



THURSDAY & SUNDAY, AUGUST 11 & 14, 2022  
TENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

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REDEEMER LUTHERAN CHURCH  
& KINDERCOTTAGE PRESCHOOL

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**TRADITIONAL SERVICE:**

6:30 PM Thursdays; 8:15 AM Sundays

**CONTEMPORARY SERVICE:** 10:45 AM Sundays

**SUDANESE SERVICE:** 1:00 PM Sundays

*communion celebrated 1st & 3rd Sunday of month*



Russell C. Senstad, Pastor  
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Julie Barto, Assistant / Volunteer Coordinator  
Jim Schroeder, Christian Estate Planning  
Counselor



Sunday, August 14, 2022: Traditional Worship  
Service: Prayer and Preaching (LSB p. 260)

**Opening Hymn** “How Great Thou Art” *LSB 801*

**Opening Versicles** *LSB 260*

**L** This is the day which the Lord has made;

**C** let us rejoice and be glad in it.

**L** From the rising of the sun to its setting,

**C** the name of the Lord is to be praised.

**L** Better is one day in Your courts than a thousand elsewhere;

**C** I would rather be a doorkeeper in the house of my God than dwell in the tents of the wicked.

**L** Make me to know Your ways, O Lord.

**C** Teach me Your paths.

**L** Sanctify us in Your truth.

**C** Your Word is truth.

**L** From the rising of the sun to its setting,

**C** the name of the Lord is to be praised.

**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.

**Hymn of Praise** “Rejoice, O Pilgrim Throng” *LSB 813; vrs. 1, 3, 5, 7*

*Readings From Holy Scripture*

**Old Testament Reading** *Jeremiah 23:16–24*

*(after the reading)...*

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

**Epistle Reading** *Hebrews 11:17-32; 12:1-3*

*(after the reading)...*

**P** 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.

**Holy Gospel** *Luke 15:3, 11–32*

**P** The Holy Gospel according to Luke, the fifteenth chapter.

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

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

### **Responsory LSB 263**

**L** Forever, O Lord, Your Word is firmly set in the heavens.

**C** **Lord, I love the habitation of Your house and the place where Your glory dwells.**

**L** Blessed are those who hear the Word of God and keep it.

**C** **Lord, I love the habitation of Your house and the place where Your glory dwells.**

**C** **Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit.**

### **Ten Commandments**

**C** **You shall have no other gods.**

**You shall not misuse the name of the Lord your God.**

**Remember the Sabbath day by keeping it holy.**

**Honor your father and your mother.**

**You shall not murder.**

**You shall not commit adultery.**

**You shall not steal.**

**You shall not give false testimony against your neighbor.**

**You shall not covet your neighbor's house.**

**You shall not covet your neighbor's wife, or his manservant or maidservant, his ox or donkey, or anything that belongs to your neighbor.**

### **Apostles' Creed**

### **Lord's Prayer**

### **Children's Message & Celebrate Song** 🎵

**Hymn of the Day** "Lord, Keep Us Steadfast in Your Word" *LSB 655*

**'Sermon 'What is God the Father Like'** *Luke 15:1-3, 11-32*

### **Prayer of the Church**

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

**Offertory** "O Holy Spirit, Enter In" *LSB 913; vrs. 2*

## Offering & Attendance/Involvement Cards

### Collect of the Day

**L** Merciful Lord, cleanse and defend Your Church by the sacrifice of Christ. United with Him in Holy Baptism, give us grace to receive with thanksgiving the fruits of His redeeming work and daily follow in His way; through the same Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **C Amen.**

### Collect for the Word

**L** Blessed Lord, You have caused all Holy Scriptures to be written for our learning. Grant that we may so hear them, read, mark, learn, and take them to heart that, by the patience and comfort of Your holy Word, we may embrace and ever hold fast the blessed hope of everlasting life; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **C Amen.**

### 6:30 PM Evening Prayer

**C** I thank You, my heavenly Father, through Jesus Christ, Your dear Son, that You have graciously kept me this day; and I pray that You would forgive me all my sins where I have done wrong, and graciously keep me this night. For into Your hands I commend myself, my body and soul, and all things. Let Your holy angel be with me, that the evil foe may have no power over me. Amen.

