



~ GUIDED BY FAITH ~

Thursday & Sunday, October 9 & 12, 2025

10:45 AM Pre-Service Song “Arms That Hold The Universe”

✂ PREPARATION ✂

6:30 PM & 8:15 AM Opening Hymn “I Lay My Sins on Jesus”
LSB 606

10:45 AM Opening Song “Blessed Be Your Name”

Invocation

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

Opening Sentences *Psalms 111:1–8*

P: Praise the LORD! I will give thanks to the LORD with my whole heart, in the company of the upright, in the congregation.

C: Great are the works of the LORD, studied by all who delight in them.

P: Full of splendor and majesty is His work, and His righteousness endures forever.

C: He has caused His wondrous works to be remembered; the LORD is gracious and merciful.

P: He provides food for those who fear Him; He remembers His covenant forever.

C: He has shown His people the power of His works, in giving them the inheritance of the nations.

P: The works of His hands are faithful and just; all His precepts are trustworthy;

C: they are established forever and ever, to be performed with faithfulness and uprightness.

Confession and Absolution

P: As we come before the Lord with humble and contrite hearts, we hear the words of encouragement from Paul to young Timothy: “You then, my child, be strengthened by the grace that is in Christ Jesus.”

C: God of grace, we ask Your forgiveness for the times we seek strength away from where You promise to be present with Your Word and in Your means of grace, and for the times we have not desired the grace found in Christ Jesus, our Lord.

P: "Share in suffering as a good soldier of Christ Jesus."

C: We confess we have chosen the easy way out when our following and serving of Jesus becomes difficult for our lives, forsaking Your name and the name You have given us in Baptism.

P: "Remember Jesus Christ, risen from the dead."

C: We confess we have not remembered the victory Jesus Christ has won for us over sin, death, and the devil, through His sacrificial death and rising from the dead. Because of this, we have not loved You with all our heart, soul, and strength, and have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us so that we may delight in Your will and walk in Your ways to the glory of Your holy name. Amen.

P: The saying is trustworthy, for: If we have died with Him,

C: we will also live with Him;

P: if we endure, we will also reign with Him;

C: if we deny Him, He also will deny us;

P: if we are faithless, **C: He remains faithful—for He cannot deny Himself.**

P: Our faithful God, the one almighty God, in His mercy, has given His Son to die for you and for His sake forgives you all your sins. As a called and ordained servant of Christ and by His authority, I therefore forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit. **C: Amen.**

P: He sent redemption to His people; He has commanded His covenant forever. **C: Holy and awesome is His name!**

P: The fear of the LORD is the beginning of wisdom; all those who practice it have a good understanding. **C: His praise endures forever!**

✠ WORD ✠

6:30 PM & 8:15 AM Hymn of Praise "Holy Spirit, Light Divine" *LSB* 496

10:45 AM Song of Praise "10,000 Reasons (Bless the Lord)"

Salutation

P: The Lord be with you. **C: And also with you.**

Prayer of the Day

P: Let us pray. Almighty God, in times of suffering, You invite Your people to call upon You in the day of trouble, for You will deliver and Your people will glorify You. In our times of need, be with us.

C: As we follow and bear Your name in our lives and in our witness, through Your Spirit enliven our faith that we may be strengthened by the grace that is in Christ Jesus, who we are called to always remember is risen from the dead; Amen.

Old Testament Reading *Exodus 1:22—2:15; 3:1–4, 14, 16–17; 11:10; 12:29–30, 51; 13:18–19; 14:9, 21, 26–28, 30–31*

L: Then Pharaoh commanded all his people, “Every son that is born to the Hebrews you shall cast into the Nile, but you shall let every daughter live.” Now a man from the house of Levi went and took as his wife a Levite woman. The woman conceived and bore a son, and when she saw that he was a fine child, she hid him three months. When she could hide him no longer, she took for him a basket made of bulrushes and daubed it with bitumen and pitch. She put the child in it and placed it among the reeds by the river bank. And his sister stood at a distance to know what would be done to him. Now the daughter of Pharaoh came down to bathe at the river, while her young women walked beside the river. She saw the basket among the reeds and sent her servant woman, and she took it. When she opened it, she saw the child, and behold, the baby was crying. She took pity on him and said,

C: “This is one of the Hebrews’ children.”

