



NINTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

July 24 & July 25, 2021

Welcome! This morning [evening] may Christ “dwell in your hearts through faith,” and may you “grasp how wide and long and high and deep is the love of Christ” (Ephesians 3:17-18, NIV). For children, a Sitting Room is located in the east wing. Children’s busy bags and bulletins are in the Narthex. Please note bulletin announcement deadline is Wednesdays by noon. Thank you.

THE RITE OF FELLOWSHIP

The maroon booklet in the pew is our fellowship pad. Please fill it out each time you worship. This helps us care for the needs of each visitor and member. Thank you.

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WEEKEND WORSHIP SCHEDULE:

Saturdays - 5:30 PM - Divine Service / Bible Study in Mission Hall - 4:15 PM
Sundays - 8:30 AM & 11:00 AM - Divine Service / Bible Study in Mission Hall - 9:45 AM
Blended Divine Service on the 1st & 3rd Sundays at 11:00 AM

WORSHIP SERVICE PARTICIPANTS

	<u>SAT. 5:30</u>	<u>SUN. 8:30</u>	<u>SUN. 11:00</u>
Preacher	Pastor Dreyer	Pastor Dreyer	Pastor Dreyer
Liturgist	Pastor Hingst	Pastor Hingst	Pastor Hingst
Worship Assistant		Jack Engelder	Jack Engelder
Organists	Florence Moeller	Florence Moeller	Florence Moeller
Sanctuary			Jane Sipe
Stewards			Anna Gaunt

Last Week’s Attendance: Sat. - 58 / Sun. 8:30 - 68 / Sun. 11:00 - 97 = 223

***Organ Music: “What God Ordains is Always Good” - Pachelbel
“All Glory Be to God on High” - Telemann***

ALTAR FLOWERS

This weekend’s altar flowers are given by **Don & Connie Howard** in thanksgiving for family, church family, and God’s many blessings.

PRAYERS FOR HEALING, STRENGTH, PEACE AND COMFORT

We remember in our prayers, Sharon, Jim, David, Kurt, Judy, Brenda, Marion, Howard, Clara, Debi, Renee, Carlyn, Janie, Sheila, Diane, Tom, Wess, and Bill.

FROM PASTOR HINGST

“I will be out of the office for two weeks as my family and I move from Fishers to our new home in Kokomo. I will return on Monday 8/9. During that time, I will still be at the church on weekends for church services and Bible studies. I will also be available for emergencies by cell if/when Pastor Dreyer is not available.”

SHUT-IN OF THE WEEK - ART PEIRCE

This week, Art Peirce is our honored shut-in.

RESOURCE FAMILY APPRECIATION PICNIC

"A HUGE "thank you" to everyone who helped in any way with the picnic! Everyone who attended had a great time and meaningful connections were made. Here is an observation from one of our awesome volunteers: "Looking around that day all I saw were people having fun and enjoying being together." It was a great way to launch Redeemer's Family Advocacy Ministry and begin serving families caring for vulnerable children whether in foster, kinship or adoptive situations. To God be the glory! Cindy Sewell."

JACK ENGELDER'S SYNOPSIS OF "THE TREASURY" FOR THIS WEEK

In this week's "Treasury" readings, we observe the rise and fall of King Saul. It is right to observe that the Lord picks for His will the least of these. Saul, commissioned through his prophet Samuel, was to be the fulfillment of the prayers of the Israelites. Observe the Mercy of God. Though the people of Israel were wrong to ask for a king when they had judges appointed over them, still the Lord had mercy on them. Observe the failures of Saul, though he quickly shows himself to be an unrepentant sinner, where does the Lord have mercy regardless?

The Wednesday Morning Men's Group is using the "God Provides" series. This is theater-quality, epic short films with a Companion Guide for discussion and direction. All men are welcomed, we meet at 8:30 on Wednesday mornings in Mission Hall.

FROM ROSS MORKAL

"HELP!!!!!! I need some help. If you would like to work with wood, have no experience, or bored with TV come to **255 S 440 W Kokomo, Indiana 46901** at **7:00 PM on Thursday, July 29, 2021**. You can learn how to sand wood, glue parts together, find out what in the world is a jig (It's not dancing with wood). We will be making crosses to be distributed to the citizens of Kokomo. I will show you the old way. The new way the, professional wood-master, will show you how to do it the smart way on this coming July 29, 2021. The wood-master will show you sanding and gluing, clamping, and helping each other, finally go home with a well done feeling. If you are interested call me, **Ross Morkal**."

