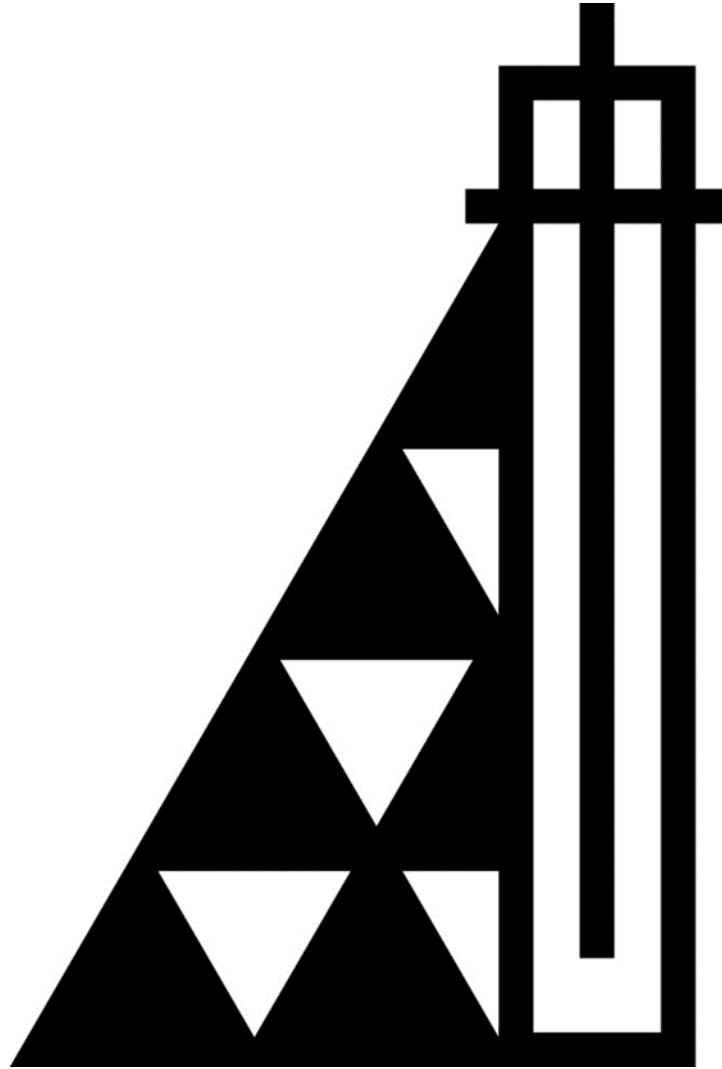


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Confession and Absolution

Opening Hymn: 812 Come, Let Us Join Our Cheerful Songs

Invocation

- P** In the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.
C Amen.

Exhortation

LSB 184

- P** Beloved in the Lord! Let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins unto God our Father, beseeching Him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to grant us forgiveness.
- P** Our help is in the name of the Lord,
C who made heaven and earth.
- P** I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord,
C and You forgave the iniquity of my sin.

Confession of Sins

LSB 184

- P** O almighty God, merciful Father,
C I, a poor, miserable sinner, confess unto You all my sins and iniquities with which I have ever offended You and justly deserved Your temporal and eternal punishment. But I am heartily sorry for them and sincerely repent of them, and I pray You of Your boundless mercy and for the sake of the holy, innocent, bitter sufferings and death of Your beloved Son, Jesus Christ, to be gracious and merciful to me, a poor, sinful being.

Absolution

LSB 185

- P** Upon this your confession, I, by virtue of my office, as a called and ordained servant of the Word, announce the grace of God unto all of you, and in the stead and by the command of my Lord Jesus Christ I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.
- C** Amen.

Service of the Word

Introit

Psalm 28:1–2, 6–7; antiphon: v. 8



The LORD is the strength of his | people; *
he is the saving refuge of his a- | nointed.
To you, O LORD, I call; my rock, be not | deaf to me, *
lest, if you be silent to me, I become like those who go down | to the
pit.
Hear the voice of my pleas for mercy, when I cry to | you for help, *
when I lift up my hands toward your most holy sanctu- | ary.
Blessèd | be the LORD! *
For he has heard the voice of my pleas for | mercy.
The LORD is my strength and my shield; in him my heart trusts, and | I
am helped; *
my heart exults, and with my song I give | thanks to him.
**Glory be to the Father and | to the Son *
and to the Holy | Spirit;
as it was in the be- | ginning, *
is now, and will be forever. | Amen.**
The LORD is the strength of his | people; *
he is the saving refuge of his a- | nointed.

