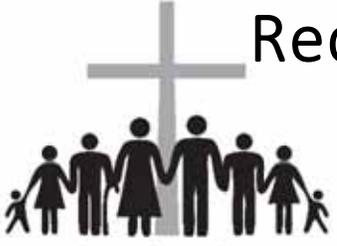


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 <p><b>Redeemer Lutheran Church</b> Nineteenth Sunday After Pentecost</p> <p>Saturday, September 29, 2018 – 5:30 pm Sunday, September 30, 2018 – 8:00 and 10:40 am</p> <p><b>Family of Believers</b> IN PRAYER 1 THESS 5:16-18</p>
<b>Grow In Christ ♦ SHARE HIS LOVE ♦ Encourage</b>
<p><b>Our Mission Statement:</b> <i>“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.”</i></p> <p><b>Values:</b> Truth, Prayer, Family of Believers, Teaching, Community Engagement, Healing/Caring, Joy</p>

**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.

**SERVICE OF PRAYER FOR HEALING** will be in all services this weekend. If you would like to have the pastor and elder lay hands upon you and offer a special prayer (for yourself or a loved one), please fill out the blue insert in your bulletin and bring it forward with you as you come to commune. There is also opportunity to make use of the ancient practice of anointing with oil (James 5:14) for those who so desire.

**OUR THEME FOR TODAY** is “A Healing Community in Jesus.” Our Lord gives wonderful wisdom and direction through James for a community of people who follow Jesus. Suffering? Cheerful? Sick? We all have a voice and that matters both to the Lord and to the Family of Believers. Today is a prayer and healing service. Let’s listen to what God teaches us about prayer and healing in our Epistle Lesson.

**+ We Come Into God’s Presence +**

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

**GREETINGS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS** *(We welcome our fellow worshipers.)*

**OPENING HYMN** "O Christ, Our True And Only Light" ..... LSB 839

**(\*) GREETING AND SALUTATION** *(Please stand.)*

**P:** The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

**C:** **And also with you.**

**P:** We gather to hear the Word of God, receive his body and blood, pray for those in need, and ask God's blessing on those who seek healing and wholeness through Christ our Lord. Let us pray.

**(\*) PRAYER OF THE DAY**

**P:** Great God our healer, by your power the Lord Jesus healed the sick and gave hope to the hopeless. As we gather in his name,

**C:** **look upon us with mercy and bless us with your healing Spirit.**

**P:** Bring us comfort in the midst of pain, strength to transform our weakness,

**C:** **and light to illuminate our darkness.**

**P:** We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ,

**C:** **our crucified and risen Lord,**

**P:** who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

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

**+ God Speaks to Us +**

**SCRIPTURE READINGS**

**L:** The Old Testament Lesson for the Nineteenth Sunday After Pentecost is from the eleventh chapter of Numbers.

<sup>4</sup> The rabble with them began to crave other food, and again the Israelites started wailing and said, "If only we had meat to eat! <sup>5</sup> We remember the fish we ate in Egypt at no cost—also the cucumbers, melons, leeks, onions and garlic. <sup>6</sup> But now we have lost our appetite; we never see anything but this manna!"

<sup>10</sup> Moses heard the people of every family wailing at the entrance to their tents. The Lord became exceedingly angry, and Moses was troubled. <sup>11</sup> He asked the Lord, "Why have you brought this trouble on your servant? What have I done to displease you that you put the burden of all these people on me? <sup>12</sup> Did I conceive all these people? Did I give them birth? Why

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do you tell me to carry them in my arms, as a nurse carries an infant, to the land you promised on oath to their ancestors? <sup>13</sup> Where can I get meat for all these people? They keep wailing to me, 'Give us meat to eat!' <sup>14</sup> I cannot carry all these people by myself; the burden is too heavy for me. <sup>15</sup> If this is how you are going to treat me, please go ahead and kill me —if I have found favor in your eyes—and do not let me face my own ruin."

<sup>16</sup> The Lord said to Moses: "Bring me seventy of Israel's elders who are known to you as leaders and officials among the people. Have them come to the tent of meeting, that they may stand there with you.