### 8:15 AM Morning Prayer

**C** I thank You, my heavenly Father, through Jesus Christ, Your dear Son, that You have kept me this night from all harm and danger; and I pray that You would keep me this day also from sin and every evil, that all my doings and life may please You. For into Your hands I commend myself, my body and soul, and all things. Let Your holy angel be with me, that the evil foe may have no power over me. Amen.

**New Testament Canticle** 

**C** Christ has been raised from the dead! Alleluia. Alleluia.  
Christ our Passover Lamb has been sacrificed. Raised from  
the dead, He will never die again. Death has no more  
dominion over Him. Christ has been raised from the dead!  
Alleluia. Alleluia. Dying, Christ dies to sin, once for all.  
Living, He lives to God. Count yourselves as dead to sin and  
alive to God in Christ Jesus, our Lord. Christ has been  
raised from the dead! Alleluia. Alleluia.

**Benedicamus & Benediction** LSB 267

- L** Let us bless the Lord. **C** **Thanks be to God.**  
**L** The almighty and merciful Lord, the Father, the Son, and the  
Holy Spirit, bless and preserve us. **C** **Amen.**

**Closing Hymn** "For All the Saints" *LSB 677; vrs. 1-2, 6, 8*

# *Contemporary Worship Service, A Service of Prayer and Preaching*

**Pre-Service Song** “My God Is Still The Same”

**Welcome**

**Opening Song** “I Was There To Hear Your Boring Cry”

**Baptism**

**Sentences for the Service**

**P** God is spirit: **C** and those who worship Him must worship in spirit and truth.

**P** Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord, Jesus Christ.

**C** This is the day the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad in it.

**P** From the rising of the sun to its setting;

**C** the name of the Lord is to be praised.

**Act of Adoration**

**P** Let us adore our heavenly Father, who created us, who sustains us, who loves us with an everlasting love and gives us the light of the knowledge of His glory in the face of Jesus Christ.

**C** We praise you, O God and acknowledge you to be the Lord.

**P** Let us glory in the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, who though He was rich, yet for our sakes became poor; who in every respect was tempted as we are, yet without sinning; who went about doing good and preaching the Gospel of the Kingdom; who became obedient unto death, even death on a cross; who died and is alive forevermore; who has opened the kingdom of heaven to all believers; who is seated at the right hand and of God in the glory of the Father, who will come again as Judge and King.

**C** You are the King of glory, O Christ.

**P** Let us rejoice in the fellowship of the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the Giver of life, by whom we are born into the family of God, and made

members of the body of Christ; Whose witness confirms us, whose wisdom teaches us, whose power enables us to do far more than all we ask or think.

**C All praise to you, O Holy Spirit**

**Song of Praise** “God Of Wonders”

**Act of Confession**

**P** O God, our Father, since you have set forth the way of life for us in your Son, we confess with shame our slowness to learn of Him, our failure to follow Him, our reluctance to bear the cross.

**C Have mercy and forgive us, O Lord.**

**P** Forgive us the poverty of our worship, our neglect of fellowship and of Your Word, our hesitating witness for Jesus, our evasion of responsibility in your service, our imperfect stewardship of your gifts.

**C Have mercy and forgive us, O Lord.**

**P** Forgive us that so little of your love has reached others through us, that we have been thoughtless in our judgments, hasty in condemnation, grudging in forgiveness, slow to seek reconciliation, unwilling to help our neighbors as we ought.

