

# REDEEMER

## LUTHERAN CHURCH

### Our Mission

#### **Inspire**

We believe that Jesus has called us to Inspire faith in others.

Psalms 119:105

#### **Grow**

We seek to Grow followers of Jesus.

Matthew 28:19-20

#### **Change**

We follow our mission to allow Him to Change the world!

Acts 2:42-47

### Our Vision

Redeemer Lutheran Church is fully committed to meeting the needs of families with young children in our neighborhood.

We know that, “As you did it to one of the least of these my brothers, you did it to Me.”  
(Matt. 25:40) We are called to nurture children inside our Little Steps Daycare ministry and Lincoln Elementary, providing social and spiritual support systems.

Our ambition is to be a church where children’s lives are elevated through ministries that support parents, teachers and education programs.

**For Communion,** we believe that when Jesus said, “this is My Body,” and “this is My Blood,” we are actually receiving Him in the bread and wine. Please see the pew book, or seek out Pastor, for further explanation. There is white grape juice in the center of the trays, and gluten free wafers in the cup on the tray for those who would prefer.

### Week of May 21

Monday 22	Tuesday 23	Wednesday 24	Thursday 25	Friday 26	Saturday 27	Sunday 28
1:00pm Quilters		Noon Bible Study	5:30 <sup>pm</sup> Praise Band Practice			10:00am Confirmation Sunday!!!
NO WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY		6:00 <sup>pm</sup> Confirmation Rehearsal!!	7:00pm Choir Rehearsal			Reception to Follow
6:30pm Youth Group		6:30pm Men's Bible Study				

# SENIOR SUNDAY!

## ASCENSION OF OUR LORD



Redeemer Lutheran Church

May 21, 2023 Dreams

9am  
Prelude  
Hymn Awake, My Soul, and with the Sun (868)  
Invocation  
Confession and Absolution  
Collect  
Children’s Time  
First Reading Acts 2:17-18  
Epistle Philippians 3:7-16  
Gospel Matthew 7:7-14  
Hymn You Have a Special Place  
Sermon ???????  
Gathering of our Gifts & Tithes  
Prayers of His Children  
Lord’s Prayer  
The Words of Jesus  
Distribution of Holy Communion  
Hymn O Lord, We Praise Thee (617)  
Hymn Children of the Heavenly Father (725)  
Hymn Sent Forth by God’s Blessing (643)  
Recognition of our Seniors  
God’s Benediction  
Closing Hymn Guide Me, O Thou Great Redeemer (797)

Announcements  
Postlude  
9am Service -----Serving Today-----

Pastor Pastor Carney  
Elder Travis Schroeder  
Organist Robert Brannock  
Acolyte Maddy Riley  
Ushers Adam Esterline,  
Karl Shimulunas,  
T Jay Veit, Gabe Veit  
AV Billy Brinkerhuff  
Gabe Veit

Lectors Kaylee Weeks  
Blake Schroeder, Brook  
Schroeder,  
Greeter Conley Family

Bible Study - Senior  
Reception  
Youth Group Hallie & Billy  
S. School Cindy/Barb  
Coffee Hour Senior  
Reception

Alleluia. We know that Christ being raised from the dead will never die again; death no longer has dominion over him. Alleluia. I will not leave you as orphans; I will come to you. Alleluia. ~Romans 6:9; John 14:18

11:15am  
Opening Praise Song How He Loves  
Invocation  
Confession and Absolution  
Children’s Time  
Old Testament Psalm 47  
Epistle Ephesians 1:15-23  
Gospel Luke 24:44-53  
Sermon Praise Song Joyful  
Sermon Ascended and Sitting  
Gathering of our Gifts and Tithes  
Prayers of His Children  
The Lord’s Prayer  
The Words of our Lord  
Distribution of Holy Communion  
God’s Benediction  
Sending Praise Song I’ll Fly Away  
Announcements  
Praise Song All the People Said Amen

11:15am Service  
Pastor Pastor Carney  
Elder Travis Schroeder  
AV Billy Brinkerhuff  
Hally Brinkerhuff  
Acolyte Trey Skaggs  
Usher Rich Skaggs  
Lector Billy Brinkerhuff  
Greeter Eric Gilbert

Serving May 28

Confirmation Sunday  
10 am Service  
Pastor Pastor Carney  
Elder Karl Shimulunas  
Organist Cherylyn Trier  
Acolyte Makayla Riley  
Ushers Adam Esterline,  
Karl Shimulunas,  
T Jay Veit,  
Billy Brinkerhuff  
AV Blake Schroeder  
Lector Christa Plew  
Greeter O’Dell Family

Bible Study  
Coffee Hour Confirmation  
Reception

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Please pray for -  
Janet Oberlin, Julie Patten, David Crowe, Michelle Carpenter and Mother,  
Pastor Bill Mueller, Pastor Carney

Extended Prayers -  
Terry & Alice Keefer, Carol & Jim Lohse, Lucille Mikael, Tyler Sherrill, Joe  
Streeter, Shirley Russell, Adele Wollman, Bev VanWesten, Bob Raiman,  
Thomas, Lisa Kochensparger, Norma & Bill Brinkerhuff

Order of Service:

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service order



\*Download ePub 11:15am  
service order



\*ePub: download the file  
and open in an eReader

Hearing Assistance  
Headsets are at the back of  
the church for those who  
would like to use them. Just  
pick up a headset, or see an  
usher for assistance.