L: Then his sister said to Pharaoh’s daughter,

C: “Shall I go and call you a nurse from the Hebrew women to nurse the child for you?”

L: And Pharaoh’s daughter said to her, **C: “Go.”**

L: So the girl went and called the child’s mother. And Pharaoh’s daughter said to her,

C: “Take this child away and nurse him for me, and I will give you your wages.”

L: So the woman took the child and nursed him. When the child grew up, she brought him to Pharaoh’s daughter, and he became her son. She named him Moses,

C: “Because,” she said, “I drew him out of the water.”

L: One day, when Moses had grown up, he went out to his people and looked on their burdens, and he saw an Egyptian beating a Hebrew, one of his people. He looked this way and that, and seeing no one, he struck down the Egyptian and hid him in the sand. When he went out the next day, behold, two Hebrews were struggling together. And he said to the man in the wrong,

C: “Why do you strike your companion?”

L: He answered, “Who made you a prince and a judge over us? Do you mean to kill me as you killed the Egyptian?” Then Moses was afraid, and thought, “Surely the thing is known.” When Pharaoh heard of it, he sought to kill Moses. But Moses fled from Pharaoh and stayed in the land of Midian. And he sat down by a well. Now Moses was keeping the flock of his father-in-law, Jethro, the priest of Midian, and he led his flock to the west side of the wilderness and came to Horeb, the mountain of God. And the angel of the LORD appeared to him in a flame of fire out of the midst of a bush. He looked, and behold, the bush was burning, yet it was not consumed. And Moses said,

C: “I will turn aside to see this great sight, why the bush is not burned.”

L: When the LORD saw that he turned aside to see, God called to him out of the bush, **C: “Moses, Moses!”**

L: And he said, “Here I am.” God said to Moses, **C: “I AM WHO I AM.”**

L: And he said, **C: “Say this to the people of Israel, ‘I AM has sent me to you.’”**

L: Go and gather the elders of Israel together and say to them, ‘The LORD, the God of your fathers, the God of Abraham, of Isaac, and of Jacob, has appeared to me, saying,

C: “I have observed you and what has been done to you in Egypt, and I promise that I will bring you up out of the affliction of Egypt to the land of the Canaanites, the Hittites, the Amorites, the Perizzites, the Hivites, and the Jebusites, a land flowing with milk and honey.”

L: Moses and Aaron did all these wonders before Pharaoh, and the LORD hardened Pharaoh’s heart, and he did not let the people of Israel go out of his land. At midnight the LORD struck down all the firstborn in the land of Egypt, from the firstborn of

Pharaoh who sat on his throne to the firstborn of the captive who was in the dungeon, and all the firstborn of the livestock. And Pharaoh rose up in the night, he and all his servants and all the Egyptians. And there was a great cry in Egypt, for there was not a house where someone was not dead. And on that very day the LORD brought the people of Israel out of the land of Egypt by their hosts. But God led the people around by the way of the wilderness toward the Red Sea. And the people of Israel went up out of the land of Egypt equipped for battle. Moses took the bones of Joseph with him, for Joseph had made the sons of Israel solemnly swear, saying,

C: “God will surely visit you, and you shall carry up my bones with you from here.”

L: The Egyptians pursued them, all Pharaoh’s horses and chariots and his horsemen and his army, and overtook them encamped at the sea, by Pi-hahiroth, in front of Baal-zephon. Then Moses stretched out his hand over the sea, and the LORD drove the sea back by a strong east wind all night and made the sea dry land, and the waters were divided. Then the LORD said to Moses,

C: “Stretch out your hand over the sea, that the water may come back upon the Egyptians, upon their chariots, and upon their horsemen.”

