Register and buy materials in church office.

Desserts and child care will be provided.

Contact: Kate Brown (515-339-9804 or kate.brown55@gmail.com)



DON'T FORGET TO WEAR YOUR NAMETAG!

In order to help Pastor Loos learn our names, please be sure to wear your nametags. If you do not have one or are in need of a new one, please return this slip with your name printed below and we will get you a new one!

Name: _____
(Please print.)

New nametags can be picked up at the Welcome Center next week.

SUNDAY ADULT BIBLE CLASS

Beginning Sunday, January 7
9:20 am

HEROES OF THE FAITH

In an age where we have more superhero movies than we do new original stories in the box office, it is easy to see the fascination people have with a superhero. They are easy to root for, they are so noble and their cause is to help save as many people from terrible enemies as possible. The green screen saviors though have nothing on our heroes of the faith! Come and participate with DCE Josh Heirigs as we delve into different biblical heroes—class located in Choir Room.

LIFE VERSE

As we continue our theme of "Family of Believers: In the Word" this class will take us into God's Word to listen to what He has to say. A "Life Verse" is a passage from God's Word that can help a person follow God in the special way that God has called them. This passage may guide a person throughout their life or through a certain time, but it is always a blessing. Whether you already have a Life Verse or if you would like to find yours for the first time, this class will be a time of rich reflection and blessing meeting in the So. Fellowship Hall.

ESTHER

Times are tough: political power struggles, jealousy, sexual harassment, discrimination. Sound familiar? Join Virginia Miller in the North Fellowship Hall as we explore the book of Esther together to see how the Lord uses us in "just a time as this."

INTERESTED IN JOINING OUR FAMILY OF BELIEVERS?

Step One: Attend our "Introductions" Class

This is offered on January 12, from 9:30 am to Noon. Here you will get an opportunity to understand what is most important to our Family of Believers, as well as our mission, vision, and values.

Step Two: Welcome To The Family Weekend (January 27/28)

- Saturday, January 27, 9:30 - Noon : At this event we will help you look at the unique spiritual gifts you have been given, give you a tour of our facility, and have you meet your Ministry Mentors who will walk with you in your first year.
 - Sunday, January 28, 9:20 am - Your Ministry Mentors will introduce you in the Bible Study Hour
 - Sunday, January 28, 10:40 am - During this service you will be received as new members
- Our next Welcome To The Family Weekend will be May 19/20, 2018.

For more information contact:

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Pastor Adam Koglin
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NOW AVAILABLE

On the counter in the Narthex:

- **Portals of Prayer** for January through March.
- **LWML WINTER Quarterlies** are now available on the counter in the Narthex. Ladies, please look for the copy with your name in the upper right-hand corner.
- **2018 Offering Envelopes**

Attention All Crafters!

January 20, 2018

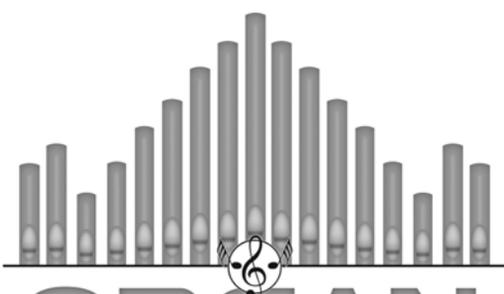
**8:00 am to
4:00 pm**

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Fellowship Hall

Bring your crafts (scrap bookers, quilters, stampers etc.), a dish to pass and enjoy the company of other crafters.

Contact Tami Timbeross at tami@tamictimbeross.com (507-951-0601) or
Renee Rahlf at renerahlf@gmail.com with any questions.



ORGAN

**50TH BIRTHDAY
CELEBRATION**

The organ is turning 50! We will celebrate the service the organ has given to Redeemer with a recital on Sunday, January 28, at 3:30 pm. Please plan to attend!

