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Adult Ed to Explore Use of Apostles' Creed in Worship

During the 11:15 a.m.-12:15 p.m. adult education hour on **Sundays, October 22 and 29**, the Worship Team invites Redeemer members and friends to participate in an important conversation. The team would like to hear their views about what the Apostles' Creed means to them, and how meaningful it is to them to recite it in worship.

On October 22, Redeemer member, pastor, and theologian **Don Luck** will begin the discussion. Don will talk about the development of the Apostles' Creed and how creeds have been used in the history of the church. He will also talk about the use of the Creed in worship. The following week, **Pastor Dave** will facilitate a conversation when folks are invited to listen to each other while they share what the Creed means to them.

The Worship Team is sponsoring these discussions in response to a letter we received several months ago. Here are excerpts from what a Redeemer member wrote: "The creed has prompted discussion at Redeemer for years, as members have followed their individual faith journeys and have ended up in different places in terms of their relationship to the creed. Many years ago, we sought out Don [Luck] to help us craft a descriptive sentence to accompany the creed – positioning it in its historic context. That certainly helped but hasn't resolved the underlying issue – which is basically our varying understandings of the three parts of the Trinity, about which the creed has some very definite things to say...."

"I've been told by a good number of folks over the years that they're uncomfortable saying the creed. So they've found a variety of ways to handle the situation – staying quiet, mumbling their own words, imagining their own versions, even trying to be absent at that point in the service. And I confess to my own discomfort recently when a visitor without adult church experience joined us, and I felt the need to somehow discreetly convey to him that the creed was not necessarily a statement of anyone's individual faith or belief.

"I've been intrigued over the years as I've heard about more modern versions of the creed; but I've never seen one that really captured the sense of the creed in a satisfactory way. And I understand the difficulty inherent in such a rewrite anyway – it might not speak to most people, and there remain (probably) a good number of members who would not willingly give up the creed in its current form. Perhaps it's time to check out how congregational members actually feel about the creed and its role in our worship service...."

The Worship Team believes it is time for us to ask members this question, and engage them in this conversation. "So please join us for these important discussions. We look forward to hearing from you. If you cannot attend in person or on Zoom, please feel free to send your thoughts, concerns and questions to **Dave Shull** by mail or email (dshull@redeemerluth.com). The team wants to hear from all of you who wish to express your views. Your input will be an essential part of the Worship Team's future conversations about what kinds of changes, if any, we will recommend."

Dave Shull, on behalf of the Worship Team

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The Redeemer Community

BREAD Informational Meeting Set for October 15

The Redeemer BREAD Network Team will be hosting an Informational “House Meeting” during the Adult Education Hour on **Sunday, October 15**. This will be an opportunity to hear updates and successes regarding all the various campaigns the BREAD members have been working on.

These house meetings also provide an opportunity for BREAD to hear about concerns people are having regarding their community. All the information gathered from the 43 faith congregations will be used to determine what new topics BREAD might tackle.

It is also an opportunity for individuals to get more involved in this Justice Ministry. If so, come to Redeemer’s “House Meeting” on Sunday, October 15 or reach out to a BREAD Network Team Member (**Kristi Hildebrand, Kathy Zwanziger, Emily Ott** or **Michele Disbro**).

Don't forget: donations supporting the work of BREAD can be made using the envelopes on the table at back of the sanctuary and depositing them in the offering plates.

New Theme for Narthex Art Announced

The next Narthex art theme will be “Snapshots of Saints” and will be unveiled on **Reformation Sunday, October 29**. “We would like your pictures without frames, and preferably no larger than 4x6, and we will display them scrapbook style on posterboards. There will be space to write the date and a one-sentence description, i.e.-“Emily & Tom at Cedar Point, 1993,” **Emily Kent** explained in church on Sunday.

“From the mundane to the outrageous, We want to celebrate saints fully living our lives in the love and grace of Jesus.”

Journaling Workshop Set for Saturday

Mark Katrick will lead the journaling workshop this coming **Saturday, October 14** from 9 a.m.-12 p.m. here at Redeemer.

Mark writes, “It is my great joy and blessing to be able to spend time with you, whether you are curious about journaling or dedicated to journaling. ... During this time, through various forms of imagery like music, art, photography and the written word (of course) we'll explore ways to journal our blessings (given and received). The spiritual guide in me simply says that this is a time to just breathe in the breath of God, and be together to do that blessed thing each one of loves to do and lives for each day.”

