



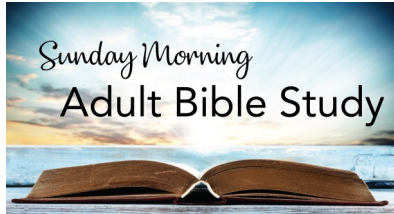
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Reflections



Weekly Newsletter - October 21/22, 2023

~Twenty First Sunday after Pentecost~



October 22 Mission Speaker—Rev. Fritsche
October 29 Religions and Denomination (part 3)

Bring your coffee and come join us for Adult Bible Class in the Fellowship Hall at 9:20am.

Sunday School Lessons

Date	Scripture	Bible Lesson
October 22	Matthew 28:1-15	A Living Truth—Jesus Rises
October 29	Luke 24:13-35	A Revealing Truth—Jesus Ascends



Please send the church office names of people who have died since All Saints Day in 2022 (November) and that you would like to have recognized on November 4/5, along with their date of death and their relation to you. Church members that have died will also go on the list. Please have these to 338-5626 or ordeemer@ourredeemer.org by **Monday, October 30.**



Building Healthy Families: *“He’s got the whole world in His hands...”* Do you remember the words to this Sunday School song? More than just a fun song, these lyrics speak truth about how much God loves us and is in control of our world – even during the uncertain times we’re living in today. Be assured: He has not forgotten or abandoned us. He has a plan, and it’s a good one. *“This is how God showed his love among us: He sent his one and only Son into the world that we might live through him.”* 1 John 4:9
Lutheran Family Service www.LutheranFamilyService.org



Basics of the Faith
Friday, October 27 at 7:00pm &
Saturday, October 28, 9:30am

Basics of the Faith will be happening October 27 and 28. It’s a great way to refresh one’s knowledge. For new members or those who want to become a member it is an excellent way to receive instruction. Signup sheet is on the counter.

WELCOME REV. JOEL P. FRITSCHÉ



Photo courtesy Johanna Heidorn, LAC missionary photographer.

Welcome to Rev. Fritsche who joins us this weekend, preaching at all three services with his sermon based on Isaiah 45. He will lead the Adult Bible Study “Missio Dei, Missions, and You” at 9:20 am in the Fellowship Hall. “Missions from the Dominican Republic to Vicarage” will be the topic at a noon lunch where meal and drinks will be supplied. Plan to attend! For the mission-minded a freewill offering for Our Redeemer supported missions will be collected—give generously!

Rev. Joel P. Fritsche serves as director of Vicarage and Deaconess Internships and assistant professor of Exegetical Theology at Concordia Seminary, St. Louis. Since 2014, Fritsche has served as a missionary pastor and church planter in the Dominican Republic. Since 2017, he also has been serving as the director and professor of biblical languages at Concordia Seminary the Reformer, where he helps form Lutheran pastors and deaconesses for partner churches and mission fields throughout Latin America.

BROWSE THE MISSION SILENT AUCTION



Additionally, the Mission Committee will have items for a silent auction on display in the narthex for the next three weekends. Many are items from previous mission trips and other countries. Look over the items and bid by signing the sheet for the item you wish to obtain. Multiple bids are encouraged and all monies will go toward missions. The bidding will close following late service on November 5 and you will be contacted to claim items.

Our Redeemer Lutheran Church Mission Committee
Christ said, *“Go therefore and make disciples of all the nations.”*

Prayer of the Church/Twenty First Sunday after Pentecost/October 22, 2023

Let us pray for the whole Church of God in Christ Jesus and for all people according to their needs.