Gloria Patri

LSB 186

**☐ Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost;
as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world
without end. Amen.**

Kyrie

LSB 186

**☐ Lord, have mercy upon us.
Christ, have mercy upon us.
Lord, have mercy upon us.**

Gloria in Excelsis

LSB 187

P Glory be to God on high:

C and on earth peace, goodwill toward men.

We praise Thee, we bless Thee, we worship Thee,
we glorify Thee, we give thanks to Thee, for Thy great glory.

O Lord God, heav'nly King, God the Father Almighty.

O Lord, the only-begotten Son, Jesus Christ;

O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,

that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us.

Thou that takest away the sin of the world, receive our prayer.

Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father, have
mercy upon us.

For Thou only art holy; Thou only art the Lord.

Thou only, O Christ, with the Holy Ghost,

art most high in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

Salutation and Collect of the Day

P The Lord be with you.

C And with thy spirit.

P Let us pray.

O Lord, let Your merciful ears be open to the prayers of Your
humble servants and grant that what they ask may be in accord with
Your gracious will; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who
lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and
forever.

C Amen.

Old Testament Reading

Isaiah 35:4–7a

⁴Say to those who have an anxious heart,

“Be strong; fear not!

Behold, your God

will come with vengeance,
with the recompense of God.

He will come and save you.”

⁵Then the eyes of the blind shall be opened,
and the ears of the deaf unstopped;

⁶then shall the lame man leap like a deer,
and the tongue of the mute sing for joy.
For waters break forth in the wilderness,
and streams in the desert;
⁷the burning sand shall become a pool,
and the thirsty ground springs of water.

A This is the Word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

Epistle

James 2:1–10, 14–18

¹My brothers, show no partiality as you hold the faith in our Lord Jesus Christ, the Lord of glory. ²For if a man wearing a gold ring and fine clothing comes into your assembly, and a poor man in shabby clothing also comes in, ³and if you pay attention to the one who wears the fine clothing and say, “You sit here in a good place,” while you say to the poor man, “You stand over there,” or, “Sit down at my feet,” ⁴have you not then made distinctions among yourselves and become judges with evil thoughts? ⁵Listen, my beloved brothers, has not God chosen those who are poor in the world to be rich in faith and heirs of the kingdom, which he has promised to those who love him? ⁶But you have dishonored the poor man. Are not the rich the ones who oppress you, and the ones who drag you into court? ⁷Are they not the ones who blaspheme the honorable name by which you were called?

⁸If you really fulfill the royal law according to the Scripture, “You shall love your neighbor as yourself,” you are doing well. ⁹But if you show partiality, you are committing sin and are convicted by the law as transgressors. ¹⁰For whoever keeps the whole law but fails in one point has become accountable for all of it. . . .

¹⁴What good is it, my brothers, if someone says he has faith but does not have works? Can that faith save him? ¹⁵If a brother or sister is poorly clothed and lacking in daily food, ¹⁶and one of you says to them, “Go in peace, be warmed and filled,” without giving them the things needed for the body, what good is that? ¹⁷So also faith by itself, if it does not have works, is dead.

¹⁸But someone will say, “You have faith and I have works.” Show me your faith apart from your works, and I will show you my faith by my works.

A This is the Word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

Alleluia

LSB 190

C Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia.

Holy Gospel

Mark 7:31–37

P The Holy Gospel according to St. Mark, the seventh chapter.

C Glory be to Thee, O Lord.

³¹Then he returned from the region of Tyre and went through Sidon to the Sea of Galilee, in the region of the Decapolis. ³²And they brought to him a man who was deaf and had a speech impediment, and they begged him to lay his hand on him. ³³And taking him aside from the crowd privately, he put his fingers into his ears, and after spitting touched his tongue. ³⁴And looking up to heaven, he sighed and said to him, “Ephphatha,” that is, “Be opened.” ³⁵And his ears were opened, his tongue was released, and he spoke plainly. ³⁶And Jesus charged them to tell no one. But the more he charged them, the more zealously they proclaimed it. ³⁷And they were astonished beyond measure, saying, “He has done all things well. He even makes the deaf hear and the mute speak.”

