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From the Vicar's Desk

This letter will find you right smack dab in the middle of Lent. Easter will have come and gone by the end of March, and we start looking forward to end of the year again. Before long, it will be August and we will be enjoying summer. Right now though, we are in the season of Lent looking to the cross and Jesus who died on it. Lent is my favorite time of the church year. The hymns of this season are ones which take me back to my childhood and confirmation years. My grandmother would always take us to confirmation, and church would always follow. There we would sing Go to Dark Gethsemane and Were You There? The service would always conclude and everyone would join in the fellowship hall for cookies, coffee, and juice. I think as a child I enjoyed the cookies maybe more than the hymns, but only slightly.

The season of Lent has been celebrated by the church for centuries. It is traditionally a time of self-reflection and denial. This is not practiced as a way to atone for ones sins, or some pious action meant to shed attention on yourself. Instead the self-reflection and denial is meant to focus your thoughts and devotions on your need for the cross and the hope that the resurrection brings. This is why people give up something during the forty days of Lent. It is meant to remind that person of the sacrifice that Jesus made. Depriving themselves allows them to concentrate all the more on passion and death of Jesus. Whatever your tradition or custom during this time, I encourage you to take the time to meditate and think on why Jesus did what he did. The readings and colors of the church all have their symbolic meanings that help lead us the inevitable Good Friday Service. Come to the Mid-Week services and hear the custom series that is being preached. Above all, remember that it was Jesus who bore your grief and sins. It was Jesus who died. It was Jesus who rose. Happy Easter.

Vicar David.

"But in fact Christ has been raised from the dead, the firstfruits of those who have fallen asleep. For as by a man came death, by a man has come also the resurrection of the dead. For as in Adam all die, so also in Christ shall all be made alive." 1 Corinthians 15:20-22

BIG REDEEMER THANKS TO...

- Gary & Linda Owens, Deanna Ryskamp, Marge Steinke and Donna Wanicki for helping collate and label the February newsletter.
- Deanna Ryskamp for collating the weekly bulletins.
- Linda & Gary Owens for sending out Redeemer birthday postcards.
- Adam & Sharon Knuth for taking care of the weekly coffee hour.
- Donna Wanicki for sending out the Cradle Roll information.
- Mary & Dennis Russell for changing the lettering on the church sign.
- Renee Reimer for updating the Redeemer website
- Kathy Gaskey for updating the children's activity bags which are available for use during church services.
- Bill Noojin for disabling the defective exhaust fan in the kitchen for safety.
- Thanks to all that donated to the Share Cupboard Fund which allows Redeemer to help members and the public who are in special need and to those who donated non-perishables for St. James Food Pantry.
- The Ladies Society and Congregation members who set up, served and cleaned up for the Ash Wednesday & Mid-Week Lenten Services fellowship after service.
- Everyone who participated in the Dining Out fundraiser at Dante's to benefit the Redeemer Youth Group's projects and gatherings.
- **The many Thrivent members who have donated their Thrivent Choice Dollars to Redeemer. (Deadline for designation 3/31/16)**
- And thanks to everyone who gives their time & energy to fill the church's many needs...**every "little" thing comes together to keep our church vibrant!**

Thank You!



SPECIAL THANKSGIVING OFFERINGS

This special gift is given in thankfulness to God for all His blessings.
We offer these special gifts to God because we are thankful for...

♥ our marriage on 2/20/16. ~ *Deb & Tony Ayala*

"The Lord is good and His love endures forever; His faithfulness continues through all generations." Psalm 100:4



Dear Redeemer Friends,

Compass would like to extend our warm gratitude for your continued prayers and support. The funds you entrusted to us came at the perfect time. As we earnestly seek to glorify God through our work and for financial provision, He is faithful to answer us! Lives are being changed and some are being saved at Compass! We have a dear student from China that is, as a visiting scholar, working to learn English and teach Mandarin Chinese at Valparaiso University. She received a big surprise...another pregnancy. This student was scared to have the baby. As a result of the trust we have built, she confided in me all her fears and how she was considering an abortion. By the end of our conversation, she had made a decision to carry her baby and welcome another child into her family. Had we not established a friendship through our Compass ministry, the outcome may not have been so great! Thank you for partnering with us. It is a great encouragement and provides much needed funds to keep our doors open.

