

The Lutheran Church of The Redeemer

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

November 11, 2018

Twenty-fifth Sunday after Pentecost

10:00 am

+ GATHERING +

PRELUDES

If You But Trust in God to Guide You
Beautiful Savior
Morning Has Broken

Paul Manz
Robert Hobby
Franklin Ashdown

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

<We stand.>

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

P: Blessed be the holy Trinity, ☩ one God, who calls us into an everlasting hope, who guides us to springs of the water of life, who enlightens us with the spirit of wisdom.

C: Amen.

P: One with the communion of saints in all times and places, let us confess our sin against God and one another.

<We kneel.>

P: O God, our merciful redeemer,

C: We confess the ways we live only for ourselves. We fail to see you in our neighbor's face. We turn our ears from voices that cry out. We pass by the hungry and the oppressed. In your great mercy, forgive our sin and strengthen us for service to all in need; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

<We stand.>

P: In the mercy of almighty God, Jesus Christ was given to die for you and for ☩ his sake, God forgives you all your sin. Blessed are you! Rejoice and be glad, beloved people of God.

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.

KYRIE

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PRAYER OF THE DAY

P: Let us pray together...

C: O God, you show forth your almighty power chiefly by reaching out to us in mercy. Grant us the fullness of your grace, strengthen our trust in your promises, and bring all the world to share in the treasures that come through your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

<We sit.>

+ WORD +

FIRST READING

1 Kings 17: 8-16

Pew Bible page 282

L: The Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God!

SECOND READING

Hebrews 9:24-28

Pew Bible page 976

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. Mark

C: Glory to you, O Lord.

Mark 12:38-44

Pew Bible page 825

P: The Gospel of the Lord.

C: Praise to you, O Christ.

<We sit.>

CHILDREN'S SERMON

SERMON

<We stand.>

HYMN OF THE DAY

**In Christ There is No East or
West**

ELW Hymn 650

APOSTLES' CREED

**I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried;
he descended to the dead.
On the third day he rose again;
he ascended into heaven,
he is seated at the right hand of the Father,
and he will come to judge the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. 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 **Above the Voices of the World Around Me**

K. Lee Scott

Soloist: Corey Shaver

<We stand.>

OFFERTORY HYMN **For the Fruit of All Creation**
(vs. 1)

ELW Hymn 679

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: Holy, mighty, merciful Lord, the beginning and the end ... one God, now and forever.

C: Amen.

LORD'S PRAYER

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<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

Lord, Whose Love in Humble Service

ELW Hymn 712

<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 Oh, Happy Day When We Shall Stand ELW Hymn 441

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

P: Led on by the saints before us, go in peace to serve the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God!

POSTLUDE

Joyous Procession

Garry Cornell

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Worship Leadership

Presiding Minister: The Reverend Matthew Titus

Organist: Huger Caughman, Jr.

Choir Director: Gayle Lindley

Ushers: James Long, Hugh Smith, Dustin Guy, Justin Guy, Benji Westwood

Communion Preparation: Janet Long

Worship Leadership

		10:00
Lector & Communion Assistant		Beth Singletary
Greeter		Helen Fellers
Crucifer		Jordan Cary
Acolyte		Mafra Kemper

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

This week at Redeemer

Today	Monday, 11/12	Tuesday, 11/13	Wednesday, 11/14	Thursday, 11/15
10:00 am - Worship & Annual Meeting	6pm - Anger Management	6:00 pm - Finance Committee	6:30 pm Handbells	
3:45 pm - WELCA		7:00 pm - LMM	7:30 pm - Choir	

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.

Altar flowers are given to the glory of God and in memory of my parents, Bill and Elizabeth Butler, by Mary Maercklein.

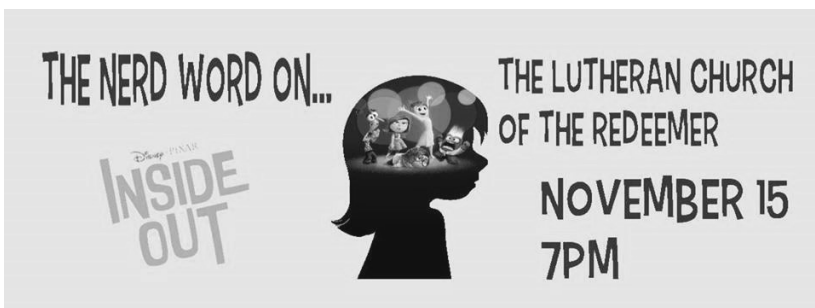
Poinsettia Orders - Once again we are taking orders for Poinsettias to decorate the church leading up to our Christmas Eve service. Orders are due Monday, November 19. Each plant is \$10. Please contact the church office for more information.

Annual Meeting - The Annual Meeting of The Lutheran Church of The Redeemer will take place today immediately the worship service. Items of Business include: Vote on 2019 Ministry Spending plan; Vote to elect three members to Church Council from slate—Matt Bowers, Kristin Caughman, Claire Grosshuesch, Cynthia Lominack, Christy West, and David Wiseman; Vote to approve 2019 Nominating Committee—Chelsea Ellisor, Kathy Lindsay, Kathy Riggan, Andy Senn, Ernie Shealy, & Beth Singletary; Vote to approve Mission Endowment Fund Bylaws; Contingency vote, if Mission Endowment Fund Bylaws pass, to pay off the Growing in Grace Mortgage immediately using a portion of the 10% allocated to the church.

Choral Scholar Showcase Dinner - Please join us in the Family Life Center, Sunday, Nov. 18 at 7:00 pm for dinner and entertainment. Our Choral Scholars will provide the program showcasing a variety of their talents. Tickets for the event are \$10 for adults and \$5 for students. Tickets may be purchased from the church office, Gayle Lindley, or in the Narthex after services. No tickets will be sold at the door. Proceeds from the event will help fund the Choral Scholar Program. Plan to join us for an entertaining evening. The deadline for purchasing tickets will be Wednesday, November 14.

Main Street Tree Lighting - This year we will have a booth for the Tree Lighting in Downtown Newberry on November 16, 2018 from 5-8pm. We need volunteers to bake goods and treats, to be at the booth during the event, and to set-up and breakdown the booth. If you are willing to be a part of this, please contact PM.

Operation Christmas Child - Return your box to the church by noon on Nov 19th. No candy or gum. No toothpaste. No liquids. Enclose \$9.00 or pay for your shipping on line. Please pray for your box.



Attendance for November 4, 2018

Sunday School	43
8:45	30
11:00	74
Total	104

Offering for this Week:
Needed Weekly - \$6,074.00
Received 11-04-18 - \$6,100.30