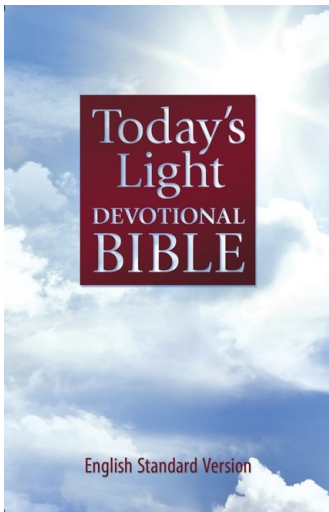




~The Transfiguration of Our Lord~



ADULT BIBLE CLASS

Read through the Bible in two years

Week 7: Date	Scripture
2-12-2024	Exodus 14:1-31
2-13-2024	Exodus 15:1-27
2-14-2024	Exodus 16:1-17:16
2-15-2024	Exodus 18:1-27
2-16-2024	Exodus 19:1-20:26
2-17-2024	Exodus 21:1-22:31

Sunday School Lessons

Date	Scripture	Bible Lesson
February 11	Genesis 24:1-4, 10-28, 50-67	A Servants Mission—Isaac and Rebekah
February 18	Genesis 25:19-34; 27:1-45	Twin Troubles—Esau and Jacob
February 25	Genesis 29:1-30	A Family Grows—Jacob's Family



THE NOT SO NEWLYWED GAME

February 11, 2024

12:00 pm

Fellowship Hall

Everyone is invited to cheer on our three newlywed (or not-so-newlywed) couples. We need a studio audience to applaud their efforts to match answers.

Bring appetizers and goodies to share as our contestants compete. Come share the fun, fellowship, food, and laughter! Drinks and paper products will be provided.

Encourage our not-so-newlyweds:
Nathan and Emma Clack
Pastor and Margie Lemke
TJ and Kate Ramsey

Prayer of the Church/The Transfiguration of Our Lord/February 11, 2024

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

Holy Father, with the appearance of Moses and Elijah at our Lord's glorious Transfiguration, You reveal to us that the Law and the prophets are fulfilled in Him. Send Your blessing upon all pastors and servants of Your Church, that their preaching and teaching would flow from this right understanding of Christ and His work for our eternal salvation. Lord, in Your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Holy Father, You revealed Your glory in the Transfiguration of Your Son, Jesus Christ, our Lord, who tabernacled among us in the flesh. Open our eyes, that by faith we would see Him continuing to tabernacle among us here in the Divine Service. Grant that we would heed Your admonition to "listen to Him" as He forgives and preserves us at the font, pulpit and altar. Lord, in Your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Holy Father, grant faithfulness, humility and patience to the sheep of Your flock here at ***Our Redeemer Lutheran Church***, that in our various vocations we may strive to love You and our neighbor in all that we say and do. Lord, in Your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Holy Father, You alone establish all authority on earth. Bless those entrusted with this responsibility both here and abroad, that they would serve with integrity and honor and for the well-being of all. Lord, in Your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Holy Father, look with compassion on those who are in need [*especially Dorothy Blume (Carol Schuldt's sister), David Caplin (Lillian Moyer's son-in-law), Susan Carlson, Teena Coffel (friend of Bruce & Grace Maurer), Loren Deetz, Chuck Enokian, Clint Fult (nephew of Robert Siems), Emma Haugen (Friend of Gwen Enokian), 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), Dolores McNatt (Gwen Enokian's mother), Norma Miller (Twyla Freeman's aunt), Merri Mullane, Julie Pratt-Mullenkamp (Cousin of Ruth Varney), Marcia Osborn, Delores Nace (sister of Doris Siemer), Aaron Raschke (brother of Ruth Varney), Reece Ullerich, Karen Warner, Mark Wilson, and Beth Wu (Schuldt's relative)*]. Grant them relief and comfort through the promise of sharing in eternal glory with Christ. Lord, in Your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Holy Father, You give and You take away, Blessed be the name of the Lord. Comfort the mourning, especially those mourning the deaths of ***Patricia Eckhardt, Kay Lindemeyer (charter member/former member) and Ruth Mayer (former member)***. Help us, we pray, in the midst of things we cannot understand, to believe and find comfort in the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Lord, in Your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Holy Father, graciously hear our prayers as you promise...

[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.**

LWML Meeting!! Save the date!!!