P This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C Praise be to Thee, O Christ.

Nicene Creed

C I believe in one God,
the Father Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth
and of all things visible and invisible.
And in one Lord Jesus Christ,

**the only-begotten Son of God,
begotten of His Father before all worlds,
God of God, Light of Light,
very God of very God,
begotten, not made,
being of one substance with the Father,
by whom all things were made;
who for us men and for our salvation came down from
heaven
and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary
and was made man;
and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate.
He suffered and was buried.
And the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures
and ascended into heaven
and sits at the right hand of the Father.
And He will come again with glory to judge both the living
and the dead,
whose kingdom will have no end.
And I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the Lord and giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,
who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and
glorified,
who spoke by the prophets.
And I believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church,
I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins,
and I look for the resurrection of the dead
and the life ✠ of the world to come. Amen.**

Hymn: 797 Praise the Almighty

Sermon

Votum

- P** The peace of God, which passes all understanding, keep your hearts and minds in Christ Jesus.
- C** Amen.

Offertory

LSB 192

- C** Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within me.

Cast me not away from Thy presence, and take not Thy Holy Spirit from me.

Restore unto me the joy of Thy salvation, and uphold me with Thy free spirit. Amen.

Offering

Prayers of the Church

Service of the Sacrament

Preface

LSB 194

- P** The Lord be with you.
- C** And with thy spirit.

- P** Lift up your hearts.
- C** We lift them up unto the Lord.

- P** Let us give thanks unto the Lord, our God.
- C** It is meet and right so to do.

Proper Preface (Full)

- P** It is truly meet, right, and salutary that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, holy Lord, almighty Father, everlasting God, through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who, out of love for His fallen creation, humbled Himself by taking on the form of a servant, becoming obedient unto death, even death upon a cross. Risen from the dead, He has freed us from eternal death and given

us life everlasting. Therefore with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven we laud and magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising You and saying:

Sanctus

LSB 195

**☩ Holy, holy, holy Lord God of Sabaoth;
heav'n and earth are full of Thy glory.
Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is He, blessed is He, blessed is He that cometh in the
name of the Lord.
Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna in the highest.**

Lord's Prayer

LSB 196

☩ Our Father who art in heaven,
hallowed be Thy name,
Thy kingdom come,
Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven;
give us this day our daily bread;
and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass
against us;
and lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.

**☩ For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever
and ever. Amen.**

The Words of Our Lord

LSB 197

☩ Our Lord Jesus Christ, on the night when He was betrayed, took bread, and when He had given thanks, He broke it and gave it to the disciples and said: "Take, eat; this is My ✠ body, which is given for you. This do in remembrance of Me."

In the same way also He took the cup after supper, and when He had given thanks, He gave it to them, saying: "Drink of it, all of you; this cup is the new testament in My ✠ blood, which is shed for you for the forgiveness of sins. This do, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me."

Pax Domini

LSB 197

- P** The peace of the Lord be with you always.
C Amen.

Agnus Dei

LSB 198

- C** O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us.
O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us.
O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world, grant us Thy peace. Amen.

Distribution

Distribution Hymns:

- 852 O God of Mercy, God of Might
524 How Sweet the Name of Jesus Sounds
867 Let Children Hear the Mighty Deeds

Nunc Dimittis

LSB 199

- C** Lord, now lettest Thou Thy servant depart in peace according to Thy word,
for mine eyes have seen Thy salvation, which Thou hast prepared before the face of all people,
a light to lighten the Gentiles and the glory of Thy people Israel.
Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost;
as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

Thanksgiving

LSB 200

- A** O give thanks unto the Lord, for He is good,
C and His mercy endureth forever.

Post-Communion Collect

A Let us pray.

We give thanks to You, almighty God, that You have refreshed us through this salutary gift, and we implore You that of Your mercy You would strengthen us through the same in faith toward You and in fervent love toward one another; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C Amen.

Salutation

LSB 201

P The Lord be with you.

C And with thy spirit.

Benedicamus

LSB 202

A Bless we the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

Benediction

LSB 202

P The Lord bless you and keep you.

The Lord make His face shine upon you and be gracious unto you.