**WE NEED
GROUPS TO
SERVE LENTEN
SUPPERS!**



It's time to sign your group up for the Lenten Suppers. If you would like to volunteer for any of the dates listed below or have any questions, please contact the church office 289-5147.

February 14	February 21
February 28	March 7
March 14	March 21





**“Prayers and
Thoughtful
Words Basket”
for Pastor Loos
and his Family**

Redeemer members, please feel free to write your thoughts and prayers for Pastor Loos and his family in the large basket, which you will find wrapped with a big red bow at the Welcome Center.

Pastor Koglin has shared that these wonderful prayers and thoughts from Redeemer members during his installation were very meaningful to him and something he still references often.

Let’s tell our new pastor and his family how much they mean to us and how we are praying for them!

LIFE QUOTES

“Our happiness, therefore, does not depend on a new year or a changed situation, but upon the Lord and our changed relationship, our deepened growth, in Him and in terms of His will for us ... ‘Seek ye first the kingdom of God and his righteousness, and all these things shall be added unto you’ (Matthew 6:33 KJV).” *R. J. Rushdoony, philosopher, historian, and theologian – A Life Quote from Lutherans For Life • www.lutheransforlife.org*



WHAT'S WITH THE BABY BOTTLES?

Have you noticed the basket of baby bottles in the Narthex?

The RLCW is sponsoring a fund drive for New Life Family Services, beginning in December and continuing until Sanctity of Life Sunday, February 4, 2018.

The baby bottles are designed to be used either as a "mite box" for your pocket change or as a specific donation. Inside each bottle is a form to fill in your name and address to enable New Life to acknowledge your gift and provide a tax receipt. Then simply return them to the church office.

Learn more about New Life on their website www.nlfs.org/ or on Facebook.

OUR RESPONSE TO GOD LAST WEEK:

WEEKEND WORSHIP ATTENDANCE:

386 (75+184+127) Guests: 38

SUNDAY SCHOOL & ADULT BIBLE CLASS

93 (40+53)

NEXT WEEKEND'S READINGS

1 Samuel 3:1-10, 1 Corinthians 6:12-20,
John 1:4:43-51

Theme: "Well Pleased"

Health Notes

PALLIATIVE VERSUS HOSPICE CARE

Palliative and hospice is a difficult subject – but an important topic for a family conversation. As Health care needs change, palliative care and hospice are some of the options available to help you and your family. It is important to understand that **palliative** and **hospice care** are not synonymous, though some organizations provide both.

Palliative Care—is a patient and family centered care that optimizes quality of life by anticipating, preventing and treating suffering including pain and other symptoms of disease. Some of the diseases included are cancer, congestive heart failure, chronic obstructive pulmonary disease (COPD), kidney disease, Alzheimer’s, Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis (ALS). Symptoms may include depression, pain, shortness of breath, fatigue, constipation, nausea, loss of appetite, difficulty sleeping and much more.

*It is important to know that one DOES NOT have to forgo curative treatment or have a terminal diagnosis to receive palliative care. A cure is not available for someone on palliative care but comfort and specialized care are available to a person on palliative care.

Hospice Care—is a specialized kind of palliative care for those facing a life-limiting illness, their families and their caregivers. It is provided when a cure is not possible. During hospice care, the primary goal is to have the best quality of life possible. People on hospice care sometimes live years after being placed on it. The Hospice team:

- Addresses the physical emotional, social and spiritual needs of patients and their families. Important to note that families are included in hospice care.
- Provides Care in the patients as free of pain and troublesome symptoms and as comfortable as possible so they can make the most of the time that remains.



Movie Night
January 12
6:00 pm

Bring your slippers, blanket and a comfy chair — if you want — and join us in the South Fellowship Hall. Bring some change for pizza and the pop machine!

