



The Lutheran Church of The Redeemer

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July 29, 2018

Tenth Sunday After Pentecost

8:45 am

+ GATHERING +

PRELUDE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

<We stand.>

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

P: Blessed be the holy Trinity, ☩ one God, full of compassion and mercy, abounding in steadfast love.

C: Amen.

P: Trusting God's promise of forgiveness, let us confess our sin against God and one another.

<We kneel.>

P: Eternal God our creator,

C: in you we live and move and have our being. Look upon us, your children, the work of your hands. Forgive us all our offenses, and cleanse us from proud thoughts and empty desires. By your grace draw us near to you, our refuge and our strength; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

<We stand.>

P: Since we are justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ. God's love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit given to us. In the mercy of almighty God, Christ died for us while we still were sinners; and for his sake, God ☩ forgives you all your sins.

C: Amen.

GATHERING HYMN **Glorious Things of You are** **ELW Hymn 647**
Spoken

GREETING

P: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the Communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

C: And also with you.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

P: Let us pray together. . . .

C: Gracious God, you have placed within the hearts of all your children a longing for your word and a hunger for your truth. Grant that we may know your Son to be the true bread of heaven and share this bread with all the world, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

<We sit.>

+ WORD +

FIRST READING

2 Kings 4:42-44

Pew Bible page 293

L: The Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God!

SECOND READING

Ephesians 3:14-21

Pew Bible page 950

L: The Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God!

<We stand.>

GOSPEL

P: The Holy Gospel according to St. John

C: Glory to you, O Lord.

John 6:1-21

Pew Bible page 867

P: The Gospel of the Lord.

C: Praise to you, O Christ.

<We sit.>

CHILDREN'S SERMON

Pastor Miller

SERMON

Pastor Miller

<We stand.>

+ MEAL +

OFFERTORY HYMN

**God, Whose Giving Knows No
Ending (vs. 1)**

ELW Hymn 678

OFFERTORY PRAYER

P: Let us pray.

C: Amen.

DIALOGUE

P: The Lord be with you.

C: And also with you.

P: Lift up your hearts.

C: We lift them to the Lord.

P: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

C: It is right to give our thanks and praise.

THANKSGIVING AT THE TABLE

P: Holy, mighty, and merciful Lord, . . . all honor and glory, now and forever.

C: Amen.

LORD'S PRAYER

ELW Page 154

<We sit.>

COMMUNION

Participation in Holy Communion is open to all the baptized of this and other Christian congregations. We come in faith that Christ is truly present in, with, and under the bread and the wine. We receive this gift knowing that we are forgiven and are nourished to be sent to proclaim God's love to the world. At The Lutheran Church of the Redeemer, we receive communion by intinction, receiving the bread and then dipping it into the chalice of wine.

<We stand.>

THE TABLE BLESSING

P: The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you in his grace.

C: Amen.

POST COMMUNION PRAYER

P: Let us pray. . . .

C: Amen.

+ SENDING +

BLESSING:

In the name of the Father.

In the name of the Father.

May the Lord bless and keep you.

May the Lord bless and keep you.

In the name of the Son.

In the name of the Son.

May God's face shine upon you.

May God's face shine upon you.

In the name of the Spirit.

In the name of the Spirit.

May God's blessings be with you.

May God's blessings be with you.

The Three-in-One.

The Three-in-One.

And give you peace.

And give you peace.

SENDING HYMN Lord, Dismiss Us with Your Blessing ELW Hymn 545

DISMISSAL (*Please face the rear of the nave*)

P: Go in peace. The Spirit sends us forth to serve.

C: Thanks be to God!

