

April 12, 2026



Redeemer

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Mission: The Redeemer Family exists to know Jesus, grow in Jesus, and share Jesus.

Focus of the Day

Persecution cannot silence those who teach and preach Christ crucified, dead, and risen. The unwavering testimony is imperishable, undefiled, and unfading. Trials, sorrows, and temptations will never eclipse the revelation of Jesus to whom belongs all glory and honor. Just as Jesus, risen and scarred, stood in the midst of His disciples, so also He remains steadfast in the church, through bread and wine, reminding us of His wounds, nourishing our faith, and bestowing peace on all who see Him.

This Week At Redeemer

APRIL 12 TODAY

- Sunday Worship w/Communion-8:00am
- Sunday School/Bible Study-9:30am
- Sunday Worship w/Communion-10:30am
- H.A.R.P Mission Trip Meeting-after 2nd Service

APRIL 13 MONDAY

- Praise Team Rehearsal- 7:30pm

APRIL 14 TUESDAY

- Hour of Prayer-7:15am
- Handbell Rehearsal- 6:30pm

APRIL 16 THURSDAY

- Thursday Bible Study- 10:00am

APRIL 19 SUNDAY

- Sunday Worship-8:00am
- Sunday School/Bible Study-9:30am
- Sunday Worship-10:30am

Sermon

"Living Hope"

1 Peter 1:3-9

Preaching: Rev. Zach Holdorf

Readings

Acts 5:29-42

1 Peter 1:3-9

John 20:19-31

8:00am Worship

Divine Service #3

463, 461, 490

Sunday Worship

Worship Times

8:00am and 10:30am

Children and Adult Bible Study Classes

9:30am-10:15am

Sunday Communion Schedule

Second, Fourth and Fifth Sundays
At Both Services

Information on receiving Holy Communion can be found in the back of each pew.

For More Information

Website: www.redeemerjackson.org

Follow us on Facebook: [@redeemerjacksonmi](https://www.facebook.com/redeemerjacksonmi)

Subscribe to Our YouTube Channel:

<https://www.youtube.com/c/RedeemerLutheranChurchJacksonMI>

Interested in Joining the Redeemer Family

If you are interested in the next steps in joining the Redeemer Family please sign up in the Narthex or contact the Church office, (517)750-3100, to set up a time to speak with Pastor.

Sunday School/Adult Bible Study

Join us Sundays at 9:30am for our Sunday School and Adult Bible Study. All classes for children, youth, and adults are located on the lower level. We'd love to have you join us.

H.A.R.P. – Help Appalachian Rural People

There will be a H.A.R.P. Mission trip meeting TODAY, April 12, immediately following second service, in the library. If you are interested in this mission trip, we'd love for you to join us.

Grow & Go

Wednesdays April 29, May 6 & May 13 from 5:30-7:30pm in the connection room. Join together with the entire Redeemer family to grow your knowledge on the topic of missions. Week 1) being an everyday missionary; Week 2) uncommon mission opportunities; Week 3) hearing from Redeemer's mission partners. Each night includes dinner for those who sign up in the narthex.

Women of Redeemer Spring Luncheon

The LWML-Women of Redeemer would like to invite you to their Spring Luncheon, Saturday, May 2 from 10:00am-12:00pm. Join them for good food, a fun project, a presentation from POBLO, and great fellowship. Please sign up in the Narthex no later than April 26.

Upcoming Prayer Events

- National Day of Prayer – May 7, Noon-1:00pm follow: Together We Can Make a Difference on Facebook for event details. Pick up the information card in the Narthex.
- Jackson City-Wide Annual Prayer Walk/Drive – Meet at New Leaf Park, 1930 4th St, Tuesday, May 5 at 10am, Walk or drive, rain or shine. The mission is that every street, home, and business in the entire city of Jackson is covered in prayer. Map is in Narthex.

Volunteer Opportunity–Mobile Food Pantry

Date: April 25 **Time:** 9:30am-11:00am **Place:** Trinity Lutheran Church, Downtown Jackson
Volunteers to serve are greatly needed.

Financials

Weekly Offerings needed for 2026 Budget: \$11,900.12

Offerings Received
3/30/2026-4/5/2026
Budget-\$15,881.34
Non-Budget-\$185.00

2026 YTD Financials
as of 3/31/2026
Income-\$159,673.84
Expenses-\$149,553.67

Giving

If you'd like to support our ministries financially:

- Give as you enter the sanctuary
- OR Give online at redeemerjackson.org/give/

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KIDS IN THE
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If all Jesus had to do was die, then why is Easter such a big deal?

Easter is a very important day. Easter is the day that we celebrate Jesus' resurrection from the dead.

After Jesus was crucified, His disciples were very sad. It seemed like their God and friend had been defeated and killed. They had forgotten that Jesus told them that He would rise from the dead. They must have thought Mary Magdalene was crazy when she told them that Jesus had appeared to her at the tomb where He was buried. But her story was true! Jesus was alive! He had risen from the dead!

Later, Jesus appeared to His disciples many times to prove it. And that's just what He did, *He proved it!* By His resurrection, He proved to the world that He was victorious over death and paid for our sins completely. Now, the first words you hear in church on Easter Sunday are: "The Lord is risen. He is risen indeed! Alleluia!"



Parents: Help your children to recognize the different places in our worship service which speak of Jesus' resurrection (the Creed is a good example). Point out some of the symbols in the church that might aid in their understanding of the resurrection. Remind them that we join in His resurrection through our Baptism!