Contact **Rich Pautsch** with questions.

Sign Ups Underway for 2022 Advent Devotional Booklet

Advent will soon be here, and one way Redeemer has observed the season for several years has been the preparation of an Advent devotional booklet, with daily devotions for Advent written by members of the congregation. Members and friends are asked to consider writing a devotional for the booklet this year. Individual devotions should be emailed to **Mary Benis** by **Monday, November 13** for editing.

The list of readings which provide the basis for the devotions is posted on the bulletin board. Call the church office at 614-237-1263 and check with booklet coordinator **Connie Criswell** at cac56@columbus.rr.com with your selections to avoid duplications.

Help LSS Pack Thanksgiving Care Packages

With Thanksgiving approaching in just seven weeks, Redeemer will again be assisting the Food Pantry in providing some food for those who need help providing a Thanksgiving meal for their families. Bags are available at church to fill with these items *only*. (LSS will add a turkey, bread, and produce.)

- 2 pouches or 1 box of mashed potatoes
- 2 cans of fruit (peaches, applesauce, pears, etc.)
- 3 cans of green beans
- 2 cans of corn
- 2 cans of pumpkin
- 1 can of cranberry sauce
- 1 box or bag of stuffing mix
- 1 turkey gravy packet
- 1 boxed yellow cake mix



This gives folks the opportunity to begin shopping now. Further details about where to bring the filled bags will be forthcoming. Questions? Contact **Kathy Zwanziger**.

Thanks for helping make Thanksgiving happier for many people!

CROP Walk Donations Still Welcome

Donations can still be made in support of Redeemer's CROP Walk team of **Wendy Stoica, Kathy Zwanziger, Heidi Sherer and Connie Criswell** on the team's webpage at <https://events.crophungerwalk.org/2023/team/redeemer-lutheran-church-2>. So far, Connie announced Sunday, Redeemer has raised \$9,918 toward a goal of \$10,295 and has raised the 13th highest amount in the country.



Next Book Group Explores Adoptee's Seeking Her Birth Parents

The next Redeemer Book Group book will discuss *All You Can Ever Know* by **Nicole Chung**. Chung was born extremely premature, placed for adoption by her Korean parents, and raised by White parents in a tiny Oregon town.

The book, a finalist for the National Book Critics Circle Award for Autobiography, explores the discrimination she faces and her search for her birth parents. There are plenty of copies in the library to check out. The group meets in-person and on Zoom **Wednesday evening, October 18**, from 7-8:30 p.m. "We'd love your voice in our conversations."

Highlights of September Congregational Council Meeting

Attendees at the **Monday, September 18** meeting included **Pastor Dave Shull, President Michele Disbro, Vice President Krista Skipper, Nathan Ott, Katie Jacobs, Jennifer Young, Diane Brobeck, Elyce Herring, Sue Yehling, Laura Warren and Sue Watson**.

The meeting began at 7:05 p.m. with an opening devotion from Pastor Dave provided a recording of The Lord's Prayer in Swahili (baba yetu, YouTube).

After asking for feedback on how we are living into our mission, vision and values, Michele and Laura led a lively discussion of Sunday's Celebrations (church anniversary, ministry volunteers, choir celebration, and the dedication of the new basketball hoops). It was unanimously agreed that the event was very successful and should become an annual event.

The August 21 minutes were approved unanimously. Also, an electronic vote had been taken since the last meeting, after the Executive Team approved the replacement of the AC unit for the educational wing at a cost of \$19,575.

The Financial Reports were approved with Nate commenting that there has been a trend of having one month with higher income and the next month with a lower income. The month of August was a lower income month. Also, typically the end of the year shows an increase in income. The net operating through August is actually looking pretty good considering a deficit was projected.

The Ministry reports were also reviewed.

Greg Ruban's updates to the Financial Process Audit Report were reviewed in detail, and it was noted by Michele that current **Treasurer Julie Johnson** has requested that both a treasurer and a backup be appointed for next year. Also, credit card limits were reduced from \$29,000 to \$15,000.

