

~The Twenty fourth Sunday after Pentecost~ **November 8, 2026**

Sunday School Lessons

Date	Bible Lesson	Scripture Reading(s)
November 8	A Telling Truth--Pentecost	Acts 2:1-24
November 15	A Servant Speaks--Stephen	Acts 6--7
November 22	A Deacon Delivers—Philip and an Ethiopian	Acts 8:26-40
November 29	Thanksgiving Weekend—No Classes	



Adult Bible Class Lessons

Dates	Bible Lesson
November 8	The Adulterous Woman (John 8:1-11)
November 15	Lazarus Raised from the Dead (John 11:1-46)
November 22	Garden of Gethsemane; Crucifixion; Easter

New Member Brunch is TODAY!

New members, please join us in the Fellowship Hall after the 10:30 worship service for a delicious meal and time to visit with other members. Take this opportunity to make new friends and learn about Our Redeemer's ministry opportunities.



The Connections Committee



Congratulations to the marriage of:

Keaton & Abigail (Ghabel) Laures

EXTRA USHERS, CAMERA PEOPLE AND PROJECTORS ARE NEEDED!



The Advent season is fast approaching and we are in need of additional ushers, camera people and projectors to help with midweek services. If you are able to help, the sign-up sheets are located on the Welcome Counter. Thank you!

Prayer of the Church/The Twenty fourth Sunday after Pentecost/November 8, 2026

P: In peace let us pray to the Lord:
C: Lord have Mercy
P: For the gift of divine peace and of pardon, with all our heart and with all our mind, let us pray to the Lord:
C: Lord have Mercy
P: For the holy Christian Church throughout the world and for all who confess the name of Christ that God would defend us from all evil, let us pray to the Lord:
C: Lord, have mercy.
P: For this congregation, its mission and its people, for the ability to do the work God has given us to do and for the unity of Spirit to bond us in peace, let us pray to the Lord:
C: Lord, have mercy.
P: For all who partake this day of Christ's holy body and blood, that in their eating and drinking Christ unifies them to boldly confess what this altar teaches, let us pray to the Lord:
C: Lord, have mercy.
P: For the Body of Christ, here and scattered throughout the world, and for the proclamation of the Gospel and the calling of all to faith, let us pray to the Lord:
C: Lord, have Mercy
P: For this nation, for our cities and communities, and for the common welfare of us all, let us pray to the Lord:
C: Lord, have Mercy
P: For seasonable weather and for the fruitfulness of the earth, let us pray to the Lord:
C: Lord, have Mercy
P: For those who labor, for those whose work is difficult or dangerous, and for all who travel, let us pray to the Lord:
C: Lord, have Mercy
P: For all those in need, for the hungry and homeless, for the widowed and orphaned, and for all those in prison, let us pray to the Lord:
C: Lord, have Mercy
P: For the sick and the dying, and for all those who care for them, let us pray to the Lord:
C: Lord, have Mercy
P: For the "Enter His Courts" Ministry Expansion Campaign results, we give you thanks, and we ask that you would govern the construction of the "Cross and Entrance" project this fall, let us pray to the Lord:
C: Lord, have Mercy
P: For Your blessed estate of marriage. Let chastity be prized among Your Christians and honored also in the world. Bind husband and wife together in love and forgiveness. We especially ask you to bless the newly married ***Mr. and Mrs. Keaton and Abigail (Ghabel) Laures***. Let us pray to the Lord.
C: **Lord, have Mercy**
P: For ***Dorothy Blume*** *(Carol Schuldt's sister),* ***April Tutton Clark*** *(sister of Grace Maurer),* ***Tom Cowley*** *(Aaron Mueller's brother-in-law),* ***John Enokian*** *(brother of Chuck Enokian),* ***Mary Helen Gibson*** *(sister of Gwen McNatt Enokian),* ***Isaiah Giebeck, Jeff Hundley*** *(grandson of Karen Abernathy),* ***Dora Jacobson*** *(granddaughter of George and Carol Schuldt),* ***Todd Jones*** *(Barb & Ron Jones' son),* ***Katie Kucera*** *(Jeff Kucera's sister),* ***Ruth Langehough***, ***Dot Langholdt*** *(friend of Ruth Varney),* ***Ben Malcom*** *(father of Tiffany Roiseland),* ***Grace Maurer***, ***Linda McBride***, ***Craig Michel*** *(Denise Schwarting's step-dad),* ***Norma Miller*** *(Twyla Freeman's aunt),* ***Robert Miller*** *(Keith Macek's son in-law),* ***Jane Mills*** *(aunt of Rob Ghabel),* ***Merri Mullane***, ***Julie Pratt-Mullenkamp*** *(cousin of Ruth Varney),* ***Elora Nelson*** *(great niece of John and Tracy Nelson),* ***Tate Nelson, Erin Nielsen*** *(cousin of Crissy Pence),* ***Ed Pederson***, ***Beverly Prem, Mary Ann Schlueter, Carol Schuldt, George Schuldt, Lee Schwarting*** *(Art Schwarting's mother),* ***Stanley Seese*** *(friend of Harold Warner),* ***Carol Simpson*** *(mother of Kara Hartwig),* ***Marlene Thompson***, ***Natalie Ullrich*** *(Jeff Kucera's cousin),* ***Reece Ullrich***, ***Don Warner*** *(Harold Warner's brother),* ***Harold Warner***, ***Garry Wilcox*** *(Melissa Mullane's dad), and* ***Jennifer Wood*** *(Henry & Linda Diggelmann's daughter),* let us pray to the Lord.
C: **Lord, have Mercy**
P: Finally, for these and for all our needs of body and soul, let us pray to the Lord:
C: **Lord, have Mercy, Christ, have Mercy, Lord, have mercy. Amen.**

