

This Week at Our Redeemer

Sun 5/10	8:00 AM 9:15 AM 10:30 AM	Mother's Day Praise & Worship Service with Holy Communion Coffee Fellowship/Faith Development/Sunday School Divine Worship Service with Holy Communion
Mon 5/11		3rd Annual ORLCS Track and Field Meet (At DDHS Borg Field)
Tue 5/12	9:30 AM 7:00 PM	7th/8th Grade Spanish Field Trip Lectionary Bible Study Board of Christian Education
Wed 5/13	8:35 AM 6:00 PM	Chapel Worship Service Adult Choir
Thu 5/14	10:15 AM	Rain Date for 3rd Annual ORLCS Track and Field Meet (At DDHS Borg Field) 3rd/4th Grade to Brewers Game at American Family Field
Fri 5/15	10:45 AM	PK3 - 1st Grade to Spring Park, Delavan
Sat 5/16	3:00 PM	Holy Smoke BBQ Cook Off

General Information

Weekly Bulletin Content: If you have any requests/updates for weekly bulletin (worship folder) content - prayer requests, announcements, worship helpers - please get that to the church office by no later than Thursday at noon. We print the bulletins on Thursday afternoon, so any requests submitted after that will need to wait for the next week's bulletin.

Record of Fellowship: Please fill out a Record of Fellowship (in the red binders in the pews) each time you worship with us to help us better understand our attendance trends and how to better serve our congregation.

Prayer Requests and Prayer Partners: All prayer requests received by Noon on Wednesday will be added to the Sunday service folder and Prayers of the Church (unless otherwise requested).

Food Pantry: Our Church and School supports the Delavan Food Pantry as part of a cooperative effort with other area churches. Place donations of dry and canned goods in the "Food Bank" box in the narthex.

Prayer Shawls: Shawls are available in both foyers of the church. Please sign the registry and take what you need.

Lasagnas: The Board of Outreach invites members to take home more lasagnas to share with neighbors, friends, or anyone who could use a blessing. If you would like one set aside for you, simply email Danielle at dstrom@orlcs.org by Thursday. We will have the requested lasagnas on Sunday so they're ready for easy pick-up in the cafeteria.



Our Redeemer Lutheran Church with School

Our Mission: Sharing the Redeeming Love of Jesus

A Congregation of the Lutheran Church Missouri Synod

Sunday Worship Services: 8:00 AM & 10:30 AM

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Jesus taught that by eating the bread and wine of the Lord's Supper, we receive his body and blood for the forgiveness of our sins (Mt 26:26-28). St. Paul taught that the Lord's Supper is a confession of our unity in the faith (1 Cor 11:26) and can harm us if taken wrongly (1 Cor 11:28-29).

We take seriously the spiritual care of those who commune at our altar. Because of the above scriptures, if you are not a member of the LCMS and hold a differing confession, we ask you to refrain from communing until you speak with the pastor. You are still invited to come up, with your arms crossed over your chest, to receive a blessing. Your worship with us here is always welcomed!

For information about our church, to submit a prayer request, or e-giving.



*Sixth Sunday of Easter
Praise & Worship Service
May 10, 2026, 8:00 AM*

Opening Song: **House of the Lord**
Invocation
Opening Sentences
Confession and Absolution
Introit
Salutation and Prayer of the Day
First Reading: **Acts 17:16-31**
Adult Choir with Harold Westergaard, Cello:
"Unspoken"
Epistle: **1 Peter 3:13-22**
Holy Gospel: **John 14:15-21**
Children's Message
Song of the Day: **Love of God**
Sermon
Apostles' Creed
Prayer of the Church
Offering
Song of the Month: **Holy Spirit, Light Divine vs. 4-5**
Preface
Prayer of Thanksgiving
The Lord's Prayer
The Words of Our Lord
Pax Domini
Distribution Songs:
All Who Are Thirsty Holy Spirit
The Dismissal
Post-Communion Collect
Benediction
Closing Song: **Living Hope**



Physical, Emotional, and Spiritual Healing

Jeannie Atwell	Carole Larson
Jackson Britzke	Debbie Lynn
Landon Britzke	Dan Medema
Gina Kline	Diane Olson
Patrick Finnegan	Chuck Schaller
Janelle Flintrop	Janet Schmaling
Lowell Gropp	Charlie Stoll
Jeanne Hansen	Joy Wagner
Abi Hummel	Richard Wheeler Jr.
Mike Knieling	Richard Wheeler Sr.
Joann Koles	Jim Wilkins

Our Homebound

Mildred Boness, Diana Carter, Duane Duesterbeck, David Gilbert, Barbara Hart, Darlene Langholff, Carole Larson, Joann Meinschock, Phyllis Patek, Esther Veley, Jackie Viel, Joy Wagner, William Wiedenhoeft