Almighty God, You deliver Your Son's work through Your Word in power and in the Holy Spirit. Strengthen the Church's pastors to proclaim Your truth. Increase the faith of all who hear, that they may respond in love, steadfast in their hope. Lord, in Your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Almighty God, from the rising of the sun to its setting, You make known Your salvation in Christ. Bless fathers and mothers as they teach their children Your Word and Your ways. Let them know that there is no God besides You and so rejoice in Your faithfulness. Lord, in Your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Almighty God, You appointed Cyrus as Your instrument to return Your people to Jerusalem. Uphold the authorities of our nation in wisdom and integrity, that we might live in peace with a good conscience. Grant that wars around the world may cease. Lord, in Your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Almighty God, our help comes from You, who made heaven and earth. You preserve our life. Have mercy on [*especially Dorothy Blume (Carol Schuldt's sister), David Caplin (Lillian Moyer's son-in-law), Loren Deetz, Clint Fult (nephew of Robert Siems), Titus Hanneman (nephew of Kate Ramsey), James Haack, Emma Haugen (Friend of Gwen Enokian), Patsy Heinitz, Gabe Hundley (grandson of Karen Abernathy), Dora Jacobson (granddaughter of George and Carol Schuldt), Hazel Jones (Granddaughter of Danny Fuhrmeister), Todd Jones (Barb & Ron Jones' son), Dave Long, Shirley Losby, Marcia Osborn, Norma Miller (Twyla Freeman's aunt), Julie Pratt-Mullenkamp (Cousin of Ruth Varney), Aaron Raschke (brother of Ruth Varney), John Robinson, Eunice Scheer, Carol Simpson (Kara Hartwig's mother), Reece Ullerich, Karen Warner, Mark Wilson, Gary and Karen Wright, and Beth Wu (Schuldt's relative)* and/ all who are afflicted. Keep them from all evil and shade them from all harm. Lord, in Your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Almighty God, guard those who travel. Keep their going out and their coming in. Protect them from every trouble, prosper their journey according to Your will and make their homecomings joyful. Lord, in Your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Almighty God, You have turned us from idols to serve You and live. As we await Your Son's return in glory, grant that we would faithfully receive Him at this altar with repentance and joy. Lord, in Your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Almighty God, You have promised to hear us, so we come to You with our silent prayers...

[We pause for a moment of silent prayer.]

All these things and whatever else You know that we need, grant us, Father, for You have written THE STORY OF EVERYTHING – from Genesis to the Last Day that we may know Your Son, who died and rose again and now lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God now and forever. **Amen.**

BIRTHDAYS

Sun. 10/22 David Lake, Dan LaRoche, Casey Wagner, Mark Wilson
 Mon. 10/23 Joanne Fobain, Amanda Jones
 Tues. 10/24 Connie Betcher, Danny Fuhrmeister
 Wed. 10/25 Ethan Cooney
 Thurs. 10/26 Kurt Shaner
 Fri. 10/27 Benjamin Miskle
 Sat. 10/28 Hope Carlson, John Ervin, Loren Kober

STEWARDSHIP October 14/15, 2023

TIME		TREASURES	
Worship-In Person/Live Stream 10/14—5:30pm	35	Contributions	\$6,147.28
Worship-In Person/Live Stream 10/15—8:00am	103	Monthly needs for budget	\$67,240.58
Worship-In Person/Live Stream 10/15—10:30am	155		
Recorded Services 10/14	4		
Total Saturday/Sunday Worship	297	Adult Bible Class/Sunday School	64/8