The Safety Team (**April Smith, Sara Auman and Sue Yehling**) have prepared a brochure. Council unanimously moved to approve its use. The intent is to place the brochure in each of the pews, on the Kiosk in the Narthex, among other locations. Also discussed was the need to provide them to regular users of Redeemer's space, i.e., Suzuki, Berwick Civic Association, Girl Scouts, etc.

Council was reminded that the next meeting will begin at 6:30 p.m. on **Monday, October 16**, immediately before the RLC Ministry Evaluation at 7 p.m. **Marques Highland** is preparing a form for council and mutual ministry team members to complete and return to him so he can compile the responses for this meeting.

Council also approved the Facility Use Request to use the Fellowship Hall by Thomas Mitchell (basketball assistant coach) on Nov 23 for a family Thanksgiving dinner.

Michele again reminded Council that budgets are the current focus. Nate will need those numbers soon.

After the Lord's Prayer, the meeting was adjourned.

Enjoying Fall at Redeemer

Tuesdays at 1 p.m.: Exploring the Bible. This fall the group will explore The Acts of the Apostles. Not too familiar with it? Come and change that! Join Zoom Meeting ID: 822 5966 0622; Passcode: 435549; at the following link: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82259660622?pwd=R2pHTW11bHR0N1FHbFRZdStqbk9Bdz09> Phone only: 301-715-8592.

Every second Tuesday at 6:30 p.m.: A Brewing Faith: Redeemer's Zoom theology pub. If you've ever wanted a super-informal, non-threatening place to explore questions about life and theology, this is for you. We often eat and drink at home while we're discussing whatever topic(s) we choose for the evening. It is a really great way to get to know a small, lively group of people. The Zoom link is <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81765916972?pwd=bjJ0T1JlbG1keXpsV205TWNHVUFpQT09>.

Monthly/Third Wednesday Book Group: The joy of a book group is that someone in the group always picks up something the rest of the group missed! This group meets in-person and on Zoom. (See separate story on the new October book.)

Thursday, Oct. 19, between 1-4: The last Mid-Ohio Food Collective/Lutheran Social Services Food Giveaway of the year. Watching the transformation of an empty parking lot into a drive-through fresh produce market where love and joy are real enough to touch is only one of the reasons to be part of this ministry. Another is to connect with other members of this community as folks bag cucumbers and put boxfuls of amazing stuff into backseats and trunks. Just show up and you'll be put to work. **The October giveaway "extras" are cleaning supplies.** These items can be dropped off in the coatroom. (See separate story, this issue on September's giveaway.)

Saturday, Oct. 14, 9 a.m.-noon: Journaling Workshop led by Mark Kattrick. The facilitator of Redeemer's monthly journaling group, **Rich Pautsch**, invites journalers and non-journalers to this exploration of the variety of ways we can be stimulated to journal blessings. The monthly journaling group meets the **fourth Thursday** of the month at **7 p.m.**

Sunday, Oct. 15, 11:15 a.m.: BREAD conversation. Redeemer is part of Building Responsibility, Equality, and Dignity (BREAD), a Franklin County-based interfaith justice advocacy group. Participants in this conversation will learn about the latest BREAD successes, what our involvement is making possible, and what justice issues you care about. (See separate story, this issue.)

Ongoing Sundays: Readers are needed for the Sunday services throughout the fall. A sign-up sheet can be found on the bulletin board next to the Library. Readings are sent out the week ahead of the service. **Readers of all ages are welcome to participate in this ministry.**

Ongoing Sunday mornings: The Senior Choir rehearses at 8:45 a.m. Contact **Kathy Rapp** with questions at arapthing@hotmail.com or 614-565-2945.

Ongoing Thursdays: The Chime Choir rehearses at 6:15 p.m. most Thursdays. Check the weekly calendar for whether it is meeting. Contact **Karen Kent** at 527780KK@gmail.com or 614-648-8393 with questions.

First Wednesdays: Redeemer serves at the Lutheran Social Services Food Pantry on the first Wednesdays. It runs from 12:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. Questions? Call the church office at 614-237-1263. Or sign up on the sheet on the bulletin board next to the Library. The next time Redeemer serves is **Wednesday, October 4.**

RLC Safe Church Team Offers New Emergency Preparedness Brochure, Guidelines for Staying Safe in Public Places

Redeemer's Safe Church Team has developed a new emergency preparedness brochure that can be found in the pew racks and in the Narthex. This summarizes information on ways to respond to various emergency situations while in the church building. Be prepared, stay safe!"