BIRTHDAYS

November 8	Tonya Beckman, Dalton Beemer
November 9	Luke Becker, Elise Monhollon
November 10	***
November 11	Diane Burke, Matthew Meraz
November 12	Harper Hahn, Hunter Kopf, Nathan Moore, Oliver Petrulevich
November 13	Don Johnson, Kellie Palmer
November 14	Monty Fisher, Rachel Hottel, Tina Kientz, Rhet Norland, Aibhlinn O'Shea, Michael Richardson, Gavin Schrader, Camden Schwarting, Charma Wenck

STEWARDSHIP October 31/November 1, 2026

Time		**Treasures**	
Worship-In Person/Live Stream 10/31—5:30pm	44	Contributions	$27,190.25
Worship-In Person/Live Stream 11/01—8:00am	88	Monthly needs for budget	$71,996.33
Worship-In Person/Live Stream 11/01—10:30am	177		
Total Saturday/Sunday Worship	309	Adult Bible Class/Sunday School	59/51

This Week at Our Redeemer Lutheran Church November 8--15, 2026

Sunday, 11/8—Veteran Recognition		***Wednesday continued….***	
Worship Service	8:00am	Adult Midweek Class	7:00pm
Sunday School	9:20am		
Adult Bible Class	9:30am	**Thursday, 11/12**	
Worship Service	10:30am	Comfort Tiers	9:00am
New Member Brunch	12:00pm	Lantern Park	10:00am
		Briarwood	4:00pm
Monday, 11/9		Board of Directors	7:00pm
Staff Meeting	1:00pm	Al-Anon	7:30pm
Preschool Committee	4:30pm		
Chamber Singers	6:00pm	**Friday, 11/13**	
Sunlight AA Group	6:00pm	Pie Sale Prep	4:00pm
Old Capitol Quilters	6:00pm		
Outreach Committee	6:30pm	**Saturday, 11/14**	
		Men's Bible Class	8:00am
Tuesday, 11/10		Pie Sale Prep	8:00am
Old Capitol Quilters—Work Day	8:00am	Pie Sale	11:00am
Women's Bible Study	10:00am	Worship Service	5:30pm
Connection Committee	6:30pm		
Al-Anon	7:00pm	**Sunday, 11/15**	
		Worship Service	8:00am
Wednesday, 11/11		Sunday School	9:20am
TOPS	8:00am	Adult Bible Class	9:30am
Properties Committee	5:30pm	Worship Service	10:30am
Choir Practice	6:45pm	Holida Family Gathering	10:30am
Midweek Classes	6:45pm	Voters Meeting	11:45am