This Week at Our Redeemer Lutheran Church, October 22—29, 2023

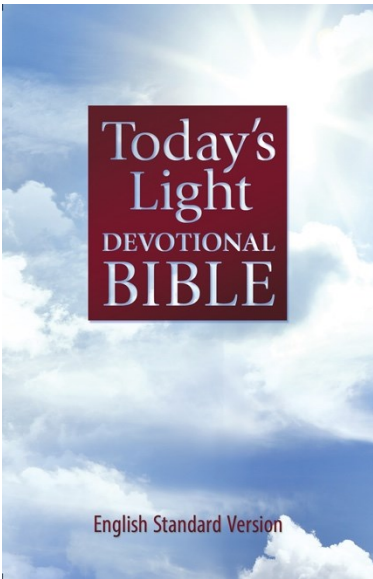
<u>Sunday, 10/22</u>		<u>Wednesday continued...</u>	
Worship-In Person/Live Stream	8:00am	Choir Rehearsal	6:45pm
Sunday School/Adult Bible Class	9:20am	Adult Midweek	7:00pm
Worship-In Person/Live Stream	10:30am		
Guest Speaker Lunch/Silent Auction	12:00pm	<u>Thursday, 10/26</u>	
District 13 Meeting	2:30pm	Comfort Tiers	9:00am
		Christ in Film	6:00pm
<u>Monday, 10/23</u>		Al-Anon	7:30pm
Staff Meeting	1:00pm		
Chamber Singers	6:00pm	<u>Friday, 10/27</u>	
Sunlight AA Group	6:00pm	Basics of the Faith	7:00pm
<u>Tuesday, 10/24</u>		<u>Saturday, 10/28</u>	
SM-Small Group/Marlene	6:00pm	Men's Bible Study	8:00am
SM-Large Group/Marcia	6:45pm	Basics of the Faith	9:30am
Al-Anon	7:00pm	Worship-In Person/Live Stream	5:30pm
Women's Bible Study	7:00pm		
LLL Meeting	7:30pm	<u>Sunday, 10/29</u>	
		Worship-In Person/Live Stream	8:00am
<u>Wednesday, 10/25</u>		Sunday School/Adult Bible Class	9:20am
TOPS	8:00am	Worship-In Person/Live Stream	10:30am
Emerson Point	2:00pm	Trunk or Treat	4:00pm
Midweek Classes	6:45pm		



POPCORN PROVIDED

ome join us October 26, at 6:00pm, in the Fellowship Hall for the start of the Christ in Film series. The upcoming "feature" will be "Scooby Doo" Rated (PG)





PREPARE NOW! READ LATER!

A two-year read through the Bible starts in January during Adult Bible Study, based on the ESV Today's Light Devotional Bible. Explore the entire Bible in just 20 minutes a day! This special edition of God's Word divides each Bible book into easy-to-read sections that begin and end with devotional commentary. "Get the Big Picture" points out how Bible stories fit into God's salvation plan, and "Sharpen the Focus" reveals ways the readings apply to your life. Plus, find new Biblical connections with 90,000+ cross references.

You can follow along in your favorite Bible or you can sign up to purchase the Today's Light Bible. Discounts are available if there is a bulk order with a \$30 estimated cost depending on volume. In order to purchase for January, the ordering deadline will be December 3. Please sign up at the Welcome Center to reserve your copy.



COOKIE WALK

The 30th Annual LWML Guild Cookie Walk will be Saturday, December 2nd, 9:00 am to 11:00. Please start pulling out your cookbooks or visiting your favorite recipe websites for the cookies you would like to bake. Also think about how you can help on Friday, December 1st and/or Saturday, December 2nd.

Sign-up will start November 4th & 5th in the narthex.



DORIS MONTAG – THE HISTORY OF ORDINARY THINGS

November 20, 2023 at 7:00 pm
Fellowship Hall

LWML sponsors Doris Montag with her signature talk about *"A Lady and Her Legs: The History of Women's Shaving and Stockings."* It is said she makes history FUN.

Doris is a collector, a storyteller and a free-lance curator whose passion is unlocking and sharing the stories in collections from her family or private individuals. She develops and installs exhibits in small museums, libraries, and public spaces. This work has evolved to One Woman Shows narrating the exhibits and entertaining listeners with her homespun humor.

Additionally, Doris researches and distills the history of antiques and other random things. These comprise her column, "The History of Ordinary Things", which is published monthly in Mature Focus which is available locally and 2 additional senior magazines.

Laura Stresow will lead devotions. Pam Wilson and Melissa Mullane are our hostesses.

WONDERING ABOUT THE TRIP TO ISRAEL?



The trip is 72% full!

Twenty people have registered for the trip. We have space for eight more individuals.

With recent news, the trip is not cancelled or postponed because it is not until June of 2024. I received this email from the President of Imagine Travel:

Grace and Peace to you. I hope that this information finds you well as we provide you with an update on the current situation in Israel in regard to your upcoming trips. First and foremost, let me reiterate that your safety, as well as your travelers, is *imagine's* utmost priority. We understand that many of your travelers have likely reached out to you regarding this, expressing their concerns about venturing to the Holy Land amidst this war. Please rest assured that we are working diligently on accommodating your group's needs and are here to discuss your upcoming trip.