We hope you have saved the date, Monday, February 19 for our yearly "Bunco Night for Mites". We will be having some fun as we play several rounds of Bunco and hearing people shout "Bunco!". Don't know how to play...that's okay. Most of us can't remember how to play, that's why we have our wonderful instructor, Tiffany Roiseland, come and guide us through it, and trying to keep us in control. This night is always a lot of fun. So come join us. Our devotion leader for the evening is Beth Hargens. Our hostesses are, Linda Bonefeld and Donna Saehler. The signup sheets for the Tasting Bee will also be available if you want to sign up to help with that Mission Project. Looking forward to seeing you on Monday, February 19 at 7:00 pm.

BIRTHDAYS

February 11	Kelby Heck, Melody McDowell, Dianna Reuter
February 12	William Alt, David Fruendt, Randy Lovstuen
February 13	Jim Eick, Amy Eldridge, Daniel Hopp, Jonie Murken, Beau Nelson
February 14	Cori Cole, Howard Hintze, Connie Klett, Carol Rathke
February 15	Tom Pronk, Janice Wefel
February 16	Pam Folkmann-Huss, Hanson Kyllingstad, Adelena Waldon, Chad Waring, Layla Woods
February 17	Breckin Morrison, George Schuldt

STEWARDSHIP February 3/4, 2024

TIME	TREASURES		
Worship-In Person/Live Stream 2/3—5:30pm	49	Contributions	\$37,185.00
Worship-In Person/Live Stream 2/4—8:00am	108	Monthly needs for budget	\$66,114.00
Worship-In Person/Live Stream 2/4—10:30am	162		
Recorded Services 2/3	31		
Total Saturday/Sunday Worship	350	Adult Bible Class/Sunday School	101/44

This Week at Our Redeemer Lutheran Church, February 11—18, 2024

<u>Sunday, 2/11</u>		<u>Thursday, 2/15</u>	
Worship Service	8:00am	Comfort Tiers	9:00am
Sunday School/Adult Bible Class	9:20am	Cross & Entrance Committee	6:00pm
Worship Service	10:30am	Book Club: The Story of Everything	7:00pm
Not-so-newlywed Game	12:00pm	Al-Anon	7:30pm
<u>Monday, 2/12</u>		<u>Friday, 2/16</u>	
Old Capitol Quilters	9:00am	Basics of the Faith	7:00pm
Staff Meeting	1:00pm		
Chamber Singers	6:00pm	<u>Saturday, 2/17</u>	
Sunlight AA Group	6:00pm	Basics of the Faith	8:30am
Outreach Committee	6:30pm	Worship-In Person/Live Stream	5:30pm
<u>Tuesday, 2/13</u>		<u>Sunday, 2/18</u>	
Assimilation Committee	6:30pm	Worship Service	8:00am
Al-Anon	7:00pm	Sunday School/Adult Bible Class	9:20am
		Worship Service	10:30am
<u>Wednesday, 2/14—ASH WEDNESDAY</u>		Voter's Meeting	11:45am
TOPS	8:00am	ORLC Bowling	1:00pm
Ash Wednesday Worship Service	1:00pm		
Choir Rehearsal	6:00pm		
Ash Wednesday Worship	7:00pm		

VOLUNTEER
to usher
during Lent



LENT IS FAST APPROACHING

Wednesday, February 14 will be Ash Wednesday and ushers will be needed for extra services during the season of Lent—Ash Wednesday, Wednesday Lenten services, Maundy Thursday, and Good Friday. Ushers, please sign up at the Welcome Center for services for which you are able to assist.



**APPEARING AT OUR REDEEMER
February 29, 2024 at 7:00 pm in the Sanctuary**

Concordia University's A Cappella Choir has been performing concerts and joining congregations in worship for over 86 years. One of the United States' oldest touring Lutheran collegiate choirs, the University A Cappella Choir has performed throughout the U.S., and internationally in Greece, Italy, France, Egypt, Israel, Lebanon, India, Thailand, Hong Kong, Taiwan, Japan, the Philippines, Germany, Czech Republic, Slovakia, Latvia, Austria, Spain, Mexico, South Africa, and Australia.

The 72-voice choir is chosen by audition and is comprised of majors from most academic disciplines, representing many states and some foreign countries. Over 180 students audition each fall for the internationally renowned concert choir.

