



**THE SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST**  
**June 25 & June 26, 2016**

On this new summer day, we turn our eyes to Jesus and bow our hearts before Him. **Welcome** to worship! Please introduce yourself to **Pastor Allison and Pastor Akers**, and complete the information in the Rite of Fellowship pad located on the pew. **Large print services and assistive listening devices** are available from the ushers or at the Welcome Center. For **Pastoral Care** please call **Pastor Allison or Pastor Akers** at the church or at home. A **Sitting Room** [in the east wing] and a **Nursery** [in the west wing] are available for infants through age three during each worship service. **If little ones become restless during the service and are disturbing other worshipers, please take them out of the service until they have settled down.** Thank you! "The Lutheran Hour" can be heard every Sunday at 8:00 AM on WIOU 1350 AM, sponsored by Lutheran Church of Our Redeemer. Please note the **deadline for bulletin announcements is Wednesdays by noon.**

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<b>SATURDAY EVENING WORSHIP SERVICE: 5:30 PM</b> <b>SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICES: 8:15 &amp; 10:45 AM</b> <b>CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP: 10:45 AM [1<sup>ST</sup> &amp; 3<sup>RD</sup> SUNDAYS]</b> <b>SUNDAY SCHOOL AND BIBLE CLASS: 9:30 AM</b>	

**WORSHIP SERVICE PARTICIPANTS & MUSIC**

	<u>SAT. 5:30</u>	<u>SUN. 8:15</u>	<u>SUN. 10:45</u>
<b>Preacher</b> <b>Liturgist</b> <b>Organist</b> <b>Acolytes</b> <b>Sanctuary</b> <b>Stewards</b>	Pastor Akers Pastor Akers Florence Moeller Volunteer Needed	Pastor Akers Pastor Allison Florence Moeller Volunteer Needed	Pastor Akers Pastor Allison Florence Moeller Volunteer Needed Marietta Adelsen Teddi Heinzman

**LAST WEEK'S ATTENDANCE - BUDGET INFORMATION / MUSIC**

Saturday-5:30 PM - 77 / Sunday-8:15 AM - 90 / Sunday-10:45 AM - 152 = 320  
**Prelude** - "Processional in C" - Hal Hopson / **Offertory** - "Jesus, Lead Thou On" - arr. Paul Manz  
**Postlude** - "If Thou But Suffer God to Guide Thee" - J.S. Bach

**ALTAR FLOWERS**

This weekend's altar flowers are given by **Janie Polsgrove** in memory of her husband **Allen Polsgrove**, in celebration of our freedom, and in thankfulness to God for His many blessings.

**SHUT-IN OF THE WEEK - SHARON PACKARD**

*Sharon Packard is this week's honored shut-in.*

**PRAYERS FOR HEALING, STRENGTH, PEACE AND COMFORT**

We remember **Suzanne Biddle, Karen Harrison, Sonja Gotshall, Vivian Heronemus, Marjorie Muhl, Betty Cowgill, Rob Reason, Lori Seaman, Kristen Cain, Dick Dunkin, Heather Hartman, Jack Garner, and Pam Richardson.**

**THE CHURCH OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED THIS FRIDAY  
AND THE FOLLOWING MONDAY FOR THE JULY 4<sup>TH</sup> HOLIDAY.**

**CHRISTIAN LOVE, PRAYERS & SYMPATHY**

Our Christian love, prayers and sympathy go to **Jeannie Moon** and **family** at the death of her brother, **Jay Welchel** on June 20, 2016. Also to **Bill & Bev Spoon** and **family** at the death of their loved one, **Faith Spoon Flowers**, who passed away on June 22, 2016.

**MARRIAGE BLESSINGS**

***Dan Hunkeler** and **Sadie Kennedy** will be married at Lutheran Church of Our Redeemer this Saturday, July 2, 2016 at 2:30 PM.*

**▶▶▶▶▶ NEW PICTORIAL CHURCH DIRECTORY ◀◀◀◀◀**

**THE BODY OF CHRIST:**

After all the picture taking is complete, Life Touch will create a montage utilizing all of the pictures taken. These family photos will be a part of the Portrait Montage. However, if you don't have your picture taken, and don't get your free 8 X 10 photo and don't help replenish Redeemer Lutheran School Scholarship Fund, you won't be in the Portrait Montage. The completed montage measures 24" X 32" and will probably hang in Mission Hall. Deacons are available in the Narthex before and after each service to assist you in signing up for pictures. On week-days you can sign up on-line, simply go to [lcorkokomo.org](http://lcorkokomo.org) and click on the Life Touch logo. Questions??? Call **Ross Morkal**.