I understand that this situation is frustrating, your travelers have questions, and they have every right to know the answers. The truth is that none of us ever expected for something like this to happen in Israel; it not only caught them off guard but us as well. With that, we are doing everything in our power to expedite this process to provide you and your group with the clarity that you deserve.

As your trip is scheduled to depart for Israel **in 2024**, we will be **proceeding as normal with trips as planned**. As history has shown us, these incidents tend to last anywhere between 30-45 days, taking as many as 60 days to recuperate. With that we must opt not to dwell on the moment and instead focus on the future. Should anything change, we will inform you promptly of the decision after we have had a careful discussion with our overseas partners and travel advisors. If anyone, yourself and your travelers included, is feeling uneasy about traveling on an upcoming trip, we are reminded in 2 Timothy 1:7 "**For God gave us a spirit not of fear but of power and love and self-control**". We would encourage you to take a moment and prayerfully consider your decision.

I will continue to provide you with updates as time progresses and the current situation unfolds. Please continue to join us in keeping Israel and all of those impacted in your prayers. We are also providing updated on our website: <https://ittworld.com/>

Best regards,

Rick Ricart | *President* 🙏
***imagine* Tours & Travel, LLC**

Pictorial Directory Photo Time!



When: October 28 & 29 and November 11 & 12 after each service

Where: In the Chapel

Who: Anyone in need of an updated photo in the pictorial directory

This is a good time for you to update your contact information for the directory, even if you don't need a photo taken. (You can update information by coming to the office during regular office hours or calling Lorrie in the office.)

Other options if these dates don't work for you:

- Submit a photo to the church office by email (redeemer@ourredeemer.org).
- Bring or send a printed one to the office.
- Contact an Assimilation Committee member to take your photo at a time that work for you.

Contact Kristin Weis (319-325-7844) or Pam Wilson (319-530-1920) with questions or to schedule at a different time.

Thank you!

Assimilation Committee

Trunk or Treat



Sunday, October 29
4:00pm

LOOKING FOR TRUNK VOLUNTEERS!!

We are looking for Trunk or Treat volunteers to set up their trunks and join in the fun for children. We are also seeking candy donations. If you would like to volunteer a trunk please sign up at the Welcome Counter. Make sure to include what the theme of your trunk is. If you would like to donate candy it can be dropped off at the Church Office during regular hours of operation.

Thank You!

Thank you to all who attended the New Member Brunch last Sunday. What a wonderful opportunity it was to get to know our new members. We had a nice informal time with all the right ingredients—good food, good fellowship, and great people with whom to get acquainted.

We urge all of our members to seek out our new members—look for the red ribbons on their name tags. As we welcome them and invite them into our lives, we are truly blessed by the friendship, talents, and gifts they bring into our body of Christ here at Our Redeemer.

New members, thank you again for coming and sharing your time with us. If you have any questions, feel free to call any of the committee members: Barb Gienapp, Denise Johnson, Julie Nieland, Ruth Varney, Luella Feldmann, Kristin Weis or Pam Wilson. The Pictorial Directory contains all of our phone numbers as well as other members you may have met in church or at the brunch.

SOCKTOBER

Warm toes = warm hearts



This year Our Redeemer Human Care Committee will again be sponsoring a month long Socktober running the month of October. So why SOCKTOBER? Because every night in the United States an estimated 600,000 people live on the streets and need simple things, like socks, to help get them thru the night. Plus, the NUMBER 1 needed clothing items for those in need is new socks, but people rarely ever donate new socks to the homeless! New socks are like gold to the homeless. For people without permanent housing feet work overtime when there isn't a warm home to return to each night. Our committee is working in partnership with the Iowa City Homeless Shelter to collect socks. We are asking the congregation to donate NEW crew socks. Socks with reinforced toes are the best. Please place your donations in the SOCKTOBER box/basket in the narthex. If you prefer to give a monetary gift rather than socks, we'd be happy to shop for you! If this is your wish just make your check out to Our Redeemer Lutheran Church with Socktober in the memo line and place it in the offering plate. We are, also, still taking donations for brand new packs of underwear for men, women, and children. We request that you please contribute new items only. Thank you for your help.