Here are some reminders about staying safe in public places, including houses of worship. This includes a refresher on Avoid, Deny and Defend in responding to armed intruders. These tips are not meant to frighten or alarm you, rather let them remind us to be alert to our surroundings and prepared to protect ourselves, our families and our neighbors.

Prepare before

- Stay alert. Always be aware of your environment and any possible dangers.
- If you see something, say something to local authorities. That includes suspicious packages, people behaving strangely or someone using strange communications.
- Observe warning signs. Signs might include unusual or violent communications, substance abuse, expressed anger or intent to cause harm. These warning signs may increase over time.
- Have an exit plan. Identify exits and areas to hide wherever you go, including work, school and special events.
- Learn lifesaving skills. Take trainings such as You Are the Help Until Help Arrives and first aid to assist the wounded before help arrives.

Stay safe during

- Seek safety. Getting away from the attacker is the top priority.
- Cover and hide if you can't evacuate.
- Fight only as a last resort. When you can't run or take cover, attempt to disrupt the attack or disable the attacker.
- Take care of yourself first. Then, if you are able, help the wounded get to safety and provide immediate care.

Know what to do after

- Remain calm.
- Keep hands visible and empty.
- Report to designated areas.
- Follow law enforcement's instructions and evacuate in the direction they tell you to go. Listen to law enforcement for information about the situation. Share updates as you can with family and friends.

AVOID: Move away from the source of the threat as quickly as possible. The more distance and barriers between you and the threat, the better.

DENY: If you cannot AVOID - Create barriers to prevent or slow down a threat from getting to you. Turn the lights off. Remain out of sight and quiet by hiding behind large objects and silence your phone.

DEFEND: If you cannot AVOID or DENY - be prepared to defend yourself. Be aggressive and committed to your actions. Use any object as a weapon. Do not fight fairly. Fight to survive.

Noisy Offering to Hawai'i Relief Efforts

The Noisy Offering is now going for the Hawai'i disaster relief. Funds will be sent directly to the ELCA synod in Hawai'i. RLC member **April Smith** has provided the following update on Hawai'i relief efforts via **Terri Robertson**, executive assistant for finance and accounting of the Pacifica Synod on behalf of **Bishop David Nagler**:

“Thank you for your congregation’s support of those affected by the wildfires in Hawai'i. Bishop Dave is there through the end of the month. In fact today he is on Maui and meeting with partners there.”

“As of August 22, donors from across the United States have donated almost \$42,000 to our synod’s Hawai'i Relief fund. Here is what I can share with you (from Bishop Dave) about the fund:

1 “100 percent of any donations will be given to support people affected by the fires.

2 “We are working with local agencies on the ground to ensure that the money is used wisely.

3 “Our commitment is long term. We stand by communities long after the news cycle has moved on. We are proud of our Lutheran focus on restoring people; body, mind, and soul.”

Donations can be made online at <https://secure.myvanco.com/YJ82/campaign/C-149JR> or by mailing a check to the Pacifica Synod Office, 1801 Parkcourt Pl. Bldg. C, Santa Ana, CA 92701 and write Hawai'i Relief in the memo section.

Important Emails

Dshull@RedeemerLuth.com – use for communicating directly with **Pastor Dave**.

Info@RedeemerLuth.com – use for communicating with the office, *Reflections* newsletter, **Office Manager**

Becky Trover, healing prayer requests or for general information.

MemberCare@RedeemerLuth.com – use for communicating with the Member Care team about needs for personal ministry such as in-home communion, a home visit, meals, etc.

FinSec@RedeemerLuth.com – use for stewardship campaigns.

Itgroup@RedeemerLuth.com – use for communicating with Redeemer’s IT Team for items related to the website.

Property@RedeemerLuth.com – use to report items that need repair in the church building.

SundaySchool@RedeemerLuth.com – use to offer suggestions for our Sunday School ministry.

Transportation@redeemerluth.com – use to request temporary transportation assistance.

Communications@redeemerluth.com – use to send church related announcements or pictures for sharing on Redeemer’s social media sites. Another way is to tag Redeemer in the posts.

Publishing Deadlines for *Reflections*, Sunday Bulletins

For *Reflections*

- **PLEASE SUBMIT PRIOR TO 5 P.M. ON SUNDAYS.**
- Send to info@RedeemerLuth.com and put *Reflections* in subject line.
- Or leave a note in the *Reflections* mailbox at the top of the stairs outside the church office.