**C Have mercy on us, O God, according to your steadfast love; according to your abundant mercy blot out our transgressions. Wash us from our iniquity and cleanse us from our sin. Create in us clean hearts, O God, and put a new and right spirit within us.**

*Time to Hear God's Word*

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## **Children's Sermon and Song**

**Sermon Song** “You Never Let Go”

**Sermon ‘What is God the Father Like’** *Luke 15:1-3, 11-32*

## **Offering & Attendance/Involvement Cards**

### **Act of Thanksgiving**

**P** Almighty God, we lift up our hearts in gratitude to you, and for all your loving kindness we bless your holy name. For life and health, for love and friendship, and for the goodness and mercy that have followed us all the days of our life.

**C** **Glory, thanksgiving, and praise be to you, O Father Almighty, through Jesus Christ our Lord who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever. Amen.**

### **An Act of Supplication**

**P** Almighty God, because you have committed to your people the ministry of intercession, hear us as we pray for others, and grant that our hearts may be filled with peace and love. For your people here and everywhere, that you would inspire them with love for your house, zeal in your service, and joy in the advancement of your kingdom.

**C** **We beseech you to hear us, good Lord.**

## **New Member Reception**

### **Prayer of the Church**

**P** *(after each request)*...Lord, in Your mercy,

**C** **hear our prayer.**

**Closing Song** “My Lighthouse”

## *Today we welcome Redeemer's newest members:*

- † By Private Baptism, **Jenni Kay Simenson**. Parents are Derik & Janna Simenson. Sponsors are Kayla Amick, Cody Amick, and Alyssa Halma.
- † By Baptism, **Leo Douglas Camarena**. Parents are Jose & Brooke Camarena. Sponsors are Shauni Dietrich, Miranda Marks, and Denisse Camarena.
- † By Transfer, **Derik & Janna, and Jade Simenson**. PO BOX 336, Hinton, IA 51024. Phone number is 712-898-6078.
- † By Transfer, **Cody & Kayla, Caleb, Kora, and Cade Amick**. 97 E. 3<sup>rd</sup> St., Bronson, IA 51007. Phone number is 712-898-2461.

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Welcome!** A cordial welcome to everyone worshiping with us today. We are happy to have you share the joy of this Lord's Day with us. A special welcome to those worshiping 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** are available, traditional &/or contemporary, on our website: [www.redeemersiouxcity.com](http://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.

**Prayer requests** may be shared with the Prayer Leader in the Choir Loft after service. We also welcome prayer requests through our church e-mail: [redeemerschurchsc@gmail.com](mailto:redemerschurchsc@gmail.com). You don't have to be a member to request prayers.

**Altar Flowers** are given by Don & Barb Jorgensen in honor of their 65<sup>th</sup> anniversary.

**Pulpit Flowers** are given by Larry Book in memory of his anniversary with Jeanene.

**Please stop by Care Corner** to sign an *anniversary* card for Joel & Kimberly Nelson celebrating 25 years together.

*Birthday* cards for Latomah Hauff and Yvonne Pedersen.

**Redeemer Lutheran-** *Thank you all for the thoughts, prayers, and support shown to our family at the passing of Eileen Onken. We appreciated the wonderful and caring service that was provided along with the lunch served by LWML. God's blessing in all you do. ~~ Brent & Carmen Onken and Family.*

**Pastor Senstad** had his gallbladder removed this past week and is doing very nicely. Thanks for all the prayers.

**Last day of Summer Sunday School** - Today, we close out The Tree of Life with a look at the end of human history in this present world—the day when Jesus Christ will return from heaven to raise all the dead and judge all of humanity. We look at His glorious promise to all believers that He will restore His perfect creation and that we will live with Him forever, feasting from the tree of life.

**Early Bird Bible study has come to the end of another year.** We've enjoyed our series on 'Nurturing the Faith' from Lutheran Hour Ministries. Now we gear up for our *Life Light* series and Wednesday Bible study programs coming in September.

**Pastor Senstad will be at Whispering Creek Senior Living** this coming Wednesday, August 17, at 10:30 a.m. Please share this information with anyone you know who lives out there. Everyone is welcome.

**St. Paul's School Registration:** Fall registration is **Thursday, August 18**, from 2 to 7 p.m. If you would like to register your child, please contact the school at (712) 258-6325 or come to Registration.