In Him,

Jessica Burkman

Compass Director

REDEEMER NEWS & EVENTS

LENT CONTINUES with **Compline Services** on **Wednesdays at 7:00 p.m.** until Holy Week, *the week of March 20th*. A time for treats and fellowship follows the Mid-Week Lenten Services.

If you can help serve and bake for the Lenten fellowships, please sign-up on the sheet posted on the large bulletin board in the church foyer. One or more Ladies Society hostesses are signed up each Wednesday, but you do not need to be a member of Ladies Society to bake and/or help host the fellowship. All volunteers are welcome!

A LENT RESOURCE table is located in the church foyer offering Lenten Coin Folders for 40 days of offering, Lenten devotions and additional information. *If you would like to have a Lenten Coin Folder mailed to you, please contact Stacy in the church office.*

THE EASTER LILY CHART is posted on the large bulletin board in the foyer. Plants are \$10 each payable to Altar Guild and make be picked up after late service on Easter or the following week.

2015 FINANCIAL STATEMENTS **ARE AVAILABLE IN THE CHURCH FOYER**

for those whose use offering envelopes
or electronic giving.

PLEASE PICK YOURS UP TODAY!

If you would envelopes for 2016,
please contact Stacy in the church office.

THE ANNUAL POLAR BEAR PICNIC will be held on **Sunday, February 28** after late service (around Noon) in the multipurpose room. [Only the grillers have to brave the cold, the rest of us just enjoy the picnic food in the middle of winter!] This year will bring some new aspects to the picnic – **tickets will be sold (\$5 adults/\$3 kids – between services and in the church office)**, children's games will be available, Redeemer style newlywed game and other activities will be taking place to spice up the picnic!
Bring your wedding photo to display!

THE MARCH LADIES SOCIETY MEETING will be **Thursday, MARCH 3RD at 7:00 PM**. At this meeting MITES will be collected to send off to help LWML Missions. The meeting will also include the usual short business meeting followed by fellowship and treats. All ladies are invited and you are always welcome to bring a friend.

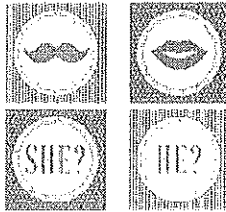
CLEANING DAY – SATURDAY, MARCH 5 FROM 9 AM – NOON. The Ladies Society will be hosting a Church Spring Cleaning Day to help spruce up the sanctuary and church building before Easter. All members of the congregation (women, men and children) are welcome and encouraged to help clean.

ON THE EVENING OF SATURDAY, MARCH 5TH join the Fellowship Committee for a fun night out! New Oberpfalz Brewing (121 E. Main St, Griffith) offers delicious food and authentic German style beer in a laid back atmosphere. **Stop by anytime after 6 and before closing time at 10.** We will save some seats for you! Call Jill at 384-8276 if you have any questions. Prost!

EVANGELISM AND LIFE TEAM COMMITTEE will adjust its formal meeting time to a quarterly schedule as follows; **Meetings the first Monday of March [MARCH 7TH], June, and December and the second Monday of September (Due to Labor Day) at 6 pm.** We will review visitors and special projects. Routine and administrative tasks will continue with communication as necessary via phone, email, Facebook, etc. Volunteers are welcome anytime. **We are currently seeking a greeter scheduler who will work with the posted sign-up sheet to call volunteers to complete the weekly greeting schedule.** Anyone interested in taking the video disc Life Team training and certification for Lutherans for Life should speak to Renee Reimer. Time and place will be determined according to the volunteers' availability.



DON'T FORGET TO SPRING AHEAD ON SATURDAY, MARCH 12TH! TURN CLOCKS AHEAD 1 HOUR BEFORE GOING TO BED. Daylight Saving Time begins officially at 2am on Sunday, March 13th.



What will the baby be??

Sunday, March 13th at 12:00 p.m., Ladies Society will be throwing a Baby Shower for Vicar David and Kaci Weirauch and big brother Samuel. They are not finding out if the baby is a he or a she until the baby comes. They are registered at Babies R Us. Gift cards would make great gifts too!! The shower will be a salad pot blessing and tea party themed; finger sandwiches, beverages and cake will be provided by Ladies Society. The shower is co-ed (everyone is invited) Please look for sign-up sheet in church foyer—please let us know you are coming so that we can have enough of everything.