The choir has been invited to perform for NMEA and ACDA conferences, and international competitions. They received the Gold Medal for performance at the 12th Australian International Music Festival in Sydney and earned a spot in the winner's circle at the 42nd International Choral Competition in Spittal, Austria.

HELP NEEDED

- ⇒ Families are needed to host 72 students in groups of two. They will need a place to stay overnight and breakfast the following morning.
- ⇒ Assistance preparing serving the 5:15 pm evening meal.

Please let Laurel Sellers at consultant@ourredeemer.org or phone 319-331-3242 if you can help.

The Story of Everything

TASTING BEE MISSION FUNDRAISER

Saturday, April 6

11:00 am



In the Beginning God Created ...

LWML sponsors this event to raise funds for missions—this year to Lutheran World Relief for shipping, the Our Redeemer Mission Fund, Eswatini, the Our Redeemer Cross Fund, and seminarian Morgan Garrett (exact distributions to be determined later). To make this a success, we need congregational support to sign up to provide a recipe or decorate and host a table.

So go now. Find the recipe you want to submit and make for the Tasting Bee because signup starts next week. We ask volunteers to submit a recipe by March 17 to be included in the cookbook we compile and print to be handed out to those attending the Tasting Bee. When you sign up and submit your recipe, you are agreeing to make the recipe enough for 180 bites. A teaspoon is a TASTE. Anything else is a helping.

You can also participate by signing up to decorate a table according to the theme. A round table seats 8. A rectangle table seats 10. This year's theme is "The Story of Everything: In the Beginning God Created...".

When you sign up to submit and make a recipe and/or decorate a table it entitles you to purchase 3 tickets for each thing you sign up to do, at \$10 each which you give or sell to your invited friends. You can purchase all tickets you are entitled to or only the amount you need. A waiting list is available to purchase available extra tickets after March 17.

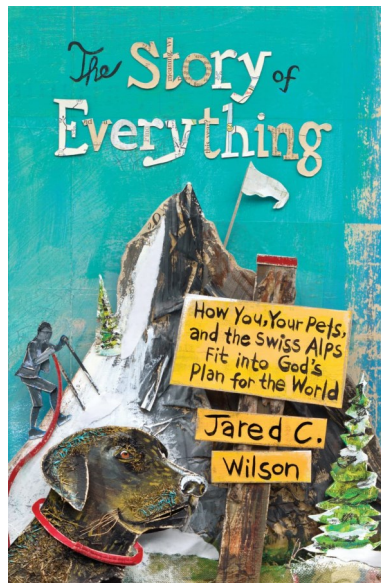
Signup will begin February 3/4. Signup will end March 10. You will be able to purchase your allotted tickets the day you sign up and they must be purchased before March 17 or they will go to people on the waiting lists. Recipes need to be sent to Sandy Wagner at packratsandy@yahoo.com by March 17. Make sure you sign up early so you don't miss out on this fun fundraiser. Feel free to ask questions when signing up. You may also contact any of the people below with questions or to sign up or call Laurel Sellers at 319-331-3242. Thanks in advance.

TASTING BEE CHAIRS	
Cynthia Fruendt	dcfrendt@icloud.com
Donna Saehler	dojosaehler9591@gmail.com
Laurel Sellers	klksellers@gmail.com
Laura Stresow	lstresow@gmail.com
Sandy Wagner	packratsandy@yahoo.com
Lynne Westphal	hawkscubs.1@gmail.com

**Signup starts February 3/4
Look for representatives in the narthex**



Building Healthy Families: Did you know there's a national day to celebrate one of the fruits of the Spirit found in Galatians 5? Though not an event on the Christian calendar, this coming Saturday (February 17th) is National Random Acts of Kindness Day. On that day (or any day this week) how might you give witness to the faith that lives in you by doing something "unusually kind," in Jesus' name? Shovel your neighbor's snow, pay for the order of the car behind you in the drive through, send flowers with a love note to someone who lives alone, stop to visit someone living in a care center...be creative, be kind, involve your family members, and have fun! **Lutheran Family Service** www.LutheranFamilyService.org



BOOK CLUB

**Beginning Thursday, February 15
7:00pm—9:00pm**

In *The Story of Everything*, Jared Wilson explores the redemptive story that God is telling in and through the world. Life often seems mundane. We go from work and school to home. We eat and watch TV. We sleep and repeat. It can be hard to see the point in our "normal" lives. What we tend to miss is that we are actually part of something huge: God's story – the greatest story ever told! Looking at God's redemptive plan for humanity, this book will help you understand what the Gospel means for your life, home, pets, hobbies, and more.

