

REDEEMER LUTHERAN CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sunday, June 28, 2009



1. ARE YOU A VISITOR? WELCOME!

We want you to feel and know you are welcome at this congregation, just as we welcome fellow members. We pray the worship service is Christ-centered and meaningful in its application to your life. You are invited to join the congregation for a fellowship time immediately after worship in the fellowship hall for coffee/donuts. If you are interested in learning more about Redeemer as a Church home for yourself and family, speak to Pastor Bode to arrange a time to visit.

2. NURSERY/CRY ROOM --- RESTROOMS

There is a nursery/cry room available for families during church as needed. The room is located upstairs towards the NW corner of the Sanctuary. If you cannot find it (it can be hard to locate for a visitor) please ask an usher to assist you. The restrooms (including a handicap and baby changing station) are located in the Fellowship Hall area by the kitchen. Restrooms are also on the second level in the same general area. Remember the back three pews are intended for families with little children, and there are children's worship tote-bags in the entryway filled with books, crayons and coloring pages.

3. SERMON COPIES

Pastor Bode has available copies of his sermons on the table in the entryway. They may be helpful for those with hearing difficulties or for sharing with someone that might appreciate its lesson for the day.

4. NEW ROUND TABLE AND CHAIRS UPDATE

Thank you everyone that gave money so we could purchase the round tables and chairs. We have had a great response. As you can see we now have all the tables and about 53 chairs. We need about 65 more. The price is \$25 per chair. You may contribute any amount for the purchase of the chairs. Again, thanks so much!

5. WATERING OUTDOOR FLOWERS

The calendars are posted for members to sign up for watering the outdoor flowers. Please sign up for a week or two this summer to help beautify our church. Flowers need to be watered at least three times per week (less if we have substantial rain and more if there is no rain). If you have any questions contact the church office.



6. JULY 3-5 PASTOR ON VACATION

Our thanks to Pr. Luther Koehler who is leading our worship today and preaching.

7. KINDER HAUS PARADE ~ JULY 2ND AT 6:30PM

Kinder Haus will be having their annual 4th of July celebration on Thursday, July 2. You are invited to the parade at 6:30pm in the alley. Decorations, music, and fellowship are all part of the fun. Ice cream will be a sweet treat to top off the evening off.

8. SPECIAL VOTER'S MEETING ~ SUNDAY, JULY 12 FOLLOWING WORSHIP SERVICE

There will be a special Voter's Meeting following the worship service on Sunday, July 12th. **The agenda for this meeting is regarding important information on roof repair / replacement.** Please plan on attending this special meeting!

9. RED CROSS BLOODMOBILE AT REDEEMER ON JULY 9TH FROM 1-7PM

The bloodmobile will be at Redeemer on Thursday, July 9th from 1-7pm. Volunteers are needed for this event to run smoothly. We are in need of greeters, servers, and helpers for set-up and take down. If you can help out in any way, please sign up on the bulletin board by the office. If you have any questions, call Jaime in the Church office or Chuck Kiecker. If you would like to donate blood at Redeemer, please talk to Jaime in the office and she will get you on the schedule. Our goal is 55 units. Walk ins are also welcome.

10. CAMP OMEGA DAY CAMP AND VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL: YOUR HELP IS NEEDED!

Your prayers are appreciated for our VBS AND Day Camp to be held July 13-17. Ask God to bring children to hear about Jesus, our Lord and Savior. Also ask God to provide willing helpers, eager to share His love in Jesus. Pink help forms are available on the table in the narthex. Housing is needed for 2 of the counselors from Camp Omega. Jr. High and Sr. High youth are needed to assist with the preschool VBS and Day Camp (Sr. High). Adults are needed to prepare snacks and drinks and with registration. Please fill out a form and turn in either to Jaime or Tammy. Monetary donations are needed to help defray the cost of the program. Donation envelopes are also available on the table in the narthex.