***We can't wait to see you at the shower
When the Weirauch's will be the family of the hour
We have one request we hope isn't too hard
Please sign your name to a book instead of a card
Then mom and dad will be ready when the baby arrives
To read to their darling for the rest of their lives.***

THE NEXT NEWSLETTER DEADLINE WILL BE MONDAY, MARCH 14TH AT 10AM!

This deadline will be the beginning of the redeemer newsletter going to a **bi-monthly** schedule. the deadline will be for the **APRIL – MAY 2016 NEWSLETTER**. Redeemer will begin sending newsletters every other month. *This change will save redeemer nearly \$1,000 a year at a time when we are consistently running behind the mission spending plan.*

Much of the same information is passed along in the weekend bulletins every week and posted on bulletin boards in the church foyer. Also, Redeemer News and Redeemer Reminder emails are sent on a regular basis to remind members of events and deadlines.

Please give the church office your email address if you have one. If you are not able to come to services for an extended period of time, please contact Stacy in the church office to have weekend bulletins mailed to your home.

HOLY WEEK/EASTER SCHEDULE:

- Maundy Thursday, March 24.....7:00 p.m.
- Good Friday Tre Ore (at St. Paul's, Munster), March 25.....12 - 3 p.m.
- Good Friday Tenebrae, March 25.....7:00 p.m.
- Easter Vigil, Saturday, March 26.....6:30 p.m.
- Easter Sunrise Service, Sunday, March 27.....7:00 a.m.
- March 27 - Easter Breakfast 8:00 a.m. & Sunday School Egg Hunt 9:15 a.m.
- Easter Festival Service, Sunday, March 27.....10:45 a.m.

THE ANNUAL EASTER BREAKFAST will follow the Sunrise Service, and will be served by the Youth Group. Come early for Bible Class and Sunday School, or stay after Sunrise church and have the traditional sausage and egg breakfast casseroles (*generously prepared by Mrs. Sue Noojin*), coffeecake, juice, coffee, etc. A free will offering to benefit the Youth Group will be collected. Thank you!

PLEASE NOTE: The Church Office will be CLOSED on Monday, MARCH 28TH following Easter Sunday.

LOOKING FOR VOLUNTEERS to greet members and welcome visitors before Sunday services. Individuals, couples, friends or whole families are encouraged to sign up! If you are willing to greet, please pick dates & services to fit your schedule and then sign-up on the gold sheet located on the tri-fold bulletin board in the church foyer (under "Volunteers Needed"). Help keep Redeemer a welcoming place.

HELP TOUCH LIVES WITH THRIVENT CHOICESM If you are a member of Thrivent Financial for Lutherans, remember that your benefits may include Thrivent ChoiceSM, a charitable grant program, members can help choose where Thrivent Financial distributes some of its charitable funds each year. By directing Choice Dollars, you can help support what matters most to you—even your own congregation [by choosing REDEEMER LUTHERAN CHURCH, HIGHLAND, IN]. If you are uncertain about your eligibility, visit Thrivent.com/thriventchoice, or contact your local Thrivent Financial representative. **DEADLINE TO DIRECT YOUR 2015 CHOICE DOLLARS IS MARCH 31, 2016! Thank you to everyone who has participated and directed your dollars to Redeemer. Total donation in 2015 was \$3,693.00.** Directing Choice Dollars are subject to the Terms and Conditions of the Thrivent Choice Program. Visit Thrivent.com/thriventchoice for more information.

THE THURSDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY "A Longer Look at the Lessons" meets in the MPR on **Thursday mornings from 9:30-11 a.m.** Each class examines the Bible lessons for the coming weekend.

