

The Lutheran Church of The Redeemer

1515 Boundary Street - Newberry, South Carolina 29108 - Tel: (803) 276-2003

March 10, 2019

First Sunday in Lent

8:45 & 11:00 am

+ GATHERING +

PRELUDES

Out of the Depths I Cry to You
Aria
My Faith Looks Up to Thee

David Lasky
Paul Manz
Karl Osterland

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

<We stand.>

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

P: Blessed be the holy Trinity ✝ one God, who gathers us in the wilderness to redeem us, anoint us, and make us new.

C: **Amen.**

P: In these forty days of Lent, let us be honest, confess our sin, and receive God's promise of mercy.

<We kneel.>

P: God at the margins,

C: **We have wandered far from your home; again and again, we lose our way. We turn inward, afraid of the world around us. We forget that you have saved your people before and promise to do so again. Do not remember the deeds of our past, but turn our faces toward the future, where your forgiveness is sure, your welcome is clear, and your love overflows. Amen.**

<We stand.>

P: Like a hen who gathers her chicks, God embraces you in tender care. Like manna in the desert, God feeds you with surprising mercy. Like a loving parent, God runs to meet you again this day, forgiving your sins for the sake of ✝ Christ, leading you from death into life.

C: **Amen.**

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.**

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PRAYER OF THE DAY

P: Let us pray together...

C: **O Lord God, you led your people through the wilderness and brought them to the promised land. Guide us now, so that, following your Son, we may walk safely through the wilderness of this world toward the life you alone can give, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.**

<We sit.>

+ WORD +

FIRST READING

Deuteronomy 26:1-11

Pew Bible page 158

L: The Word of the Lord.

C: **Thanks be to God!**

PSALM

91:1-2,9-16

(Sung responsively, led by Cantor)

¹You who dwell in the shelter of | the Most High,
 who abide in the shadow of | the Almighty—
²**you will say to the LORD, “My refuge | and my stronghold,
 my God in whom I | put my trust.”**
⁹Because you have made the | LORD your refuge,
 and the Most High your | habitation,
¹⁰**no evil | will befall you,
 nor shall affliction come | near your dwelling.**

¹¹For God will give the angels charge | over you,
to guard you in | all your ways.

¹²**Upon their hands they will | bear you up,
lest you strike your foot a- | gainst a stone.**

¹³You will tread upon the lion | cub and viper;
you will trample down the lion | and the serpent.

¹⁴**I will deliver those who | cling to me;
I will uphold them, because they | know my name.**

¹⁵They will call me, and I will | answer them;
I will be with them in trouble; I will rescue and | honor them.

¹⁶**With long life will I | satisfy them,
and show them | my salvation.**

SECOND READING

Romans 10:8b-13

Pew Bible page 921

L: The Word of the Lord.

C: **Thanks be to God!**

<We stand.>

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

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GOSPEL

P: The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke

C: **Glory to you, O Lord.**

Luke 4:1-13

Pew Bible page 835

P: The Gospel of the Lord.

C: **Praise to you, O Christ.**

<We sit.>

**CHILDREN'S SERMON
SERMON**

**Pastor Matt
Pastor Matt**

<We stand.>

HYMN OF THE DAY

On Eagle's Wings

ELW Hymn 787

NICENE CREED

We believe in one God,

**the father, the Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,
of all that is, seen and unseen.**

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,

**the only Son of God,
eternally begotten of the Father,
God from God, Light from Light,
true God from true God,
begotten, not made,
of one Being with the Father;
through him all things were made.**

For us and for our salvation

**he came down from heaven,
was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the virgin Mary
and became truly human.**

**For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;
he suffered death and was buried.**

**On the Third Day he rose again
in accordance with the scriptures;**

**he ascended into heaven
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.**

**He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,
and his kingdom will have no end.**

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,

**who proceeds from the Father and the Son,
who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified,
who has spoken through the prophets.**

We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic church.

We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.

**We look for the resurrection of the dead,
and the life of the world to come. Amen.**

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

<We kneel.>

The response after each petition: P: Hear us, O God. C: Your mercy is great.

After the prayers have concluded we respond with AMEN.

PEACE

<We stand.>

P: The peace of Christ be with you always.

C: And also with you.

At this time, you may greet one another in the name of Christ.

+ MEAL +

<We sit.>

RECEPTION OF THE OFFERING

ANTHEM

Let Us Pray for Peace

Thomas Keesecker

<We stand.>

OFFERTORY HYMN

Restore in Us, O God
verse 1

ELW Hymn 328

OFFERTORY PRAYER

P: Let us pray ... Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

C: Amen

GREAT THANKSGIVING

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PREFACE

P: It is indeed right, our duty, and our joy, that we should at all times and in all places give thanks and praise... *Here the minister continues with the preface for the day, concluding...* we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

HOLY, HOLY, HOLY

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THANKSGIVING AT THE TABLE

P: Blessed are you, O God of the universe as we proclaim the mystery of faith:

C: **Christ has died. Christ has risen. Christ will come again.**

P: ... Grace our table with your presence.

C: **Come, Holy Spirit.**

P: ... Send us forth, burning with justice, peace, and love.

C: **Come, Holy Spirit**

P: ... we praise you, O God, blessed and holy Trinity, now and forever.

C: **Amen.**

LORD'S PRAYER

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Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

**For thine is the kingdom,
and the power, and the glory,
forever and ever. Amen.**

<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.