**The Warming Shelter Fundraiser.** The New Horizon's Band of Sioux City, consisting of 25 members, is hosting and performing at a fundraiser benefit for the Warming Shelter on **Sunday, August 21<sup>st</sup>, at 2:30 p.m. in the Redeemer Lutheran Church gymnasium, 3204 So Lakeport.** Refreshments of hot dogs, chips and root beer floats will be served. A free-will offering will be collected and given to the Warming Shelter. The Warming Shelter provides safe shelter,

food, and hope to those who are homeless. Individuals seeking their services are provided assistance in getting their lives back on track. Please mark your calendar to attend this special performance by the New Horizon's Band and fundraiser for the Warming Shelter.

**Upcoming Bible Study 'Blessings of Humility'** – We all admire humility when we see it. But how do we practice it? How does humility, the foundational virtue of the normal Christian life, become a natural part of our every day of lives? In this study, we we'll see in the Beatitude's, as series of blessings from Jesus, a pattern of humility in action. **This study will begin September 7, Wednesday night, at 5:45 – 7 PM.** If you would like to be a part of this study, text or call Curt Green at 712-560-5866.

**Help Wanted:** We are currently looking for a second part time janitor to help clean the school. It will be 20 hours a week. To apply, contact Linda Greene at 712-898-6114.

**Great Shoe Giveaway**—Redeemer Lutheran Church and Morningside Lutheran Church are co-sponsoring the Great Shoe Giveaway for Morningside Elementary and St. Paul's Lutheran School on **September 29<sup>th</sup>**. The Great Shoe Giveaway offers each child, at these schools, a new pair of socks and shoes to start the school year. On Sunday, August 21<sup>st</sup>, we will include an envelope in the Sunday bulletin to collect an offering to support this project. We will also be needing 30 volunteers for approximately 3-4 hours on September 29<sup>th</sup> to fit each child with the shoes and socks. Please let the office know if you are able to help. Thank you!

**Back-To-School Supplies!** LSI Foster Care and Adoption is providing school supplies for western Iowa foster, adoptive, and kinship families again this year. We appreciate everything they do all year long and would love to help them out in this small way! Will you help us help them? Supplies can be dropped off here at Redeemer OR you can order online and mail to: LSI, 1308 S. Cleveland, Sioux City, IA 51106.

**ITEMS NEEDED**→ *backpacks (all ages), pencils and (sharpeners and bag/case), pens (red, blue, black), glue sticks & bottles, scissors (all ages), notebooks & composition (narrow & wide), plastic folders (all colors), 3-ring binders (1 inch, 1 ½, and 2), highlighters, dry-erase markers (bold & fine) and erasers, earbuds*

*& headphones, index cards, post-it notes, Crayola crayons and markers (bold & fine), tissues, Clorox wipes, and Ziplock bags (quart & gallon).*

**Used Eyeglasses:** Make a positive difference. Donate your usable eyeglasses and help someone see better. Donation goes to the Lions Club. Donation box is in the office. Thanks for your help!

**Saving Hy-Vee Receipts (August 2022- April 2023):** 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. The preschool receives \$1 for every \$100 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 the fellowship hall marked for Hy-Vee receipts. We greatly appreciate your help!

**New Choice Dollars for the 2<sup>nd</sup> quarter of 2022 are now available.** If you have not directed them, please do so as soon as possible by calling Home Office at 1-800-847-4836 or by directing them online at [www.thrivent.com](http://www.thrivent.com). Thanks for your continued support of the Choice Dollar program at Redeemer.

**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.

**August 14 airing** - This is the Life – “My Husband, My Sorrow” – A man and woman must deal with whether they should consummate an adulterous affair. Worship Service – Rev. Ray Ohlendorf of Trinity Lutheran Church in Marcus, IA, delivers the message “The Powerful Word of God” based on Matthew 6:24-34. Additional information is available on the web site: [www.mainstreetliving.com](http://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.