THE APRIL LADIES SOCIETY MEETING will be **Thursday, APRIL 7th at 7:00 PM.** At this meeting the ladies will also host a Kitchen Shower to restock the supplies in the Redeemer Church kitchen. All donations are greatly appreciated and shared by the congregation. ***If any members of the congregation would like to donate items, please leave them on the church kitchen table, marked KITCHEN SHOWER.*** Below is a list of needed items:

Redeemer's Kitchen Shower Shopping List:

MOST NEEDED:

1-QUART PLASTIC ZIPPER BAGS
1-GALLON PLASTIC ZIPPER BAGS
SMALL PLATES (6" OR 7")
FOIL
PLASTIC WRAP

ALSO NEEDED:

DISH WASHER DETERGENT
NAPKINS
PAPER TOWELS

COME JOIN THE YOUNG AT HEART GROUP ON SUNDAY, APRIL 10TH AT 5:00 P.M. in the multi-purpose room. We will start by enjoying some appetizers, and then Pastor Kleinschmidt will lead a Bible study. We will finish with desserts and fellowship. Watch for a sign-up sheet on the tri-fold bulletin board. Any questions, contact Doris Henry or Dee Reitz.

EYEGLOSS COLLECTION REPORT: As of February 14th Redeemer has collected 228 pairs of eyeglasses! Thank you for your participation and donations. Please continue collecting and donating the used eyeglasses [Adult, Children, Non-Prescription Sunglasses, & Over-the-Counter Reading] and eyeglass cases **until May 1st, 2016.** Thank you for your wonderful support. The collection box is located in the foyer under the large bulletin board.

The glasses will be given to a team of mission trip volunteers from the Indiana District who will be conducting an eyeglass clinic where they will test vision and distribute eyeglasses to those in need in Nicaragua. The testing system is quite simple and was created specifically for MOST MINISTRIES, the host mission trip organization. To learn more about MOST Ministries go to: www.mostministries.org. Our District goal is to collect 3,000 pairs of eyeglasses. Contact Marilyn Kaegebein at 838-0649 if you have questions.



CAPATHONE!!!



MARCH IS THE LAST MONTH FOR COLLECTING CAPS! Caps will be collected until Friday, April 1st in competition with other small schools for the most. A big thank you to Roy Nagel & A-line Movers for storing the caps this year. **So please gather all your caps & deposit them in the bin outside LLLC classroom. PLEASE ONLY CLEAN CAPS & NO FAST FOOD DRINK LIDS!** Thank you!! We have 704 lbs as of this being printed!!

Up Coming Events:

**Chapel Services are at 11:00 am!! (See church calendar for dates due to some date changes for breaks)

Registration for the 2016-2017 school year:

Our Mission

At Little Lambs Learning Center, we believe that each child is a special and unique creation of God. And that is why our mission at Little Lambs Learning Center is to provide your child with a secure, loving Christian environment where he or she will develop spiritually, socially, emotionally, intellectually, physically, and creatively.

Two-Day Preschool :

Students for the two-day class must be at least 3 years old before August 1. The two day program meets on Tuesdays and Thursdays. The class meets from 9:00am to 11:30am. Students must be toilet trained.

Three-Day Pre-Kindergarten Program:

Students for the three-day class must be at least 4 years old before August 1. The three- day program meets on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays days. The class meets from 9:00am to 1:00pm. Students must be toilet trained.

OPEN ENROLLMENT FOR 2016-2017 SCHOOL YEAR IS OPEN NOW THROUGH MARCH 31ST FOR REDEEMER MEMBERS ONLY. After this date enrollment will still be accepted but will be open to the public as well. Spaces in the preschool are already FULL and are limited in the Pre-K due to returning students and families. To save a spot you MUST fill out registration forms and pay reg fee.

For more detailed information please contact Cyndy Bishop at (219) 838-4898 or e-mails at redemeralittlelambs@yahoo.com

Thank you for supporting the children of Little Lambs Learning Center!!
Gratefully, Cyndy Bishop



Sunday School News - March 2016

During the entire month of January through February 7th we held our annual Souper Bowl of Caring hunger campaign.

It was a very successful year. Our Sunday School and Bible Class offerings for this time frame went towards the Souper Bowl drive as well as a door offering that was received after all three services on February 6th/7th. We also collected non-perishable grocery items. **Total dollars received went to fund Redeemers Share Cupboard Fund and was \$939.01. The non perishable grocery collection went to St. James Food Pantry and totaled 215 items.** Thank you to everyone who helped make this another successful year and another great Redeemer congregation show of love for our neighbors in need.