<sup>24</sup> So Moses went out and told the people what the Lord had said. He brought together seventy of their elders and had them stand around the tent. <sup>25</sup> Then the Lord came down in the cloud and spoke with him, and he took some of the power of the Spirit that was on him and put it on the seventy elders. When the Spirit rested on them, they prophesied —but did not do so again.

<sup>26</sup> However, two men, whose names were Eldad and Medad, had remained in the camp. They were listed among the elders, but did not go out to the tent. Yet the Spirit also rested on them, and they prophesied in the camp. <sup>27</sup> A young man ran and told Moses, "Eldad and Medad are prophesying in the camp."

<sup>28</sup> Joshua son of Nun, who had been Moses' aide since youth, spoke up and said, "Moses, my lord, stop them!"

<sup>29</sup> But Moses replied, "Are you jealous for my sake? I wish that all the Lord's people were prophets and that the Lord would put his Spirit on them!"

*Numbers 11:4-6, 10-16, 24-29 NIV*

L: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: **Thanks be to God.**

## EPISTLE READING

L: The Epistle Reading is from the fifth chapter of James.

<sup>13</sup> Is anyone among you in trouble? Let them pray. Is anyone happy? Let them sing songs of praise. <sup>14</sup> Is anyone among you sick? Let them call the elders of the church to pray over them and anoint them with oil in the name of the Lord. <sup>15</sup> And the prayer offered in faith will make the sick person well; the Lord will raise them up. If they have sinned, they will be forgiven. <sup>16</sup> Therefore confess your sins to each other and pray for each other so that you may be healed. The prayer of a righteous person is powerful and effective.

<sup>17</sup> Elijah was a human being, even as we are. He prayed earnestly that it would not rain, and it did not rain on the land for three and a half years. <sup>18</sup> Again he prayed, and the heavens gave rain, and the earth produced its crops.

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<sup>19</sup> My brothers and sisters, if one of you should wander from the truth and someone should bring that person back, <sup>20</sup> remember this: Whoever turns a sinner from the error of their way will save them from death and cover over a multitude of sins.

*James 5:13-20 NIV*

L: This is the Word of the Lord.

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

## (\*) RESPONSE

*(tune LSB 912)*

**God in his righteousness sent Christ, who for us died  
And rose again, to bless all who are justified.  
Alleluia! Where grace abounds, God's praise resounds. Alleluia!**

## (\*) GOSPEL READING

P: The Holy Gospel according to St. Mark, the ninth chapter.

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

<sup>38</sup> "Teacher," said John, "we saw someone driving out demons in your name and we told him to stop, because he was not one of us."

<sup>39</sup> "Do not stop him," Jesus said. "For no one who does a miracle in my name can in the next moment say anything bad about me, <sup>40</sup> for whoever is not against us is for us. <sup>41</sup> Truly I tell you, anyone who gives you a cup of water in my name because you belong to the Messiah will certainly not lose their reward.

<sup>42</sup> "If anyone causes one of these little ones—those who believe in me—to stumble, it would be better for them if a large millstone were hung around their neck and they were thrown into the sea. <sup>43</sup> If your hand causes you to stumble, cut it off. It is better for you to enter life maimed than with two hands to go into hell, where the fire never goes out. <sup>[44]</sup> <sup>45</sup> And if your foot causes you to stumble, cut it off. It is better for you to enter life crippled than to have two feet and be thrown into hell. <sup>[46]</sup> <sup>47</sup> And if your eye causes you to stumble, pluck it out. It is better for you to enter the kingdom of God with one eye than to have two eyes and be thrown into hell, <sup>48</sup> where "the worms that eat them do not die, and the fire is not quenched. "

<sup>49</sup> Everyone will be salted with fire. <sup>50</sup> "Salt is good, but if it loses its saltiness, how can you make it salty again? Have salt among yourselves, and be at peace with each other."

