

THE LORD'S SUPPER

June 8 / 9, 2025 8:00am / 7:00pm

Lutheran Church of the Redeemer 1800 W. Maple Birmingham, Michigan 48009

ORDER OF WORSHIP June 8 / 9, 2025 – 8:00am / 7:00pm The Day of Pentecost Theme: The Lord's Supper

As We Gather

Our Lord Jesus is with us in His living voice each Sunday as the Pastor says, "In the stead and by the command of my Lord Jesus Christ, I forgive you..." This is no longer the Pastor's word, but Jesus speaking directly to you and applying the forgiveness that He won for you on the cross through your eyes and ears. Then, in the same service, Jesus gives His true, real, physical body and blood to us in, with and under the bread and wine. When you eat this bread and drink this wine, you eat and drink the body and blood of Christ. This is true communion with Christ and it is communion with one another as the body of Christ. This is why we must confess together what we believe we receive when we go forward for the Lord's Supper.

Prayer Before Worship

Dear Father, thank you for sending us your Son Jesus Christ who gave to us His dear body, the Church, His living voice and His body and blood. Help us to believe, by the power of the Holy Spirit, all Jesus gives us here. Open our eyes of faith to see that Jesus comes to us here and gives us His gifts of forgiveness, life, and salvation. Amen.

If you wish to join us at the Lord's Table, please read this Communion information. If you share our beliefs regarding the Lord's Supper, we welcome you to our altar.

- + I believe that Jesus Christ is my only Lord and Savior from all sin, Satan and death.
- + I believe that Christ is really present in the Sacrament and that with the bread and wine I receive His true Body and Blood.
- + I resolve to dedicate my life to my Lord and Savior in His Body, the Church, by regular worship and devoted Christian service and living.

<u>Please take a moment to record your attendance here with us today.</u> There are two simple ways to do this:

- 1. Scan the QR code on the front page of the announcements and fill out the online attendance form.
- 2. Use the worship card found in your pew. You may drop it in the offering plate on your way out or simply leave it in your pew after you fill it out.

Mystery Prelude - 8:00am

Rick Helderop, Sunday

In honor of Walter Vowell's baptism he usually stops crying when we sing him this song! (Sponsored by Marty, Laura, and Ollie Vowell)

Prelude - 7:00pm

Diane Dorantes, Monday

Opening Hymn

Thy Strong Word

- 1. Thy strong Word did cleave the darkness; at Thy speaking it was done. For created light we thank Thee, while thine ordered seasons run. Alleluia, alleluia! Praise to Thee who light dost send! Alleluia, alleluia! Alleluia without end!
- 2. Lo, on those who dwelt in darkness, dark as night and deep as death, Broke the light of Thy salvation, breathed Thine own life-giving breath. Alleluia, alleluia! Praise to Thee who light dost send! Alleluia, alleluia! Alleluia without end!
- 3. Thy strong Word bespeaks us righteous; bright with Thine own holiness, Glorious now, we press toward glory, and our lives our hopes confess.

Alleluia, alleluia! Praise to Thee who light dost send!

Alleluia, alleluia! Alleluia without end!

Preparation for Holy Communion

Invocation

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

C: Amen.

C: God our Father, long-suffering, full of grace and truth, You create us from nothing and give us life. You give Your faithful people new life in faith. You do not turn Your face from us, nor cast us aside. We confess that we have sinned against You and our neighbor. We have wounded Your love and marred Your image in us. Restore us for the sake of Your Son, and bring us to heavenly joy, in Jesus Christ our Lord.

P: May almighty God, who sent His Son into the world to save sinners, bring You His pardon and peace, now and forever. As a called and ordained servant of the word and by Christ's command I forgive you all your sins, in the name of the Father and of the + Son and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

Old Testament Reading

Exodus 34:22

(The Covenant Renewed)

"Celebrate the Festival of Weeks with the firstfruits of the wheat harvest, and the Festival of Ingathering at the turn of the year."