COPIES OF THE 2027 BUDGET
ARE AVAILABLE IN THE OFFICE

WE NEED YOUR HELP!



Construction has begun on the three church entrances. Entrances/exits to our church will vary based on construction, but there will always be at least two entrances/exits available.

What we need are people to stand at these entrances at the beginning of each Saturday and Sunday church service to help direct members and visitors into the church sanctuary. Signs will be posted, but a friendly smile at each temporary entrance will help to ease any concerns.

If you are willing to be at a designated entrance 15 minutes before the service begins, please email or call Pam Wilson or sign up in the Welcome Center. This is only a temporary task and helpers will vary from week to week based on their availability. When construction is complete, we will have three new and inviting entrances/exits to accommodate all folks! The more members we have who are willing to help, the easier the task becomes!
Pam Wilson markpamwilson@msn.com 319-530-1920

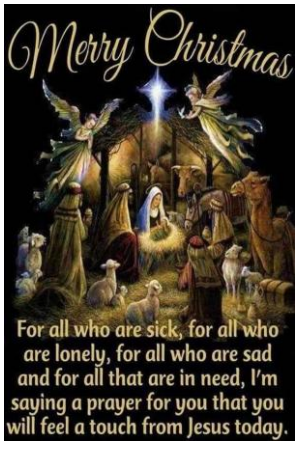
Time to start thinking COOKIES yet?



The **33rd Annual LWML Guild Cookie Walk** will be **Saturday, December 5th, 9:00 am to 11:00.** Please start pulling out your cookbooks or visiting your favorite recipe websites for the cookies you will bake. We would appreciate donations of as many cookies as possible! Workers will be needed on Friday, December 4th and/or Saturday, December 5th. Sign-up sheets are in the Narthex. Posters are available for your office bulletin board or where you shop.

Proceeds from the Cookie Walk will be given to missions. Thank you for your help!

CHRISTMAS CARDS ARE NEEDED AGAIN!!!



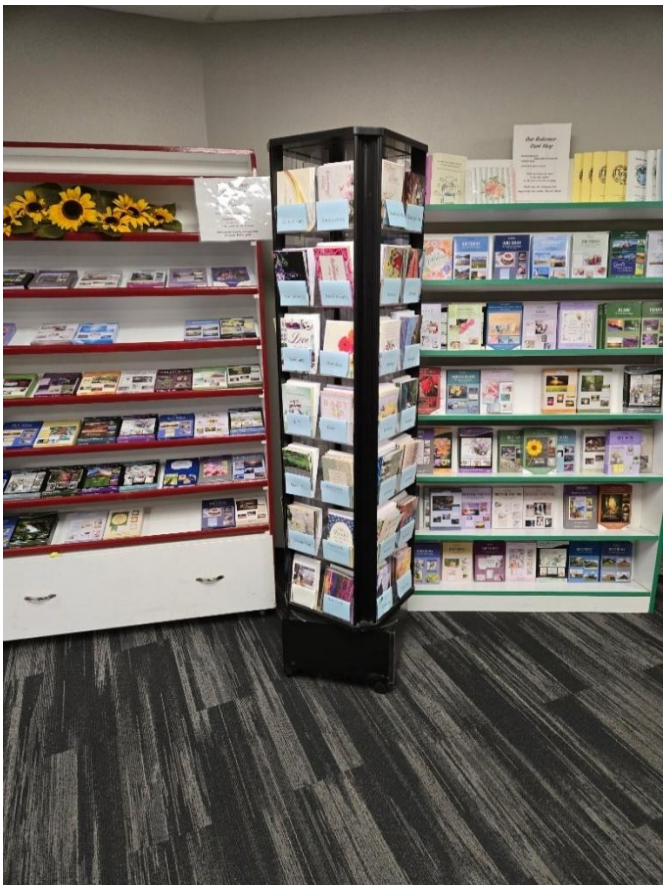
The Outreach Committee is again going to collect Christmas cards to share the Good News of Jesus' birth for residents of local senior and assisted living residents.