HYMN

One Bread, One Body

ELW Hymn 496

<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 +

SUNG 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

Guide Me Ever, Great Redeemer

ELW Hymn 618

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

P: Go in peace. Remember the poor.

C: **Thanks be to God!**

POSTLUDE

Savior, When in Dust to You

Carolyn Hamlin

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Worship Leadership

Presiding Minister: The Reverend Matthew Titus

Organist: Huger Caughman, Jr.

Choir Director: Gayle Lindley

Ushers: 8:45 - Tommy Moose **11:00** - Andy Senn, Rey Lominack, June Lominack,
Benji Lindsay

Communion Preparation: 8:45 –Vickie Wiseman, Beth Hipp; **11:00** - Mary Sue Green

	8:45	11:00
Lector & Communion Assistant	Nikki Chapman	Jerry Haltiwanger
Greeter	Community of Redeemer	Community of Redeemer
Crucifer		Ledare Livingston
Acolyte		Griffin Long

Worship Assistants' schedule for the entire year may be found in the Annual Directory.

This week at Redeemer

Today	Monday, 3/11	Tuesday, 3/12	Wednesday, 3/13	Thursday, 3/14
8:45 am - Worship 9:30 am - Junior & Children's Choir	6:00 pm - Anger Management	10:30 am - Prayer Shawl Ministry	6:00 pm - Handbells	
10:00 am - Sunday School 11:00 am - Worship		6:00 pm - Finance Committee	7:00 pm - Lenten Service	
3:45 pm - WELCA 5:00 - 7:00 pm - Spaghetti Supper		7:00 pm - LMM in FLC	7:30 pm - Senior Choir	
5:00 - 7:00 pm - 2nd Sunday Fun Night				

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.

Lilies for Easter are available to order in honor or in memory of a loved one. Orders are due no later than Tuesday, March 26. The cost of each lily is \$8.00.

Interfaith Community Services is a community organization that helps those in need within Newberry. They are in need for screeners to help those who come for assistance to their offices. You would be trained by ICS and would only be expected to work once a month. If you are interested please contact pm.

A Night of Music

Featuring
 Huger Caughman, Organist
 Christopher Dukes, Pianist
 Peter Moore, Violinist

March 24, 2019 | 6:00 p.m.
 Central United Methodist Church
 1005 College Street
 Newberry, SC 29108

Join us for a reception after the concert

No ticket sales - Donations will benefit the
 Free Medical Clinic of Newberry County

Organized by the
 Newberry County Chamber of Commerce

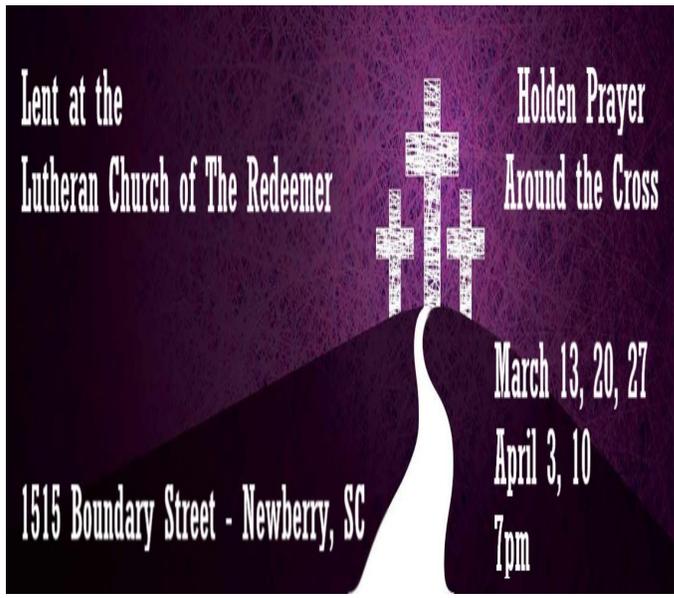


Lent at the
 Lutheran Church of The Redeemer

Holden Prayer
 Around the Cross

March 13, 20, 27
 April 3, 10
 7pm

1515 Boundary Street - Newberry, SC



Redeemer's LMM will be cooking spaghetti today from 5 pm to 7 pm for Julianna Smith's Girl Scout Troop. Eat in or take out is available. This is a fundraiser for a trip they wish to take. Ben Bowers will head this up. Please let Ben know if you can help.

Coming Together through Music concert on Sunday, March 17, 2019 at 6:00 pm in Wiles Chapel on Newberry College Campus. Our senior choir will be taking part in this concert.

The Community of Faith here at Redeemer will be entering into 100 Days of Prayer and Discernment with one another. Come be a part of this great time at Redeemer.

WELCA will meet in the church library at 3:45 PM for its business meeting. At 4:00 we will watch the video , “Combating the ‘Me First’ Mentality,” and then discuss pages 27 to 31 in our Let It Go study guide. All women of the congregation are invited to attend.

THANK YOU –

To the Lutheran Men for preparing the Shrove Tuesday Meal. It was delicious.

To the participants in the Redeemer’s Talent Show, we “Thank You” for sharing your talents with us. The show was most enjoyable. Start preparing for next year.

Supper Club will meet on March 19 at 6:30 pm at Catch 22 in Chapin.

Attendance for March 3, 2019

Sunday School	38
8:45	43
11:00	92
Total	135

Offering for this Week:
Needed Weekly - \$6,000.00
Received 3-03-19 - \$10,058.00