L: So Moses stretched out his hand over the sea, and the sea returned to its normal course when the morning appeared. And as the Egyptians fled into it, the LORD threw the Egyptians into the midst of the sea. The waters returned and covered the chariots and the horsemen; of all the host of Pharaoh that had followed them into the sea, not one of them remained. Thus the LORD saved Israel that day from the hand of the Egyptians, and Israel saw the Egyptians dead on the seashore. Israel saw the great power that the LORD used against the Egyptians, so the people feared the LORD, and they believed in the LORD and in his servant Moses.

L: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

Epistle Hebrews 11:23–29

(after the reading)...

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8:15 AM & 10:45 AM Special Music “This I Pray” by Jay
Althouse. Performed by Adult Choir

L: Please rise as you are able for the reading of the Holy Gospel.

Verse

P: Alleluia, alleluia! **C: Now even more the report about Him went abroad, and great crowds gathered to hear Him and to be healed of their infirmities.** P: Alleluia, alleluia!

Holy Gospel *Luke 22:7–23*

P: The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the twenty-second chapter.

C: Glory to You, O Lord.

P: Then came the day of Unleavened Bread, on which the Passover lamb had to be sacrificed. So Jesus sent Peter and John, saying, “Go and prepare the Passover for us, that we may eat it.” They said to him, “Where will you have us prepare it?” He said to them, “Behold, when you have entered the city, a man carrying a jar of water will meet you. Follow him into the house that he enters and tell the master of the house, ‘The Teacher says to you, Where is the guest room, where I may eat the Passover with my disciples?’ And he will show you a large upper room furnished; prepare it there.” And they went and found it just as he had told them, and they prepared the Passover. And when the hour came, he reclined at table, and the apostles with him. And he said to them,

C: “I have earnestly desired to eat this Passover with you before I suffer. For I tell you I will not eat it until it is fulfilled in the kingdom of God.”

P: And he took a cup, and when he had given thanks he said,

C: “Take this, and divide it among yourselves. For I tell you that from now on I will not drink of the fruit of the vine until the kingdom of God comes.”

P: And he took bread, and when he had given thanks, he broke it and gave it to them, saying,

C: “This is my body, which is given for you. Do this in remembrance of me.”

P: And likewise the cup after they had eaten, saying,

C: “This cup that is poured out for you is the new covenant in my blood. But behold, the hand of him who betrays me is with

me on the table. For the Son of Man goes as it has been determined, but woe to that man by whom he is betrayed!"

P: And they began to question one another, which of them it could be who was going to do this.

P: This is the Gospel of the Lord. **C: Praise to You, O Christ.**

Children's Message & Celebrate Song 🎵

6:30 PM & 8:15 AM Hymn of the Day "Come, You Faithful, Raise the Strain" *LSB 487*

10:45 AM Sermon Song "I Can Only Imagine"

Sermon

Prayer of the Church

P: (*after each request*)... As we remember Jesus Christ, risen from the dead, **C: hear our prayer, for You remain faithful.**

Offering & Attendance/Involvement Cards

6:30 PM & 8:15 AM Offertory Hymn "Lord of Glory, You have Bought Us" *LSB 851*

Lord's Prayer

Closing Sentences

P: Be strengthened by the grace that is in Christ Jesus.

C: Remember Jesus Christ, risen from the dead.

P: Share in suffering as a good soldier of Christ Jesus.

C: Remember Jesus Christ, risen from the dead.

P: If we have died with Him, we will also live with Him; if we endure, we will also reign with Him; if we deny Him, He also will deny us; if we are faithless, He remains faithful—for He cannot deny Himself.

C: Remember Jesus Christ, risen from the dead.

Benediction

P: The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord make His face shine on you and be gracious to you. The Lord look upon you with favor and give you peace. **C: Amen.**

6:30 PM & 8:15 AM Closing Song "Now All the Vault of Heaven Resounds" *LSB 465*

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Welcome! A cordial welcome to everyone worshipping with us today. We are happy to have you share the joy of this Lord's Day with us. A special welcome to those worshipping with us for the first time. If you are looking for a church home and would like to know more about our congregation, please speak to a pastor after service or call the church at 712.276.1125.