We have unsigned cards for you to take but are also in need of more Christmas cards. If you have extra Christmas cards at home, we will use them. We do want the cards to say Merry Christmas and not be just seasonal cards.



Please sign your first name and include "from Our Redeemer Lutheran Church" and place the card in the envelope. You can also add a short encouraging message if you desire. Don't seal the envelope.

Both the unsigned cards and the collection box for signed cards are on the table in the Narthex.



HOLIDAY CARDS ARE IN!!

It will be Holiday Time before we know it!! The card shop is here to help share the Good News.

Thanksgiving cards are available now, with Christmas coming in a few weeks.

Find one to share, put your payment in the black letter box near the card shelves.

Thank you from Our Redeemer LWML.





Thanksgiving Eve Service will be on Wednesday, November 25 at 7:00pm. Don't forget to bring your "Thanks-giving! Thanks-living" pledges for the service.

2026 Silent Mission Auction

The Silent Mission Auction has officially kicked off November 1st and will run till November 22nd! Please see the items on display in the narthex and get your bids recorded. We have a wide variety of items this year. All proceeds will go to upcoming mission trips.

Make plans to join us for the Eswatini Luncheon on November 22, following late service. We will have special guests from the Palm Grove Initiative. This past summer, the mission team was able to work with the Palm Grove Initiative when we were in Eswatini in June. You will not want to miss this luncheon!

Contact Denise Holida at smallgroups@ourredeemer.org or call 319-930-0165 with any questions.

Mission Committee Members
Denise Holida / Anita Nicholson / Val Penney / Bob Powers / Tiffany Roiseland / Lynn Smith (Chair)