The Lord lift up His countenance upon you and ✠ give you peace.

C Amen, amen, amen.

Closing Hymn: 725 Children of the Heavenly Father

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Worship Times: Sunday at 9:00 A.M. & Monday at 6:00 P.M.

Welcome

We are glad that you have joined us today as we worship our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. If you have any questions during worship, please feel free to ask an usher at any time.

Small children are part of the Body of Christ. We always welcome them in worship. However, we understand that it may not be easy to remain still or quiet. If a break is needed, “Busy Bags” are hanging up as you enter the Sanctuary.

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Keith & Laurie Magyar

Altar Flowers
Presented to the Glory of God by Janice Troullier and family in
memory of Milt.

Prayers



This Week at Redeemer

Sunday, September 8th

9:00 am Worship (Blessing of Teachers)

Fellowship

Sunday School & Bible Study Begins

Monday, September 9th

6:00 pm Worship

Tuesday, September 10th

8:15 am Finance

9:00 am Adult Bible Study

Wednesday, September 11th

Thursday, September 12th

6:30 pm Executive Board Meeting

Friday, September 13th

Saturday, September 14th

Sunday, September 15th

9:00 am Worship

Fellowship

10:00 am Bible Study & Sunday School

Last Week Attendance: 60

Last Week Offering: \$3,762

Statement on Holy Communion

The Lord's Supper is joyfully received here every weekend and on other holy days. At the altar, our Lord Jesus Christ delivers His true body and blood into our mouths. His gift of body and blood, given in, with, and under the bread and wine, bestows tremendous benefits. His body and blood forgives our sins, strengthens our faith, binds us to the Lord, and unites us with each other. In this is life and salvation.

All members of the Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod have publicly confessed this sacred gift and its blessings, and so are encouraged to commune. Other guests wishing to join our confession and receive this Holy Sacrament are asked to meet with a pastor before communing for the first time. When you have examined yourself according to Christ's bidding (1 Corinthians 11:17-34), come to His Supper rejoicing, just as Jesus asks, knowing that our Lord meets you at His altar with joy. Those coming to the altar for a blessing rather than the Holy Supper are asked to cross their arms over their chest.

Pastor Huehn's Installation

We are very excited to announce that Pastor Huehn will be installed at Redeemer on October 27th at 4:00pm. District President Rev. Eric Skovgaard will be preaching and a reception will follow the service. We would love to see as many congregation members as possible to help us celebrate this joyous occasion.

An Update on our Pipe Organ

We have been in touch with Peters, Weiland and Company (Organbuilders out of Milwaukee) to do some repairs to our organ, as well as to install a system called 'Substitute Organ Service' (or SOS). This program allows us to choose our hymns, liturgy, and service music off their site, and then they prepare and produce the order of service which is played back on our own organ. While our preference will always be for an organist to play for us during our services, this is an outstanding alternative that will certainly come in handy in the future. We are still several weeks out from this being installed, but watch the bulletin for updates.

Our New Vacancy Pastor and a Thank You to Pastor Schmitt

Rev. Donald Krause, a very familiar face at Redeemer, will be assuming the lead Vacancy Pastor role effective immediately - and until the arrival of Pastor Huehn. Assisting him will be Pastor Kilps. Not only are we incredibly grateful for these men and their continued service to Redeemer, but we also are equally as grateful to Pastor Schmitt who has been an invaluable aid to the church, the congregation, the executive board and the call committee. His guidance, patience and care helped us manage the vacancy and no doubt his presence uplifted Redeemer and our congregation. God has wonderful servants in these men and we are blessed to have them with us.

Pastor Huehn's Request for Housing Assistance

Pastor Huehn and his family are searching for housing - and should anyone in the congregation be in the real estate business, or are close friends with someone that might be able to help - please contact Michael Gregurich or a member of the Board. They are looking to rent for the first year (although open to looking at all options) and would need at least a 3 bedroom, 2 bathroom house - preferably with a 2 car attached garage. If you know of anything that is available along these lines, please let us know.

Bible Study Schedule

Adult Bible Study will be on Tuesdays at 9:00am and will begin on Tuesday, September 10th. Bible study on Sundays will begin September 8th (today!) after worship.

Catechism Update

Please watch the bulletins for updates regarding Confirmation. We will be waiting for Pastor Huehn's arrival to determine class days/times.