Our Service Members

Richard Cameron, Ben Kastning, Daniel Loomer, Richard Wheeler III, and Jared Zeimentz

Our School Students, Faculty, and Staff

Jeff Holt - 7th/8th Grade Teacher
Emmersyn Witt, Aiden & Ashton Zeimentz

Milestone Birthday

Annette Shinkus

Milestone Anniversary

Richard & Diane Doerr

Sunday, May 10th

8:00 AM Worship Assistance

Elder: Ron Deschner
Communion: Dave Bunnell
Lector: Josh Duesterbeck
Acolyte: Sarah Schuenke
Musician: Becky Penniman
Ushers: Jim Baar, Dave Bunnell, Eric Murphy, Rick Getka, John Hopkins

10:30 AM Worship Assistance

Elder: Richard Cameron
Communion: Len Hahn
Lector: Josh Duesterbeck
Acolyte: Ezra Staller
Ushers: Bill Lenz, Dave Newcomb, Ron Grair, Mark Rathke
Altar Guild: Joann Koles, Judy Lenz, Wendy Kujawa, Dorothy Nietfeldt

Sunday, May 17h

8:00 AM Worship Assistance

Elder: Justin Schuenke
Communion: Chris Keil
Lector: Cathy Bushman
Acolyte: Sarah Schuenke
Ushers: Bill Duesterbeck, Tom Polzin, Don Schmaling, Bruce DeWitt, Dale Albrecht, Jacob Duesterbeck

10:30 AM Worship Assistance

Elder: Jeremy Brockwell
Communion: Luca Albrecht
Lector: Cathy Bushman
Acolyte: Ezra Staller
Ushers: Larry Albrecht, Jon Held
Altar Guild: Joann Koles, Judy Lenz, Wendy Kujawa, Dorothy Nietfeldt

Congregational Giving

	For the Week of 4/27- 5/3	Year-to-Date
Actual Offerings Received	\$17,293.07	\$702,950.06
Budgeted Offerings	\$20,000	\$880,000

Announcements

3rd Annual Track & Field Day: The ORLCS 3rd Annual Track & Field Day is THIS Monday, May 11th, and we still need help with both the individual events and with concessions. Whether you can spare an hour or the whole day, every bit of help means the world to us – visit our sign-ups webpage at orlcs.org/whats-happening/sign-ups.

Holy Smoke BBQ Cook Off: Our Holy Smoke BBQ Cook Off will be held on Saturday, May 16th from 3pm - 9pm. There are many ways to join the fun and support this event! Please check orlcs.org/whats-happening/sign-ups for all of the volunteer opportunities.

Congratulations Graduates: The Our Redeemer High School Youth Group will be hosting a fellowship hour between services on Sunday, May 31st (at 9:15 AM) to celebrate the High School and Middle School graduating class of 2026! Please join us for cake and fellowship!

Special Voters Meeting: We will be holding a special congregational voters meeting on May 17th between services at 9:30am. The two items on the agenda are 1) Voting on the minimum voting age in our Constitution and 2) Voting to allow the church to borrow up to \$100,000 from restricted funds to pay for budgeted expenses. (We don't currently expect being ready to vote to call our next Pastor at this meeting. We will provide an update if the pastor call is added to the agenda.)

Vacation Bible School: SAVE THE DATE!!! August 3rd-6th from 5pm-7:15pm. We will be traveling to Rome to learn about Paul and the early church. We will start each night with a Family Meal. We are looking for youth and adults to help lead various stations, we will also be looking for assistants as well. If you are interested in hosting a meal, being a storyteller, playing games, doing crafts, or being part of our opening/closing, please contact Kelsey Keil at (262) 749-0246 or kealbrecht07@aol.com, or Heather Finnegan at (708) 323-8333 or hfinnegan@orlcs.org.

Lutheran Witness: If you are currently receiving the Lutheran Witness magazine and would like to continue, please contact the church office by no later than Sunday, June 7th.

RaiseRight News: HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY! Please take some time to go through all the options for gift cards that are available through RaiseRight. This program is great for your church and school and it has cards for so many vendors that you use daily! Contact Lauren Romeo at orscrip@gmail.com or 262-325-3059 with any questions.

Attend Our Redeemer Lutheran School Tuition-Free: Did you know that you might be able to send your PK4-8th grade students to Our Redeemer Lutheran School tuition-free under the Wisconsin Parental Choice Program (WPCP)? Qualification is based on income and residency. (Our Redeemer does offer PK3, but PK3 does not qualify for the WPCP; however, we do also have our own in-house tuition assistance through our Little Lambs program.) Contact the school office for information.