

July 27, 2025



Redeemer

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

Focus of the Day

Patriarchs, apostles, and ordinary people converse with God through prayer. Abraham pleads for the preservation of the righteous few, even in the midst of outrageous sin. The Lord tempers His anger, assuring Abraham of grace. The church's liturgy is also a conversation between God and His people, shaped by confession of guilt and the outpouring of divine forgiveness! The Lord's Prayer is the axis where confession of faith, sin, and pleading for substance converge. As the Lord instructs, we are privileged to pray.

This Week At Redeemer

JULY 27 TODAY

- Sunday Worship w/Communion-8:00am
- Multigenerational Bible Study-9:30am
- Sunday Worship w/Communion-10:30am
- Fellowship and FUN Night-5:30pm

BAPTISM OF:

Timothy James Ernst Jr.

Parents:

Timothy and Emily Ernst

Sponsors:

Charles and Amanda Kapp

JULY 28 MONDAY

- Praise Team Rehearsal-7:00pm

JULY 29 TUESDAY

- Hour of Prayer-7:00am

JULY 31 THURSDAY

- Coffee with Pastor-10:00am

AUGUST 3 SUNDAY

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

Sermon

"Our Father..."

Luke 11:1-13

Preaching: Rev. Zach Holdorf

Readings

Genesis 18:20-33

Colossians 2:6-15

Luke 11:1-13

8:00am Worship

Divine Service #3

Sunday Worship

Worship Times

8:00am & 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>

Fellowship and FUN Night!

Fellowship & Fun Night! July 27, 5:30pm-7:30pm, meet out at the pavilion. Bring your favorite potluck dish to share. Hotdogs, smores, a bonfire, and an activity will be provided. Rain or Shine, we will move indoors if necessary. Come enjoy some fun nights together!

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.

Rummage Sale

Redeemer's Annual Rummage Sale will be held August 1 and 2.

- **SALE DAYS: August 1 from 9:00am to 7:00pm and August 2 from 9:00am to 5:00pm.**
- **Setup will be Monday July 28-July 31 any and all help is needed and appreciated.**

If any men in the congregation could stay to help set up tables in the gym after church July 27 that would be greatly appreciated as well.

WE NEED: Sorters, greeters, set-up/clean-up crew, advertising, food donations, and more!
WE ALSO NEED: Clean, reusable paper bags. Our sale will be "by-the-bag" again this year. Proceeds from your donations and volunteered time will go to support WATER MISSION. Interested? **Please see the sign up sheets in the narthex for volunteer needs** or call the Church Office (517)750-3100.

CCBB Concert and Ice Cream Social

On August 10 the Capital City Brass Band (CCBB) will be holding an outdoor concert, indoors if necessary, here at Redeemer. The concert will begin at 3:00pm. This is a FREE event - but donations for the CCBB are welcome. We will also be having an Ice Cream Social at 2:30pm before the concert. Please bring your own chair/blankets and enjoy the afternoon with a sweet treat and great music.

Volunteer Opportunity-Mobile Food Pantry

Date: Aug 23 Time: 9:30am-11:00am Place: Trinity Lutheran Church, Downtown Jackson
Volunteers to serve are greatly needed.

Financials

Weekly Offerings needed for 2025 Budget: \$11,497.98

Offerings Received
7/14/2025-7/20/2025
Budget-\$5,459.45
Non-Budget-\$249.64

2025 YTD Financials
as of 6/30/2025
Income-\$315,883.75
Expenses-\$276,866.10

Giving

If you'd like to support our ministries financially:

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

KIDS IN THE DIVINE SERVICE



What is the “pulpit”?

You probably noticed that the pastor preaches to the congregation from the same place in the church almost every time. This place is called the pulpit. The word “pulpit” comes from the Latin word “pulpitum,” meaning “scaffold.” Do you know what a scaffold is? A scaffold is a platform which is raised high up into the air. If you have ever seen someone washing windows on a building, they were probably standing on a scaffold.

Why do pastors preach from a pulpit?

Before the invention of the microphone, it was sometimes hard to hear what the pastor was saying. By raising the place where the pastor preaches, he could better project his voice for all of the people present to hear the wonderful Gospel. Raising the pulpit above everything else also helps to signify the importance of proclaiming God’s pure Word. What a wonderful invention the pulpit is!



Parents: Before or after the service, allow your child to walk up to the pulpit to get a better look. Encourage them to step into the pulpit to get a view of the congregation. Remind them to be reverent in God’s holy places. During the service, before the sermon, remind them that pastor is about to preach God’s Word and that the pulpit will help them to see and hear him clearly!