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Worship Leadership

Presiding Minister: The Reverend Ed Miller

Pianist: Huger Caughman, Jr.

| | TODAY | NEXT SUNDAY |
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| Lector & Communion Assistant | Claire Grosshuesch | Ernie Shealy |
| Usher | Kathy Riggin | Janet Long |
| Communion Prep | Claire Grosshuesch | Kathy Riggin |
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This week at Redeemer

| Today | Monday, 7/30 | Tuesday, 7/31 | Wednesday, 8/01 | Thursday, 8/2 |
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| 2:30 pm - BL and Dale celebration | | | | |
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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Welcome to Redeemer! We are pleased to have you with us at worship this morning. If you have any questions or need any assistance, just ask! We also invite you to fill out our friendship register at the end of each pew.

The Altar Flowers are given to the glory of God and in honor of their 46th wedding anniversary on July 29 by Cynthia and Bobby Lominack.

The Flowers in the Narthex are given to the glory of God and in honor of B. L. and Dale Brown's fifty-first anniversary by the Huger Caughman family.

Manna House needs hamburger helper, tuna helper, packages of dry milk, 2 lb. bags of sugar, flour, and grits, loaves of bread, corn meal, peanut butter and anything you would like to give. Monetary donations may be made to Sue Mitchell, 2210 Timber Lane, Newberry, SC 29108.

The congregation is invited to join BL and Dale in celebrating their 51st wedding anniversary today, July 29, Redeemer Family Life Center, 2:30-5:30 pm. Please gift us only with the honor of your presence.

Second Sunday Family Fun Night - Join us in the Youth Hall on Sunday, August 12 from 5-7 for dinner and games. All are welcome! Contact Jessica at 803-924-9323 with questions.

Book Fair - Throughout the month of July, we will have a Book Fair set up in the narthex as a fundraiser for the church. Please take a moment to browse the selection of books available. If you are interested in placing an order, please submit the completed order form and payment to the church office no later than Sunday, August 5th. Any of these would make an excellent gift for the child(ren) in your life!

New Church Pictorial Directory - The dates for pictures for the new pictorial directory are Monday, August 27, Tuesday, August 28, and Wednesday, August 29 from 2:00 pm – 9:00 pm in the Family Life Center.

You can sign up online through the link on the church website and Facebook page. If people do not have access online to sign up, we will have a paper sign-up sheet in the narthex starting today.

Redeemer is scheduled to serve groceries to needy individuals from 1 p.m. to 2 p.m. Sept. 10 -14 at Manna House, located in the Department of Social Services building at 2107 Wilson Road. A sign-up sheet is posted in the narthex.

Newberry County Council on Aging needs Meals on Wheels volunteers to serve elderly residents. Meals are delivered, beginning about 9:30 am from the council’s headquarters at 1300 Hunt Street, Newberry. Deliveries take about an hour and are done on weekdays. To serve, contact Shannon at 276-8266.

Redeemer has a vendor booth reserved for Newberry College Community Engagement Fair, 1 pm to 4 pm Thursday, Aug. 23. This is a chance to welcome students back for a new year. Volunteers are needed to help with set-up, including delivery of tables, and to provide booth items, greet students, and return tables to church. Please see Andy Sidden to serve.

Attendance for July 22, 2018

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| Sunday School | 40 |
| 8:45 Service | 39 |
| 11:00 Service | 63 |
| Total | 102 |

Offering for this Week:

Needed Weekly - \$6,074.00

Received 7-22-18 - \$3,431.00



Redeemer will host a birthday party for J. F. Hawkins Nursing Home residents at 3 pm Tuesday, Sept. 4. The facility is located at 1330 Kinard Street, Newberry. Please see Andy Sidden to serve.

Bereavement Meal Ministry - The Bereavement Meal Ministry is a ministry that provides for those grieving the loss of a loved one. Whether it's a meal or a reception, we are helping our brothers and sisters in Christ in their time of need. Those who are part of this ministry are assigned to a group, asked to provide something for the meal/reception, and then called when it's time to serve. If you would like to be a part of the Bereavement Meal Ministry, please contact Janet Long or Anne Caughman.

Bereavement Meal Ministry Co-Chairperson - Those who are members of the Bereavement Meal Ministry and would like to take over the position of Co-Chairperson, please contact Janet Long or Anne Caughman. Thank you.