Sign-up sheets are on the counter. Please sign-up so that we know how many books to order.



Basics of the Faith Friday, February 16 at 7:00pm & Saturday, February 17 at 8:30am

Basics of the Faith will be happening February 16 and 17. 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.

It's a Party and You're Invited!

Invite friends, neighbors, co-workers, and family to join you for Trivia Challenge. Bring an appetizer to share and join the party. Young and old are welcome to participate.

When: Sunday, March 3rd after the 10:30 worship service
Where: Fellowship Hall, Our Redeemer Lutheran Church
Who: You, Friends, Neighbors, Co-workers, Family

Call or email the church office to sign-up or sign up on the chart in the narthex.



OUR REDEEMER LUTHERAN CHURCH PANCAKE DAY HISTORY

Our Redeemer Lutheran Church's annual Pancake Day has become a "must attend" event for Iowa City. To many, Pancake Day signifies a number of things; spring is soon to arrive, a break from cabin fever, a good breakfast, and/or the support of a local charity.

The first Pancake Day was in 1969, and it was organized to raise funds for the church organ. The 1969 Pancake Day was a success and it was decided to make this an annual event. The Lutheran Laymen's League oversaw the smooth operation of successive Pancake Days. The funds raised during the LLL's tenure went to support "511 Melrose".

In 2008, the organizing of Pancake Day was shifted from the LLL to the Mission Committee. Also, at this time, "511" Melrose" became self-supporting with funds raised from football gameday parking.

Seeking a new outlet for the funds raised, several charities were contacted, but only CommUnity (formerly known as Crisis Center) answered with a positive "yes". The funds raised from the ORLC Pancake Day supported CommUnity for many years. In 2023, the Pancake Day funds began to support the missions local and abroad that our members wanted to be a part of.

Pancake Day is a chance for ORLC to show hospitality to the surrounding area. As a part of ORLC, come take part in our grand history of Pancake Day and help serve the community around us as we live out God's Story of Everything.





Hear Ye! Hear Ye! February 18, 11:45am

There will be a voters meeting immediately following the late service. At that time you will be able to pickup a copy of the annual report.

Let's support the companies who advertise in our Pictorial Directory!

- Need a relator or know someone who does? **Call Verne Folkmann.**
 - Need your car detailed? **Call Brad Mullane.**
 - Need work done around the house or yard? **Call HandyWoman Louise.**
 - Need to dine in or carry out a good meal? **Go to Midtown Family Restaurant.**
- Need a great company for your investments? **Call Lutheran Church Extension Fund.**
Check the Pictorial Directory for phone numbers, addresses, and email connections.
(Directories are available in the Church Office.)



UKANDU 2024

Registration is open now through February 15th.

Summer Servant Event Dates: June 22—29, 2024



Youth participants and adult chaperones work together to serve Chicago-land communities through outreach projects.

Who Can Serve? Adults, high school youth and 8th graders; 6th & 7th graders can attend with a parent/guardian

Service projects: VBS, sports camps, painting, landscaping, construction, and outreach

See Kara for registration link and more details.



**OUR REDEEMER
LUTHERAN CHURCH
PANCAKE DAY
SATURDAY MARCH 2ND**



It's that time of year again! Time to get ready for Our Redeemer's annual Pancake Day.

This year, on **Saturday March 2nd**, we will be hosting Our Redeemer's annual Pancake Day with the proceeds from this event going to support missions locally and abroad.

Look out for Pancake Day flyers and volunteer sign-up sheets that will be placed in the church narthex.



Volunteers will be needed for set up, serving, and clean up. This is a wonderful opportunity for Our Redeemer to support and serve our community, so please consider donating a few hours of your time to help with this event!

Our Redeemer BOWLING Day Sunday, February 18, 2024 1:00 pm at Colonial Lanes



Cost: \$5/person --includes bowling, shoe rental, pizza and drink

This fun event is for all ages of our congregation and friends are welcome to join us! Pizza will start at 1:30pm. Then, bowling on your lane will take place for 1 hour. There can be 6-8 players on your team. Sign up by Friday, February 16, 2024 using the link below:

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SPREAD THE LOVE PEANUT BUTTER AND JELLY CAMPAIGN FOR CommUnity FOOD BANK IS BACK!!



