



FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

'We Are Always of Good Courage'

Thursday & Sunday, June 13 & 16, 2024

As We Gather

Once again, the Word of God in our ears this day speaks of the glorious and happy goal that God's salvation promises to all who believe in His saving mercy, grace, and love. From of old, the Lord has promised a secure future in His presence both now and especially in the eternity of life in the resurrection. Though we experience the weakness and maybe even dread of growing old, by faith we are like firm trees planted by the strength of God. That faith is the very creation of God the Holy Spirit, which grows and remains strong regardless of our circumstances. So even though we become discouraged at times, our confidence is always renewed by God as we remain steadfast in connection with His mighty Word.

✘ PREPARATION ✘

10:45 AM Pre-Service Song “The Lord’s Prayer (It’s Yours)”

6:30 PM & 8:15 AM Opening Hymn “Renew Me, O Eternal Light”
LSB 704

10:45 AM Opening Song “You Are Holy (Prince Of Peace)”

Invocation

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

Opening Sentences

P: We know that if the tent, which is our earthly home, is destroyed, we have a building from God,

C: a house not made with hands, eternal in the heavens.

P: Blessed is the man who walks not in the counsel of the wicked. . .

C: but his delight is in the law of the LORD, and on His law he meditates day and night.

Confession and Absolution

P: Let us prepare to receive God’s strengthening of our faith this day as we confess our weakness and sin.

C: Merciful God, we confess to You our discouragements; all our sins of thought, word, and deed; and the inward groaning of our souls. For the sake of Your Son’s own bitter suffering and death on behalf of all, grant us forgiveness and the strength of renewed faith that we may live today as joyful citizens of heaven.

P: You are the planting and the harvest of the Lord. I, by virtue of my office as a called and ordained servant of the Word, announce the grace of God to 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.**

✘ WORD ✘

Psalm *Psalm 1*

C: For the LORD knows the way of the righteous, but the way of the wicked will perish.

P: Blessèd is the man who walks not in the counsel of the wicked, nor stands in the way of sinners, nor sits in the seat of scoffers;

C: but his delight is in the law of the LORD, and on His law he meditates day and night.

P: He is like a tree planted by streams of water that yields its fruit in its season, and its leaf does not wither. In all that he does, he prospers.

C: The wicked are not so, but are like chaff that the wind drives away.

P: Therefore the wicked will not stand in the judgment, nor sinners in the congregation of the righteous; for the LORD knows the way of the righteous, but the way of the wicked will perish.

C: Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit; as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.

P: For the LORD knows the way of the righteous, but the way of the wicked will perish.

Salutation

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

10:45 AM Song of Praise “10,000 Reasons (Bless The Lord)”

Prayer of the Day

P: Let us pray...one God, now and forever. **C: Amen.**

Old Testament Reading *Ezekiel 17:22–24*

(after the reading)...

L: This is the Word of the Lord. **C: Thanks be to God.**

Epistle *2 Corinthians 5:1–17*

(after the reading)...

L: This is the Word of the Lord. **C: Thanks be to God.**

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

Verse

C: Alleluia, alleluia! Grow in the grace and knowledge of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. Alleluia, alleluia!

Holy Gospel *Mark 4:26–34*

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

C: Glory to You, O Lord. *(after the reading)*...

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 “Creator Spirit, by Whose Aid” *LSB 500*

10:45 AM Sermon Song “You Are My King (Amazing Love)”

Sermon

Nicene Creed

Prayer of the Church

P: *(after each petition)*...Lord, in Your mercy, **C: hear our prayer.**

Offering & Attendance / Involvement Cards

(The offering of Peace is Exchanged)

✠ **SACRAMENT** ✠

Preface

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

P: Lift up your hearts. **C: We lift them to the Lord.**

P: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

C: It is right to give Him thanks and praise.

Proper Preface

P: It is truly good, right, and salutary...Your glorious name, evermore praising You and saying:

Prayer of Thanksgiving

P: Blessed are You...one God, now and forever. **C: Amen.**

The Words of Our Lord

Proclamation of Christ

P: As often as we eat this bread and drink this cup, we proclaim the Lord’s death until He comes.

C: Amen. Come, Lord Jesus.

P: O Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father, in giving us Your body and blood to eat and to drink, You lead us to remember and confess Your holy cross and passion, Your blessed death, Your rest in the tomb, Your resurrection from the dead, Your ascension into heaven, and Your coming for the final judgment. So remember us in Your kingdom and teach us to pray:

Lord's Prayer

Pax Domini

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

Agnus Dei LSB 163

C: Lamb of God, You take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us. Lamb of God, You take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us. Lamb of God, You take away the sin of the world; grant us peace.

