

●INSPIRE●

Bible Studies

Sunday Adult Bible Study

Monday Women's Bible Study (will resume in the fall).

Wednesday Noon

Women's Monday Bible Study

Taking the summer off. Will resume in the fall. Please see Ann Werk for additional information.

This group will be collecting mites for **LWML** (Lutheran Women's Missionary League) on the first Monday of each month. Mite boxes are available in the office if you would like to contribute to this great organization.

Wednesday Noon Bible Study

Wednesday the noon Bible study started a new series based on the original TV Series *The Chosen*. Each week we will watch part of an episode and then discuss the Biblical topics that were highlighted in the episode. *The Chosen*, from VidAngel studios, is the first-ever-multi-

season TV show about the life of Jesus. Created outside of the Hollywood system, *The Chosen* allows us to see Him through the eyes of those who knew him. No matter where you are at in your journey with Jesus Christ, this TV show is for you. Because this series is being funded by donations, we are asking that you bring whatever donation you are moved to give each week that will be sent on to the producers.

Sunday Morning Bible Study

The Book of Acts will be the new topic for study.

●Grow●

Noisy Collection

We added an exciting new feature to our children's message. **"Noisy Collection"**. Here's how it works...the kids are encouraged to bring up coin offering with them to the children's message. Once up front they will drop it in the metal bowl that will be there for their collection. The coins bounce around and jingle, which may make them giggle. This interactive, fun

collection will encourage them to bring something with them each week, helping them build those cheerful giver habits. So, if you have a little one attending the children's message next week encourage them to bring some coins up front for the **"Noisy Collection!"**

Altar Flowers 2020

Have a specific date(s) you would like to dedicate flowers? Please fill out the bulletin insert and place it Carol Plew's mail box. FYI-If the date is already filled, Carol will move you to the next closest date.

●Change●

Blood Drive

Wednesday, July 22, 3 to 6pm here at Redeemer. Sponsored by Warsaw High School JAG. There is no substitute for the lifesaving gift of blood.

It is precious. It is perishable. The need for it is vital and never ends. Together with Warsaw High School JAG we make our communities stronger. We are a beacon of Hope.



Redeemer Volunteering & Events

Sign up sheet

(Please place sign-ups in the Office mailbox)

Name: _____

I'd like to donate to the Altar Flowers (\$25)

in honor of: _____ on this date: _____

Please use this insert and place in the Carol Plew's mail box

I'd like to join an awesome Bible Study! attend as many as you like!

Sunday Morning Adult Bible Class

Wednesday Noon Bible Study

would like assistance from the Youth Group
(yard work, cleaning, a visit ...)

I would like to help with Sunday School, IMPACT, nursery

Volunteering at Lincoln School & Little Steps Daycare.

I am interested in learning about the many opportunities on how to implement our Vision Statement.

- **Church Directory** You can go to the members only website anytime to update your family info, view church members addresses, phone numbers, emails, etc. **However, since only members can see this info, an "invitation" needs to be initiated by the office. Please contact the office to receive this "invitation"**. Paper copies will be available soon. Please contact the office for your invitation to view the members only website. <https://redeemerwarsaw.360unite.com>

7/12/20 Message notes (Pentecost 6): Tackling the Impossible

Have you ever been asked to do or faced something you thought was impossible?

Here is what the Bible says about tackling the impossible:

1) Don't _____, and get all the _____.

- a) Your biggest temptation in the middle of crisis is to be _____.
- b) Follow the pattern of _____.
- c) When facing the impossible, you need to understand why.

2) Ask for more _____.

- a) You need to understand _____ before moving ahead.
- b) Solomon put it this way: *"Get the facts at any price"* (Proverbs 23:23 TLB)
- c) Daniel did this, *"Daniel went and asked the king to give him some time so that he could explain the dream's meaning."* (Daniel 2:16 GW)

3) Gather _____ partners.

"Then Daniel went home and told his friends about this matter. He told them to ask the God of heaven to be merciful and to explain this secret to them so that they would not be destroyed with the rest of the wise advisers in Babylon." (Dan. 2:17-18 GW)

- a) Daniel realized this was a _____ request.
- b) The _____ hung in the balance.
- c) So, Daniel got his prayer team going.

4) Ask God for _____ help.

- a) The next thing we learn from Daniel is to _____ God.
- b) There are 1,000's of ways to worship.
 - Anytime you turn your _____ to God, it's worship.
 - When you express your _____ to God, that's worship.
 - You don't have to be in _____ to worship.
- c) *"The secret was revealed to Daniel in a vision during the night. So Daniel praised the God of heaven."* (Daniel 2:19 GW)

Close: Then you'll move the focus off of you and your problems and put it on God.

Answers: 1) panic, facts, a) impulsive, b) Daniel, 2) time, a) why, 3) prayer, a) big, b) kingdom, 4) supernatural, a) worship, b) attention, love, church.

"Millions Who Wonder"

A pastor friend of mine told me about a conversation he had with a lady who was asking about what his church believed.

Everything went fine until he started talking about God's Commandments and the penalty for sin. Hearing about hell, the lady blurted: "Pastor, that's impossible! My god would never do such a thing."

Surprised by the lady's reaction, the pastor went on to other topics as he tried to think of a suitable reply.

Before the end of their session, he said, "A little while ago you said your 'god' wouldn't condemn you for disobeying his law. I think a lot of people have that god. Their god doesn't condemn them because he likes them just the way they are. Their god wouldn't call them 'sinners' or call them to repentance, and he certainly wouldn't suggest they need a Savior." "The only problem with your 'god,'" my friend continued, "is that he doesn't exist, and he certainly isn't the God of the Bible." "And what was the lady's reply?" I asked my pastor friend.

He said, "I don't know. I never saw her again."

You see, that lady, like many others, thought she was the master, and God was a beggar, who should be glad to glean any crumbs that fall from her table. She thought of God as a cuddly-wuddly teddy bear, who might make her feel warm and secure when she needed Him but would -- the rest of the time -- sit patiently on her bed, or wherever she put Him. She thought of God as being a spiritual Santa, who waited anxiously for her to pass on the list of things she wanted, but who could be ignored the rest of the time. She thought of God as a nice grandpa, who gave gentle suggestions, but would never give orders.

Although she might never have said it out loud, this lady was among the hundreds of millions who wonder

* who does God think He is that He can tell me what I'm supposed to do?

* who does God think He is that I have to keep Him first all of the time?

* who does God think He is that He can push me around?

* who does God think He is that I'm not allowed to have anything before Him, alongside Him, over, under, or next to Him?

Who does God think He is? I'm going to tell you.

God thinks He's God, and we're not. He's the God whose justice compels Him to condemn the sinner and the God whose grace sent His Son into the world to save those same sinners. He is the God who says, "The wages of sin is death, but My free gift is eternal life in Christ Jesus the Lord."

THE PRAYER: Dear Lord, may I always remember that You are the loving Lord, and I am the sinful soul. May I always remember the sacrifice made by the Savior, who has given me life through His death and resurrection. In His Name, I ask it. Amen.