PRIME TIME DINNER

Sunday November 5th after the 10:30am service

The Prime Time Dinner is for everyone in the congregation aged 60 and older. The dinner is hosted by the Human Care Committee with Chef Steve Rudin preparing his usual delicious meal to delight the taste-buds. In order to determine the amount of food needed for this special occasion the Human Care Committee requests that you RSVP to Tracy Nelson at her email address by Sunday, **October 22, 2023**. If you do not have access to a computer, you can RSVP by signing up on the sign-up sheet located on the Welcome Counter. **Tracy's email address:** tracy-nelson@uiowa.edu



**STEPHEN
MINISTRY**

STEPHEN LEADERS

Rev. Dr. Brent Hartwig	338-5626
Bill Benson	517-881-9848
Marcia Hulse	541-4026
Kevin Sellers	631-8924

We are recruiting for our 2024 training which starts in mid-January

If you have questions about Stephen Ministry, either plan to attend the informational session ***“Do You Want to be a Stephen Minister”*** on Sunday, December 3, immediately following the 10:30 Divine Service in Room 208/210 or for more information about Stephen Ministry, you are welcome to speak with one of our Stephen Leaders.



Preschool Newsletter

Our Redeemer Preschool where children play, learn, and grow in Jesus!

October 16—20, 2023

Director/Teacher: Kaja Mueller M-F
Preschool Phone: 319-338-3949 Fax: 319-338--9171

Assistants: Christie Cherian M/W/F, Sara Cross T/TH
www.ourredeemerpreschoolic.org preschool@ourredeemer.org



This Week

CIRCLE TIMES

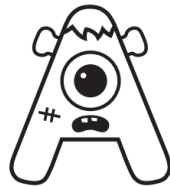
- Pumpkin facts
- Math equation
- Pumpkin felt poem
- Color song
- Letter A—recognize, write, and make the sound
- Bible: God keeps His promises to Abraham and Sarah
- Librarian visit
- Pumpkin playdough cutters
- Gourds and pumpkins on Science table
- Field corn in sensory table
- Pumpkin books
- Number books
- Pumpkin crafts
- Free style crafting
- Birthday recognition



Big line
Big line
Little line



Aa



TEACHER TIME

Letter A & Number 2

Assessments will be taking place this month. We want to see what each student knows and what we get to work on with them.

At Home Question

Who has made you a promise?
What was that promise?

Aa (To Down by the Station)

A is for Alice, who met an alligator, swishing down the alleyway on Apple Avenue. "Shoo!" said Alice, "I'm allergic to all gators: Ah-coo! Ah-choo!" Off she flew.



Next Week Snack

You get to bring snacks and be our line leader. M/W/F = 16 students; T/TH = 12 students

- Monday: Barnabas
- Tuesday: Josie
- Wednesday: Lexi
- Thursday: Bishop
- Friday: Moses

On the preschool bulletin board there is a snack calendar. You only need to bring 2 healthy food groups for snack of the 5 presented in our CACFP Credible Food List packet. **Half a gallon of a drink is all we really use in class.** Thanks for the snack. All those staying for lunch remember the 5 food groups.

October Book



The October book was donated by Lorrie Bailey. She is the office manager for the church. Each month she enjoys gifting the preschool money to give each child a book. Thank you Lorrie!

Five Little Pumpkins Chant

Five little pumpkins sitting on a gate. The first one said, "Oh my, it's getting late."
 The second one said, "There are stars in the air."
 The third one said, "But we don't care!"
 The fourth one said, "Let's run and run and run."
 The fifth one said, "I'm ready for some fun!"
 Then whoooooo went the wind, And out went the lights.