Distribution

6:30 PM & 8:15 AM Distribution Hymns “The Man Is Ever Blessed” LSB 705, “Almighty God, Your Word Is Cast” LSB 577, and “For Me to Live Is Jesus” LSB 742

10:45 AM Communion Songs “Reckless Love” and “Just As I Am (I Come Broken)”

Post-Communion Thanksgiving

P: Let us pray...one God, now and forever. **C: Amen.**

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 Hymn “I Love Your Kingdom, Lord” LSB 651

10:45 AM Closing Song “River Of Life”

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Holy Communion is celebrated at Redeemer in the confession and glad confidence that, as He says, our Lord gives into our mouths not only bread and wine but His very body and blood to eat and drink for the forgiveness of sins and to strengthen our union with Him and with one another. Our Lord invites to His table those who trust His words, repent of all sin, and set aside any refusal to forgive and love as He forgives and loves us, that we may show forth His death until He comes. We ask visitors who are in doubt or hold a confession differing from that of this congregation, and yet desire to receive the sacrament, to first speak with a pastor.

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: redeemerchurchsc@gmail.com. You don't have to be a member to request prayers.

Please stop by Care Corner to sign *birthday cards* for Terry Hansen, Jerry Van Peurseem, Nick Riser, and Norman Asmussen.

Thinking of you card for Alexys & Cameri Jones.

Altar Flowers are given by Chris & Phil McMahon in honor of Phil's Birthday on Tuesday.

Pulpit Flowers are given by Ida Milligan in memory of Roger.

Nancy Harrison's funeral is Monday, 10:30 a.m. at Calvary burial in Lawton.

Barberghetti: Join us Monday, June 17th from 5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m., in the Redeemer gymnasium for *Barberghetti*--a blend of barbershop harmony and spaghetti. Enjoy a delicious spaghetti dinner while the Siouxland Discovery Chorus and Quartets serenade you with beautiful, harmonic music. A free-will donation will be collected.

Pastor Senstad will be at Whispering Creek senior living this coming Wednesday, June 19th, at 10:30 a.m. for devotions. If you know a resident, please share this information with them.

Fresh Rhubarb, rhubarb custard, & Strawberry rhubarb pies, small & large are available, Thursday evening and Sunday morning. \$18 for large & \$9 for small! Tlx for your purchase! All monies will be used for the remodeling of the food booth at the Woodbury County Fair premises! To date we have processed rhubarb for 410 pies and/or jams. Thanks for all your help.

JAMS & JELLIES

Aronia Berry Rhubarb

Blueberry Jam

Blueberry Rhubarb

Choke Cherry Jelly

Elderberry Jelly

Gooseberry Rhubarb

Red Raspberry Rhubarb

Red Raspberry Rhubarb Jalapeno

Rhubarb

Rhubarb Aronia Jalapeno

Strawberry Jam

Strawberry Rhubarb

Strawberry Rhubarb Jalapeno

Wild Grape Jelly

Wild Plum Jam

Wild Plum Jelly

Wild Plum Rhubarb

Wild Raspberry Rhubarb

Wild Raspberry Rhubarb Jalapeno

PIES

Rhubarb

Rhubarb Custard

Strawberry Rhubarb

During the Woodbury County Fair week, on Monday and Tuesday, July 29 & 30, we have the opportunity of doing an “Honor Flight” fundraiser. All profits will go towards the Honor Flight which is flying out of Sioux City (SUX) for the first time, Spring of 2025. We will invite the Sioux City & area communities! We will need extra volunteers for that day, as well as pies,

NEXT SUNDAY IS FOOD SUNDAY: Thanks, everyone, for your ongoing support of Redeemer’s Food Shelf! We are seeing an increase in helping several households a week with this mission. We count on your financial support, as well as gifts of nonperishable food and household items. Please bring yours to church Sunday, June 23 (or at any time). We are especially in need of canned meat (tuna, chicken, ham, Spam), peanut butter, shampoo and cereal. Questions? See Angie DuBois. Thank you!

The Exalt team is always looking for more musicians to join us for the 10:45 Contemporary Service on Sunday mornings! If

you, or someone you know, would like to join the group, please let Nathan Klaumann know either after church or by contacting him directly!