"BOOK OF CONCORD"

*In Bible Class, Pastor Dreyer mentioned "Book of Concord" that coincides with "Treasury of Daily Prayer". A paperback edition is on sale through July for **\$14.99**, [regular price **\$24.99**]. Bulk discounts takes "Book of Concord" down to **\$10.00** each. A sample of the book is at the Welcome Center, along with a sign-up sheet to order. Thank you.*

SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

Holy Communion is served weekly, at all services. Pastor Dreyer and Pastor Hingst are available to make appointments for those needing to schedule private communion. Please contact them at the church office **765-453-0969** or by email:

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Thank you.

THIS WEEK AT REDEEMER

<u>DATE</u>	<u>TIME</u>	<u>TITLE / EVENT</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>
Sat.	12:00 PM	Member Function	Fellowship Hall
	4:15 PM	Bible Class	Mission Hall
	5:30 PM	Traditional Divine Service	Sanctuary
Sun.	8:30 AM	Traditional Divine Service	Sanctuary
	9:45 AM	Bible Class	Mission Hall
	11:00 AM	Traditional Divine Service	Sanctuary
Mon.	9:00 AM	Room Occupied	Mission Hall
	5:30 PM	Youth Group	Youth Room
Tues.	6:00 PM	Scouts	Mission Hall
Wed.	8:30 AM	Men's Bible Study	Mission Hall
Thurs.	9:30 AM	Quilting	Choir Room
	7:00 PM	Cross Building - Brandenburgs	255 S. 440 W., Kokomo
Sat.	4:15 PM	Bible Class	Mission Hall
	5:30 PM	Traditional Divine Service	Sanctuary

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO:

Mitch Yeakley - August 6
Roland Pohlman - August 7
Dick Harrison - August 13
Theresa Knight - August 14
Kate Graft - August 24
Vivian Heronemus - August 30
Donald Knight - August 30
Diane Turner - August 31

KOKOMO RESCUE MISSION BIRTHDAY GUESTS

Heather, John, Bobby, Jerry, Mark, Cody, Edna, Alex, John, Ashlee, Kennie

YOUTH GROUP - MONDAYS - 5:30 PM

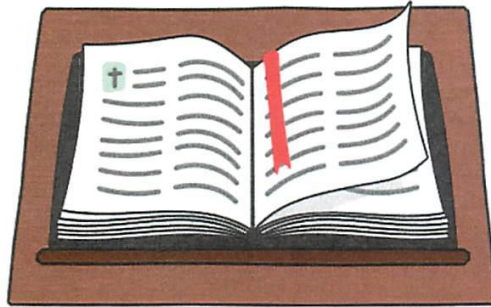
Youth group for **grades 6th through 12th** meets **Mondays** from **5:30-8:00 PM** (this coming school year 6th graders invited). It will be held in the Youth Room. Feel free to bring board games, cards, console games, movies, etc. We want you to enjoy fellowship, but keep in mind that we are building Christian fellowship together. These activities must not betray the conscience of any of your brothers or sisters. We look forward to seeing everyone!

KIDS IN THE DIVINE SERVICE

What is the "lectern"?

When the Lord calls us together for worship, He feeds us with His wonderful Word and Sacraments. In most churches, the Bible

sits on a stand called a "lectern." The word "lectern" comes from the Latin word "lectio," which means "reading."



Why is the Bible read from a lectern?

For thousands of years, God's living Word has been read to His people. When this Word is read to us, we remember that God continues to deliver His promise of salvation to us through faithful preaching and teaching. With the help of the lectern, our church Bible is in a great place for reading to all of God's people!



Parents: Before or after the service, allow your child to walk up to the lectern in order to get a better look. Allow them to look at the church Bible. Remind them to be reverent in God's holy places. During the service, before the readings, remind them that they are about to hear God's Word, and the lectern holds the Bible that they will hear God's wonderful promises from!



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