First Reading

Acts 2:1-4

(The Coming of the Holy Spirit)

When the day of Pentecost came, they were all together in one place. Suddenly a sound like the blowing of a violent wind came from heaven and filled the whole house where they were sitting. They saw what seemed to be tongues of fire that separated and came to rest on each of them. All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other tongues as the Spirit enabled them.

Gospel Reading

Matthew 26:26-30

(Institution of the Lord's Supper)

While they were eating, Jesus took bread, and when he had given thanks, he broke it and gave it to his disciples, saying, "Take and eat; this is my body." Then he took a cup, and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, saying, "Drink from it, all of you. This is my blood of the covenant, which is poured out for many for the forgiveness of sins. I tell you, I will not drink from this fruit of the vine from now on until that day when I drink it new with you in my Father's kingdom." When they had sung a hymn, they went out to the Mount of Olives.

Sermon Hymn

Jesus Loves Me

1. Jesus loves me! This I know, for the Bible tells me so: Little ones to Him belong: They are weak but He is strong.

Chorus: Yes, Jesus loves me! Yes, Jesus loves me! Yes, Jesus loves me! The Bible tells me so.

- 2. Jesus loves me! Loves me still, Tho I'm very weak and ill; That I might from sin be free, Bled and died upon the tree. *Chorus*
- 3. Jesus loves me! He who died, Heavens gate to open wide; He will wash away my sin, Let His little child come in. *Chorus*

Sermon Text: Matthew 26:26-30

"The Holy Gifts of God" Rev. James H. Greenwalt

Prayer of the Church

The Lord's Prayer

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.

A Time to Receive

P:We prepare to receive that which Christ so freely gives, His own body and blood. May His gift assure us of forgiveness, strengthen and preserve our faith in Him.

Celebration of Holy Communion

For prayers before and after receiving the Sacrament, see pages 118-119 in the Red Hymnal.

Communion wine is dark in color, grape juice is light. It is in the individual cup trays in the glass cups allowing for each member to grab their own wine cup.

If you would like to receive a gluten-free wafer or desire the common cup, at the appropriate time, please raise your pointer finger.

Benediction

Closing Hymn 262

A Mighty Fortress

(Favorite Hymn of Karen Carson Bennett, Susan Dickey, Rosemary Ging, Julie Glazier, Rev. Jimmy Greenwalt, Mary Lou Mabee, Kaki Mammel Merryman, Greg Merryman, Bonnie Moore, David Pflieger, Jane Quasarano, Nancy Tar, Alida Toth, Betsy Ukrop)

- 1. A mighty Fortress is our God, a trusty Shield and Weapon; He helps us free from ev'ry need that hath us now o'ertaken. The old evil Foe now means deadly woe; Deep guile and great might are his dread arms in fight; On earth is not his equal.
- 2. With might of ours can naught be done, soon were our loss effected; But for us fights the Valiant One, whom God himself elected. Ask ye, Who is this? Jesus Christ it is, Of Sabaoth Lord, and there's none other God; He holds the field forever.
- 3. Tho' devils all the world should fill, all eager to devour us, We tremble not, we fear no ill, they shall not overpow'r us. This world's prince may still scowl fierce as he will, He can harm us none, He's judged; the deed is done; One little word can fell him.

Silent Prayer

Postlude

Rick Helderop, Sunday Diane Dorantes, Monday

The offerings will be received at the door.

Sanctuary Altar Flowers were lovingly placed by Kirk and Megan Dunlap in celebration of our 30th wedding anniversary and God's many blessings. Sanctuary Lectern Flowers were lovingly placed by Marty and Laura Vowell in thanksgiving of their second son, Walter, and his baptism today. Chapel Alter Flowers were placed in loving memory of Jack Orava, from the Orava and Nealtz Families.

