

WHAT'S HAPPENING AT REDEEMER

DEEPLY ROOTED

A Season of Prayer,
Meditation, and Service

Lent 2026 - DEEPLY ROOTED

The season of Lent is a season of prayer, meditation, and service. This year we will dedicate ourselves to these practices to grow more Deeply Rooted in our relationship with God.

Ash Wednesday / Drive-thru Ashes

You are invited to begin the Holy season of Lent with us at Redeemer
on Ash Wednesday, **February 18, 2026**

Drive Thru Ashes — 12:00–1:00 pm Receive ashes, a brief prayer, Holy Communion, and a blessing, all from the comfort of your car. All are welcome.

Worship (7 pm) — Our worship will include the Imposition of Ashes and the celebration of Holy Communion. Some of our youth will receive First Communion.

Daily Devotions | February 18 - April 5

This Lenten season, we grow more Deeply Rooted in our faith. **Join Pastor Bean** for 10 minutes each day **on Facebook Live**, to reflect upon a Bible passage and quietly pray.

Sign up online this February to receive daily text message reminders.

Lenten Fellowship Dinners

Family Dinners are Back at Redeemer!

Starting February 25, let's get together for a simple meal and meaningful fellowship.

Dinner will be served from 5:15–6:00 pm.

Dinner is **\$2 per person**, with a **\$10 family maximum**. **RSVP** and Menu items are **on our website**. *(Starting this February)*

Wednesday Service Projects

Following dinner, all are invited to stay for a meaningful **service project from 6:00–7:00 pm**. Each service project will be tied to devotions from the week. No RSVP is needed. All ages are welcome.

Come take part in serving together.



VALENTINE'S PARTY

volunteers needed

FEB 14th @ 3pm

Whether you enjoy decorating, serving treats, leading games, or simply making guests feel welcome, there's a spot for you.

Questions? Contact Lindsey Douglas at ldouglas@redeemerric.org
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Valentine's Party and Volunteers Needed

February 14th | 3pm

Join us for a special Valentine's dance as we celebrate God's love. It will be an afternoon filled with joy, laughter, crafts, music and photo fun. Bring your friends, family or just yourself! Let's celebrate together! February 14th at 3:00pm.

If you are able to volunteer please contact Lindsey Douglas.



DONATE
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SHROVE PANCAKE DINNER

5:45-7:00
FEB 17TH

All proceeds will support our youth attending the National Youth Gathering 2028



Shrove Pancake Dinner

Feb 17th | 5:45-7:00pm

Join us on Tuesday, February 17th at 5:45 pm for a delicious pancake dinner as we celebrate Shrove Tuesday! All proceeds will support our youth attending the National Youth Gathering 2028 in San Antonio. Come hungry and support our Youth!



BPM Out of Office

February

Please note that members of Redeemer's senior staff will be out of the office attending and presenting at the Best Practices Conference in Phoenix, AZ on the following dates:

- Pastor Bean & Becky Wade: February 8-15
- Vonya Burgis & Caycee Hunter: February 11-14

During this time, please direct all pastoral needs to Rev. Rich Finck at rfinck@redeemerric.org.



Mom's Night Out: Paint N Praise

March 6th at 6:00pm

Join us for a relaxing evening of painting, snacks, and praise music. It's a great chance to spend time with friends and invite someone new. No experience needed—just come ready to unwind and enjoy the evening together! Be sure to **RSVP by February 20th on our website.**

A message from Stephen Pruitt

Dear Redeemer Friends,

I am so grateful for all of the blessings and love you have given me and Diane since we became a part of Redeemer. Through your warmth and gracious care and nurture, we are blessed to pray, study, learn, sing, and rejoice with you in your lives.

When we came to Redeemer, our intent was to purchase a home closer to Redeemer than 61 miles from our present home in Williamsburg. Through circumstances in the housing market, etc. we never found that home. I thought I could master the distance over a period of time, but alas, it took its toll. Driving in darkness (early morning and late evening) with the deer population in James City County, New Kent County, Henrico County, and Chesterfield County, what are the odds? I tried everything possible to keep it up. But, it won out.

