

2007-2008 music participants

Cherub Choir

Ethan Cox
Lily Harvey
Addisyn Settle
Chantel VanGuilder
Tyler Bell
Taylor Fick
Addie Harvey
Anne-Marie Kielb
Jagger Schoppers
Sophie Schwarz
Blake Hellickson
Alexis Nelson
Jadyn Schoppers

Alleluia Singers

Libby Batterson
Stephanie Fingerson
Rebekah Hastings
Drew Hellickson
Lauren Horstmann
Autumn Jahnke
Nicolette Johnson
Abigail Kuisle
Christian Nisbit
Emma Pike
Madyson Pralle
Marissa VanGuilder

Angelic Chimes

Lauren Horstmann
Madyson Pralle
Marrissa VanGuilder
Rebekah Hastings
Samuel Hilstad
Autumn Jahnke
Jacob Pralle
Lindsey Ward
Elizabeth Batterson
Christian Nisbit
Forrest Hoffman

Andrew Werle

Youth Chimes

Samantha Batterson
Jennifer Evers
Leah Ward
Thomas Ihrke
Dylan Lyke
Heather VanGuilder
Bryce Beckman

Youth Choir

Samantha Batterson
Jennifer Evers
Tiana Pike
Leah Ward
Emily Hayes

Celebration

Michelle Haack
Melissa Haack
Wendy Hickey
Sheri Hoffman
Arnie Kuntz
Michael Harvey
Joel Mueller
Kris Mueller
Sara Feldhusen

Men's Choir

Harlan Gerke
Harlan Peterson
Herb Mueller
Bryce Beckman
Doug Koepsell
Kurt Rump
Marty Cordes
Jim Naessens
Bernie Nesler

Sounds of Praise

Soprano

Renee Brandt
Elvera Cordes
Pat Fitch
Mary Hanley
Jolene Heining
Kathy Hilstad
Lois Kuntz
Lori Lewis
Lynora Miller
Jean Michaelis

Alto

Marcia Cochran
Dawn Dubbels
Kay Fockler
Pam Kitzmann
Betty Mueller
Rosie Peterson
Mary Jo Rosin
Judy Schacht
Carol Sonnabend
Ruth Vrieze

Tenor

Bryce Beckman
Richard Fieck
Harlan Gerke
Mike Hanley
Bob Jenkins
Paul Lewis
Harlan Peterson
Garhardt Poch

Bass

Martin Cordes
Joel Dubbels
Roland Hansen
Andy Hanson
Harold Mellem

Herb Mueller
George Poch
Bob Rosin
Al Schacht

Accompanist: Carol
Sonnabend

Chancel Chimes

Jay Kurtz
Gloria Poch
Todd Mueller
Melissa Haring
Ardis Jenkins
Mary Hanley
Carol Sonnabend
Lynette Miller
Kathy Williams
Pat Fitch
Lynora Miller
Rosie Petersen
Teresa Koski
Patty Tackmann
Renee Saxman
Ginger Lagergren
Alyssa Mueller
Joel Mueller
April Beckman
Bryce Beckman

Director: Herb
Mueller

Redeemer Lutheran Church Weekly Announcements and Highlights

“Lord, Teach Us To Pray”

Special Prayer Opportunities:

Hospitalized and Health Concerns: Jim Fister, Charlie Hinsch, Bill Cochran, Owen Moore, and Linda Hemmesch (Betty Borgwardt's daughter)

Rejoicing: Dave and Kathy Zarling who recently celebrated their 35th wedding anniversary on May 5

Guidance: for all those serving as missionaries

Safety: for those in our military serving overseas

PRAYER CHAIN – Prayer is a powerful gift that is always available for us to use. If you have a prayer request, call June Hovland (288-7579) or Kitty Harders (289-4991) who will activate the chain. Anyone interested in becoming a part of this prayer ministry, please contact June or Kitty.

PRAYER CARDS - Take a look in your pew rack and you'll see our prayer cards! These cards will be collected by one of the pastors during the offering time.

GRADUATE RECOGNITION SUNDAY will be on Sunday, June 1. We are asking all graduating seniors to come with your caps and gowns to the 9:30 am church service. You will be recognized and receive a homemade quilt that will remind you of the warmth of God's love for you. Please join us and also drop off a senior picture and a short one-line description of your future plans to the church office. They will be displayed proudly on a senior recognition board.