Lutheran Women in Mission Board Meeting Tuesday, June 25th, 6:30 PM, in the conference room. All women members are welcome to attend.

July 17th (Family Event) Explorers baseball game 7:00pm.

Tickets are \$12 and That night is \$2 hotdogs. Friends are welcome. Please Contact DCE Jonathon Bailey or Church Office by July 3rd to order tickets.

VBS Wishlist: A school of fish has taken over the table in the entryway. These fish have items that we need for VBS. Please take a fish and donate the items listed on the fish. **Please have items returned to the church by June 30th.**



VBS registration is now open! VBS will start on Sunday, July 7th – Thursday, July 11th, 6:00-8 PM. Meals at 5:30 PM. Join us for an under-the-ocean Scuba Adventure. We will learn about how to have a deeper friendship with God. Children (Potty-trained through 5th grade) are welcome to sign up for VBS. Please follow the QR code to the online registration website. If you have any questions please contact Jonathon Bailey.

Youth Rummage Sale June 28th 8am- 6pm, and 29th 8am-2pm at the Redeemer Lutheran Church Gym. Come look for that treasure you have always wanted, do some Christmas shopping or find a gift for that special someone.

NOTE: *If you have been doing spring cleaning and have items you no longer want/need, bring them to the Youth Rummage Sale.*

Donations accepted starting June 23rd. Please bring them to the Church Gym. *If you have items you wish to have picked up, please contact Jonathon Bailey 620-655-5395. Please no mattresses or outdated electronics (Computers, tv's, printers etc.)*

Newsletter Error: There will be no 'Women of Christ' meetings June-August. The first meeting will take place on September 19th, 1 PM.

Altar Guild: There will be no Altar Guild meeting for June and July. Meetings will resume in August.

Summer 2024 Woman's Quarterly Magazines are here. Pick up a copy on the counter at the back of the Sanctuary.

Redeemer Thrivent Choice Dollars \$500-College Scholarship for 2024-25: To qualify for a \$500 Redeemer Choice Dollars Scholarship, you or a parent must be a Thrivent Financial benefit member. (A benefit member is someone who currently owns a Thrivent product, such as life insurance.) You must be a member of Redeemer Lutheran Church for a minimum of 2 years. You must be a full-time student at a 2-year or 4-year college. The scholarship is good for the 2024-25 school year and must be applied for again each year that you are in college. Applications can be picked up in the church office and ***must be returned to the church office by August 1, 2024.***

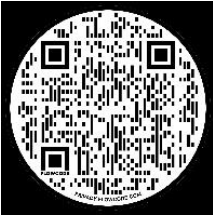
Quilting – Please remember us this summer (Rummaging, Spring Cleaning, Goodwilling.) We can use almost any material and / or sheets and blankets.

TUITION ASSISTANCE AVAILABLE FOR THE 2024-2025 SCHOOL YEAR for Redeemer Lutheran Kinder Cottage Preschool and St Paul's Lutheran School (grades K-5). Members of Redeemer may receive \$500 per student towards Kinder Cottage Preschool tuition and/or \$1,000 per student towards St Paul's Lutheran School tuition. This assistance is courtesy of a generous donation to the Redeemer Lutheran Church Endowment and Legacy Fund. If interested, please call the church office {712-276-1125} to provide your contact information or pick up a form. Please note that funds are limited, and forms are processed on a first come/first served basis.

The mission of HER Health Women's Center is to honor Jesus Christ by erasing the demand for abortion through effectively serving pregnant, at-risk women while empowering them to make healthy, informed and livable choices. **YOUR CHANGE CAN HELP CREATE A CULTURE OF LIFE** in Siouxland. Join the Baby Bottle Campaign by picking up a bottle today and returning it by Father's Day, June 16th. Thank you for your support! For more information on the ministry of Her Health Women's Center go to PartnersofHerHealth.org

KinderCottage Fall 2024 Enrollment: We are now taking enrollment for our Fall 2024-25 classes! You may pick up a form from one of our staff at the preschool, call us at 712-224-2273 OR

you can go online to the church website, redeemersiouxcity.com and click on the link to the preschool for a form.



Giving has never been easier! You can now 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.

We have New York Strip 10 oz. steaks available in our freezer, once again. A box is \$120, same as last year, or 2 for \$15.00. If you need some, just ask. All proceeds go to St. Paul's Lutheran School. ~~Pastor Zirpel

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) jars, also accepted. ~~Thank You!