For Sunday Bulletins

The deadline for information to be published in Sunday bulletins is the **Wednesday morning** before. That information can be sent to the above email: just put “Bulletin” in the subject line.

Prayers and Personals

Prayers for healing are asked for **Cora Marquez** who broke her leg recently.

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Ride Sought for Don Luck on Oct. 22 and 29

Someone with a van or truck is sought to bring **Don Luck** to church and adult education on Sundays, October 22 and 29. He is leading the adult education program on the Apostles' Creed the last two Sundays in October and uses a particularly large walker for added stability that doesn't fold up like most do. So he needs a vehicle that can accommodate it.

If you can pick him up before 9:30 a.m. on either or both of those Sundays, and take him back home after adult ed ends around 12:15 p.m., that would be really helpful. Don lives at Kensington Place.

Please let **Dave Shull** know if you can take him one or both Sundays. Thank you!

October Birthdays

9-Bill Boys

9-Thea Barbour Harms 11-Sue Watson

15-Jessie Jimison 16-Eileen Day

17-Shari Ayers 19-Renee McFarland

19-Miles Smith 23-Skye Andree

23-Cason Day 23-Sandra Keaton

24-Bret Day 24-Leyton Wolfe

25-Madeline Gosnell 25-Madalyn McGurer

26-Kennedi Jacobs 26-Avery Martin

26-Krista Skipper 27-Brad Phillips

28-Bruce Hutson 29-Brittany Amon

29-Jeremy Davis 30-Martin Binau

31-John Caron

The Wider Church

Prayer Concerns for Week from ELCA

10 Pray for a peaceful resolution to the war in Ukraine, and be mindful of how it impacts every nation and our daily lives.

11 Praise God for our faith in Jesus Christ, who frees us from the restraints and shortcomings of our past so that we can move forward in our baptismal journey of connecting our faith with everyday life, serving neighbors in need, spreading hope and living with gratitude.

12 Ask God to guide and, when needed, temper our words so that others will know God's love and forgiveness and the truth of the gospel through what we say. "Let the words of my mouth and the meditation of my heart be acceptable to you, O Lord, my rock and my redeemer." (Psalm 19:14)

13 Pray for the vitality and effectiveness of our seminaries as they prepare leaders who will respond to God's call, equipping congregations and other communities of faith to nurture disciples of Christ and do God's work in the world.

14 Pray for our neighbors and siblings in Christ who are overwhelmed by confusion, conflict and suffering. Ask the Spirit to make us bearers of hope, encouragement and wisdom for our neighbors, reflecting the trustworthy light of Jesus Christ and the comforting love of God.

15 We trust in the promise of eternal life with God. Pray that, rather than take this gift for granted, we might be inspired to live in joy and gratitude, sharing that joy with others and proclaiming what God has done for us through Jesus Christ.

16 Remember in prayer the 131 ELCA missionary households and 25 Young Adults in Global Mission volunteers who serve alongside our siblings in Christ and global companions in 45 countries.

The Community Beyond

Deadline to Register to Vote Is Tuesday; Early Voting Starts This Week

For those Ohioans who have not voted before or have not voted recently or who have voter information to update, the deadline to register to vote for the **Tuesday, November 7** election is **Tuesday, October 10** and early in-person and absentee voting by mail begins **Wednesday, October 11**.

Voters can cast their ballots early in-person; vote-by-mail; or on Election Day. Absentee voting has already begun for military and overseas voters with those ballots mailed out Friday, September 22.

New voter registration and needed updates to a current registration can be done entirely online at <http://VoteOhio.gov>. Additionally, every county board of elections will be open until 9 p.m. Tuesday, October 10 for anyone who chooses to register in-person.

Early, in-person voting hours at local county boards of elections will be as follows:

- Wednesday, October 11-Friday, October 13, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.
- Monday, October 16-Friday, October 20, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.
- Monday, October 23-Friday, October 27, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.
- Monday, October 30- Friday, November 3, 7:30 a.m.-7:30 p.m.
- Saturday, November 4, 8 a.m.- 4 p.m.
- Sunday, November 5, 1-5 p.m.
- Election Day Tuesday, November 7 polls will be open 6:30 a.m. to 7:30 p.m.