Our worship services will continue to be available, traditional &/or contemporary, on our website: www.redeemersiouxcity.com or you can like us on Facebook or find us on YouTube.

Children's Bulletins and Quiet Bags are in the back of the church. Please place the Quiet Bags in the plastic container (next to the bags) when finished. Thank You!

Large-Print Bulletins and hearing devices are available from Ushers.

Just a reminder that we welcome prayer requests through our church email: redemerchurchsc@gmail.com. You don't have to be a member to request prayers.

If you would like to give a charitable donation, you may drop off at the church or mail to RLC, 3204 S. Lakeport, Sioux City, IA 51106.

Please stop by Care Corner to sign a ***Birthday*** card for Jacquelin Leamer.

Anniversary cards for Dale & Tina Revell and Randy & Jennifer Dolphin - both celebrating 25 years together.

Wedding card for Autumn (Campbell) & Preston Marsh.

Altar Flowers (1) are given by Gary & Eileen Bumsted in honor of Gary's 85th birthday.

Altar Flowers (2) are given by Carl & Marlene Weil in honor of their 66th anniversary.

Pastor Senstad will be at *Whispering Creek Senior Living* on the 15th at 10:00 a.m. for devotions. Please share with folks that you think would benefit from this information.

Coming Soon: 'GIVE AS YOU ARE BLESSED'
(Guided by the Tithe)

**When we give faithfully and generously,
we mirror the true nature of God.**

"For God so loved the world, that He gave His only Son, that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have eternal life" (John 3:16).



Youth Connect Online Store is Open! We are excited to announce that **Youth Connect now has an online store through Wall of Fame!** You'll find **T-Shirts, Sweatshirts, and Baseball Caps** available for purchase.

📱 **Simply scan the QR code below to shop our store.**

🛒 You can choose to have your order shipped directly to your home **or** pick it up at Wall of Fame. Show your support and wear your Youth Connect gear proudly!

Trunk-or-Treat at Redeemer: Join us for our annual **Trunk-or-Treat** on **Sunday, October 26th from 1:00–3:00pm!** Bring your family and friends for an afternoon of fun and fellowship. We'll have:

- Candy-filled trunks
- Free **hotdogs, s'mores, and hot chocolate** (while supplies last)
- **Hayrack rides** for all ages!

Come in costume, bring your sweet tooth, and enjoy a safe and festive fall celebration with our church family.

Iowa District West Sr. Youth Gathering November 21st–23rd | Holiday Inn Des Moines Airport Hotel: All High School students are invited to join us for the 2025 Iowa District West Sr. Youth Gathering! This exciting weekend is packed with fun activities, inspiring worship, and opportunities to grow in faith and friendship. **Mark your calendars and make plans to attend—don't miss out!**

The Elders of Redeemer will be hosting a ‘Prayer Vigil’ on Sunday, October 26 from 2-4 pm in the sanctuary. We will be taking prayer requests that you can submit to the office, or to any of the pastors or elders. These prayers will be included in a prayer booklet that will be provided. Please consider stopping by on that afternoon and spending as much time as you would like. This will be a great time of the year to prepare for the *Thanksgiving, Advent, and Christmas* seasons that will be right around the corner! God’s Blessings.

No more steaks. Selected large & small Pies and canned items are available. October proceeds will go to Redeemer LWML projects as they determine, etc. November proceeds will support our missionary family: JJ Wolf. December proceeds will support Bibi’s Hope Orphanage. Thanks so much for your support in these projects.

Lutheran Woman’s Fall Quarterly Magazines are here! Pick up a copy on the counter at the back of the Sanctuary.

LWML ‘Women Serving in Christ’ - Thursday, October 16th, 1:00 PM, Fellowship/Parish Hall- Bible Study: *“Let Us BE Your Hands and Feet”* pg. 19 Fall 2025 Quarterly. Bible Study Leader & Host- Lorelee Fink. Join us for fellowship and studying God’s word. Everyone is welcome!

Women’s Morning Bible Study- Wednesday, October 22nd, 10:00 AM, Conference Room. Bible Study: “Forgiveness”- Lesson 6 ‘Forgiving Injustices and Persecution’ pgs 172-184. Questions contact Jackie Krueger.