*Mark 9:38-50 NIV*

L: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C: **Praise to you, O Christ.** *(Please be seated.)*

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## CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

*(Parent's, please feel free to come forward with smaller children.)*

**HYMN** *(Saturday)* "My Faith Looks Up To Thee" ..... LSB 702  
*(Sunday)* "There Is A Balm In Gilead" ..... LSB 749

**SERMON** "A Healing Community In Jesus" - James 5:13-20

## + We Respond To God's Word +

### GATHERING OF THE OFFERINGS

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

**MUSICAL OFFERING** *(8:00 am)* "Kumbaya"- Alleluia Singers  
*(10:40 am)* "Luther's Morning Prayer" - Sounds Of Praise  
*(Please join in singing as indicated on the screen.)*

### FRIENDSHIP REGISTRATION

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

### (\*) OFFERTORY

*(As the offerings are brought forward, please stand to sing. . .)*

**Jesus, remember me when you come into your kingdom.** *(W&P #78)*  
**Jesus, remember me when you come into your kingdom.** *(Sing twice.)*

### (\*) PRAYERS

**P:** Great God our healer, by your power, the Lord Jesus healed the sick and gave hope to the hopeless. In his name and for his sake,  
**C:** **look upon us with mercy and bless us with your healing Spirit.**  
**P:** Bring us comfort in the midst of pain, strength to transform our weakness,  
**C:** **and light to illuminate our darkness.**  
**P:** Grant your healing grace to all who are sick, injured, or disabled, . . ., that they may be made whole; Lord, in your mercy,  
**C:** **hear our prayer.**

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**P:** Grant to all who are lonely, anxious, or despondent, the awareness of your presence; Lord, in your mercy,

**C:** **hear our prayer.**

**P:** Mend broken relationships, and restore those in emotional distress to soundness of mind and serenity of spirit; Lord, in your mercy,

**C:** **hear our prayer.**

**P:** Bless physicians, nurses, and all others who minister to the suffering; grant them wisdom and skill, sympathy and patience; Lord, in your mercy,

**C:** **hear our prayer.**

*(special intercessions.)*

**P:** Bless all who seek your healing presence in their lives. In their suffering draw them more deeply into the mystery of your love, that following Christ in the way of the cross they may know the power of his resurrection; who lives and reigns forever and ever.

**C:** **Amen.**

**All:** **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 +**

## **(\*) WORDS OF INSTITUTION**

**P:** Our Lord . . . in remembrance of me. The peace of the Lord be with you always.

**C:** **And also with you.**

## **(\*) RESPONSE**

*(tune LSB 702, "My Faith Looks Up to Thee")*

**O Lamb of God, we pray: take all our sins away, our faith increase.**

**Have mercy on us all, strengthen us when we fall,**

**Answer our fervent call and grant us peace. (Please be seated.)**

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*(Distribution is continuous. When directed by the usher, proceed to the rail.  
When you have communed and had time for prayer, return by the far left side.)  
(Special prayers may be requested by clearly holding the blue prayer request form  
in front of you as you come to the rail.)*

## DISTRIBUTION MUSIC

(8:00 am) **ANTHEM** "Shout To The Lord" - Alleluia Singers  
(10:40am) **ANTHEM** "Dear Refuge Of My Weary Soul" - Sounds Of Praise  
**HYMN** "Jesus Come Today With Healing" ..... LSB 620  
**HYMN** "Jesus, Lead Thou On" ..... LSB 718  
**HYMN** "Hope Of The World" ..... LSB 690

## + God Sends Us Forth to Serve and Proclaim +

*(When all have communed, please stand for the common dismissal, and then sing. . .)*

**(\*) RESPONSE** *(LSB 922, st. 3)*

**Go, my children, fed and nourished, closer to me;  
Grow in love and love by serving, joyful and free.  
Here my Spirit's power filled you, here his tender comfort stilled you.  
Go, my children, fed and nourished, joyful and free.**

**(\*) PRAYER**

**P:** Open our eyes, O gracious God, to all the good that you provide us. Let us look back upon past blessings. . .and then forward to blessings we anticipate. And in between past and future, show each of us how many kindnesses you are providing right now, beginning with your ever-present love in Jesus Christ, our Savior, who shared our pain and shares it still.