EMPIRE OF THE SUN – 1987

Steven Spielberg’s film is an inspiring, action-packed epic of a small boy in WW2. That boy is Jim Graham, a young Briton whose unconquerable spirit soars high and free above the harsh confines of a Japanese internment camp. Through his eyes we see the fascination and horror of war. And we see a child’s hold on childhood weaken as his struggle to survive grows. First major Hollywood studio production ever to shoot in the People’s Republic of China.

Surprise film to follow!



Blessed to Serve Today

MessagePastor Adam Koglin
Children's Message..... Michael Harvey, DCE
Organist April Beckman, DPM
Acolytes
 8:00 am Ian Reese / Liam Olive
 10:40 am MJ Harvey / Tyler Jerabeck
Altar Guild
 Chair: Shelly Potter
 Members: Connie Harnack, Linda Krueger, Karen Dee, Janith Corkill, Amy Tostenson, Ethan Daniels
Blood Pressure
 Sunday..... Stephanie Fisk
Elders
 5:30 pmLynn Meier
 8:00 am..... Kelly Anderson
 10:40 am Jeff Ihrke
Greeters
 5:30 pm Randy and Karen Peck
 8:00 am..... Stan and Linda Sohre
 10:40 am *Volunteer Needed*
Lectors
 5:30 pm Jim Bronk
 8:00 am Lindsay Smith
 10:40 am Jane Quaintance
Nursery
 9:20 am..... Kate Brown / Eric Brown
 10:40 amBecky Decker / Stephanie Fisk
Technology Helper
 5:30 pm Brandon Rossman
 8:00 am..... Dan Zeccardi
 10:40 amBlake Hellickson
Usher Coordinator Roger Toomey
Ushers
 5:30 pm Richard Ward
 8:00 am..... Ed Feeder, Harold Jenkins, Andrew Fockler, Jeff Lee, Sam Gehrking, Chantel VanGuilder, Jagger Schoppers,
 10:40 amWillis Fitting, Joel Pralle, Gary Seering
 Jacob Pralle, Madison Pralle, Tyler Bruns, Carter Kmett, Abi Manthei, Josh Berthiaume
Welcome Center
 5:30 pm Sherry Haugen
 8:00 am..... Bernie and Ellie Nesler
 10:40 am Curt Haugen
Worship Recording Greg Utesch

Youth Highlights!

- **PYROS:** THIS Sunday we are serving at Pastor Loos' installation dinner for our PYROS event! We will follow the serving by spending an hour making cards for our homebound members, which we will deliver in February. Please arrive at 4:45 pm ready to serve!
- **Serving:** On January 14 the youth are serving the meal for our Annual Meeting. Please look for emails about how you can be involved in this.
- **IGNITE:** On January 14 our IGNITE event will take us off campus to watch the movie "Wonder!" Look for more details in the next bulletin for timing and cost!
- **IGNITE/PYROS planning meeting:** On January 21 after the late service at 11:45 am, we are meeting to plan out topics for IGNITE and PYROS servant events for the Spring semester.
- We are meeting for a regular IGNITE evening from 6-8 pm, Sunday January 21st. The topic will be spiritual gifts!
- **Pizza Ranch:** On Monday, January 22, we are having a youth fundraising night at Pizza Ranch! Come out to Stewartville & have a great meal with some of your best friends! Youth will be bussing tables!
- **Bulletin Board:** Youth! Take a look at the bulletin board for sign-ups & information about Tubing on February3, our summer trip to Colorado, & Pizza Ranch on the January 22. Please get signed up!