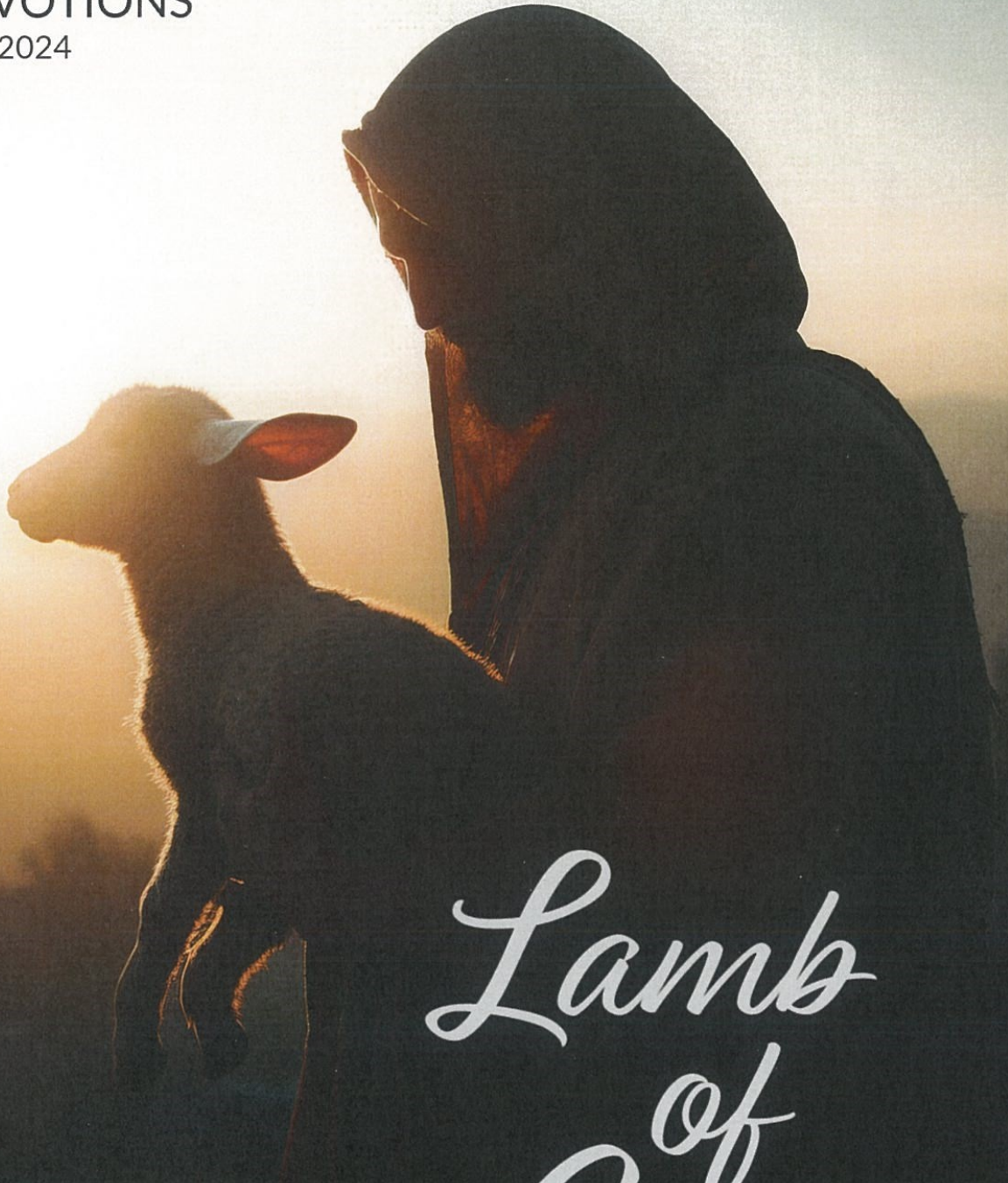
The Human Care Committee will once again collect peanut butter and jelly for the annual "Spread The Love" campaign for the month of February. Please bring your donations and place them in the box provided in the Narthex.

