Our Week as Redeemer Church 07-16-2025

Check out what's happening in our community.

LAST SUNDAY

On Sunday, we read Mark 2:1-12, in which a paralyzed man's friends will stop at nothing to get him to Jesus. This story reminds us that Jesus heals the brokenness that no one can see and that we need each other as we walk a life of faith.

CHALLENGE FOR THE WEEK

This week, thank God for those who have supported you in hard seasons. Then ask: Who might God be putting on your heart to care for, and how can you help bring them closer to Jesus?

THIS SUNDAY

Join us as we continue our summer sermon series, *The Beginning of the Good News of Jesus Christ*.

- 8:30am Traditional Worship in the Sanctuary
- 11:00am Contemporary Worship in the Sanctuary

REGISTER BY SEPTEMBER 24 FOR OUR ANNUAL WOMEN'S RETREAT

Click here to register for the 2025 Women's Retreat, which will be October 10-11 (and those wanting a little extra time away are welcome to stay until Sunday, October 12). We're excited to experience a new location this year at Siena Retreat Center, on the shore of Lake Michigan in Racine, Wisconsin (about a 75-minute drive from Redeemer). Our theme this year is Faith and Nature: A Deeper Connection with God through Nature. The cost is \$128 per person for those staying one night, \$30 for those only attending during the day on Saturday, or \$226 for those staying two nights. Full and partial scholarships are available. Please email the church office with any questions or to request scholarship support.

STAFF TIME AWAY

Pastor Dan is away from work July 16-23.

REDEEMER BOOK CLUB: MONDAY, AUGUST 4, 6:30PM

Everyone is welcome to participate in Redeemer's book club, which meets monthly in the Conference Room. At the next meeting, we'll discuss *The Flower Sisters*, by Michelle Collins Anderson. Please contact Linda Gonzales (cpd5137@yahoo.com) with questions.

SENIOR LUNCHEON: THURSDAY, AUGUST 14

Seniors, please join us in the Sanctuary on Thursday, August 14, 11am-1pm (please note that this is the second Thursday of the month, a shift from our normal schedule), for fellowship and a meal together. All are invited to bring a dessert to share. Questions? Contact Pastor Dan.

KNITTING CIRCLE: TUESDAY, AUGUST 19, 6:30PM

If you enjoy knitting or crocheting, or would like to learn how to do either of these, come join a new knitting circle that meets monthly in the Conference Room. The group will meet next on August 19, from 6:30-8:30pm. If you are interested or have any questions, call or text Cristie Rubeo at 847-868-6463.

SHARE & UPDATE YOUR PRAYER REQUESTS WITH OUR PRAYER TEAM

We have a faithful team continually praying for our congregation. To share your prayer requests or to be added to the team, please email redeemerprayerteam@gmail.com. (Do you have updates on your recent prayer requests? Please send a quick email to let our team know! It helps our team know how to continue praying.)

MEAL TRAIN MINISTRY

Do you know of a member of our Redeemer community who would benefit from having a <u>Meal Train</u> set up for them (perhaps someone who is recuperating from surgery, recently lost a loved one, or just had a baby)? Check with the person to make sure they're interested and then email <u>office@redeemerparkridge.com</u> to get things started.

USE YOUR THRIVENT ACTION DOLLARS AT REDEEMER

Help us do more Faith in Action events year-round by using your Thrivent Action Team dollars to support this ministry. Members are eligible for funds of up to \$250 twice per year. Go to this link to find out more about Thrivent Action teams, or contact Pastor Dan about how you can use these funds to put your faith into action!

8:30AM WORSHIP STREAMING ON ZOOM

We're streaming our 8:30am Sunday worship services via Zoom so that those who aren't able to make it to Redeemer physically can still be a part of worship. Contact office@redeemerparkridge.com for Zoom information.