If you have questions about any of these events, contact: **Josh Heirigs, DCE** (923-6288) OR joshheirigs@redeemer-rochester.com

The Week at a Glance

SATURDAY, JANUARY 6

FCCI Training—8 am
HOLY COMMUNION - 5:30 pm

SUNDAY, JANUARY 7 PASTOR LOOS' INSTALLATION

HOLY COMMUNION—8:00 & 10:40 am
Blood Pressures—Nurse's Office—9 am
Sunday School/Adult Bible Classes-9:20 am
Pastor Loos' Installation Service/Dinner
- 4 pm
PYROS—5 pm

MONDAY, JANUARY 8

Quilters—NRH—8 am
Story Time—Narthex—10:15
FCCI Workshop—FH—5:45 pm
Lynne Gaunt CC- Rm L-1—6 pm
Emmanuel CC—Upper Rm.—6:30 pm
J.O.Y. CC—Rm 102—7 pm

TUESDAY, JANUARY 9

Ladies' Bible Study—NFH—9 am
Men's Bible Study—Rm 102—9 am
FFF Exercise Group—Rm L-3—10:15 am
GTO—Library—6:15 pm
Trustees—Rm 201—6:30 pm
Youth Board—Youth Rm—6:30 pm
Memorial & Special Gifts—6:30 pm
Church Council—Rm 102—7 pm

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 10

POBLO Sewing—NFH—10 am
Japanese Fellowship-Nursery/L-1/NFH-
12:30 pm
Youth Chimes (7-12)—Sanctuary—5:45 pm
Alleluia Singers (2-6)—Rm L-2—6 pm

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 10

Men's Bible Study—Upper Rm—6 pm
Cherub Choir—Rm 101—6:05 pm
Confirmation—6:10 pm
Angelic Chimes (2-6)—Sanctuary—6:30 pm
Sounds of Praise—7:00 pm
Rebecca Circle—L-1- 7:30 pm
Celebration Practice—8:15 pm

THURSDAY, JANUARY 11

Faithfully Fit—Rm L-3—10:15 am
Chancel Chimes—Sanctuary—7 pm

FRIDAY, JANUARY 12

Staff Social—5:30 pm
Movie Night—SFH—6 pm

SATURDAY, JANUARY 13

Welcome To The Family Class-Rm 102-
9:30 am
WORSHIP—5:30 PM

SUNDAY, JANUARY 14

WORSHIP—8 & 10:40 am
Blood Pressures—Nurses' Office—9 am
Sunday School/Adult Bible Classes—9:20 am
PYROS—12 pm
Youth Serve Annual Meeting Lunch—12:15 pm
ANNUAL VOTER'S MEETING- 12:30 pm
Instruments of Praise—Narthex—4:30 pm
Agape CC—Upper Rm—6:30 pm



Redeemer Lutheran Church

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WELCOME VISITORS	Whether looking for a church home or just here for the day, we are glad to have you as our guests. Please sign the red Friendship Registration pad in your pew and pick up a visitor packet in the Narthex. Remember that you are our guests; the offering is for our members who support the work of the church through their voluntary gifts.
WORSHIP SCHEDULE	Saturday 5:30 pm Sunday 8 and 10:40 am
HOLY COMMUNION	is celebrated in each service the weekends of the 1st, 3rd, and 5th Sundays of the month. We invite those who acknowledge their sinfulness, recognize that Christ's body and blood are truly present for our forgiveness, and are willing to give witness to the unity of their faith with this community, to join with us in receiving the sacrament. For those who for health or conscience reasons are not able to receive wine, please note that there is a cup of white grape juice in the middle of each tray. Gluten-free wafers are available in the middle of the bread tray for those with that allergy.
CHILDREN	are always welcome at Redeemer. Parents should note that according to your needs and preferences, 1) children's bulletins and "color bags" are available in the narthex; 2) our nursery is staffed each Sunday morning during the 9:20 am Education Hour and the 10:40 am service. The Nursery is located just off the Narthex -- look for our sign!
WORSHIP TAPES	are available in the rack by the elevator. Listen and bring it back or contribute one dollar if you wish to keep the tape.
TRANSPORTATION	is available each Sunday morning. Please call the church office (289-5147) by Noon on Thursday.
SPECIAL NEEDS	Large print bulletins and personal hearing devices are available in the Narthex from an Usher or at the Welcome Center.
OFFICE HOURS	Monday through Friday 7:30 am - 4:00 pm

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