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service order



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service order



Need a Quiet Place?  
The Narthex is available at  
every service. Stop by with  
your child and you can still  
view the whole service via our  
livestream.



**411 is taking on a new look! Check it out!** You can catch up with previous episodes on our YouTube channel: <https://www.youtube.com/@RedeemerWarsaw>

Let us know at [churchoffice@redeemerwarsaw.org](mailto:churchoffice@redeemerwarsaw.org) if you have questions on accessing the series, or if you have any suggestions for the series.

**Church 360°**  
*Are missing out on information??*  
Contact the Church Office to get set-up on 360!

**Member Needs a Ride**  
We have a member needing a ride every Sunday to church. Please see Pastor for more information!

**Window Update**

The caulking replacement project for all eastern facing windows in the Sanctuary is now complete. Thanks to your generous gifts, we were able to raise enough funds to pay for the project outside of the normal budget. Thank you very much for your support! Please continue to use the Improvement Fund envelopes to donate towards future projects that are necessary for our church building.

**Lutheran Night at the Tin Caps Game!**

**Game Date:** *Aug. 1*  
**Cost:** *\$12 per ticket*  
**Sign-up by: June 1st**  
We will purchase a block of tickets so that we can all sit together. Place payment in the offering plate and mark it "Tin Caps"



**Wednesday Men's Bible Study**

We begin our study of Romans this week.

REDEEMER  
CHOIR  
CHRISTIAN  
HARMONIZING  
OPPORTUNITY  
IN  
RESPONSE TO GOD'S LOVE.  
THAT'S CHOIR

JOIN US , WON'T YOU?  
NEXT REHEARSAL  
THURSDAY MAY 25, AT  
7:00 PM.



**Sunday Adult Bible Study**

June 4th, Pastor will begin an exciting new study on "How and Why We Worship".



**Women's Bible Study**

On Break Until Fall!  
Have a great summer!

**POACA**

Starting June 20th,  
POACA will be meeting at  
**Maria's Restaurant**

The  
**CHOSEN**

**Wednesday Noon Bible Study**

Continues watching and discussing Season 3 of  
The Chosen!



VBS Saturday, July 22nd  
9am-4pm

Scan QR Code to sign up  
Register by July 7th!



**Weekly Devotion**

Are you looking for a devotion? Looking for a life-based email devotion? Then look no further than your email inbox!

Pastor writes a devotion 3 times a week (Monday, Wednesday and Friday) and emails it out as a 'blind copy' email devotion (your email address is not shown, all are private).

If you would like to receive these devotions simply email Pastor and let him know!

[pastor\\_carney@redeemerwarsaw.org](mailto:pastor_carney@redeemerwarsaw.org)

**DayCare Board Searching. . .**

for a new member. See  
Tony Doyle for more  
information!

*Change*



# Congratulations Class of 2023!!

## *Blake Schroeder*

**High School:** Whitko High School  
**Activities:** Boys Golf, Boys Tennis, Girls Tennis Manager,  
Club Tennis Wildwood Racket Club  
**Awards and Accomplishments:**  
Wildcat Award and Mental Attitude,  
Academic All Conference, All Team Honorable Mention,  
National Honor Society, Student Council, Student of the Month,  
Student Council President, Hands and Peacekeepers.  
**College:** Manchester University  
**Major:** Accounting

## *Brooke Schroeder*

**High School:** Whitko High School  
**Activities:** Health Occupation Students of America, National Honor Society,  
Sources of Strength, Students Against Destructive Decision,  
Student Council, Student Organ Donation Advocates,  
Summit City Wave Volleyball Club, Whitko Varsity Tennis,  
Whitko Varsity Volleyball,  
Student Council-Class of 2023 Representative  
**Awards and Accomplishments:**  
Academic All-State Gold Award, High Honor Roll,  
Indiana Northeast Volleyball High Honorable Mention,  
Whitko Career Academy Student of the Month,  
Indiana CTE Excellence Award  
**College:** Ancilla College  
**Major:** Nursing  
**Minor:** Kinesiology/Exercise Science

## *Kaylee Weeks*

**High School:** Warsaw High School - Cum Laude  
**Activities:** Volleyball  
**Awards and Accomplishments:**  
Varsity Volleyball Starter 4-year, Varsity Volleyball starter - 4 year  
2022 AVCA High School Honorable Mention All-American  
2022 IHSVCA All-District – North  
2022 IHSVCA Academic All-State – Gold Award  
2022 AVCA All-Region – Region 5  
2022 AVCA All-America Watchlist, and many more  
**College:** University of New Haven  
**Major:** Pre-Med & Exercise Science

*Graduation comes from the Latin word gradus which means, a step.*

*Graduation is indeed a big step that invites high emotion in the present and uncertainty in the future.*

*In our worship this morning, we give thanks for God's blessing upon the steps that brought Brooke, Blake, and Kaylee, to where they are today, and we pray that they seek Spiritual wisdom for the present, and commend them and their dreams for the future to God's will.*

## Stewardship Thoughts

**1 Peter 5:7 – “Humble yourselves, therefore, under the mighty hand of God so that at the proper time he may exalt you, casting all your anxieties on him, because he cares for you.”** We have a Father in heaven who really cares for us and loves us. That is the basis of generosity, because such knowledge spells the end of worry, which is the source of all tightfisted greed.

### Last Week

Attendance: 113 Giving: \$4396.57

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