**C: Amen.**

**(\*) BENEDICTION**

**P:** The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

**C: Amen.**

**(\*) CLOSING HYMN** "Where Charity And Love Prevail" ..... LSB 845

**POSTLUDE**

*Redeemer Lutheran Church*  
*Weekly Announcements and Highlights*  
*Week of September 30, 2018*



**Special Prayer Opportunities:**

**Health Concerns:**

- ✠ Vicky Ward, Betty Renstrom, Orvis Dahl, Gloria Poch, Dick Miller, Bob Trebble, Marge Zobel, Mike Hanley
- ✠ Receiving Hospice care: Cindy Fister, Rita Priebe

**Encouragement/Safety:**

- ✠ For all those involved in the preparation for our Rummage Sale

**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](mailto: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.

**BAPTIZED**

Following the 10:40 am service on Sunday is:

- ♥ Luke Troy Nalipinski, son of Brian and Jessica (Reinke) Nalipinski, born January 11, 2017. His sponsors are Travis and Anne Hanson
- ♥ Brady Thomas Nalipinski, son of Brian and Jessica (Reinke) Nalipinski, born January 11, 2017. His sponsors are David and Elizabeth Sarazen.
- ♥ Heath James Nalipinski, son of Brian and Jessica (Reinke) Nalipinski, born September 4, 2018 His sponsors are Adam and Laura Kramer.

**CREATION CONFERENCE**

September 30: Redeemer Lutheran

- Semisaurus Museum will be open from 12-6 pm at Grace (800 E Silver Lake Dr NE)
- **Mount St. Helens** (at Redeemer during morning Bible Study) -- @ 9:20 am
- **Attack on Christianity** (Inside and Outside the Church) -- part one @ 7:00 pm / part two @ 8:15 pm

For more information call 507-990-7731

**FLOWERS ON THE ALTAR**

- ♥ in honor of Janette Benson's birthday on September 30.
- ♥ In honor of Larry Runtsch who celebrates his 88th birthday on October 1.
- ♥ In honor of Dorothy Hultquist who celebrates her 93rd birthday on October 3.
- ♥ In honor of Orvis Dahl who celebrates his 82nd birthday on October 6.

**THANK YOU!!**

Thank you for picking up the praying hands to cut out. Please return them to the church office by October 10!

**TUESDAY MORNING LADIES BIBLE STUDY**

Please plan to meet in the Choir Room on Tuesday, October 2, at 9 am. Our normal meeting space will be used for Rummage Sale set up.

# MOMS GROUP

- 🍏 Hey mom! Do you have young kids? Visit Redeemer Moms play group for social time every other Tuesday morning at 9:30 AM. Email Kate Brown for the address at [kate.brown55@gmail.com](mailto:kate.brown55@gmail.com), or call (515) 339-9804.
- 🍏 Let's go enjoy the fall weather! Redeemer Moms are visiting **Sekapp Apple Orchard on Tuesday, October 2, at 9:30 AM.** We'd love to see you there!

## FAMILY GAME NIGHT October 12, 2018 5:00 to 8:00 pm Fellowship Hall

**The Family Ministry Team is sponsoring another Game Night on October 12!**

- ★ Come anytime after 5:00 and play games until 8:00.
- ★ The Team will supply a light meal and attendees are asked to bring a snack or dessert to pass.
- ★ Bring your favorite game that you can teach others while having fun conversation.
- ★ We are looking forward to a great inter-generational event!



## Redeemer Lutheran rummage sale October 5/6, 2018

- ⇒ **Drop off times for donations:**
    - Sunday, September 30, Noon to 3 pm
    - Anytime Monday - Thursday.
  - ⇒ **Volunteers needed:**
    - Monday, 2 pm - 6 pm
    - Tuesday, 10 am to 6 pm
    - Wednesday, 8 am - 6 pm
    - Thursday, 8 am - 6 pm
    - During sale hours Friday and Saturday
    - And especially for clean up at noon on Saturday.
  - ⇒ **SALE DAYS :**
    - Friday, October 5, 7 am to 6 pm
    - Saturday, October 6, Bag Sale, 7 am to noon
  - ◆ Donations of food for volunteers Tuesday - Thursday are appreciated.
  - ◆ Sarah Circle member reminder: bring bars to be sold Friday
- \*FAMILY OF BELIEVERS IN PRAYER\***  
Keep this in-house ministry in your **prayers** that this event may be a **blessing** -- to those who donate in any way, -- to volunteers who serve with their time and talents to help, -- to those who come to buy, and -- to those who will benefit from the proceeds.

## SUNDAY ADULT BIBLE CLASSES

Sundays 9:20-10:20 am

### PSALMS:

The Psalms have long been considered the prayer-book of the church. Although there is no one right way to categorize the Psalms, in this class we will take a look at important examples from certain types in order to gain a deeper appreciation for this part of Scripture and an active prayer life. Facilitated by Pastor Loos in the North Fellowship Hall.