Altar Guild

Kaki Mammel, Corinne Chesna, Sandy Springer, Jane Zehnder, Kris Ortale, Jamie Burstein, Ann Marie Violante, Susan Laramie, Rosemary Scheidt, Tracey Fish

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Visit us at www.redeemerbirmingham.org for more detailed information.

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Friday, 9:00am - 4:00pm (248) 644-4010 / office@redeemerbirmingham.org





SCAN FOR WEBSITE

Mission: Bringing the love of Christ to a searching world.

WELCOME TO REDEEMER!

No matter your past or present... Your current family or marital status... Your past or current religious affiliation... Your personal history, age, background, or ethnicity... You are invited, accepted, and most welcomed here. May all who walk through our door know that God loves them. We are pleased to have you worship with us. We pray you will return and share God's Word with us again. For information on membership, contact Laura Vowell at (248) 644-4010 x121.

WORSHIP/COMMUNION SCHEDULE

SUNDAY

8:00am - Chapel Communion - 2nd, 4th, 5th Sunday 9:00/*10:30am - Sanctuary Communion 1st & 3rd Sunday

MONDAY

7:00pm - Chapel Communion - Monday that falls after 2nd, 4th, & 5th Sunday

10:30am Livestreamed Service
Go to www.redeemerbirmingham.com and click on VIMEO/LIVESTREAM.

REDEEMER NURSERY

Infants and children under the age of 3 are always welcome in church, but if you choose, our nursery is available during 9:00 and 10:30 am Sunday worship services. You are welcome to bring your infant/child to the nursery at any time during the service.

CELEBRATE OUR DADS AND GRADS!

NEXT SUNDAY - JUNE 15, 2025

All 2025 high school and college graduates are invited to receive a blessing at our "Dads & Grads" celebration on Father's Day, June 15th, at the 10:30am church service!

If you would like to participate, please contact the Church Office or Gia Scheidt (gscheidt@gmail.com) so we can include you in the bulletin!

WORSHIP ATTENDANCE

Scan the QR code and fill out the online attendance form.



ATTENTION PLEASE!

Out of respect, please do not bring food or drinks into the Sanctuary or Chapel (i.e. coffee, water bottles, etc.). Also, please turn cell phones off or to silent during worship. Thank you for your cooperation.

Redeemer Board of Elders and Pastors

THANK YOU THANK YOU THANK YOU THANK YOU

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY, REDEEMER!

Thank you for celebrating our past, present, and future on June 1st! It turned out to be a beautiful day inside and out. God paved the way for a joy-filled worship service and a delicious meal with old and new friends... And He also provided those who made the wheels turn! A huge shout-out to all the men, women, and teens who were tireless, some of whom worked both days preparing food, setting tables, washing dishes, cleaning, and enjoying every moment of your service. I am immensely grateful for your effort and your giving hearts. God bless all you for the time you so willingly gave - you are deeply appreciated! - Miss Kitty

THROUGH THESE DOORS...

...is our little book written by
Redeemer members and friends.
Thank you for your submissions and
wonderful stories about finding your
way to Redeemer! It has been a joy to
read each and every story.
We have decided to EXTEND the
deadline!

If you haven't turned in your story of how you found your way to Redeemer, please turn it in to Miss Kitty by July 1ST. We would LOVE to hear your STORY!!

JOIN US FOR MONDAY NIGHT FELLOWSHIP!

Join us this summer on Monday evenings for fellowship!

Fellowship includes light dinner, dessert, and refreshments.

Meet at 6:30pm outside the Chapel, and stay to worship at 7:00pm.

Michele Margosian and RYG are hosting on June 16th.

Menu includes...

Mini Gyro Bites - Greek Orzo Salad Mini Spinach Pie Triangles Dessert - Chef's Choice!

We hope to see you there!

ANNUAL CONGREGATIONAL MEETING! June 22nd after the 10:30am worship!



HAPPENING THIS WEEK AT CHURCH...