March 27th is Easter. On March 6th the children will make Easter Cards for shut-ins and special friends and practice songs. On March 20th (Palm Sunday) we will cover the events of Holy week as a group, practice songs and then the children will sing at the beginning of the 10:45 service. The following week is Easter and we will have the annual egg hunt during the education hour.

Note to Parents: Please allow your child to participate in the Palm Sunday Singing at the beginning of 10:45 service. It will only take a few minutes and if you are not staying for the service, your child will be dismissed to you when they are finished. If you are staying your child will be directed to take a seat with their family in worship. Thank you!



Sunday School will cheerfully accept monetary donations to help defray the cost of the egg hunt. If you would like to donate, please place in an envelope marked "Easter Egg Hunt" and give to a teacher or place in Stacy's "in box" on her desk. Make checks payable to Redeemer and mark memo "egg hunt." Thank you.

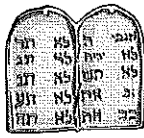


At Barnyard Roundup, our 2016 VBS, kids learn that Jesus is our Good Shepherd. He calls us by name and gathers us together, now and forever, no matter what! A "Psalm 23" VBS

At Barnyard Roundup VBS, children learn that Jesus gathers us together! Kids want to belong, be understood and valued. They want a BFF at their side, no matter what! At Barnyard Roundup, kids will look into the Bible, God's Holy Word, to discover that Jesus is better than a BFF! Jesus their Savior knows them by name, rounds them up, and brings them home. He is with us always and forever—no matter what.

Psalm 23 is the Bible Memory focus of this VBS. This beloved Psalm shares our confident trust that our Lord is with us now and forever, provides all we need, and protects us. After Barnyard Roundup, by God's grace and through the Holy Spirit, this psalm will be in the heart and on the lips of every child, youth, and adult participating. Now that's a VBS with purpose!

We are looking for a few good farm hands to help with Vacation Bible School 2016. VBS will be held the week of, July 11th -15th. Many hands will be needed for this year's roundup. Please see sign-up sheet outside Little Lambs classroom for open positions, or speak directly to **Cyndy Bishop**. Join us for Barnyard Roundup!!



THIS IS THE LETTER OF THE L.A.W.

March 2016

Hard to believe that March is already upon us. It seems that whenever Easter comes early, the entire year seems to go fast. This letter will find you in the middle of the Lent season and into Easter. So, Happy Easter from the Youth Group! We continue to plug away at our year and a big thank you for all who came to the Polar Bear Picnic.

March is kind of a slow month for the youth but we are gearing up for more servant events and activities. Keep an eye out on the bulletin board for pictures and announcements. The youth have decided to revitalize the youth room. We will be hanging a brand new white board for use by any in the church. It will come in handy for those who want to use the room to teach in. With this revitalization will come a new coat of paint. Look for these changes soon.

March 13th Youth night will be held from 4 – 7 p.m. at the Broviaks' house where we will watch and discuss an Easter movie while enjoying good fellowship and food. Movie choices are still up in the air but include "The Passion" and "Son of God".

March 20th Breakfast at Les' Cafe It's the third Sunday in the month, which means its breakfast at Les' Cafe. Bring some money and come and enjoy some time to relax, meet with friends, and enjoy some breakfast.

March 27th Easter Sunday always brings with it the always welcome Easter breakfast. Youth once again will assist with this delicious treat to all congregation members and visitors. I personally can't wait.

****The youth will be needed to assist Mrs. Noojin with making her casseroles and setting up the MPR on Saturday, March 26th – time TBD. Please plan to help!****

April 3rd Dining Out Fundraiser Since Easter is the last Sunday of the month, the March Youth Fundraiser will be held on April 3rd at Panda Express from 11:00 a.m. 'til 8:00 p.m. Flyers will be available in the church foyer and one is included below to bring in and help raise money for the Youth Group. These are a great way to raise money and a great time to see family and friends from Redeemer. Thank you for your support! *Special thanks to Mrs. Beth Wanicki for continuing to arrange the dining out fundraisers for the youth!*

Sunday Bible Study March will still find us studying the book of Exodus. The many things happening in the life of Moses has sparked great discussion on its application to the lives of the youth. How does the Exodus have anything to do with youth today? That's the question we will seek throughout this study.