### PRAYING SCRIPTURE:

Praying Scripture: What a great way to start off our theme! As disciples of Jesus, Scripture and prayer are our best tools, most trusted resources, and most powerful activities. Facilitated by Pastor Koglin in the South Fellowship Hall.

### CREATION CLASS:

We will be looking at some exciting topics! Facilitated by John VanProosdy in the Choir Room/Room 203.

## FAITH LEGACY SERIES: FIRST BIBLE

**PARENTS OF 2<sup>ND</sup> GRADERS**, please join us **(9/23, 9/30, 10/7)** for the Faith Step "First Bible" as we learn how to encourage our children to use their Bibles to direct their lives. This class concludes with the Blessing Event and a Bible presentation to your child on October 14 during the 10:40 service. This class meets in the Upper Room.

## REDEEMER HEALTH TALKS

All Redeemer Members, Family and Friends are invited to attend our first "*Redeemer Health Talks*" presentation, brought to you by our Redeemer Health Cabinet.

This first presentation topic will be "Stroke Awareness", given by Jody Hellickson, MS, APRN, Clinical Nurse Specialist, in the Neuroscience Intensive Care Unit, at Mayo Clinic. Jody will provide education for patients, family, friends, and caregivers experiencing symptoms of stroke, stroke itself, aftermath care, recovery, and resources. Time will be allowed for questions.

This presentation will be given twice in October, to facilitate all busy schedules:

- ♥ **Wednesday, October 17, from 11-12 Noon**, in the South Fellowship Hall, Lower Level, at Redeemer.
- ♥ **Monday, October 22, from 7-8 pm**, in the North Fellowship Hall, Lower Level, at Redeemer.

Please sign up on the "Redeemer Health Talks" sheet in the Church Information Center, so that we might know how many plan to attend. *(You may certainly attend, without signing up, as well, if you are able to come at the last minute.)*





## POLKA SERVICE AND GERMAN MEAL

Saturday, October 20  
Service at 5:30 pm/Meal at 6:30 pm

Join us for our Annual Polka Service. Chuck Thiel and the Jolly Ramblers will be leading the musical portion of our worship that night beginning at 5:30 pm. Following the service you are invited to the Fellowship Hall to enjoy a German meal (free-will). Invite your neighbors and friends! To aid in planning, please sign up at the Welcome Center.

# TRUNK or Treat

Wednesday, October 31  
5:30-7 pm

Mark your calendar and plan to join us as we connect with our neighborhood and provide a safe place for families to trick or treat.

### CHECK OUT THE DISPLAY AND SIGN-UP SHEETS IN THE NARTHEX!

- Sign-up and let us know if you plan to decorate your car.
- Can you help with candy donations?
- Are you able to help with setting up/ serving food?

Please contact Larry Stoen  
(lstoen@charter.net or 507-251-7139)  
if you have any questions.

*a little*

# CRAFT

— IN YOUR DAY —

October 27, from 9 am to 4 pm  
South Fellowship Hall

Bring your project and join us for a day of fun and fellowship!

Please bring a dish to pass for lunch.

Questions: Contact Tami Timbeross  
507-951-0601/tamitimbeross71@gmail.com

## "LIFE QUOTES"

"My hope and prayer and encouragement to each of you is to see people of all abilities as God sees them. Each of His children is beloved and valued. Each is uniquely gifted so that the work of God may be displayed—through every season of life." *Mona Fuerstenau, director of Lutheran Ministry Partnerships, Bethesda Lutheran Communities – A Life Quote from Lutherans For Life*  
[www.lutheransforlife.org](http://www.lutheransforlife.org)

## OUR RESPONSE TO GOD LAST WEEK:

### WEEKEND WORSHIP ATTENDANCE:

551 (79+248+224) Guests: 35

### SUNDAY SCHOOL/BIBLE CLASSES:

272 (133+139)

### NEXT WEEKEND'S READINGS:

Psalm 62:1-8; Ephesians 6;10-17;  
Matthew 11:25-30

THEME: "The Rest We Share"

## ARE YOU A MILITARY VETERAN?

Did you know we have a board acknowledging and celebrating your service to our country? If your name is not on the board (located by the elevator), please contact Chris in the church office (289-5147 or [office@redeemer-rochester.com](mailto:office@redeemer-rochester.com)) with your name, branch of service, and years served.