9 MON	10 TUES	11 WED	12 THURS	13	
	VACATION	BIBLE SCHOOL P	REP WEEK!		
3p RYG FOG 7p Worship 7:30p Al Anon 7:30p Love of Life		6:45a Men's Bible Study 6p RYG Core Group 7:15p Leadership	-make it -	14 S	
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A CLOSER LOOK AT WORSHIP

COMMUNION NEWS: If you would like communion to be brought to you, please let an usher know before the service begins and they will be sure that you are accommodated.

ALL paper sign-up sheets in the Town Square are located behind the coffee hour station in the hallway near the coatroom! Come see how you can get involved!

What is a Mystery Prelude? Scan the QR code to sign-up!



Scan the QR code to visit Redeemer's website. Click on "WAYS TO SERVE" to explore volunteering opportunities at church! You can also find sign-up details on the Town Square bulletin board.

- · Be A Reader!
- · Be A Greeter!
- Host A Coffee Hour!
- Acolyte Or Cross Bear!
- Sponsor Altar Flowers!
- Family Ushering





Our Sanctuary Has A Hearing Loop To Assist Those With Hearing Loss. Users should set their hearing aids to T-coil.

Please see an usher if you have questions or for additional information.



If you would like to donate, you can scan this QR Code using your phone's camera, or you can use one of the offering envelopes found in the pew. If you choose to give online, we have cards in the pew for you to place in the offering basket indicating you have donated online.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!!!



HOST A COFFEE HOUR

Grab your family or friends and HOST a coffee hour in memory of your favorite loved one, or just HOST for FUN! We have clear instructions and someone who can help you through the process!
Sign-up on the Coffee Hour Sign-Up under the Ways to Serve option on the church website or on the Town Square Bulletin board.

ITTY BITTY BUDDY BAGS!

Welcome to Redeemer, LITTLE ONES! Learn about Jesus while you sit in church with Mommy and Daddy with your very own Itty-Bitty Buddy Bag for tiny tots! Packed with snuggly toys, books, and fun stuff, you can join in, watch, and play during the service! **Don't forget to return the bags to Nicole Olds' office after the fun.** And if you're in the mood for some playtime, we've got a nursery waiting for you with tons of toys!

CHURCH EXTENSION FUND

CEF is a long-trusted ministry partner of churches and schools in the Michigan District since 1901 where individuals and congregations can invest their money.

Why Should I Invest at Church Extension Fund?

When an individual or congregation invests at CEF, they help to build churches and schools across Michigan. The invested money is used to make construction or renovation loans to churches, like the CEF loan Redeemer has, that made Sacred Space possible. The interest paid back on those loans helps pay the interest on your investments. Your investment at CEF will build a church, school, or other ministry. When you invest at a bank, you will build another bank building. Your investment at CEF runs eternity! It's into win-win a everyone! For more information call Curtis Burstein at 248.320.5100, our Redeemer Representative.

Updated Interest Rate sheets for June are available around the building.

COUNSELING SERVICES

Redeemer offers Christian Counseling services here at Redeemer. Call Dr. Sandy for more information.

Sandy Pourcho, Ph.D. 248-568-6040

CHURCH LEADERSHIP

LEADERSHIP TEAM MEETINGS
June 11

BOARD OF ELDERS MEETINGS July 23

ALTAR FLOWERS

We have a new vendor for Altar flowers, so come take a look! Tiffany Florist is taking the reins. As of May 1, there is a slight increase for Altar flowers, but Lectern flowers will be slightly less. The new rates are as follows:

Sanctuary: \$75 - Chapel: \$55 Lectern: \$35

You can find the sign-up charts on the Town Square bulletin board or sign-up online under the "WAYS TO SERVE" box on the church website.



GLEN EDEN MEMORIAL PARK Redeemer Columbarium

If you would like more information on Redeemer's Columbarium, you will find brochures located around the building. You can also call Glen Eden directly at 248.477.4460.

SIXTH ANNUAL USHER AND ELDERS PARTY!