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.

June 23 airing - This is the Life – "Amazing Grace" – A man who has come from a poor beginning to a rich and full life must learn not to forsake his Christian faith. Worship Service – Rev. Ricky Jacob of Jesus Our Savior Lutheran Church in Winnebago, NE, delivers the message, "The Revealing of the Sons of God" based on Romans 8:18-23. Additional information is available on the web site: www.mainstreetliving.com.

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Always clearly mark your “special” offerings, so that the office can make sure that you are credited properly. Missionary support is always sent to Mission Central (Gary Thies, Mapleton, IA) through Redeemer Lutheran Church. Your quarterly statements will reflect your “special” offerings if clearly marked.

SERVING THIS WEEK- (June 13 & 16, 2024): **USHERS:** **Thurs. 6:30 PM** – Harlan & Mary Feddersen (Al & Melissa Joens, Shelly Fergen, Mike Searls). **Sunday 8:15 AM** – Team 1 (Alex Erickson, Marc Benson, Larry Nelson, Jerry Van Peurseem). **10:45 AM** – Team 5 (Mark Boyd, Loren Field, Rick Lieber). **GREETERS:** **8:15 AM-** Dale & Nadine Henningsen; **10:45 AM-** Scott & Beth Bowman. **ACOLYTES:** **8:15 AM-** Mesa Zellmer & Abby Bailey; **10:45 AM-** Open. **TECHNOLOGIST:** **Thurs. 6:30 PM-** Tim Young; **Sun. 8:15 AM-** TBD; **10:45 AM-** Curt Green. **COUNTING TEAM:** 2 (Bobolz’s & Schmith’s). **COFFEE & ROLL SERVERS:** John & Anita Stansell

SERVING NEXT WEEK- (June 20 & 23, 2024): **USHERS:** same as last week. **GREETERS:** 8:15 AM- Dale & Nadine Henningsen; 10:45 AM- Scott & Beth Bowman. **ACOLYTES:** 8:15 AM- Open; 10:45 AM- Abby Bailey & Sienna Karrer. **TECHNOLOGIST:** Thurs. 6:30 PM- Tim Young; Sun. 8:15 AM- TBD; 10:45 AM- Curt Green. **COUNTING TEAM:** 4 (Fink & Buckley). **COFFEE & ROLL SERVERS:** Loralee Fink & Karen Vock

Record of Our Discipleship: Week Ending June 9, 2024

Worship Attendance: Sunday, 42+136+79=257 (21%)
 Adult Bible Study: 34; Summer Sunday School: 7
 Sudanese: 10

<u>Date</u>	<u>Income</u>	<u>Budgeted Income</u>	<u>%</u>
June 9, 2024	\$10,578	\$15,548	68%
Year-to-date	\$336,719	\$357,613	94%

Building Fund Income:

<u>Year-to-date</u>	<u>Weekly Income</u>	<u>Total</u>
\$1,355	\$0	\$1,355

Greenfield, IA Relief Income:

Total: \$3,611

THIS WEEK AT REDEEMER

Sunday, June 16, 2024

FATHER'S DAY

~ *Her Health Baby Bottles- Last Day*

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

9:30 AM Adult Bible Study

9:30 AM Adult Confirmation

9:30 AM Summer Sunday School

1:00 PM Sudanese Worship

4:00-6 PM Pickleball

Monday, June 17, 2024

5:30 PM Adult Fitness

6:30 PM Pickleball

5:30 PM Barberghetti

Tuesday, June 18, 2024

10:00 AM Staff Bible Study/Mtg

11:00 AM Retired Educators Meal/MWM

Wednesday, June 19, 2024

6:30 AM Early Bird Bible Study

10:30 AM Devotions w/Pastor Senstad at *Whispering Creek*

1:00- 3 PM Pickleball

Thursday, June 20, 2024

10:00 AM Thrivent Choice Mtg

5:30 PM Family Cookout at the *Schutte's*

5:30 PM Adult Fitness

6:30 PM Worship Service

Friday, June 21, 2024

9:00 AM – Noon Food Shelf

Sunday, June 23, 2024

Food Sunday

8:15 & 10:45 AM Worship Service

9:30 AM Adult Bible Study

9:30 AM Adult Confirmation

9:30 AM Summer Sunday School

1:00 PM Sudanese Worship

2:00 PM VBS Volunteer Mtg

4:00-6 PM Pickleball

- *Rummage Sale Collection Starts*