Women’s Evening Bible Study – Wednesday, October. 22nd, 5:30 PM, at Oscar Carl Vineyard. Bible Study “Leaning on Jesus” A Study of God’s Strength. Week 2: *‘Leaning on Jesus When We Don’t Understand’* pgs. 51-68. Questions or topic request contact Tawnya or Michaela Uhl to acquire a book.

Once again, this November, we will be recognizing our “Hero’s”. Please submit a picture, brief military bio, and identify your name and

relationship (i.e. spouse, daughter, son, etc.) to the Veteran or Active Military person. **Submit photo and information to kruegej@yahoo.com or put in church mailbox #230 by November 3.** All those submitted last year will be included.

2025 MATER DEI PARISH – Vendor & Craft Fair featuring local craft artists and vendors. **Saturday, October 18, 2025, 9:00 AM-2 PM** in the Nativity Parish gym (4241 Natalia Way, Sioux City, IA). No admission charge. Lunch available. There will be door prizes and a quilt will be raffled.



Tour of Steeples (Friday, December 5th: 4-7 PM & Saturday, December 6th: 10 AM-3 PM). 20+ local churches will be open to the public for you to come and go. This event is free to the public. A free-will donation can be dropped at any participating church.

(Donations will be split between the 'Soup Kitchen' and 'Warming Shelter') Each church will have a map with the list of churches to take on your tour. For more information: Scan QR Code, Facebook/Tour of Steeples, or call 712-898-9349/712-276-3346.

The October – December 'Portals of Prayer' are now available! Stop by the South Entrance or office and get your copy today! Thanks!

Time to start saving your Hy-Vee receipts for KinderCottage Preschool!! All receipts from Sioux City or South Sioux City stores are eligible for the School Bucks program. Receipts **MUST** be dated September 1, 2025 through April 1, 2026. **Receipts for Fuel, Gift Cards or any services offered at Customer Service will not be eligible nor counted toward the receipt totals.** The preschool receives \$1 for every \$100 worth of receipts we turn in. This is an easy way for anyone to support the preschool. Please place any receipts in the bin located in main office marked for Hy-Vee receipts. We greatly appreciate your help!

Come Join Us on Facebook ---- LWML Redeemer Lutheran Church - Sioux City.

Thrivent Members Who Have Choice Dollars - NEW Choice Dollars for the 3rd quarter of 2025 are now available. Please direct

them as soon as possible by calling the Home Office at 1-800-847-4836 or you can direct them online at www.thrivent.com. Thank You for continued support of the Choice Dollar program at Redeemer.

If you have “new” flats (lids) and/or new/used canning rings (narrow or wide), you no longer need, we would gladly accept your donation. Just put in a sack or box and place outside Pastor Zirpel's door. Canning jars, especially 8 oz (narrow) and 16 oz (narrow & wide) jars, also accepted. ~~Thank You!



Giving! You can scan Redeemer's QR Code to access our online giving. Just open up your camera on your phone and point it at the QR code centering it on your screen. You may have to hold it still for a few seconds. Then tap the pop-up banner/link. This will direct you to Redeemer's giving website.

Additional Listening on Sundays:

1. Good Shepherd Hour- 8:00 AM KSCJ
2. Lutheran Hour- 8:30 AM KSCJ
3. **Main Street Living**- 10:00 AM KCAU, Channel 9

Oct 19, 2025 - This is the Life - “Red Trap” - A loving father's son became conflicted and lost. Fortunately, he was surrounded by people who cared. Worship Service - Rev. Brent Kuhlman, pastor at Trinity Lutheran Church in Murdock, NE, presents a message titled “Pesky Prayer”. This sermon is based on Luke 8:1-8. This program is interpreted and closed captioned for the deaf and hard of hearing. Visit www.mainstreetliving.com for more information.