Voters may also choose to vote by mail. Information about requesting an absentee ballot can be found online at VoteOhio.gov. The deadline for absentee ballot applications to be received by the local board of elections is **Tuesday, October 31**. Absentee ballots must be post marked by Monday, November 6 or delivered directly to the local board of elections by 7:30 p.m. on Tuesday, November 7.

Once their ballot request is received by their county board of elections, voters may track their ballot at <http://VoteOhio.gov/Track>. As long as a ballot is postmarked by the day before the election, **Monday, November 6**, and received by Saturday, November 11, the vote will be tabulated.

Ohio voters will find two issues on their ballot this election: State Issue 1 is the reproductive/abortion rights constitutional amendment while State Issue 2 is an initiated law legalizing recreational use of marijuana. Also on this ballot are local elected offices.

Public Meeting Kicks Off Eastland Community Plan

A public meeting is being held on **Saturday, October 14** to begin consideration of the Eastland Community Plan which seeks to envision a new future for the Eastland area, "one that is equitable and prosperous for everyone." The meeting will run from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Barnett Community Center, 1184 Barnett Road, Columbus. Lunch will be provided and will translation services, upon request.

Folks are asked to RSVP at www.eastlandcommunityplan.com.

Getting Ready for Worship

20th Sunday after Pentecost, October 15, 2023 Lessons

Readings: Philippians 4:1-9; Psalm 23; Matthew 22:1-14

Prayer of the Day

Lord of the feast, you have prepared a table before all peoples and poured out your life with abundance. Call us again to your banquet. Strengthen us by what is honorable, just, and pure, and transform us into a people of righteousness and peace, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. **Amen**

A Prayer for Ukraine

For those who are fleeing: sanctuary
For those who are staying: safety
For those who are fighting: peace.
For those whose hearts are breaking: comfort
For those who see no future: hope.

Intercessions & Thanksgiving

+ For the people of St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran Church in Newark.

+ For Redeemer community members Ruth Murray and Donna Voelkel.

Each week we remember in our prayers in worship those who cannot be with us and those with special needs and concerns: Bebe McCoy, Robin Stokes, Bonnie Hegreness, Heidi Carman, Mary Kennedy, Kevin Bailey's sister Kleta Childs, Kathie and Nancy Ehrich and their sister Betty Weaver, Jeremy Davis, Bebe McCoy's brother-in-law Walt and her sister Jan, Brittany Parsons, Mary Bowling's sister Val, John Kennedy's niece Michele Wolfe, Becky Trover's sister Maddie Sutphin, Skye Andree, Julie Larson and husband Eli who is receiving cancer treatment in Houston, Kathleen Zwanziger, Phillip Hall and Kirstin Roberts, Carolyn Moehring, Kris Kauffman, Mary Watts, Kelley Frank's parents Charlotte and Wayne Frank.

Worship Leaders

Presiding Minister	Dave Shull
Assisting Minister	Kay Ernsthause
Cantor	Connie Criswell
ASL Interpreter	Bryan Neal
Organist & Senior Choir Director	Kathy Rapp
Pianist & Chime Choir Director	Karen Kent
Usher	Ruth Murray
Verger	Michelle Clemence/Wendy Stoica
Hospitality	Karen Rider
Communion Prep	Kay Ernsthause
Producers	Sachio Phillips, Toshi Phillips

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Noisy Offering will go to Hawai'i Synod of the ELCA*

Upcoming Week at Redeemer

October 9 -October 16, 2023

Monday	6:30 p.m.	Girl Scout Troop 1143
Tuesday	1:00 p.m.	Bible Study
	6:30 p.m.	A Brewing Faith on ZOOM
Thursday	6:15 p.m.	Chime Choir Rehearsal
	6:30 p.m.	Bexley/Berwick Dementia Support Group
Saturday	9:00 a.m.	Journaling Workshop
Sunday	8:45 a.m.	Senior Choir Rehearsal
	10:00 a.m.	IN-PERSON and LIVESTREAM Worship with Holy Communion and Healing Prayer
	11:15 a.m.	IN-PERSON and ZOOM Adult Ed

Redeemer's mission: To be followers of Jesus, sharing God's love with all

Redeemer's vision: To foster understanding and healing in community

Redeemer's Values: Inclusion, Compassion, Justice