## Youth Highlights!

- **NATIONAL YOUTH GATHERING:** The registration deadline is October 1<sup>st</sup>! If you are a high school student (or going to be at the time of the Gathering) and want to go, register ASAP!
- **PYROS:** Helping the Redeemer Rummage Sale (Sunday- September 30<sup>th</sup> after church- lunch provided). We'll help from noon-2pm. All youth invited to help!
- **IGNITE:** On October 7<sup>th</sup> from 6-8pm all youth are invited to the youth room for IGNITE! We'll have food, games, and music, and a topic called: Beauty. Beast. A conversation on who you are as a child of God.
- **IGNITE:** October 14, from 6 to 8 pm. Youth Room. Food. Games. Music. Topic: Obscure Bible Stories. You. Are. Invited!
- **PSALM 37:4 SCHOLARSHIP:** This scholarship, formed in memory of Josh Evers, is available to all youth! Its purpose is to allow youth to attend youth events that they are unable to afford otherwise. If you would like more information, please talk to Josh Heirigs or Michael Harvey. This is completely confidential.

If you have any questions, contact:

**Josh Heirigs, DCE**

(923-6288) OR

[joshheirigs@redeemer-rochester.com](mailto:joshheirigs@redeemer-rochester.com)





## MARK YOUR CALENDAR

The Winona Zone LWML would like invite the men and women of the Whitewater Conference. To LWML Fall Rally on Saturday, October 13, at St. Matthews Lutheran Church in St. Charles.

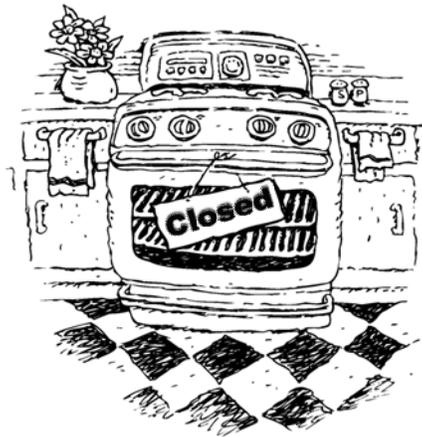
The theme for the morning is “We are the Branches” based on John 15:5. The Speaker will be Rev. Andy Audette, Church planter from Remedy Church in Oakdale, MN. There will also be a bible study led by Rev. Samuel Morsching, Winona Zone Counselor. Registration is \$10 includes lunch registration begins at 8:30 AM. Opening at 9:00 AM and ends with lunch.

For Gifts from the heart we will be collecting, new or like new study Bibles (ESV, NIV, NLT) or standard ESV Bibles for Pastor Audette’s Ministry.

St. Charles Resource center is in need of chicken noodle soup and vegetables. Also new children’s socks and under wear (ages 5-12)



Based upon Psalm 62:1–8, the theme chosen for LWML Sunday 2018 is “Our Rest in a Changing World.” LWML Sunday is celebrated annually in The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod (LCMS) churches. We celebrate LWML Sunday on October 7, 2018. Watch for more information about the LWML and becoming involved in reaching others with the love of our Lord, Jesus Christ.



## BAKELESS BAKE SALE

The Bakeless Bake Sale sheets are being handed out today to our ladies. Please consider a gift to our Redeemer Lutheran Church Women.

# Health Notes

## Flu Shot Clinic Held Sunday September 23 was the Best Ever!

The Flu Shot Clinic was Redeemer's biggest immunization clinic with 61 individuals participating. There was a snag after first service with a long line, but that line moved quickly. Thank you, Brian Fisk, pharmacist!!! The injections were administered professionally and thank you, Barb Wallskog who assisted him with the paperwork. All 61 of the immunizations were completed by 10:28 am.—2 minutes early.

## Not vaccinated yet??

Mayo Clinic Influenza study—the purpose of this study is to learn about the immune response to two different influenza vaccines specifically designed for people ages 65 and older and to better understand how aging affects the immune system (and what we can do to reverse/delay those effects).

