



Redeemer News

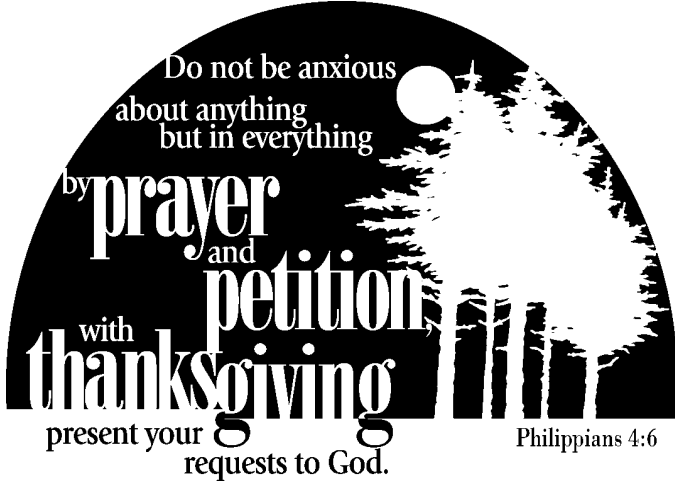
October 2009

Redeemer Lutheran Church

Pastor Michael Wolters

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483-4463



On October 4 we held our first Marriage Fellowship gathering at the home of Rod and Paula Schaper. It was a blessing to be gathered together in his Word.

Our next gathering will be Nov 1st at 7pm at the home of Dick and Barb Silkey. Their address is 478 18th Ave W. This gathering is intended to help couples of all ages rejoice in and grow in their marriage relationship. While we will use Scripture, this is not a Bible Class but a time of fellowship and sharing around the truths of God's Word. We tentatively hope to meet once a month in someone's home for about an hour and a half. Please consider joining us for a joyful time of growth in God's gift of marriage.

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Acolyte Schedule

Oct 4 - Shayna Monson	483-7916
Oct 11 - Eric Schaper	483-6715
Oct 18 - Kelsie Tyrrell	974-3959
Oct 25 - Reed Johnson	483-8866
Nov 1 - Emily Tyrrell	974-3959
Nov 8 - Tayler Johnson	483-8866
Nov 15 - Kacy Schaper	483-6715
Nov 22 - Dynae Zubke	225-1835
Nov 29 - Lindsay Tyrrell	974-3959

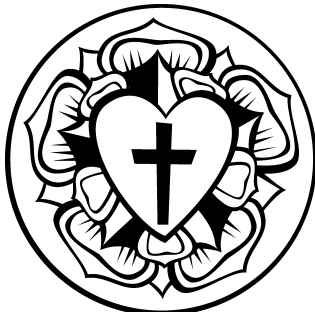
Chastity - The Choice of CHAMPIONS!

Dr. James I. Lamb, Executive Director, National Lutherans for Life, will be guest speaker at the SW Zone Lutheran Youth Fellowship Rally, Sunday, October 11, 3:30 - approx. 7:30 PM CDT (2:30-approx 6:30 PM MDT), Redeemer Lutheran Church, Dickinson. Dr. Lamb's message provides positive motivation for making good, God-pleasing decisions!! Games, devotions, supper and election of officers will also be part of the rally open to everyone in grades 8 and up. For more information, contact Paula rlc4him@ndsupernet.com or 483-4463.

Please make arrangements with someone else on the list if you are unable to serve for your assigned Sunday.



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Each member of our Youth Group are encouraged to bring a guest.



October is a great time of the year. In many parts of our country the leaves are changing colors and providing some beautiful scenery to

delight our eyes. The harvesting of grain (corn, beans and the like) is either completed or in the process of being completed. Many fruits, like apples, and vegetables like pumpkins, are also being harvested and stored away.

Farmers, orchard owners and gardeners are God's stewards who prepare the fields, orchards and gardens, plant the seeds, cultivate and fertilize the plants, and then wait for the Lord's blessings of sunshine, rain, and seasonable weather so that the harvest may be gathered in to provide food for all of God's creatures. God blesses this faithful stewardship.