**Redeemer's Missionaries** of the year for 2022 are the Adam Lehman Family and the JJ Wolf Family. Contributions may be made to their accounts to Redeemer Lutheran and earmarked as such at any time. Contributions are then sent through Mission Central (Gary Thies, Mapleton) by Redeemer. Thanks for your consideration!

**Youth Collecting Cans & Bottles!** Please bring in all your RINSED IOWA 5¢ cans and bottles (**PLASTIC ONLY-NO GLASS**) and place in the containers outside the Youth Room Door! Thank You!

**Building Healthy Families:** A research project conducted with college age students in the Midwest found that most of them reported having an important relationship with grandparents or significant elders that influenced their values, goals, and life choices and gave them a sense of self, roots, and tradition.

***Grandparents and older members of our church family, do you know how important you are?*** Make sure the young adults in your family and congregation who are going off to college or returning to high school this month continue to hear from you! Now, more than ever, they need your love and support – even if they're not asking for it! **Lutheran Family Service -**  
[www.LutheranFamilyService.org](http://www.LutheranFamilyService.org).

**SERVING THIS WEEK- (August 11 & 14, 2022): USHERS: Sunday 8:15 AM Team 1** (*Marc Benson, Kelly Bucy, Larry Nelson, Jerry Van Peursem*). **10:45 AM Team 5-** (*Mark Boyd, Loren Field, Rick Lieber*); **GREETERS: Sunday 8:15 AM-** *Loralee Fink*. **10:45 AM-** *Dale & Tina Revell*. **ACOLYTES: Sunday 8:15 AM-** *Joshua Gray*. **10:45 AM-** *Adyn Koenck & Kyler Zirpel*. **TECHNOLOGIST: Thurs. 6:30 PM** *Gary Judd*; **Sun. 8:15 AM-** *TBD*; **10:45 AM-** *TBD*. **COUNTING TEAM: 3** (*Bobolz's & Schmith's*). **COFFEE & ROLL SERVERS:** *Paul & Cindy Fleckenstein*

**SERVING NEXT WEEK- (August 18 & 21, 2022): USHERS:**  
**Same as last week. GREETERS: Sunday 8:15 AM- Karen**  
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**AM- Cody Schutte. 10:45 AM- Vance Magnuson & Valerie**  
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**Buckley). COFFEE & ROLL SERVERS: Don & Barb Jorgensen**

**Record of Our Discipleship: Week Ending Aug. 7, 2022**

Worship Attendance: Sunday, 204+136+95=435 (33%)  
 Adult Bible Study: N/A; Summer School: 9; Sudanese: 14

<u>Date</u>	<u>Income</u>	<u>Budgeted Income</u>	<u>%</u>
Aug. 7, 2022	\$21,032	\$14,046	150%
Year-to-date	\$480,183	\$449,486	107%

**Building Fund Income:**

Year-to-date	Weekly Income	Total
\$9,075	\$1,020	\$10,095

**THIS WEEK AT REDEEMER**

**Sunday, August 14, 2022**

8:15 & 10:45 AM Worship Services  
 9:30 AM Adult Bible Study  
 9:30 AM Last Day- Summer Sunday School  
 9:30 AM Adult Confirmation  
 1:00-3 PM Sudanese Worship  
 4:00 PM Pickleball

**Monday, August 15, 2022**

5:30 PM Adult Fitness  
 6:30 PM Pickleball  
 7:00 PM Compassionate Friends

**Tuesday, August 16, 2022**

10:00 AM Staff Bible Study/Mtg  
 11:00 AM Retired Educators Meal/MWM

**Wednesday, August 17, 2022**

1:00-3 PM Pickleball

**Thursday, August 18, 2022**

10:00 AM Thrivent Choice Mtg

5:30 PM Adult Fitness

6:30 PM Worship w/Holy Communion

**Friday, August 19, 2022**

9:00 AM - Noon Food Shelf

**Sunday, August 21, 2022**

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1:00-3 PM Sudanese Worship

2:30 PM New Horizon Band/Fundraiser for Warming Shelter