BLOOD PRESSURE REMINDER: On Saturday, May 17, at nurse will be taking blood pressures from 5 to 5:30 pm and after the service. Nurses takes blood pressures every Sunday morning from 9 am until 10:30 am in the Parish Nurse Office.

PASTOR HEINING AND PASTOR SETTLE will be attending the State Pastors'

Conference in Brainerd, May 12-14.

FLOWERS IN THE CHANCEL this weekend are in honor of:

~ **Eldora Krueger** who will celebrate her 92nd birthday on Sunday, May 11.

~ **Carl Reiman** who will celebrate his 91st birthday on Sunday, May 11.

~ **Martha Krogstad** who will celebrate her 90th birthday on Monday, May 12.

~ **Alice Marzolf** who will celebrate her 90th birthday on Thursday, May 15.

PLANT IN THE CHANCEL is in memory of Leona Beach and in honor of Jack and Glennis Beach.

REDEEMER 75TH ANNIVERSARY HISTORY BOOKS are for now for sale! They are available in the narthex for \$10 each (*which is our cost*).

VOLUNTEERS ARE

SUMMER SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES
the list of opportunities below and contact the church office (289-5147) or designated person if you are able to help.

- ◆ **YARD WORD VOLUNTEERS** - We have had wonderful success with volunteers doing the outside grass cutting and trimming the last few years. But now, one would like to take a well-deserved retirement. If you would be willing to help with this project this summer, please contact Trustee Rich Ward (281-9079) or the church office (289-5147).
- ◆ **SUMMER MUSIC** - If you would like to share some special music this summer, please sign up on the sheet posted on April's office door.
- ◆ **SUMMER REFRESHMENTS** will begin between Sunday services on Memorial Day Weekend, May 25. We still need groups to volunteer for most of the Sundays. Please contact Chris in the church office (289-5147) to sign up your group.
- ◆ **TRANSPORTATION VOLUNTEERS**
As summer approaches and many members take their vacations, a need for more transportation volunteers arises. If you would be willing to pick up one of our shut-ins **this summer** for **either** the **8:00 am** or the **9:30 am** service, please **contact the church office (289-5147)**.

75th Anniversary

Do you remember . . .
the many mother/daughter banquets that were held at Redeemer and the men in their white shirts and aprons served the meal to the ladies and their daughters?

How many "Woman's Circles" have been organized at Redeemer?

Thursday Evening Services

have resumed at 6:30 pm, in the Chapel. This is the same service as the following weekend.



Hi,

I'm your friend, Honey Bear. Sign up today for **Friendship Trek**, July 14-18, at Redeemer. Bring a friend.

THIS WEEK AT REDEEMER

May 10 through May 18, 2008

SATURDAY, MAY 10

IHN at Redeemer
Sisters In Christ ChristCare - 9 am
Schultz/Danzow Wedding - 3:30 pm
WORSHIP - 5:30 pm

SUNDAY, MAY 11 - MUSIC SUNDAY

IHN at Redeemer
WORSHIP - 8 am and 10:40 am
Blood Pressure - Nurse's Office - 9 am
Sunday School & Bible Class - 9:20 am

MONDAY, MAY 12

State Pastors' Conference
Quilters - NFH - 9 am
Family ChildCare Inc. - N/S FH - 5:30 pm
Spring Choir - Chapel - 6:30 pm
Circle of Friends CC - 7 pm
Boy Scouts - Rm L-2 - 7 pm

TUESDAY, MAY 13

State Pastors' Conference
Men's Bible Study - Rm 102 - 9 am
Ladies Bible Study - NFH - 9 am
Mothers In Christ CC - Rm L-3 - 9:15 am
Faithfully Fit Forever - NFH - 10:30 am
Board of Trustees - Rm 201 - 6:30 pm
Board of Church Growth - Rm L-1 - 6:45 pm
Board of Youth - Youth Room - 7 pm
Board of Fund Development - Rm 202 - 7 pm
Board of Education - Rm L-2 - 7 pm
Church Council - Rm 102 - 8 pm
Compassionate Friends - Choir Room - 8 pm

WEDNESDAY, MAY 14

State Pastors' Conference

Joyfully Serving Today

Message Pastor Heining
Organist April Beckman, DPM
Elders 6:30 pm Tim Strohschein
5:30 pm Jeff Lee
8:00 am Mick Reese
10:40 am Jeff Hartson
Lectors 5:30 pm Bob Vehrenkamp
8:00 am Kurt Rump
10:40 am Herb Mueller
Acolytes 8:00 am Tom Ihrke / Cody Wrubel
10:40 am Connor Wondrasch / Brian Gray
Blood Pressure Nurse Jan Dicke