Peanut butter is a great item to donate to the Food Bank—it's relatively affordable and a good source of protein and other important nutrients to help those in need. Plus, peanut butter is a favorite for many families—especially if you throw in some jelly. The campaign goes from February 1—through February 29, 2024



DEVOTIONS

Lent 2024



*Lamb
of
God*

**Lenten Devotional Booklets
are now available on the
Welcome Counter in both
standard and large print.**

Feel free to take one.

Preschool Newsletter

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

February 5—9, 2024

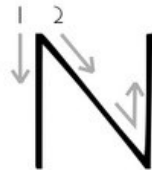
Director/Teacher: Kaja Mueller M-F
Preschool Phone: 319-338-3949 Fax: 319-338-9171

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

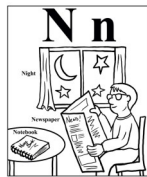
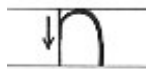


This Week

Welcome grown-up question
Line leader picked the color
of the day
Letter Nn—*recognize, write,
and make the sound*
Things that start with Nn
What we get to do in class
Bible Lesson—Jesus Feeds the
Five Thousand
Monthly hallway coloring
Love books
My address including city
Numbers
Counting by 10s
Opposites
Alphabet—*letters and sounds*
Unscheduled Fire Drill



Big line
Big line
Big line



Love Songs

Jesus Loves Me
This Little Gospel Light of Mine
Happy All the Time
The More We Get Together
We Love
Love in a Box
Love Come Down

Dates

February 9/12—No School
February 13/14—Valentines Party in class
March 4—No School
March 11-15—No School Spring Break
April 9/10—Parent Teacher Conferences
April 10—No School
April 17/18—Spring Program
April 19—No School
May 10—Pizza & Playground Night FREE
May 23/24—Last Days of School
Celebration and Graduation

Home Question

How do you tell someone you love them?

Snack Next Week

You get to bring snacks and be our line leader!

M/W/F = 18 kids; T/TH = 14 kids

Monday: No School

Tuesday: Britta

Wednesday: Maeve

Thursday: Krish

Friday: Moses



You only need to bring 2 healthy food groups for snack from the five presented in our Credible Food List packet. **Half a gallon of a drink is all we really use in class.** If your child brings lunch, they need to have all five food groups present in their lunch.



Happy 4th Birthday, Matthew!



Happy 4 ^{1/2} Birthday, Parker!

Nn (To The Old Grey Mare)

Nathaniel had a naughty little nanny goat, who never ate a single oat, just nibbled on his overcoat. Nathaniel had a naughty little nanny goat, her name was Nannabelle.



Five Dollar Lunch Option

Bring \$5, send your child's lunch, and they can stay with me and other preschoolers until 12:45 pm. We will aim for Thursdays and/or Fridays. Contact Mrs. Kaja.

2024-2025 Enrollment Form



Child First Name _____ Middle _____ Last _____

What year in school: Prek 3 OR Prek 4 Sex: Male OR Female

Birth Date _____ Age as of September 15, _____ years

DAILY SCHEDULE:

7:30am Extended Care Drop off
 9:00am Preschool Starts
 9:30am Learning Centers
 10:30am Snack/Bathroom
 11:00am Outside Recreation
 11:45am Story/Music
 12:00pm Preschool Ends/Pick Up/Lunch
 12:45pm Lunch Ends/Pick Up

OTHER INFORMATION:

- * Our Preschool starts after Labor Day and ends before Memorial Day.
- * Children may enroll throughout the school year as spaces allow.
- * Scholarship information is available upon request.
- * Morning extended care students may be dropped off any time after 7:30am.
- * Lunch extended care students will be picked up at 12:45 pm.
- * Morning snack will be provided by an assigned preschool student.
- * Students staying for lunch will provide their own bag lunch and ice pack to keep food cold.
- * No breakfast will be offered.
- * During winter weather you will be notified if: *(We follow the Iowa City School District)*
 - We are delayed, no preschool, no extended care.
 - We are cancelled, no preschool, no extended care.