MISSION AUCTION ITEMS

A Mighty Fortress etched in wood plaque
Aboriginal boomerang
Airplane ride, 30 minute - Bob Powers
Almond bars - Cynthia Fruendt
Angel food cake made from scratch - Angela Hotz
Angel, porcelain
Apron, oven mitt, potholder w/ lemons on black
Apron, oven mitt, potholder w/oranges on black & white
Baby blanket, crocheted, blue - Carol Schuldt
Baby blanket, crocheted, blue w/hat - Carol Schuldt
Baby blanket, crocheted, pink - Carol Schuldt
Babysitting gift certificate - Roiseland tweens
Banana Bars, 2 pans of homemade - Sharon Hintze
Basket, Christmas Baking
Basket, Cozy Night Christmas
Basket, Family Game Night
Basket, Family Game Night w/ joke books
Basket, game
Basket, Joyful Christmas
Basket, spa
Bell with Arabic script
Blanket, handmade w/flowers
Body wash bucket
Bowl cozies, 2 - Laurel Sellers (3 sets)
Broadway show, SIX, at Hancher- 2 tickets
Bracelet, earth tones
Bulgarian pipe
Bunnykins set of 5
Candy dish, Baleek, made in Ireland
Candy dish, Lenox
Candy dishes, 2, Baleek made in Ireland
Chinese coins
Chinese fan - maroon
Chinese fan - tan & black
Chinese gold-plated ruler
Chinese plaque
Christmas coasters, 10
Christmas light block - blue & silver bow
Christmas light block - elves
Christmas light blocks - red ribbon box
Christmas light blocks - truck & bow
Christmas sun catcher
Christmas tree, white, wooden - Dave & Cynthia Fruendt
Coffee, Geisha
Cookie jar, Snow White & the Seven Dwarfs
Cookie jar, snowman
Copper plate from Columbia
Decorated cookies, Sheila's Sugar Shop
Figurine, Lefton w/umbrella
Four Seasons Car Wash Certificates (3 sets)
Garden rock, blue w/ dragon flies
Garden rock, ladybug
Glass Saucer with blue & gold trim
Granite bird - Zimbabwe
Handcrafted figurines from former USSR
Handmade Christmas ornaments
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Hawkeye book sports set
Hawkeye Men's basketball, 2 tickets
Hawkeye metal garden sign
Hawkeye Women's basketball, 2 tickets
Herb & Lou's $25 Gift card
Homemade coasters - David Bohnsack (4 sets)
Necklace made with church bulletins, Marily Kempnich
Guitar String Cross Necklace, Skip Kempnich
House Cleaning, 4 hours - Cathy Svare
Japanese handerkerchief
Jelly, raspberry - Marilyn Kempnich
Kyrgyzstan hat
Lasagna dinner for 4
Longaberger basket w/maroon liner
Longaberger basket with 3 Panamanian coffees & Panama mug
Longaberger basket, Mother's Day
Longaberger w/ blue striped liner
Longaberger, tissue box
Main Street Sweets $25 Gift Card
Mexican paper mache' men
Nativity, wooden
Necklace w/brooch & bracelet
Necklace w/tree pendant
Panama magnet
Panama shot glass
Pence bagel bundle
Performance Health & Fitness 3 month FIT membership
Photo on metal, Healy, Alaska
Photo on metal, your choice of photo
Pick your hymn Sunday
Pickles - Marilyn Kempnich
Pictures, 3 beaded hymn pictures

Pictures, Santa & Rudolf
Potholders, 2 blue/pink/white & red/white/yellow
Potholders, green & white
Prayer box from Jerusalem
Rum cake - Cathy Svare
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Serving Café $25 Gift card
Shadowbox w/butterfly
Snowman sled
Soap dishes, 2, Baleek made in Ireland
Squishie Basket
Stained glass ornament - Louise Klopp
Stuffies, cloth doll & 3 animals
Sweatered knitted by Nelida Mora, Lutheran Church of Columbia
Tartelett cookies (3 packages)
Tea towels, embroidered set
Tee shirt quilt with 12 of your tee shirts - Beth Benson
The Down Under $25 Gift Card
Tickets for Oklahoma, 4, Coralville Center for the Performing Arts
Wall hanging, painted fan blades, 2
Wind chimes, bird
Wind chimes, sun
Wooden paddle, Bless Oh Lord
Wreath with lights & deer
Wreath with lights & nativity
Wreath with ornaments
Wreath, Reason for the Season

There are over 120 items to bid on! Happy Bidding!

MISSIONARY IN NEED OF TEMPORARY HOUSING

LCMS Missionary Angie Sharp is currently pursuing an online master's degree from the University of Iowa. She will be traveling to Iowa City for required in-person work from **November 30 to either December 7 or 10, 2026**, **and is in need of housing during her stay.**

If you or someone you know is able to assist with lodging, please contact Rev. James Sharp at **james.sharp@lcms.org**. Thank you for your consideration and support of our missionaries!

Our Redeemer Youth Pie Fundraiser

Cost: $15 per pie

Saturday, November 14th
Between 11:00am—12:30pm
In the Fellowship Hall

Dutch Apple
Double Crust Apple

The Youth will be selling homemade unbaked, frozen pies:
Dutch Apple (Crumb Topping) and Double Crust Apple
PLUS: limited quantities of pecan, chocolate, rhubarb, berry, peach, and various other fruit pies while supplies last.