The Apostle James writes: *"See how the farmer waits for the land to yield its valuable crop and how patient he is for the autumn and spring rains."* (James 5:7 NIV) Those who work in fields, orchards and gardens know that while they contribute much to a good harvest, but they also know that without the Lord's blessings there would be no harvest. They can do their best to get the fields, orchards and gardens ready for seedtime and harvest but the good harvest will take place only if the Lord blesses the fields, orchards and gardens with the kind of weather necessary for a bountiful harvest. After doing all they can, God's stewards must wait upon the Lord who *"opens his hand and satisfies the desires of every living thing."* Psalm 145:16 NIV)

We who have been called to faith in Jesus Christ by the power of the Holy Spirit are also called to be good stewards of all that God has entrusted to us to manage wisely and well. On October 31st we celebrate Reformation Day--a day to remember and give thanks for all the beautiful spiritual blessings God has given to us through

the work and ministry of his faithful steward, Dr. Martin Luther. Through Luther God called the church back to **Scripture Alone, Grace Alone and Faith Alone** so we can know for sure what his will is for our Christian living and giving.

As stewards of the Gospel of Jesus as well as all the rest of life and life's resources, we are called to patiently and faithfully give of our time, talents, financial resources and Christian witness for God's glory and the welfare of people whose lives we touch.

Maturing stewards really do the right things for the right reasons and strive for excellence in all they do. Have a joy-filled October!

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Our Preschool is in full swing and enjoying the sights and sounds of all the children gathered in our church. We are blessed to be teaching 47 children this year!

This month in Jesus time we are learning about Jacob, Samuel and David. Pastor is also leading a worship service with the preschoolers once a month.

Be on the look out for our scarecrows that will be decorating the fellowship hall for Oct 11th which is Life Sunday and also for Oct 18th our Mission Festival.



Lutheran Women in Mission

Outrageous Joy!!

Poster Sayings courtesy of Jan Struck, presenter at ND District LWML Retreat, 2009: "Here is a test to find whether your mission on earth is finished: If you are alive, it isn't." "Always remember that you are unique...just like everybody else."

Happy October from all of the ladies of the LWML.

The Fall Retreat that was held in Carrington, ND was an exciting time full of fellowship, informative and humorous speakers, Bible studies, and a deeper look into the "true" meaning of J(Jesus) O(Offers) Y (You)! Close to one hundred ladies attended and we hope to have more next year!

LWML held their September meeting at Redeemer. October 4th is LWML Sunday...so ladies, we will be greeting, ushering, and sharing the JOY of being part of LWML with everyone on October 4th;) A free-will donation goodie/bake sale will also be offered on October 4th in support of our mission to Support a Seminary Student. Hope to see everyone there!

Upcoming dates to remember:

October 4 – LWML Sunday
October 10 – Fall Rally @ Shepherd of the Valley, Bismarck
October 18 – Mission Festival Sunday @ Redeemer
November 9 – LWML meeting @ 7pm @ Redeemer
June 18-20, 2010 – ND District LWML Convention @ Bismarck

God's blessings to you all always!

For more information, please contact Marni @ 483-5847.

"Everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved." How, then, can they call on the one they have not believed in? And how can they believe in the one of whom they have not heard? And how can they hear without someone preaching to them? And how can they preach unless they are sent? As it is written, "How beautiful are the feet of those who bring good news!" Romans 10:13-15

It's difficult to miss the importance of missions when reading this passage. October is a great month for reminding us of the wonderful missions of the LCMS and how important it is for us to be supporting them in prayer and with our financial gifts.

On October 4 we celebrate LWML Sunday. The Lutheran Women's Missionary League has been supporting missions for over 60 years, and this mission focus has been such an encouragement to many women over the years. Ask a member how you can get involved. It will be such a blessing to you.