CHECK DESIRED PROGRAM:

_____ (M/W/F)	Preschool Program	9:00am-12:00pm	\$244/month
_____ (M/W/F)	Preschool Program with extended care LUNCH time	9:00am-12:45pm	\$320/month
_____ (M/W/F)	Preschool Program with MORNING extended care	7:30am-12:00pm	\$356/month
_____ (M/W/F)	Preschool Program with MORNING e.c. & LUNCH	7:30am-12:45pm	\$434/month
_____ (T/TH)	Preschool Program	9:00am-12:00pm	\$179/month
_____ (T/TH)	Preschool Program with extended care LUNCH time	9:00am-12:45pm	\$229/month
_____ (T/TH)	Preschool Program with MORNING extended care	7:30am-12:00pm	\$256/month
_____ (T/TH)	Preschool Program with MORNING e.c. & LUNCH	7:30am-12:45pm	\$307/month
_____ (5 Day)	Preschool Program	9:00am-12:00pm	\$403/month
_____ (5 Day)	Preschool Program with extended care LUNCH time	9:00am-12:45pm	\$530/month
_____ (5 Day)	Preschool Program with MORNING extended care	7:30am-12:00pm	\$593/month
_____ (5 Day)	Preschool Program with MORNING e.c. & LUNCH	7:30am-12:45pm	\$720/month

Financial scholarships are available for Preschool, not for extended care or lunch expenses. Scholarships are considered at each of these deadlines and are available while scholarship funds remain: March 1, May 1, August 1.

Name of Parent(s) or Guardian(s) _____

Address _____ City _____ Zip _____

Best Phone Number _____

Best Email _____

Our Redeemer Preschool admits children of any race, color, nationality or ethnic origin to all rights, privileges, programs, and activities of the Preschool. We do not discriminate on the basis of race, color, nationality or ethnic origin in administration of the educational or admission policies. Our curriculum is Christian-based.

Please mail your completed form along with the **\$50 non-refundable** registration fee made payable to:

Our Redeemer Preschool
 2301 E. Court Street
 Iowa City, IA 52245

Upon receipt of the Enrollment Form and fee, your child's spot will be reserved. An enrollment packet will be sent to you containing all additional paperwork to be completed. Thank you for enrolling your child with Our Redeemer Preschool.

Updated: 1/2024



Children's Ministry

Birth—5th Grade



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

February 11, 2024
9:20 am—10:15 am



This weeks lesson:
A Servant's Mission—
Isaac and Rebekah
Genesis 24:1-4, 10-28, 50-67



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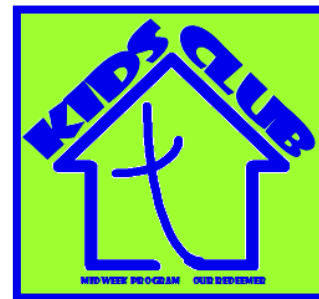
Ash Wednesday

Wednesday, February 14th
Worship at 7:00 pm

No Kids Club or Midweek Classes

Parents: *At home after the service, when your children are washing the ashes off, remind them once again that we are washed clean of sin at our Baptism. Jesus did all of this for us through His death on the cross which we prepare for during Lent. Ash Wednesday is the beginning of this time of preparation. (Copyright © 2016 LCMS Worship. Created by Christopher Thoma)*

**Lenten Meals & Worship Services begin on
February 21st**



Kids Club

4 years old—5th Grade

Wednesday, February 21st

5:10 pm Lenten Meal

6:10 pm Lenten Worship

6:45 pm Kids Club & Midweek Classes

Youth

6th —12th Grade

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



Ash Wednesday

Wednesday, February 14th

Worship at 7:00 pm

No Confirmation or Midweek Classes

REGISTER NOW

Registration closes on February 15th



Register now for UKANDU 2024!

UKANDU is a week-long servant event for youth and adults held in Chicago

UKANDU Dates:

Sat, June 22nd – Sat, June 29th, 2024

Who can go? current 8th – 12th graders & adults; plus 6th & 7th graders can attend with a parent/guardian



If you're interested in going to UKANDU or receiving a scholarship, please talk to Kara or email her at youthcoordinator@ourredeemer.org.



YOUTH Sunday School

Confirmation: Room 208

High School: Youth Room

Sunday, February 11th

9:20 am — 10:15 am

Lesson: A Servant's Mission—Isaac and Rebekah
Genesis 24:1-4, 10-28, 50-67



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High School Midweek Schedule

Wednesdays at 6:45 pm in the Youth Room

All high school youth and their friends are welcome!

The Life Book

(The Story of Everything)

February 21 John 6-10 Stories of Jesus' Ministry

February 28 John 11-12 A Story of Lazarus' Death and Resurrection and Persistent Unbelief

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.