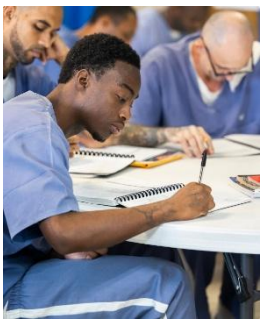


Due to limited freezer space at church, We request for pies to be purchased on Saturday, November 14th, between 11:00am—12:30pm



Prison Fellowship

LWML Meeting
Nov 16, 7PM



Speaker—Carol Holman
Topic—Prison Fellowship Grow (PFG)
Devotions—Cynthia Fruendt
Hostesses—Linda Bonefeld & Beth Hargens

- PFG is a year-long Biblically-based intensive program for incarcerated men and women who seek REAL LASTING CHANGE in their lives.
- This program is facilitated by Christian VOLUNTEERS who serve as the hands and feet of Christ among those in prison, conveying the hope of the Gospel.

What a powerful message we Christians have to share: Jesus said "Come to me, all you who are weary and burdened, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you and learn from me, for I am gentle and humble in heart, and you will find rest for your souls." (Matthew 11:28-29)

Our Redeemer Lutheran Church
Board of Directors Meeting Minutes
October 22, 2026 ~ 7:00pm

Attendance: Jeff Kucera, Bruce Maurer, Barb Pronk, Kennedy Donovan, Kevin Roiseland, Dave Yansky, Mary Robinson, Jim Tiedemann, Pastor Hartwig, Vicar Morse, Kaja Mueller

1. Call to Order, Welcome
2. Opening Devotion—Pastor Hartwig
3. Minutes—Review minutes from last meeting and were approved as written.
4. Treasurer's Report—Kennedy Donovan
    - Update on Cross and Entrance Project
        1. 107 Pledges
        2. $775,000 Pledged
        3. Spent $316,377.09 so far on the project
    - Reduced the Hills bank Loan from $124,000 to $82,800
5. Church Properties—Dave Yansky
   Dave met with electric company to discuss back-up generators for the church, Pastor's house and Vicar's house. This project is in regards to the grant money we applied for.
6. Discussion Item: 2027 Budget
    - Pastor and Vicar explained the budget process.
    - Salaries and Benefits—down $1.00
    - Missions—14% of the total budget.
    - Projected deficit—minus $2,890

   Motion—The Board of directors approved the proposed budget for 2027 as presented and approved by the Board of Elders.

   Kudos—To the LWML and co-chairs Marilyn Albright and Cynthia Fruendt for providing the exceptional meals after funeral for families and friends.

   Prayers and Adjourn—Next meeting November 12, 2026

   Respectfully submitted,
   Barb Pronk

Bible Study & Lunch Bunch

This is just to let everyone know that the Bible Study and Lunch Bunch that occurs on the first and thirds Wednesdays of each month has been permanently cancelled due to lack of people participating.



The winning team…FORGIVEN



Trivia Challenge
October 11, 2026



Plenty of food, fun, laughter and fellowship!










Our Redeemer Lutheran Church
Mission Committee

Eswatini Luncheon
November 22, 2026
12:00-1:30 p.m.

Please join us for a special Eswatini Luncheon as we welcome returning guests from **Palm Grove Initiative (PGI)** in Eswatini: Jessie Osatuyi, RN, and Rachel Parks, RN, MSN.

Many members of our congregation may remember Jessie and Rachel from their visit last fall. We are delighted to have them back and look forward to hearing updates about their ministry and community outreach in Eswatini.

During our Mission Team's travel to Eswatini this past June, several team members had the opportunity to work alongside Jessie and Rachel as they served children with disabilities and their families in rural communities. Their dedication and compassion were an inspiration, and we are grateful for the opportunity to learn more about the important work being done through Palm Grove Initiative.

About Palm Grove Initiative (PGI)
Website: https://palmgroveinitiative.org/

Palm Grove Initiative is a Christian, community-based nonprofit organization serving rural and underserved communities throughout Eswatini. PGI seeks to foster resilient, Christ-centered communities through holistic programs that address physical, emotional, educational, relational, and spiritual well-being.