Shalom ChristCare - Rm L-1 - 9 am
Cherub Choir - Nursery - 6:05 pm
Alleluia Singers - Rm L-2 - 6:15 pm
Angelic Chimes - Sanctuary - 6:15 pm
Rochester Accordion Band - Rm L-2 - 6:30 pm
ChristCare Leadership Training - Rm L-1 - 6:30 pm
Sounds of Praise - Choir Room - 7 pm
Celebrating God's Grace - Rm 102 - 7:30 pm
Rebecca Circle - NFH - 7:30 pm

THURSDAY, MAY 15

Faithful Followers ChristCare - Rm 102 - 1 pm
Planning Committee - Rm 102 - 5:30 pm
HOLY COMMUNION - Chapel - 6:30 pm
Chancel Chimes - Sanctuary - 7:30 pm
Fan Into Flame - Rm 102 - 7:30 pm
CC SEA - Rm L-1 - 7:30 pm

FRIDAY, MAY 16

Library Committee - 9:30 am
Arbor Terrace ChristCare - 10 am
Rochester Ice Skating Banquet - NFH - 6:45 pm

SATURDAY, MAY 17

Rochester Woodcarvers - FH - 7:30 am
Blood Pressures - Parish Nurse Office - 5 pm
HOLY COMMUNION - 5:30 pm

SUNDAY, MAY 18

HOLY COMMUNION - 8 am and 10:40 am
Blood Pressure - Nurse's Office - 9 am
Sunday School & Bible Class - 9:20 am
YES Group - 9:20 am
April's Organ Recital - 3:30 pm
Partners In Christ CC - 6:30 pm

Greeters 5:30 pm Sue Kazos
8:00 am Don and Arlene Strelow
10:40 am Dick and Marge Rengstorf
..... Craig Nelson Family
..... Jim and Patti Tackmann
Altar Guild ... Marilyn Olson, Nancy Carlson, Lois Norby
..... Ann Boyd, Connie Feeder, Lois Hamilton, Bev Bailey
Usher Coordinator Roger Toomey
Saturday, 5:30 pm Fred Crossfield and Rich Ward
Sunday, 8:00 am Ed Feeder, Harold Jenkins, Tom Olson,
Andrew Fockler, Dean Jensen, Marshall Rengstorf
Sunday, 10:40 am Willis Fitting, Joel Pralle, Gary Seering,
Todd Zmina, Dave Seering, Dustin Seering, Josh Evers

BIBLE

- Hebrews - A look at the letter, the author, and its unique message to Christians
- Gospel of John - A look at this Gospel using the movie of the same name.
- Jonah - God uses the reluctant prophet
- 1 & 2 Corinthians - Living as a Christian in a time of moral decay
- 1 & 2 Timothy - Paul's words of advice to young pastor Timothy
- Job - Looks at the age-old question of suffering
- Tower of Babel - The Genesis account of this marvel and its connections to today
- Sermon on the Mount - Show a better way in which to live
- Survey of Bible Lands - What happened where? What were the people like? Special Costumes?

Family Issues

- Tender Warrior - God's plan for building Godly men (women and wives are welcome!).
- Parenting - Love & Logic - Learn about gaining your child's cooperation and positive discipline
- Adult Sunday School - Follow what your children learning in Sunday School from an adult view
- The Man I Want To Be - What does it mean to be a man of God? Video study with Neal Jeffrey
- Value Packed Parenting - Kevin Lehman shares how to raise kids in a pleasure driven world

Faith In The World

- Jesus' Place in MySpace - A Biblical approach to the online world and family usage
- Aslan's World - Christian themes present in the movie, "Lion, Witch & Wardrobe"
- Sermon Writing - See how sermon goes from text, to outline, to writing, to delivery
- Your Neighbor's Faith: _____ (fill in the blank)
- Creation - A class focused on discussing true, biblical creation

Church History and Doctrine

- The Creeds - The history and background that led up the writing of the 3 creeds.
- Law and Gospel - Learning to work with the two great doctrines of the Bible.
- Baptism - An in depth look at one of the sacraments of our church.
- Holy Communion - An in depth look at one of the sacraments of our church.

Health Issues

- End of Life Decisions - DNR's, Living Will, Funeral Arrangements - Plan before you need them!
- Grief and Depression - This class will discuss positive ways and tools to help you through.
- Stress Management - Do you manage stress or does stress manage you?