PLEASE JOIN US ON SUNDAY, AUGUST 10TH FROM 1:00-4:00PM!

All ushers, elders, and pastors are invited!

Lunch, drinks, and good cheer provided - be sure to bring your swimsuit if you want to take a dip!

Paul Quasarano's Backyard 31033 Franklin Road - Franklin



SUMMER BIBLE STUDIES

SUNDAYS

TUESDAYS

Women's Pop-Up Bible Studies - Kitty Sweitzer

WEDNESDAYS

Men's Bible Study - Gary Priskorn -Genesis All-Year - 6:45-7:30am - Great Room (*Zoom Available)

Summer RYG & JAMS - Gia Scheidt All Summer Long - 6:00-8:00pm - Youth Room

THURSDAYS

Young Adults - Michael Banerian's (3217 Maplewood, RO) First Thursday of Every Month - 6:30-8:00pm

For more information on a particular study, contact the names indicated or call the Church Office at 248-644-4010.

REDEEMER YOUNG ADULTS

CHURCH LUNCHES MONTHLY Once a Month **SOCIALS AND** after Church **OUTINGS!**

Contact Michael Banerian for meeting dates!

If you'd like to take a journey and read the Bible, see the Lamp or the back of these announcements for a Bible reading plan.



MEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Children's Sunday School - Nicole Olds Men of all ages are invited to join us 10:30am - Lower-Level Classrooms on Wednesday mornings from 6:45-7:30am in the Great Room or via Zoom. As we kick-off the summer, we're also beginning a new study on the book of Genesis. In addition to our All Summer Long - 6:30pm - Great Room study and great fellowship among the guys, we enjoy some delicious goodies, juice, and coffee. Contact Gary Priskorn with any questions or for the Zoom information. We hope you'll join us this summer!

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Women's Tuesday Night Bible Study pause our meetings for the summer months and will return in the fall on Tuesday, September 16th at 6:30pm in the Great Room. Over summer we will be checking out the studies that are rich in content and bring understanding of God's great word. Join us, please!

NEW MOM & ME GROUP!

MOMS AND CHILDREN **JOIN US FOR**

SUMMER IN THE SPIRIT!

ENJOY A BEAUTIFUL BIBLE STORY TOGETHER WITH OUR CHILDREN FOLLOWED BY FUN ON THE PLAYGROUND!!

Mondays starting June 23rd 2:00-3:30pm **ALL SUMMER LONG!!**

Meet in the Lower Level Fellowship Room!

If you have any questions, call Crissy Bienkowski (989.450.3946) or Andrea Calvaneso (248.703.8289).

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NEW MEMBER SERMON SERIES

Redeemer's Spring New Member Session is going to be a little bit different this time... instead traditional classes with teachers in classroom, we will have special sermon series that will review the Lutheran doctrine! All you have to do is let the church office know and come to church and listen to the sermons. Once you let the church office know, they will provide you with new member intake forms, along with The Lutheran Small Catechism, which will help you along in your journey. Don't worry if you miss coming to church, you can watch the recording via Vimeo on the church website to make up the day and learn that doctrine.

SERIES DATES:

- Sunday, April 27th: Ten Commandments
- Sunday, May 5th: Apostles Creed
- Sunday, May 18th: The Lord's Prayer
- Sunday, May 25th: Baptism
- Sunday, June 8th: The Lord's Supper
- Sunday, June 15th: Confession and Absolution

WE'RE EXCITED TO WELCOME YOU TO THE REDEEMER FAMILY!

New member paperwork will be collected this spring and summer. All spring new members will be recognized during next fall's New Member Brunch.

MISSIONS AND OUTREACH

FEED THE HOMELESS!

Redeemer partners with Family of God (FOG), a Lutheran Church in southwest Detroit, that provides meals to those in need 6 days a week! YOU can help provide these meals in MANY different ways:

- make bagged lunches,
- prepare frozen meals,
- deliver/serve a meal,
- · and shop for items.