11. OLAN MILLS COMING TO REDEEMER AUGUST 12-15TH

Redeemer will be producing a new pictorial directory with Olan Mills. Our photography dates are Aug 12-15. Look for more information to come. If you wish to sign up early you can call 1-800-866-2263, Mon-Fri 8AM-9PM to schedule or change an appointment. Remember our directory won't be complete without YOU!

12. THE 'HEART OF NEW ULM' IS COMING TO REDEEMER JULY 25

The 'Heart of New Ulm' is a major initiative aimed at preventing disease versus treating it after it occurs. The project is being led by Allina Hospitals and Clinics, a health care system, instead of the government. It could shift the entire health care system focus toward preventive care. The project is designed to reduce the number of heart attacks that occur in the New Ulm area over the next 10 years. You will have the opportunity to participate at Redeemer on Saturday, July 25 from 7:00am to 10:30am. The screening is free through this project. The screening will check health history, health behaviors, blood pressure, weight, cholesterol and other blood markers. The screening will take approximately 20-30 minutes to complete. Taking care of our health and our bodies is part of our earthly stewardship. "Do you not know that you body is a temple of the Holy Spirit within you, which you have from God? You are not your own; you were bought with a price. So glorify God in your body." 1 Cor. 6:19

13. TOO MUCH GARDEN PRODUCE?

Bring what you can't eat or freeze and share with others at Redeemer. We will have a table in the fellowship hall in July for you to bring and share any garden produce you can not use up and maybe you will find something you have not planted. We will have the table up until fall or later if we have a lot of offerings. Reuse, recycle, renew and share the bounty that God has given us.
~Stewardship Committee

14. KWIK TRIP CARDS – UPDATE – PLEASE NOTE!

Summer is here--be sure to buy a Kwik Trip card to use to fill up with gas before you take off for the summer weekends. In addition to gas, milk, bananas and snacks, these cards can be used to purchase a car wash, so be sure to stock up! We have cards in \$5, \$10, \$20, \$50 and \$100 denominations. To date, the youth have sold \$6,590 in cards, bringing their earnings to \$1,318.00. They are sold in the Fellowship Hall after worship and are also available from Tammy during the week. Thank you so much for participating in this great fund raiser!

15. TABLES, CHAIRS AND DESKS

We are in the process of selling tables (\$10), chairs (\$2), pews (\$25) and desks (donation). Call Trustees Ron, Wayne, Jim and Larry if you are interested.

16. HAPPY JOE'S COUPONS SUPPORTING THE YOUTH

We have received 50 cents off coupons for Happy Joe's smorgasbord and the 50 cents will go directly to the Redeemer Youth program. The coupons are on the table in the narthex. They have smorgasbord every day from 11-1:30 and Monday and Tuesday nights from 5-7pm. Enjoy Happy Joe's pizza and chicken and support the youth!

17. RETIREMENT PARTY FOR MRS. BLANK

On Sunday, July 12th Immanuel Courtland is having a retirement party for Mrs. Blank. It will begin with the Church service at 9:30am with a reception following at 10:30am. There will be a card shower for her as well. Please come and support Mrs. Blank!

WORSHIP SERVICE PARTICIPANTS & GROUPS:



June Elders: Jim Krapf and Duane Laffrenzen

Organist: Lucy Dolly

Lay Reader: Sarah Schwarz

Acolyte:

Fellowship: Cake for Schulz Anniversary

Altar Group: Audrey Kassen, Elaine Poulson and Deb Steinberg

Ushers: Ron Dahltorp Group

Greeters: Chuck and Ruth Kiecker

Finance: Carol Hoffmann, LaVonne Dahltorp and Caryl Yarger

Next Week Fellowship: Board of Education

THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE AT REDEEMER

- **SUN.** 9:00 Worship; 10:00 Fellowship
- **MON.**
- **TUES.**
- **WED.**
- **THUR.**
- **FRI.** Pastor Bode on Vacation (July 3-5)
- **SAT.**
- **SUN.** 9:00 Worship (communion) *Pr. Koehler Preaching*; 10:00 Fellowship