Peace in Christ, Vicar David



FUNDRAISING AT PANDA

JOIN REDEEMER LUTHERAN CHURCH YOUTH GROUP

When

Sunday, April 3, 2016
11:00 AM - 8:00 PM

At This Panda Location

Indianapolis & Main
10329 Indianapolis Blvd.
Highland, IN 46322
P.2199248928

Participating fundraiser guests are required to present a valid fundraiser flyer (hard copy or smart phone) with each order to receive credit for the fundraiser. Flyers may not be distributed inside or within vicinity of restaurant including, without limitation to, the restaurant parking lot before or during your fundraiser. Panda Restaurant Group reserves the right to cancel any and all fundraiser events for any reason and/or withhold payment of associated donation funds if the Panda Restaurant Group Fundraiser Guidelines are not followed.

Redeemer Ladies' Society Meeting- Feb.4, 2016

The meeting was called to order at 7:00pm by Kathy Gaskey, President, with 20 members and one guest in attendance. Roseanne Bohanan shared a devotion and correspondence was read. Minutes were read and approved. The Treasurer's report was read and accepted. Treasurer, Bev Rodeck, also asked for a motion to be made to reissue a check that had to have a stop payment to Deaconess Dehlia Deleon. The first check was sent to St. Paul's and did not make it to her. A motion was made and approved to reissue the check in the amount of \$250.00 to Deaconess Deleon.

Cyndy Bishop handed out new programs. There were a couple of names left off by accident in a printing issue. Corrections were made to the names left out. (Dee Reitz and Renee Reimer)

Committee Reports

Hospitality- Doris Henry reports that the kitchen shower will be held in April. Sign-up sheets have been placed on the fridge door for Lenten services

Membership and Visiting- Sharon Knuth welcomed visitor Janice Richie

Publicity- No News

Christian Literature- Absent (Renee Reimer gave a reminder of Judy Gauder's upcoming birthday celebration at Redeemer)

Community Outreach- Per Kathy Gaskey, the parameters of this committee are still in the works.

LWML- Roseanne Bohanan and Marilyn Kaegebein spoke of the upcoming spring rally to be held at Redeemer on Saturday, April 16th. There will not be a speaker. This will be a Prayer breakfast and business meeting. Registration begins at 9am followed by breakfast. There will be no lunch.

Committee members are: Cyndy Bishop, Sarah Hildenbrand, Meghan Kleinschmidt and Colette Martin.

Also, there was a reminder given of the district meeting to be held in Bloomington June 24-26th

LWML Zone- Marilyn Kaegebein shared that she has collected 192 pairs of glasses for missions in Nicaragua. Collection continues thru May 1st

Little Lambs- Cyndy Bishop shared that registration has begun and spaces are limited for next year.

Cyndy has been chosen to be a representative for the NWI Early Childhood Cabinet-Indiana District LCMS. She will partake in a presentation of two year old curriculum involving literacy in the home in June.

Old Business

Thank you Marion Burkman and Donna Wanicki for your hard work. Gifts for next year will be fleece blankets. To be discussed later.

New Business

A committee to assess the damage of the card tables and their replacement cost at church was made.

Committee members: Roseanne Bohanan, Donna Wanicki, and Kathy Gaskey

A church clean-up will be held Saturday, March 5th at 9am. See Sarah Hildenbrand or Sharon Knuth if you have questions.

A committee was formed to plan a baby shower for Vicar Weirauch and family. Committee members are Cyndy Bishop, Sarah Hildenbrand, Meghan Kleinschmidt and Janet Salinas.

A motion was made and accepted to donate \$50.00 in Josh Schutte's name for "Bowling for Brain Cancer"

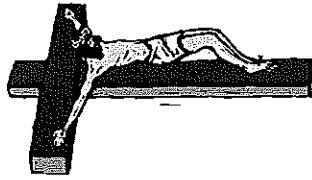
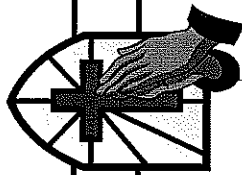
The meeting was adjourned with a closing prayer. The Lord's Prayer and Grace followed. Fellowship was provided by Meghan Kleinschmidt, Sarah Hildenbrand, and Sharon Knuth