SERVING THIS WEEK- (October 9 & 12, 2025): USHERS:

USHERS: **Thursday 6:30 PM-** Harlan & Mary Feddersen (Al & Melissa Joens, Shelly Fergan, Mike Searls). **Sunday 8:15 AM- Team 2** (Scott Ernst, Brian Duff, Roy Olsen, Lamont Onken, Phil Schauer). **10:45 AM- Team 6** (Mark Shapiro, Jim Phillips, Jeremy Schram, Aaron Schutt. **GREETERS:** **8:15 AM-** Karen Grieme; **10:45 AM-** Dale & Tina Revell. **ACOLYTES:** **8:15 AM-** Victoria Peterson & Sienna Karrer; **10:45 AM-** Cameri Jones & Eliana Engel.

TECHNOLOGIST: **Thurs. 6:30 PM-** Tim Young; **Sun. 8:15 AM-** Erik Koehler; **10:45 AM-** Temperance Thomason. **COUNTING TEAM:** **4-** Fink & Buckley. **COFFEE & ROLL SERVERS:** Paul & Cindy Fleckenstein

SERVING NEXT WEEK- (October 16 & 19, 2025): USHERS:
same as last week. GREETERS: 8:15 AM- Dale & Nadine Henningsen; **10:45 AM-** Shirley Stokes. **ACOLYTES:** 8:15 AM- Jase Fisher; **10:45 AM-** Brody Goldsmith & Camden Doscher.
TECHNOLOGIST: Thurs. 6:30 PM- Tim Young; Sun. 8:15 AM- Jordan Fisher; **10:45 AM-** TBD. **COUNTING TEAM:** 4- Lessmann & Buckley. **COFFEE & ROLL SERVERS:** Dave & Lori Albrecht

Record of Our Discipleship: Week Ending October 5, 2025

Worship Attendance: Sunday, 44+138+134=316 (28%)
 Adult Bible Study: 23; ROCK Sunday: 37; ROCK Wednesday: 14
 Sudanese: n/a

<u>Date</u>	<u>Income</u>	<u>Budgeted Income</u>	<u>%</u>
Oct. 5, 2025	\$18,373	\$15,548	118%
Year-to-date	\$570,015	\$625,198	91%

Building Fund Income:

Year-to-date	Weekly Income	Total
\$4,730	\$520	\$5,250

New Sound System Income:

Year-to-date	Weekly Income	Remaining
\$11,550	\$0	\$113,550

THIS WEEK AT REDEEMER

Sunday, October 12, 2025

8:15 & 10:45 AM Worship Service
 9:30 AM ROCK Sunday
 9:30 AM Adult Confirmation Instruction for Membership
 9:45 AM Adult Bible Study
 1:00 -3 PM Sudanese Worship
 2:00 PM Mission Trip Information Mtg.

Monday, October 13, 2025

5:30 PM Adult Fitness
 6:30 PM Pickleball

Tuesday, October 14, 2025

1:30 PM Staff/Bible Study Mtg
 5:00 PM Aktion Meal/MWM
 7:00 PM Life Light this week at *Whispering Creek*

Wednesday, October 15, 2025

10:00 AM Devotions w/Pastor Senstad at *Whispering Creek*

5-5:40 PM Midweek Meal- *Chicken Pot Pie*

5:00-7 PM Midweek

5:00-7 PM ROCK Wednesday

5:30 PM Midweek Bible Study

6:15 PM Handbell Practice

7:15 PM Adult Choir Practice

7:30 PM Youth Group

Thursday, October 16, 2025

10:30 AM Thrivent Choice Mtg

1:00 PM 'Women Serving in Christ' Mtg

5:30 PM Adult Fitness

6:00 PM BSF Bible Study

6:30 PM Worship w/Holy Communion

Friday, October 17, 2025

9 AM- Noon Food Shelf

Saturday, October 18, 2025

IDW Jr. Youth Gathering in Des Moines, IA

Sunday, October 19, 2025

8:15 & 10:45 AM Worship w/Holy Communion

9:30 AM ROCK Sunday

9:30 AM Adult Confirmation Instruction for Membership

9:45 AM Adult Bible Study

1:00 -3 PM Sudanese Worship

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