**SUNDAY ADULT BIBLE CLASSES / SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES - 9:30 AM**

**THE SERMON ON THE MOUNT AND LIFE TODAY - ADULT ED ROOM**

It's one of the most famous passages in Scripture, known by Christians and non-Christians alike. The Sermon on the Mount is also one of the most quoted pieces of Scripture because of the variety and magnitude of topics Jesus tackled with the crowd that day. But the question becomes, "How does this famous sermon apply today?" Culture says we need to get with the times and adjust our view of Scripture accordingly. The Sermon on the Mount says otherwise. Join **Jonathan Guse** in the **Adult Education Room** as we continue a deeper look into the Sermon on the Mount.

**A LONGER LOOK AT THE LESSONS - MISSION HALL**

*This morning in **Mission Hall**, Pastor Akers leads a class called, "A Longer Look At the Lessons". Each week we will take a look at the 3 Scripture readings that are assigned for each Sunday. This week we will take a look at the readings assigned for "Proper 8".*

**YOUNG ADULTS BIBLE CLASS - CHURCH LIBRARY**

**Young Adults Bible Class** continues **this Sunday**. Our study is "**One God, many gods: A Study of World Religions**". Christianity and fourteen other religious faiths are examined and compared, with a goal of identifying the central teachings of each and providing some tools for Christians who encounter people of other faiths in their daily lives. Please join us in the **Church Library** starting at **9:30 AM**.

**STRONG TOWER: HIGH SCHOOL**

*Meet in the **Youth Room** with **Steve Gaunt** for *The Easter Experience* by Kyle Idleman. This 6-part series brings the passion, and resurrection of Jesus to life through dramatic storytelling and challenging teaching done in a highly cinematic style.*

**7 SUNDAYS IN SUMMER CHALLENGE: PRE-K THRU HIGH SCHOOL**

**This is Week 4 of our 7 Sundays in Summer Challenge.** Children and youth that attend Sunday School 7 times between June 5 and July 31 can enjoy 2 free games of bowling, our treat, August 21 from 2-4:30 pm at Heritage Lanes.

**PRE-K THRU 7TH GRADE**

Join us in Fellowship Hall on June 26 will bring Professor Steve's Amazing World of Science. Both youth and adults will have a wonderful time learning all about science and how God can be found right in the center of it all. Next week we will begin a 5-week adventure on Son Treasure Island to learn all about God's love for us.

## GUATEMALA MISSION TRIP

From **July 2 - July 9**, fifteen [15] individuals will be participating in English Second Language at Resurrection Lutheran School in Gualan, Guatemala. Serving on this mission team are: **Lisa Marshall [MOST Ministries], Pastor Akers, Mark Dunkin, Susan Evans, Bob Hingst, Erin Klepfer, Sarah Klepfer, Gretchen Laudenschlager, Gene Miller, Jenna Seaman, Kyle Street, Kathy Tucker, Dave Turner, Diane Turner, Melanie Waggoner.**

Please pray for our team and those they are serving in Guatemala. Thank you to all who volunteered to serve as secret prayer partners.

Please include those who attended the Rescue Mission Birthday Party in your prayers during their birth month – thank you!

### January

Nick  
Cooper  
Pat  
Toby  
Kevin

### February

Bob  
Brandon  
Katie  
Josh  
Robert  
Michael  
Bob

### March

Jim  
Elijah  
Amber  
Bernard  
John  
Ricky  
Samaje

### April

Scot  
JJ  
Edith  
Gregory  
Georgie

### May

Roy  
Arnold  
Dale  
Tessa

### June

Dave  
Dave  
Nick  
Randy  
Kandice  
Cedric  
Destiny  
Tabatha

### July

Blaine  
Joseph  
Michael  
Greg

### August

Andy  
Phoenix  
Ashley  
Thomas  
Cecelia  
Mary  
Michael  
James  
Heather

### September

Jeff  
Jessie  
Daina  
Craig  
Aaron  
Shane  
Steve

### October

Kevin  
Joe  
Joshua  
Jeff  
Richard  
James  
Tracy  
Jeffery  
Sean  
Sherry  
Sherry  
Sula  
Matt  
Rubin  
Destiny  
Barry