- Recruiting subjects 65 years of age and older
- The study consists of 4 research visits at Mayo Clinic
- Subjects will receive a free flu vaccine and \$160 remuneration if they complete all visits
- Mayo provides parking passes for Mayo Clinic public ramps.

For more information call 507-255-1975 [http://mayoresearch.mayo.edu/mayoresearch/vaccine\\_research\\_group](http://mayoresearch.mayo.edu/mayoresearch/vaccine_research_group)



## STEPHEN MINISTRY

### COMPASSION:

Deeply sharing the suffering of another, together with the inclination to give aid or support.

As we look to Jesus' suffering, death and resurrection, we observe the ultimate example of compassion. He now calls us to follow His example and to be deeply concerned for one another. Stephen Ministry is a ministry filled with compassion. It provides compassionate Christians with a place where they can use those gifts in ministry as a Stephen Minister. It also provides a haven where those in need of compassion can receive it in a confidential relationship with a Stephen Minister.

If you would like information to know more about this ministry or how to connect with a Stephen Minister, please contact Pastor Ben Loos at (507) 289-5147 or [pastorbenloos@gmail.com](mailto:pastorbenloos@gmail.com)

# Youth Fundraisers



## CHRISTMAS GREENERY:

It is that time of year again! The youth are selling Christmas wreaths and other greenery. Please see one of the youth to order yours today or e-mail Lynora at

millertwins2@charter.net. We will be selling until October 25. The greenery includes wreaths (several different styles), swags, spruce tops, garlands, and centerpieces. There will be brochures to sign up on in the Narthex and down by the kitchen.

The youth will also be selling personalized cake pans, pie pans, etc. check out the catalog on the table by the nursery or see Lynora. You can order by contacting one of the youth or Lynora, or you can order on line by going to [thatsmypan.biz/Lynora](http://thatsmypan.biz/Lynora). **Orders must be prepaid.**



The youth still have some cookbooks for sale. There are over 250 delicious recipes in this edition from various members of our congregation. They make great Christmas gifts. The cost is only \$10.00 each. They will be available in the Narthex or see one of the youth.

## Blessed to Serve Today

**Message** ..... Pastor Ben Loos  
**Liturgist** ..... Pastor Adam Koglin  
**Children's Message**..... Joshua Heirigs, DCE  
**Pianist (Saturday)** ..... Kathy Zarling  
**Organist** ..... April Beckman, DPM

### Acolytes

8:00 am..... Ian Reese / Liam Olive  
 10:40 am ..... Gracie Decker / Kylie Geib

**Altar Guild**..... Chair: Renee Brandt  
 Wendy Hickey, Sherry Haugen, Connie Feeder

**Blood Pressures**..... Stephanie Fisk  
**Elders**

5:30 pm ..... Jeff Schoppers / Aaron Peter  
 8:00 am..... Tony Fick / Jim Weispfenning  
 10:40 am ..... Mark Radtke / Tim Kanne

### Greeters

5:30 pm..... Kathy Voight / Sue Kazos  
 8:00 am..... Jerry and Bonnie Ott  
 10:40 am ..... Aaron and Sarah Lassila

### Lectors

5:30 pm ..... Clare Lovick-West  
 8:00 am..... Michael Wilshusen  
 10:40 am..... Jennifer Pralle

### Nursery

9:20 am..... Anna Koglin / Christine Loos  
 10:40 am ..... Becky Decker / Marcia Cochran

### Technology Helper

5:30 pm ..... Randall Peck  
 8:00 am..... Dan Zeccardi  
 10:40 am ..... Seth Rosenberg

**Usher Coordinator**..... Roger Toomey  
**Ushers**

5:30 pm ..... Fred Crossfield and Richard Ward  
 8:00 am ..... Ed Feeder, Harold Jenkins, Andrew Fockler, Jeff Lee, Sam Gehrking, Chantel VanGuilder, Jagger Schoppers  
 10:40 am Willis Fitting, Joel Pralle, Gary Seering, Tyler Bruns, Carter Kmett, Abi Manthei, Josh Berthiaume

### Welcome Center

5:30 pm ..... Sherry and Curt Haugen  
 8:00 am..... Bernie and Ellie Nesler  
 10:40 am ..... Beth Hanson