Leaving you was the most difficult decision I have ever made. I love Redeemer, I love what I do, I love the companionship, I love serving with the staff and clergy, I love being with the CDC kids and staff. The list goes on and on. I am so grateful for you. Peace and blessings with you as you show Jesus to your neighbors, help those in need, care for the lonely, feed the hungry, nurture the children, and love each other. Blessed be the Name of the Lord.

Soli Deo Gloria,

Stephen and Diane Pruitt



Welcome to our new members!

Brian and Amanda Alling (Evelyn, Marilyn)

Bobby and Tish Campobasso

Jason Coleman

Noah Gaduyon

Barbara Gross

redeemer groups

RLC Groups

Interested in starting or joining a group?

At Redeemer, we value meaningful relationships and shared life together. As part of our 2026 Strategic Plan, we're launching new Groups—fun, social gatherings centered around shared interests and connection. Groups can be led by any Redeemer member, and everyone is welcome to join, whether or not you're a church member.

Interested in starting or joining a group? Contact Becky Wade, Lindsey Douglas, or fill out the form online share your idea.



CDC SCHOLARSHIP FUND

AN OPPORTUNITY TO DEMONSTRATE HOW WE ARE A DEEPLY
ROOTED & SPIRIT DRIVEN CONGREGATION

RLC CALENDAR - RECURRING EVENTS

Worship

Traditional Service | Sundays, 8:30 am | Sanctuary
Contemporary Service | Sundays, 11:00 am | Sanctuary
Wiggle Church | Thursdays, 5:30 pm | Fellowship Hall

Bible Study/Christian Education

Adult Bible Classes | Sundays, 9:45 am
Confirmation | Tuesdays, 6:30 pm | Fellowship Hall
JOY Group | Wednesdays, 10:30 am | Fellowship Hall
Men's Bible Study | Tuesdays, 7:30 am | Board Room
Women's Bible Study | Wednesdays, 10:00 am | Community Room
The Chosen Bible Study | 1st & 3rd Mondays, 6:30pm | Online

Music

Choir/Music Rehearsals | Thursdays, 7:30 pm | Choir Loft/Choir Room
Simple Truth | Tuesdays, 6:30 pm | Sanctuary
Joy Ringers | Thursdays, 6:30 pm | Choir Loft

Growing up RLC

Nursery | Sundays, 8:30 am & 11:00 am | Lower Level
Sunday School | Sundays, 9:45 am | Lower Level
Youth Night | Tuesdays, 6:30 pm | Youth Ministry Room

RLC Group Meetings

Board for Spiritual Care | 1st Thursday, 6:00 pm | Board Room
Board of Directors | 3rd Wednesday | Board Room
Koinonia Small Group | 1st & 3rd Tuesdays, 6:00-9:00 pm | Lounge
Quilters | 2nd & 4th Thursdays, 10:00 am | Solarium
Quiram Small Group | 2nd Friday, 2:00 pm | Community Room
Smith Small Group | Sundays, 2:00 pm | Community Room

CDC

Administration Meetings | Tuesdays, 10:00 am & Thursdays, 10:30 am | Board Room
Chapel | Wednesdays, 9:30 am | Sanctuary

Community Events

Cozens NA | Thursdays, 7:15 pm | Fellowship Hall
NA Meeting | Wednesdays, 7:00 pm
RLC Food Distribution | Thursdays, 3:00-6:00 pm | Upper Parking Lot

PRAYER LIST

Those with Cancer:

Kathy Groves (Friend of Robin Balsamo), Jackie Murphy (Friend of Kate Kersten), Linda Lynch, Samantha Reed and Sharon Riddle (Friends of Margaret Clikeman), Debbie Parker, Chuck Sickels (Brother-in-law of the Balsamo's), Kathy Boucher.

General Prayers:

Lord, in Your mercy, hear our prayers for:

- Our RLC Family, as we seek to grow as followers of Jesus
- Redeemer's Child Development Center & our CDC families
- Our efforts to build a Community-Based Church
- Our national & global leaders as they strive for peace throughout the world
- Our missionaries (the Cimas and the Wolfs)
- Our seminarian (Tucker Wright & family)
- Our friends and family: Chris Bickes, Michael Jones, Evelyn Barton (Friend of Andriea Ukrop), LaRay Mason, Bob Lenhart

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