### November

Charles  
Brady  
Karenzia  
Latina  
Eddie  
Dana

### December

Nick  
David  
Jeff  
Katherine  
Osman

☺ *As you prepare for worship today, take your child's hand in yours and ask him or her to repeat this prayer phrase by phrase (or say it to them if they're an infant). Dear Jesus/ help me listen/ help me sing/ help me pray/ Amen. Do this with them each week and trust God to bless your efforts!*

## STEWARDSHIP MOMENT

**1 Kings 19:18** "Yet I will leave seven thousand in Israel, all the knees that have not bowed to Baal, and every mouth that has not kissed him." Elijah was so sure that he was right: that he was the only one left who had not gone after Baal. But he was too pessimistic; his faith in God was off-center. We can't go by our own wisdom. We must trust the Lord and what He has revealed to us in His Word. Think about how this applies to our support of God's work in the Church with our offering (take a look in the Small Catechism's Table of Duties to see what the Bible has to say about our giving....).

## SPONSOR A MILE!

*Our youth traveling to New Orleans this summer are on the last leg of fundraising to help offset their costs to the LCMS National Youth Gathering! It is 1,700 miles round trip from LCOR to the Mercedes Benz Superdome in NOLA. We're looking to sponsor each mile of our trip! For every \$20 donated, 5 miles will be sponsored! If you donate in any way, you will receive a postcard from the participants while they are at NYG. Check out the bulletin board across from the Adult Education Room for updates! If you have any questions, please see **Jonathan Guse** or **Tami Brooks!***

## YOUTH CENTRAL

## GROUNDS & PATHWAYS – HS/MS YOUTH GROUPS

We're on "summer break" from our regular meetings. Be on the lookout for information about some special meeting times this summer! If you have any questions, see **Jonathan Guse, Tami Brooks, or Kori Wood.**

### SCRIP

**Today, June 26<sup>th</sup>,** is the last day to shop SCRIP for the summer!! Be sure to come to Extended Care between 9 and 10:30 to stock up for the summer. Thanks to everyone for supporting SCRIP this past school year. SCRIP will return **Sunday, August 14, 2016.**

### **SIMPLY GIVING – A NEW WAY TO GIVE ELECTRONICALLY!**



Visit the church web site at [www.lcorkokomo.org](http://www.lcorkokomo.org) and select the **On-line Giving** link in the left column to set up your account. Once set up, you can also use a smart phone and the QR code image here to go directly to the giving page.



### THIS WEEK AT REDEEMER

<u>DATE</u>	<u>TIME</u>	<u>TITLE / EVENT</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>
Sat.	5:30 PM	Traditional Communion	Sanctuary
Sun.	8:15 AM	Traditional Communion	Sanctuary
	9:30 AM	Adult Bible Classes	Adult Ed Room / Church Library / Mission Hall
	9:30 AM	Elementary / Jr. High - High Sunday School	Fellowship Hall / Youth Room
	10:45 AM	Traditional Communion	Sanctuary
	3:00 PM	Bubble Soccer	Darrough Chapel Park
	4:00 PM	Guatemala Team Packing	Mission Hall
Mon.	9:00 AM	Room Occupied	Mission Hall
Tues.	7:00 AM	Men's Bible Study	Mission Hall
	6:00 PM	Cub / Boy Scouts	Fellowship Hall
Thurs.	9:30 AM	Quilting	Choir Room
Fri.	5:00 PM	Hunkeler – Kennedy Rehearsal	Sanctuary
Sat.	2:30 PM	Hunkeler – Kennedy Wedding	Sanctuary
	5:30 PM	Traditional Communion	Sanctuary

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO:**  
***Don Benziger – July 1***  
***Don Richardson – July 3***  
***Bob Whitton – July 3***  
***Joanne Kraase – July 4***

## WORD & WEEDING

Join your fellow REDEEMED for a little WORD sharing, weeding and fellowship on **Wednesdays during the summer, 9:30 – 11:00 AM**. If the weather is not suitable for outdoor work, we can always ask Bev, Ruth, Michelle, Pastors and/or custodians where help is needed! Questions, please call **Sheryl Hartman**.

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