You can also donate funds to be used to purchase supplies for the meals with the FOG Sponsorship.

Sign-up to help on the church website under the "Ways to Serve" box or on the Town Square bulletin board.

NOTE: If you are signing up on our website, there is a separate sign up to sponsor a meal (\$100) than there is to plan, shop, cook or serve the meal.



JOIN CAMP RESTORE DETROIT ON THE THIRD SATURDAY OF EACH MONTH FOR A SERVICE DAY!

People of all ages are welcome - individuals, families, and groups - come by alone or gather your loved ones!

Some things to know beforehand...

- Volunteers will serve from 9:30am-3:00pm.
- Bring a sack lunch and a refillable water bottle.
- Dress for the work and the weather.
 Some projects may be outside.

For more information, contact Tanya Karn at tanya@camprestore.org or 313-636-4422 ex.1.

Redeemer cooks and serves at Family of God Soup Kitchen - join us in helping others! June 9, 2025



FAMILY LIFE

JOIN US FOR A NIGHT OF FUN, ENTERTAINMENT, AND BASEBALL!



FAITH NIGHT UNICORNS VS.

MAMMOTHS
REDEEMER SUMMER PICNIC
FRIDAY, JULY 18TH

FIRST PITCH 7:05PM - GATES

OPEN 6:00PM

Group Perks Include:

- Game seating in party patio area
- Group photo on the field
- Welcome message on the scoreboard
- Kids Run the Bases after the game
- Meet JJ the Field General, the bat dog
- Meet & Greet with a team mascot
- Free Parking

Enjoy an All American BBQ!

Premium Hot Dogs, Slow Roasted BBQ Pulled Chicken, Fresh Pasta Salad, Coleslaw, Baked Beans, Potato Chips, and Cookies. Food is served starting when the gates open for 90 minutes. Each guest will receive unlimited soft drinks, lemonade, iced tea, and water.

Purchase your tickets today! Contact Nicole Olds with any questions!



SUMMER SPECIAL MUSIC

Whether you sing or play an instrument, we would love to use your talent to provide special music for a 9:00am service on a Sunday in the summer! Summer special music will be needed beginning on Sunday, June 8th all the way through Labor Day. If you are interested, please contact Steve SeGraves.

WOMEN'S MINISTRY

CHICKS WITH STICKS

Chicks and Sticks will be taking the summer off and hope you will continue to knit and crochet wonderful and necessary scarves and hats for the homeless people of Oakland and Wayne Counties. We will meet again on **Thursday**, **September 4th** to kick-off another wonderful year together. Thanks for all the good work and generous spirit you have shared with so many!

WOMEN'S BOOK GROUP

Women's Book Group will meet on June 24th at 7:00pm to review Allison Pataki's The Magnificent Life of Marjorie Post: A Novel. This is an absolutely terrific novel! If you want to about the twentieth know more century, it's all here... And if you want to be inspired by a brilliant, gorgeous, and powerful woman, then Marjorie Post fits the bill. Pataki manages to make every chapter in this long and complicated life fascinating. Marjorie's power filled life is as enthralling as it is heartbreaking. She never admits defeat and ultimately embodies the ideal of a true American hero.

OUR VERY OWN "BEACON OF HOPE"

Did you know that our Sanctuary chandelier will be lit all-day -**EVERY day!** - for our entire 100th Anniversary Celebration?! Tom and Brenda Boyce have graciously sponsored the lighting of our beautiful chandelier in loving memory of their son, John, and all other children who are now held in the arms of Jesus in their heavenly home.

If you would like to ready the story of our chandelier, written by Brenda, please email the church office.

MEN'S MINISTRY



SAVE THE DATE FOR SUMMERTIME FUN!