PGI's mission is to equip and strengthen communities through sustainable, locally led initiatives that respond to ongoing challenges such as poverty, disability, mental health needs, limited educational opportunities, and the continuing impact of HIV/AIDS.

Areas of Ministry and Service

- Youth mentorship and discipleship
- Support for children with disabilities and their families
- Community development and inclusion initiatives
- Training and equipping local caregivers and community workers
- Development of community-based mental health support networks

Through these efforts, PGI empowers individuals and families while building sustainable community capacity. Working closely with local leaders and partners, PGI ensures that programs are culturally responsive, community-driven, and designed for long-term impact.

We hope you will join us to learn more about God's work through Palm Grove Initiative and to hear firsthand how lives are being transformed through faith, service, and partnership in Eswatini.

Preschool Newsletter

November 2--6, 2026

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

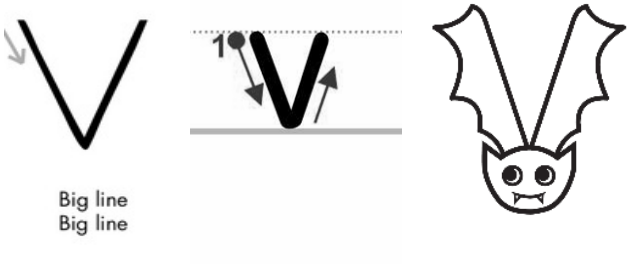
Director/Teacher, Kaja Mueller Assistants, Christie Cherian M/W/F, Erin Dyson T/TH
Preschool Phone: 319-338-3949 www.ourredeemerpreschoolic.org preschool@ourredeemer.org

This Week

Autum Leaves chant
Assessments – sequencing and patterns
Book Orders due
Color song chosen by the Line Leader
Daily question math equation
Fall leaves facts
Felt leaves hide and seek
Fine motor skills-*turkey, pom poms, tongs*
Fire Drill
Jesus Time: The 12 Spies
Leaves books
Leaves to color/paint
Letter Vv— recognize, trace, draw, and sound
Monthly Hallway Turkey craft
Sensory table corn, beans, numbers
Shapes poem
Volcano craft

Dates Coming Up

November 9-No Preschool
November 18-Conferences, No Preschool
November 23 & 25- Fall Program 11:50





Fall Program

It is always fun to see our students share what they know and are learning. Come to the preschool classroom at 11:50 am on November 23 & 24 to see our students sing and say some chants!

Letter Vv Song

(To The Hokey Pokey)

Van puts his violin under his chinny-chin.
He plays it very loud, and he makes his Aunt Vi proud. Vi loves to hear him play, so Van visits her each day. And that's all there is to say!



Fire Drill / Tornado Drill

1. Look at your teacher.
2. Listen to your teacher.
3. Follow your teacher.



<u>Fire Drill</u>
-Go to the playground.



<u>Tornado Drill</u>
-Go to the hallway out our side door.
-Sit down in line.
-Hands on head, in our knees.



Our Redeemer Preschool

Operation Christmas Child

https://www.samaritanspurse.org

We are partnering with Samaritan's Purse for Operation Christmas Child to send gift-filled shoeboxes to children in need around the world. This hands-on project is a beautiful way for our students to learn about generosity, compassion, and sharing God's love. Packing will happen during preschool, bringing a tangible token of joy paired with the message of hope and the Gospel.

Our Project Details & Goal: 10 Boxes
Boxes Donated By: Shoe Dept. Encore at Coral Ridge Mall!
Shipping Covered By: Fully sponsored by a Thrivent Action Team ($10 per box fee is paid)!
In-Class Activity: Shoe box packing will happen during preschool hours.