Reminder: Bring Mites to the meeting in March

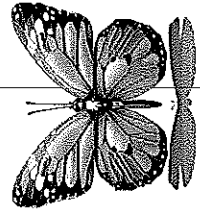
Respectfully Submitted,

Sarah Hildenbrand, Secretary

March 2016



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<p>6</p> <p>8:00 a.m. Matins 9:15 a.m. SS/YG/BC 10:45 a.m. H. C. 12 p.m. Trustees Mtg.</p>	<p>7</p> <p>6:00 p.m. Evangelism/Life Team 6:15 p.m. Adult Choir 7:00 p.m. Elders</p>	<p>1</p> <p>6:30 p.m. Confirmation 7:30 p.m. Dartball (Home)</p>	<p>2</p> <p>11:00 a.m. LLLC Chapel 7:00 p.m. Lenten Mid-Week Service</p>	<p>3</p> <p>9:30 a.m. Bible Study 11:00 a.m. LLLC Chapel 2:00 p.m. Young-at-Heart Play "59 Steps" 6:00 p.m. Handbells 7:00 p.m. Ladies Society Mtg.</p>	<p>4</p> <p>Pastor's/Vicar's Day Off</p>	<p>5</p> <p>8:30—11:00 a.m. LLL Zone 5 Mtg. (N.C.) 9:00 a.m.—12:00 p.m. L. S. Church Cleaning 1-3 p.m. Meeting (N.C.) 6:00—10:00 p.m. Fellowship Event at New Oberfalz Brewing 6:30 p.m. Holy Communion</p>
<p>13</p> <p>Daylight Savings Begins 8:00 a.m. H. C. 9:15 a.m. SS/BC 10:45 a.m. H. C. 12 p.m. Weirauch Baby Shower 1 p.m. Leathercrafters 4-7 p.m. Youth Activity</p>	<p>14</p> <p>APRIL—MAY NEWSLETTER DEADLINE 6:30 p.m. Stewardship/Planning 7:30 p.m. Church Council</p>	<p>8</p> <p>9 a.m. Pastors' Circuit Mtg. at Concordia 5:45 p.m. Youth Choir 6:30 p.m. Confirmation 7:30 pm Darts (Home)</p>	<p>9</p> <p>11:00 a.m. LLLC Chapel 1pm LWML Board 7:00 p.m. Lenten Mid-Week Service</p>	<p>10</p> <p>9:30 a.m. Bible Study 11:00 a.m. LLLC Chapel 6:00 p.m. Handbells 7:30 p.m. Dartball League Mtg.</p>	<p>11</p> <p>Pastor's/Vicar's Day Off</p>	<p>12</p> <p>11 a.m.—5 p.m. MPR Rented 6:30 p.m. Vespers TURN CLOCKS AHEAD BEFORE BED</p>
<p>20</p> <p>Palm Sunday 8:00 a.m. Matins 9:15 a.m. SS/YG/BC Youth to Breakfast 10:45 a.m. H. C. S.S. Children Procession</p>	<p>21</p> <p>6:15 p.m. Adult Choir</p>	<p>15</p> <p>6:30 p.m. Confirmation 7:30 p.m. Dartball (Home)</p>	<p>16</p> <p>11:00 a.m. LLLC Chapel 7:00 p.m. Lenten Mid-Week Service (Pie Night)</p>	<p>17</p> <p>9:30 a.m. Bible Study 11:00 a.m. LLLC Chapel 6 p.m. Handbells</p>	<p>18</p> <p>Pastor's/Vicar's Day Off</p>	<p>19</p> <p>6:30 p.m. Holy Communion</p>
<p>27</p> <p>Easter 7:00 a.m. Sunrise HC 8:15 a.m. Breakfast 9:15 a.m. SS/YG/BC SS Easter Egg Hunt 10:45 am Festival HC</p>	<p>28</p> <p>OFFICE CLOSED No Little Lambs No Choir</p>	<p>22</p> <p>5:45 p.m. Youth Choir No Confirmation 7:30 p.m. Dartball (St. Paul #1)</p>	<p>23</p> <p>9:30 a.m. Bible Study 7:00 p.m. Maundy Thursday Communion Service</p>	<p>24</p> <p>9:30 a.m. Bible Study 7:00 p.m. Maundy Thursday Communion Service</p>	<p>25</p> <p>Pastor/Vicar Day Off Noon—3 p.m. Tre Ore Service at St. Paul, Munster 7:00 p.m. Good Friday Tenebrae Service</p>	<p>26</p> <p>6:30 p.m. Easter Vigil Service</p>
<p>29</p> <p>6:00 p.m. Board of Ed 6:30 pm Confirmation 7:30 p.m. Dartball (Resurrection)</p>	<p>30</p> <p>11:00 a.m. LLLC Chapel 7:00 p.m. LifeLight</p>	<p>29</p> <p>6:00 p.m. Board of Ed 6:30 pm Confirmation 7:30 p.m. Dartball (Resurrection)</p>	<p>31</p> <p>9:30 a.m. Bible Study 11:00 a.m. LLLC Chapel</p>	<p>31</p> <p>9:30 a.m. Bible Study 11:00 a.m. LLLC Chapel</p>	<p>31</p> <p>9:30 a.m. Bible Study 11:00 a.m. LLLC Chapel</p>	<p>31</p> <p>9:30 a.m. Bible Study 11:00 a.m. LLLC Chapel</p>