Men's Golf and Barbecue
Wednesday, August 20th
3:00pm: 9-Hole Scramble at
Lincoln Hills Golf Course
6:00pm: BBQ at Beverly Park
Pavilion

A Day at the Hollis' Cottage Thursday, August 7th 2:00-6:00pm *Open to All* Hosted by Prime

Timers Group



THIS WEEK'S BIBLE READINGS FROM "READING THE BIBLE IN A YEAR"

June 8 1 Kings 3:3-4:34 Acts 6:1-15 Psalm 126:1-6 Proverbs 16:26-27

June 9 1 Kings 5:1-6:38 Acts 7:1-29 Psalm 127:1-5 Proverbs 16:28-30

June 11 1 Kings 8:1-66 Acts 7:51-8:13 Psalm 129:1-8 Proverbs 17:1 June 10 1 Kings 7:1-50 Acts 7:30-50 Psalm 128:1-6 Proverbs 16:31-33

June 13 1 Kings 11:1-12:19 Acts 9:1-25 Psalm 131:1-3 Proverbs 17:4-5 June 12 1 Kings 9:1-10:29 Acts 8:14-40 Psalm 130:1-8 Proverbs 17:2-3

June 14
1 Kings 12:20-13:34
 Acts 9:26-43
 Psalm 132:1-18
 Proverbs 17:6

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

SUMMER SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHERS NEEDED

SUMMER SUNDAY SCHOOL WILL START JUNE 22ND!

If you are interested in helping out by teaching, you can sign-up on the church website! Summer is a time for slowing down and enjoying fellowship, so we have a lesson and then head to the playground for popsicles and play during the 10:30am service. I have the lesson and any supplies you might need. It is a great way to meet the kids of the congregation and show them how important God is to the young and old!

CALLING ALL BAKERS!

VBS provides snacks for the kiddos attending, but the teens and adults that volunteer their time love a little something, too!

Please consider providing a snack (bagels, baked goods, chips/pretzels, fruit/veggies, etc.) for our hard workers. Please sign-up online via the church's Sign-Up Genius to volunteer to bring something in.

Thank you for your help!

HOLY BAPTISM

In honor of the baptism of Walter John Vowell, a \$50 donation in his name has been made to Care Net Pregnancy Center of Berkley. Care Net Pregnancy Center exists to present the Gospel of Jesus Christ and communicate Biblical truth regarding sexuality and the sanctity of human life. To find out more about Care Net and the ministry they provide and ways you can help, call (248) 545-6411 or carenetberkley.com. Also, by the generous donation in memory of Rosa Stauffer, a few drops of water from the Jordan River have been added to the baptismal water.

SUMMER JAMS & RYG

Middle Schoolers (JAMS) & High Schoolers (RYG) are hanging out Wednesdays from 6:00-8:00pm!

Join us starting Wednesday, June 25 we'll continue to meet each week throughout the summer - NO COST! Everyone meets outside on the playground for a pizza dinner. Afterward, JAMS will go to the Gym for games, and RYG will go to the Youth Room for Bible Study! Parents, you can drop your high schooler and middle schooler off at the same time so that they can have Christian fellowship and some time to grow in their faith! Contact Gia, Eric, or Laura for more information.

JAMS & RYG GO TO CEDAR POINT!



Students going into grades 6-12 are invited for a day of fun on the roller coasters of Cedar Point on

Wednesday, August 13th! The cost is \$65 and includes admission, roundtrip travel, breakfast, and a water bottle for the day. Grab a permission slip from outside Gia/Eric's office or Laura's office!

Forms and money are due on Sunday July, 27th! LIMITED QUÁNTITY OF SPOTS! Contact Gia, Eric, or Laura for more information.

KID KAT KAMP 2025

KAMPERS ARRIVE ON SUNDAY, AUGUST 3RD AND **LEAVE KAMP ON SATURDAY, AUGUST 9TH!**

Redeemer Summer Kamp is a week-long sleepaway camp for kids entering 3rd-9th grade. We rent a beautiful camp facility in western Michigan each year where Kampers spend a week in a rustic outdoors setting, enjoying typical camping activities such as crafts, boating, fishing, hayrides, games, campfires, and more! Our program is combined with Bible study, worship, and singing which all take place in a safe. Christian environment.

REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN TO ALL! Please invite family and friends to join you this year at Kamp! Sign-up soon to secure your spot!

If you have any questions about Kamp, please review our Registration Page and Kamp FAQs on the church website. If you still have questions, please send us an email (redeemerkamp@gmail.com).







OH HISTORY

100TH ANNIVERSARY

THIS MONTH WE ARE CELEBRATING PASTORAL MINISTRY

Pastors always have many calls to make - hospital visits and to homebound members. Pastor Duane loved to be on his boat on the Detroit River, which he named "On Calls." He named his boat this way so that he could answer honestly

that he was out "on calls!"

How clever he was!

REQUEST FROM THE HOLY HISTORY COMMITTEE...

If anyone has black, silver, gold, or nice wooden picture frames that they would like to donate to the History Committee, it would be very helpful! Sizes needed are 5X7, 8X10, and 11X14. A labeled box is in the Town Square narthex for people to drop them off. Thank you!

HOLY HISTORY DISPLAY PANELS LOCATED IN THE TOWN SQUARE!

We hope you enjoy the Holy History display panels as they change every month to highlight each ministry of Redeemer. This month we are celebrating Pastoral Ministry.

READY YOUR RECIPES FOR OUR COMMEMORATIVE COOKBOOK

As part of our 100th Anniversary celebration, we are creating a commemorative cookbook that will feature favorite recipes from you - our members! - as well as some vintage specialties from the archives. These cookbooks will be professionally published and are sure to be an enjoyable (and useful!) keepsake for us all. Multiple recipes from all members will ensure that the cookbook is a success, so don't be shy! Feel free to submit 3-5 of your family's favorite recipes and be a part of this special occasion cookbook.

We have created an online recipe portal through Morris Press Cookbook to make the recipe-gathering process as easy as possible. However, if you prefer, you can also submit hard copies to the Cookbook Committee.

To ensure your recipes are included, please submit recipes online no later than September 12th so we can meet our deadline of early November.

To Submit Recipes Online:

- Go to www.typensave.com and click 'Login.'
- Enter the User Name: redeemercookbook
- Enter the password: potato096 and click 'Submit.'
- Enter your name and click 'Continue.'
- Click 'Add Recipes' to begin adding your recipes.

It should be pretty self-explanatory after that in terms of actual recipe entry. Under "Notes," we would love for you to include personal comments, such as "this recipe has been in our family for 50+ years" or "this is my kids' favorite meal!"

We look forward to creating this culinary collection with you!

- The Cookbook Committee

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PRAYER & PRAISE LIST

For those with health concerns:

- Monty Bolis
- · Linda, Brian Fish's Mom
- Max
- Dale Robinson
- Craig Moorhead
- Terry Roberts
- Cindy, friend of Bonnie Ernewein
- Sue, sister-in-law of Mary Jane Johnson
- Melissa Carruth, niece of Bev Yocum
- Leanna Bush
- Lili Camden
- Donna Vald
- Pat Nehls
- Sue Sack
- Myrna Orava

For those in Hospice Care:

Etta Unruh

Special Petitions:

- For all those who are serving in the military, police and firefighters.
- President Trump and all world leaders, to be receptive to Godly counsel.
- For all those suffering from health concerns and for their caregivers devoting themselves to helping everyone who is sick.

Prayers of Thanksgiving:

- For those celebrating birthdays and anniversaries.
- For the baptism of Walter John Vowell, son of Laura and Marty Vowell who was baptized this morning during the 10:30 worship service. We welcome Walter into God's family.

Anyone in need of long-term prayers (more than 3 weeks) will be included in our daily prayer chain email distribution and rotated on our Sunday prayer list once a month.

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