DONATIONS REQUESTED (PLEASE BRING 10 OF ONE ITEM)

School & Creative Supplies

- Coloring book
- Crayons or markers
- Erasers
- Notebooks (spiral or composition)
- Pencil sharpener
- Pencils (standard graphite or colored pencils)
- Pens (blue, black, or red)
- Stickers

Toys & Activities

- Building Blocks or LEGO sets
- Deflated soccer ball with a manual pump (or a high-quality stuffed animal/doll)
- Fidget toys (like Pop-Its, Slinkys, or a Rubik's cube)
- Stuffed animal (New)
- Toy cars (like Hot Wheels)

Hygiene & Apparel

- Comb or hairbrush
- Fun adhesive bandages (Band-Aids)
- Socks
- Sunglasses
- Toothbrush (Ask your dentist, see if they can donate)
- T-shirt (New)
- Washcloth

Important Information

DONATION DEADLINE: Friday, November 20, 2026
Drop-off Location: Please look for the donation bins and collection flyers in the preschool hallway.
Class Photos and Note: We will include a class photo in each box. If you do NOT want your child's photo included, indicate Yes or No.

Thank you for partnering with us to teach our preschoolers generosity. Please look for the donation bins and collection flyers in the preschool hallway.

Sign Up what you want to donate through this link or scan the QR Code above: https://forms.gle/oMX97G4MCYHe7PydA

Children's Ministry

Birth—5th Grade



To ensure the safety of everyone and to allow construction to proceed efficiently, **certain doors and classrooms will be temporarily closed starting on Friday, October 2, 2026.**

Students in grades 2 through 5 will remain in their classrooms and will not be affected. Please note the following changes, alternative entrances, and temporary classroom locations for Sunday mornings:

- **Best Entrance to use:** Please plan on entering through the **lower level west door, which is being labeled as the C Entrance.**
- **Sunday Morning Classroom Relocations:**
  - **Toddlin'** will move to the **Nursery**.
  - **Preschool Age** will move downstairs to **Room 117.**
  - **Kindergarten & 1st Grade** will move downstairs to **Room 123.**
  - **Confirmation Age** (6th, 7th & 8th Grades) will move downstairs to **Room 112** (Pastor's Wednesday Night Class).
- **Directional Signage:** To help you find your way, temporary signs will be placed throughout the building leading to your temporary classrooms. We hope to have everyone back in their original rooms after the new year. Sunday School Teachers you have full creative freedom over the bulletin boards in your rooms!

We ask for your patience, prayers, and cooperation during this transition period. While these temporary disruptions may require a bit of flexibility, we are incredibly grateful for the blessings brought to us through the **Enter His Courts Ministry Campaign** and look forward to the beautiful completion of the **Cross and Entry Project**.

KIDS CLUB
For children ages:
4 years old—5th grade
Wednesday, 6:45pm, Nov. 11th

Lesson: Andrew



Sunday School

Sunday, November 8th

9:20am

Lesson:
A Telling Truth—Pentecost
Acts 2:1-24



Youth

6th—12th Graders

CONFIRMATION CLASSES

Wednesday, November 11th at 6:45pm

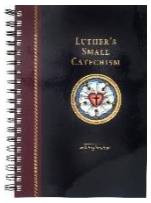
6th Grade (Small Group)
Moses' last days and death



7th Grade (Small Group)
The Ten Commandments
Seventh & Eighth Commandments



8th Grade (Lecture)
Reviewing the Catechism



UPCOMING EVENTS

Saturday/Sunday, November 21st & 22nd
YOUTH LED WORSHIP SERVICES/Noisy Offering

Wednesday, November 25th
THANKSGIVING EVE WORSHIP SERVICE 7:00pm

Sunday, November 29th
Deck the Halls 1:00pm

Sunday School

Sunday, November 8th
9:20am

Lesson:
A Telling Truth—Pentecost
Acts 2:1-24



Saturday, November 14th

PIE SALE

8:00am—Pie Prep

11:00am—Pie Sale



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DEADLINES

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

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, all employees and volunteers, both new and existing, undergo background screening before working with younger members. Performing background checks provides safeguards and peace of mind to our staff, volunteers, parents, youth, and children.