NO LITTLE LAMBS CLASSES—SPRING BREAK

Collections at Redeemer:

- Used Eyeglasses – Adult Glasses, Children’s Glasses, Non-Prescription Sunglasses, & Over-the-Counter Reading Glasses (*box in church foyer on large bulletin board shelf – for MOST Mission Trip – LWML sponsored – **UNTIL MAY 1, 2016***)
- Plastic Caps (*no fast food lids*) [**RINSED**] **UNTIL APRIL 1, 2016** (*white basket by Little Lambs lockers – East Hallway*)
- Campbell Soup Labels (*box in church **KITCHEN** – for Bethesda Homes*)
- Aluminum Pop Tabs (*basket in church foyer – for Ronald McDonald House, Chicago*)
- Ink Jet Cartridges (**Small cartridges only – cannot have been previously refilled**) (*basket in church foyer – for Redeemer Youth Group*)
- Aluminum Cans [**RINSED & crushed**] (*porch behind church foyer – for Redeemer Youth*)
- Newspapers, Magazines, Catalogs, Junk Mail, Copy Paper, Shredded Paper (**shredded paper ONLY put in plastic bags**) – **NO** PHONE BOOKS, CARDBOARD, OR PLASTIC (*Green & Yellow Dumpster in church parking lot – for Youth*)
- Old Cell Phones – **only the phone & battery (no chargers)** (*basket in church foyer – for Redeemer Youth Group*)
- “Happy Meal” type toys, playing cards, women’s long necklaces & beads, etc. **for nursing home prizes** (*Heartwarmers Box in foyer*)



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Services:

Saturday:.....6:30 p.m.

Sunday:.....8:00 a.m.

.....10:45 a.m.

Special Services in Lent/Easter:

Mid-Week Services (Feb. 17 & 24, Mar. 2, 9, 16).....7:00 p.m.

Maundy Thursday, March 24.....7:00 p.m.

Good Friday Tre Ore (at St. Paul’s, Munster).....12 - 3 p.m.

Good Friday Tenebrae, March 25.....7:00 p.m.

Easter Vigil, Saturday, March 26.....6:30 p.m.

Easter Sunrise Service, Sunday, March 27.....7:00 a.m.

Easter Festival Service, Sunday, March 27.....10:45 a.m.

Sunday School, Youth Group & Adult Bible Study:

Sunday:.....9:15 a.m.

March 27 - *Easter Breakfast 8:00 a.m. & Sunday School Egg Hunt 9:15 a.m.*

Staff:

Pastor: Eric Allan Kleinschmidt

Vicar: David Weirauch

Admin.Asst.: Stacy Broviak

Church Office Hours: Monday – Friday, 10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

Pastor and Vicar are OFF on Fridays

CHURCH OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED – MONDAY, APRIL 28, 2016

It is the mission of Redeemer Lutheran Church through worship, fellowship, witness, service and education to proclaim Jesus Christ as God’s Son and the world’s Savior, crucified and risen from death to give us NEW LIFE

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