SUNDAY BIBLE CLASSES

"The 10 Commandments Today" - Pastor Heining leads this discussion in the North Fellowship Hall.

"A Case For Faith" - Jim Weispenning and Michael Harvey facilitate this class in the choir room.

"Biblical Archaeology" - Pastor Settle leads this class in the South Fellowship Hall.

Women's Tuesday Evening Bible Study

The Women's Tuesday Evening Bible Study will begin a new study on Tuesday, May 27, at 7 pm, entitled "Encouraging One Another" from the Women of Faith series. If you are interested in joining this group, please contact Julie Walter (289-8394) or Sandy Weiden (287-6885) so that we can have adequate materials. Feel free to drop in and check us out. We meet in the classroom adjacent to the fellowship hall.

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★ **NEXT WEEKEND'S READINGS** ★

★ Genesis 1:1-2:4, Acts 2:14,22-36, and ★



★ Matthew 28:16-20 ★

★ **Theme: "Off To A Great Start"** ★

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**April's Organ Recital
at Redeemer
May 18 at 3:30 p.m**

Please come to enjoy an afternoon of organ music and wonderful fellowship.

The children in Sunday School will receive a VBS brochure today which contains a registration form and a place to identify a friend they would like to invite. We encourage families to complete the form and return to their Sunday School teacher next Sunday, May 18.

OUR RESPONSE TO GOD LAST WEEK:

Weekend Worship Attendance:
483 (35+108+184+156) Guests: 33

Sunday School and Bible Classes:
206 (74+132)



YOUTH EVENTS IN MAY AND BEYOND!

May 16-17 - Lock-in and Servant Event - We will rock a lock-in at the church and then help some people with yard work. Come have fun and then give of your time to help others!

May 25 - LAST SHOUT! before SUMMER! - This will be a super-sized SHOUT! keep an eye out for more details.

Summer Softball! - Spring and Summer are coming fast and that means softball! The sign-up sheet is already up for youth softball. Join the team today!

Upcoming Events - Dates and times will be coming - Paintball, ValleyFair (June 30), Camping, Chicago Mission Trip, Servant Events . . . stay tuned! We would love your help in planning these events; talk with Michael or Lynora today.

NURSES NOTES

2008 "Click It or Ticket" May Mobilization

Enforcement Period: May 19 – June 1

Unbelted motorists account for over half of all vehicle occupant deaths each year. From 2004 – 2006, there were 82 unbelted traffic deaths in Southeast Minnesota, and 190 serious, life-altering injuries. In an effort to increase the use of proper passenger restraints, area law enforcement will ramp up patrols May 19–June 1 for a statewide Minnesota Department of Public Safety (DPS) *Safe & Sober* "Click It or Ticket" seat belt enforcement sweep. This year, officers will also enforce and ticket for improper child seat use along with belt non-use. Minnesota law requires:

- ◆ Children under age four be secured in a safety seat that meets federal safety standards.
- ◆ Safety seats must be installed and used according to the manufacturer's instructions.
- ◆ Children must be secured (buckled) in the safety seat.
- ◆ Seat must be secured to the vehicle.
- ◆ Infants (under 20 pounds and one year of age) must be in a rear-facing safety seat.

It only takes a second, but it can save your life.

- provided by Olmsted County Public Health Services

ADULT EDUCATION CLASSES 2008-2009

BIBLE

- Hebrews
- Gospel of John
- Jonah
- 1 & 2 Corinthians
- 1 & 2 Timothy
- Job
- Tower of Babel
- Sermon on the Mount
- Survey of Bible Lands
- Other: _____

Family Issues

- Tender Warrior
- Parenting - Love & Logic
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- The Man I Want To Be
- Value Packed Parenting
- Other: _____

Faith In The World

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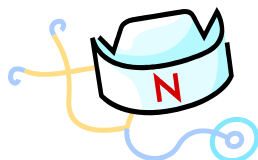
Would you be willing to lead or facilitate a class?

Name: _____ Phone #: _____

Do you know someone who would make a great guest speaker?

Name: _____ Phone #: _____ Topic: _____

Would you be willing to be a part of the Adult Education Committee?



Nurses Recognition Week! Every Sunday nurses share their expertise as they take blood pressures and share their knowledge with parishioners! No other congregation in Rochester offers this service to their parishioners. We are a blessed congregation! A special thanks to all those nurses who volunteer here at Redeemer!

A reminder that blood pressures will be taken Saturday May, 17 evening from 5 to 5:30 and after the service! Thank you Nurses!