October 18 brings another mission opportunity—our Mission Festival with Pastor Bernhard Seter. Don't miss this opportunity to hear about the Lord's work in Kenya, Africa. Orphaned children are being given shelter and physical care and are also being told of Jesus and His love and forgiveness. What a blessing it will be to hear more about this work and to be able to give our gifts to help support it.

Suggested Prayer Focus for the Month: Please pray for:

- The work of the LWML and the missions they support
- The Youth Board and our youth as they prepare to host the youth gathering on Oct. 11
- The mission festival on Oct. 18
- Project 24 and the orphaned children
- Persecuted Christians throughout the world
- Missionaries to Latin America: Rudy & Ramona Blank, serving in Venezuela; Agricultural Mission Project, also in Venezuela

Remember to check out the LCMS World Mission website for information on our synod's work throughout the world and for specific websites on our missionaries. mission.lcms.org

Greetings to all from Redeemer Lutheran Board of Education and Sunday school staff. We are off to a great start in our Sunday school year.



“LET THE CHILDREN GO UNTO JESUS.”



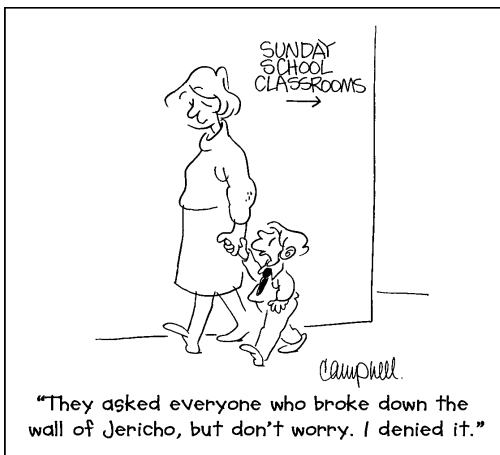
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During the month of October we will continue meeting lots of new people from the Old Testament. Memory work for this semester will be focused on parts for the Christmas program. Chris Carattini has volunteered to organize our Christmas program this year, and more information will be coming on that event.

Don't forget to bring your offering! Our mission project this year is the Amigos en Christo, Friends in Christ! Our monies will go to provide Spanish catichisms and Bibles to our Hispanic friends. We will collect offering at closing each Sunday morning.

We are so thankful for every child in our Sunday school. We thank you, the parents and guardians, for positively promoting Sunday school attendance. We encourage you and your child/children to bring friends whenever possible, so we may share in the joy of knowing Jesus Christ our Savior with them.

Many Blessings in Christ,
The Sunday school staff



- 2 - Olivia Tyrrell
- 3 - Marty Frey
 - Brandon Decker
- 4 - Robert Kostelnak
 - Natalie Carattini
- 6 - Dale Miller
- 8 - Gloria Krein
 - Rose Anderson
- 9 - Ronald Berger
 - Jerry Guenther
- 10 - Tyler Witt
- 15 - David Seborg
- 19 - Larry Gregory
- 21 - Paula Schaper
- 22 - Paulette Huber
 - Marlee Schmitz
- 23 - Lu Abel
- 24 - Jesse Huber
 - Colleen Rodacker
 - Myron Berg
- 27 - Sharon Wehner
 - Marion Weidner
- 28 - Joyce Scott
 - Reed Johnson
- 29 - Lee Christianson
- 31 - Chad Theurer
 - Brittany Stickel
 - Marina Urbanec

- 2 - Harley & Vicki Schepp
- 4 - Dale And Diane Miller
- 7 - Les & Caroline Buckman
 - Darcy & Douglas Dahmus
- 9 - Chris And Mike Carattini
 - Mark And Laura Erdman
 - Bert & Bonnie Andes
- 17 - Larry & Linda Gregorg
- 18 - Don & Donella Erstad
- 23 - Richard & Patricia Soyk
- 25 - Ed And Bonnie Dvorak
- 26 - Wes & Renae Heinle
- 27 - Renee & Tracy Haux