**Worship Recording**..... Greg Utesch



## The Week at a Glance

### **SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 29**

Choir Retreat - Choir Rm - 9 am  
 Service of Prayer/Healing - 5:30 pm  
 HOLY COMMUNION - 5:30 pm

### **SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 30**

Service of Prayer/Healing - 8 am  
 HOLY COMMUNION—8:00 am  
 Blood Pressures - Nurses' Office - 9 am  
 Sunday School - 9:20 am  
 Adult Bible Classes - 9:20 am  
 Bible Buddies - Rm L-4 - 9:20 am  
 Service of Prayer/Healing - 10:40 am  
 HOLY COMMUNION - 10:40 am  
 Rummage Sale Drop-off - Noon to 3 pm  
 Creation Speaker - Sanctuary - 7 pm

### **MONDAY, OCTOBER 1**

Quilters - NFH - 8 am  
 Story Time - Library - 10:15 am  
 Rummage Sale Set-Up - FH - 2 to 6 pm  
 Men's Choir - Choir Rm - 6 pm

### **TUESDAY, OCTOBER 2**

Ladies' Bible Study - Choir Room - 9 am  
 Men's Bible Study - Rm 102 - 9 am  
 Faithfully Fit Exercise - L-3 - 10:15 am  
 Rummage Sale Set-up - FH - 10 am to 6 pm  
 Accordion Band - Rm L-3 - 1 pm  
 Stewardship - Rm 102 - 5:30 pm  
 CC Equippers - Upper Rm - 6:30 pm  
 Elders - Rm 102 - 7 pm

### **WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 3**

Rummage Sale Set-up - FH - 8 am to 6 pm  
 Family Ministry Team - Library - 1 pm

### **WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 3**

Youth Chimes - Sanctuary - 5:45 pm  
 Men's Bible Study - Rm 201 - 6 pm  
 Alleluia Singers - Rm L-2 - 6 pm  
 Stewardship - Upper Rm - 6 to 7:30 pm  
 Cherub Choir - Room 100 - 6:05 pm  
 1st/2nd Year Confirmation - L-3 - 6:10 pm  
 3rd Year Confirmation - Rm 102 - 6:10 pm  
 Angelic Chimes - Sanctuary - 6:30 pm  
 Sounds of Praise - Choir Rm - 7 pm  
 Celebration Practice - Sanctuary - 8 pm

### **THURSDAY, OCTOBER 4**

Rummage Sale Set-up - FH - 8 am to 6 pm  
 Faithfully Fit Exercise - L-3 - 10:15 am  
 Faithful Followers CC - Rm 102 - 1 pm  
 Grief/Loss Group - Upper Rm - 1 pm  
 Stephen Ministry - Upper Rm - 6:30 pm  
 Chancel Chimes - Sanctuary - 7 pm

### **FRIDAY, OCTOBER 5**

Rummage Sale - FH - 7 am to 6 pm

### **SATURDAY, OCTOBER 6**

Rummage Sale - FH - 7 am to Noon  
 Rummage Sale Clean-up - Noon to 4 pm  
 HOLY COMMUNION - 5:30 pm

### **SUNDAY, OCTOBER 7**

#### **LWML SUNDAY**

HOLY COMMUNION—8:00 am  
 Blood Pressures - Nurses' Office - 9 am  
 Sunday School - 9:20 am  
 Adult Bible Classes - 9:20 am  
 Bible Buddies - Rm L-4 - 9:20 am  
 HOLY COMMUNION - 10:40 am  
 Peer Ministry - Noon  
 IGNITE - Youth Room - 6 pm

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<b>WELCOME VISITORS</b>	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.
<b>WORSHIP SCHEDULE</b>	Saturday 5:30 pm      Sunday 8 and 10:40 am
<b>HOLY COMMUNION</b>	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.
<b>CHILDREN</b>	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!
<b>WORSHIP CDs</b>	are available in the rack by the elevator.
<b>TRANSPORTATION</b>	is available each Sunday morning. Please call the church office (289-5147) by Noon on Thursday.
<b>SPECIAL NEEDS</b>	Large print bulletins and personal hearing devices are available in the Narthex from an Usher or at the Welcome Center.
<b>OFFICE HOURS</b>	Monday through Friday 7:30 am - 4:00 pm

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