Scholarships Available (Application forms at the Welcome Center)

- Frailing Scholarships are available for female students studying for careers in either health care or education. Please use the white application form.
- Redeemer Scholarships are given to members of Redeemer who plan for careers in the ministry of the Lutheran Church - Missouri Synod as pastors, directors of Christian education or parochial school teachers. Use the orange application form.

Deadline is September 9th,2024

Second Time Singles

- Second Time Singles will hold their last picnic of the year on Wednesday, September 18th at 11:30am at Lincoln Park Cabin #1 area. Bring your lunch, beverage and a lawn chair. Dessert will be provided. In case of inclement weather, meet at church at 12 noon.
 - Our October get-together will be Wednesday, October 16th. We will attend the Art of Tablesettings exhibit at the Rahr-West Art Museum. The exhibit this year is a special one as it is the 50th anniversary of this event. There will be 50 tables **on** display including some that are based on Ruth West's originals. After seeing the exhibit we will go out for lunch. Meet at the museum at 10:30 am. Please sign up by Tuesday, October 8th so reservations can be made for lunch. Questions to Joanne Thompson at (920) 684-7152.
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Youth Game Nights

Game night will be the first and third Wednesdays of the month. 6-7pm at Redeemer. The youth who brings the correct answer to the puzzle for September will get a prize:

Haiku from Isaiah 29:
And the poor among
Mankind shall exalt in the
Holy of _____.

Sunday School Begins Sept. 8!

You are invited to Sunday School! Classes start on Sunday, September 8th and we will meet every week after Sunday morning worship service until about 11:00 am. Sunday School classes are available for ages 3K through high school.

National Youth Gathering - Commitment Deadline EXTENDED

The LCMS NYG takes place next July, and eligible teens don't want to miss out! We are hoping to take a group of interested youth for the event that happens every three years. Eligible youth are finishing 8th grade through senior year of high school. Registration for the lowest price is November 1st, so we are finalizing our list of participants by September 30, 2024. This allows time to prepare registration forms, plan fundraising goals, and organize church related events with the full group planning to attend the gathering. Please reach out to Amy Kamien via email amy.kamien@gmail.com or phone 920-973-7139 with any questions related to the NYG. Hoping many can join us for fun and faith in New Orleans, LA!

NYG Participants - Additional Important Dates:

Sunday, September 29th: Host fellowship snacks after church

Monday, October 7th: Paperwork, Payment, and Planning Session

Thank You Cards for Pastor Hirssig

As you enter the Sanctuary, you will see a box to place cards in for Pastor Hirssig, to thank him for his 25 years of service to the Lord. It will be there for 2 weeks and any cards or notes of thanks are most welcome. Thank you Pastor Hirssig for your years of service, prayers, and love for our Savior Jesus.

September Book Club

Redeemer's Book Club will be meeting at church on Saturday, September 21st at 9 am and Thursday, September 26th at 1 pm. Books are available for sign out at the welcome center. All interested readers are welcome. Any questions, call Lisa Battin 920-323-6456.

Senior Choir & Handbells

Senior Choir and Handbells are now beginning rehearsals for the fall months. Now is the perfect time for new members to join in the singing and ringing for our upcoming 2024-2025 worship services.

Senior Choir meets on Sunday mornings at 8:00 a.m. prior to the Sunday morning service in the conference room. The first Sunday rehearsal will be held September 15th.

Handbells will meet on Wednesday evenings from 6:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. in the church sanctuary beginning on September 18th.

Also, any instrumentalist or vocalist who might like to play or sing an anthem during a church service should contact Pastor or Gary Neustadter at 920-242-6489.

Portals of Prayer

The October-December Portals of Prayer booklets are now available at the welcome center.

Sunday Fellowship

Sunday fellowship is beginning again. Any individual, family or group can sign up to bring treats. The sign-up sheet is at the Welcome Center. If you would just like to help serve, there will be cookies in the kitchen as well as juice or a powdered drink. Thank you!

Lutheran Missionary to Speak on Outreach

A Lutheran Missionary is coming to Good Shepherd in Two Rivers on September 22nd to speak on 'Outreach' at the 9:15am service and then for about an hour after the service. If anyone is interested in attending, please contact Pam Horgan (815-347-8893) as they would like a headcount for those able to attend.