Children's Ministry

Birth—5th Grade



KIDS CLUB

For children ages:
4 years old—5th grade

**Wednesday, October 25th at 6:20 pm —
Costume Parade at Legacy Pointe**

(Parents, bring your kids to Legacy Pointe at 6:20 pm then return to church afterwards for pumpkin decorating, games, treats and devotion.)



**Children's Sunday
School**
PreK3—5th grade

**Sunday, October 22nd
9:20am to 10:15am**



Lesson: A Living Truth—Jesus Rises
Scripture: Matthew 28:1-15

Toddlin' to Jesus

Room 215 (Toddlin' Room)
Join us at 9:20 am on Sunday mornings.

Parents and their children ages birth to age 2 are invited to participate. You will meet with other parents and children for a toddler-friendly Bible lesson, music and prayer.

It's a casual and relaxed environment balanced with activities and playtime.



**Sunday, October 29th
4:00 pm**



Church Parking
Lot

Children's Christmas Worship

Sunday, December 10th
during both worship services
Kindergarten—8th grade students will
start practicing soon. Sign up below:
<https://forms.gle/nkqDATDxnQz15tUp8>

Youth

6th —12th Grade

Youth Coordinator Kara Hartwig youthcoordinator@ourredeemer.org (319) 855-2728

Confirmation Classes (6th—8th Grade)

Wednesday, October 25th
at 6:45 pm

6th Grade—Lecture
Unit 1: Exodus
Moses Saves



7th Grade—Lecture
The Ten
Commandments
Fourth through Sixth
Commandments



8th Grade—Small Group
Forgiveness



YOUTH Sunday School

Confirmation—Room 208
High School—Youth Room



Sunday, October 22nd
9:20 am —10:15 am



LESSON:

A Living Truth—
Jesus Rises
Matthew 28:1-15

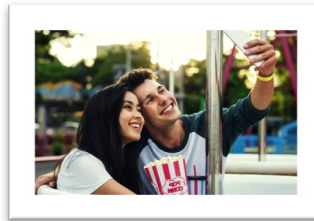


YOUTH REHEARSAL & WORSHIP

Rehearsal:
Saturday,
November 11th
3:00pm

Worship Services: All three of them
Saturday, November 11th at 5:30pm
Sunday, November 12th at 8:00am & 10:30am

“Dating in the Right Direction” SPECIAL GUEST SPEAKER



Friday, October 20th
6:30 pm Welcome &
refreshments
7:00 pm Presentation
Fellowship Hall

Youth Families with 6th—12th graders

Friends are welcome!



7th & 8th Grade Fall Confirmation Retreat

WHEN: 6:30 pm on Friday, October 20th —
Saturday, October 21st at 8:00 am
WHERE: Our Redeemer Lutheran Church

*Parents, please plan to attend the guest speaker
presentation from 6:30pm—8:00pm.*

YOUTH PARENTS and HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS:

You're invited to attend
Basics of the Faith for
a fast-paced look at the
basics of what
Christians believe:
what is the Bible, who
is God, why do we get
baptized and more!

Basics of the Faith

Join us for this 2-part
session:

Friday, October 27th
7:00 pm —9:00 pm
And

Saturday, October 28th
9:30 am —3:30 pm

RSVP to the church office
at 338-5626.

OUR REDEEMER OFFICE DIRECTORY

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DEADLINES

Reflections (printed weekly): Information must be submitted (written, typed, emailed or faxed) each Wednesday by 5:00 pm

Beacon Newsletter & Church Activities Calendar (printed monthly): Information must be submitted (written, typed, emailed or faxed) by noon on the 20th of each month.

RADIO

Lutheran Hour Ministries on Radio—WMT 600 AM Radio on Sunday mornings at 6:30 am, and KXEL 1540 AM Radio on Sunday mornings at 9:30 am. For more information on Lutheran Hour Ministries go to www.LHM.org.

VOLUNTEER BACKGROUND SCREENING

Our Redeemer Lutheran Church has a strong, caring ministry with children and youth. To promote the safest and most secure environment possible all employees and volunteers, both new and existing, undergo a background screening before working with younger members. Performing background checks provides safeguards and peace of mind to our staff, volunteers, parents, youth, and children.