



**Redeemer Lutheran Church
April 7, 2024
The Second Sunday of Easter
9:00 am Worship**

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ORDER OF WORSHIP

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Pastor: Jack Way

Organist/Keyboard: Claudine Hanson

God's Spirit Gathers Us

Prelude
Welcome & Announcements
Call to Worship
Confession and Forgiveness
****Gathering Hymn "The Strife is O'er, The Battle Done" #366 1-5**
Greeting
Kyrie ELW P. 147-148
Canticle of Praise "**Glory to God in the Highest**" ELW P. 148-149
Prayer of the Day
Special Music – Senior Choir – Blest Are They

God's Word Enlivens Us

Acts 1:1-14
Message – Pastor Jack Way
Hymn of the Day "Christ the Lord Is Risen Today . . ." #369
Nicene Creed ELW, Page 126
Prayers of Joys and Concerns
Sharing of the Peace

Offering

Offering Hymn "Alleluia! Jesus is Risen!" #377 v 1,2
Offertory Prayer

God's Meal Nourishes Us

The Great Thanksgiving – ELW Page 152
Holy, Holy, Holy – ELW Page 153
Words of Institution
The Lord's Prayer ELW Page 154
Lamb of God - ELW, Page 154
Distribution
Communion Hymn "Good Christian Friends . . ." #385
Post Communion Prayer

God's Spirit Sends Us

Message from the Synod
Farewell from Pastor Jack
Blessing
****Hymn "Alleluia! Sing to Jesus" #392, v 1,3,5**
Dismissal

Prayers

Those individuals who are listed on the “immediate concerns” list will stay on the list for 2 weeks, and then be moved to the “ongoing prayers” list. Of course, if an individual situation changes, the name can always be put back on the “immediate concerns” list by contacting the office.

We hold in prayer this week those who have immediate concerns: Reverend Jerome (Jerry) Pribbenow; Stewart Pribbenow; LeRoy Zimmerman, Helen Risgaard’s brother-in-law; Pastor Yvonne Marshall; Lisa Priske; Dennis Brusveen (Susan Brusveen’s husband); Kay Meier (Susan Brusveen’s sister); Lee Roberts; Dennis Moran, Kathy Johnson’s brother; Vivian Black; Alfred and Barb Nelson; Janet Corning; Cindy Drehmel; Chris Jevens; Troy Walker; and Kathy Schliesman.

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WORSHIP SCHEDULE

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April 14	Worship with Communion
April 21	Worship with Communion – Baptism of Walker Schrader
April 28	Worship – No Communion – MUSIC SUNDAY

**** Denotes “Please Stand”**

THANK YOU

Many thanks go out to the numerous individuals who helped and/or participated in some way during this busy Lenten and Holy Week Season. Those who:

Brought Soup, Cheese, Bread, Fruit, Wine, etc. for the Soup Suppers
and Seder Meal
Organized, decorated, brought food or helped at the Easter
Breakfast;
Read during Worship
Led Worship
Ushered
Provided music (Senior Choir, Bell Choir, Organists, Pianists,
Drummer, Flutist)
Took Care of the Altar Paraments, Candles, Set up Communion,
Arranged the Easter Garden by the Cross, etc. (Altar Guild)
Helped serve Communion
Decorated the office entry hallway
Purchased flowers for the Easter Garden
Recorded our services
Operated the projector during worship
Changed the Outside Sign Board
Kept the sidewalks/entry ways clear of snow/ice
Moved things from storage into the sanctuary (such as the crosses,
cloths on the large cross, crown of thorns, etc.); then decorated;
and returned items to storage afterward
AND – Anyone doing anything else we may have missed including
thanks for

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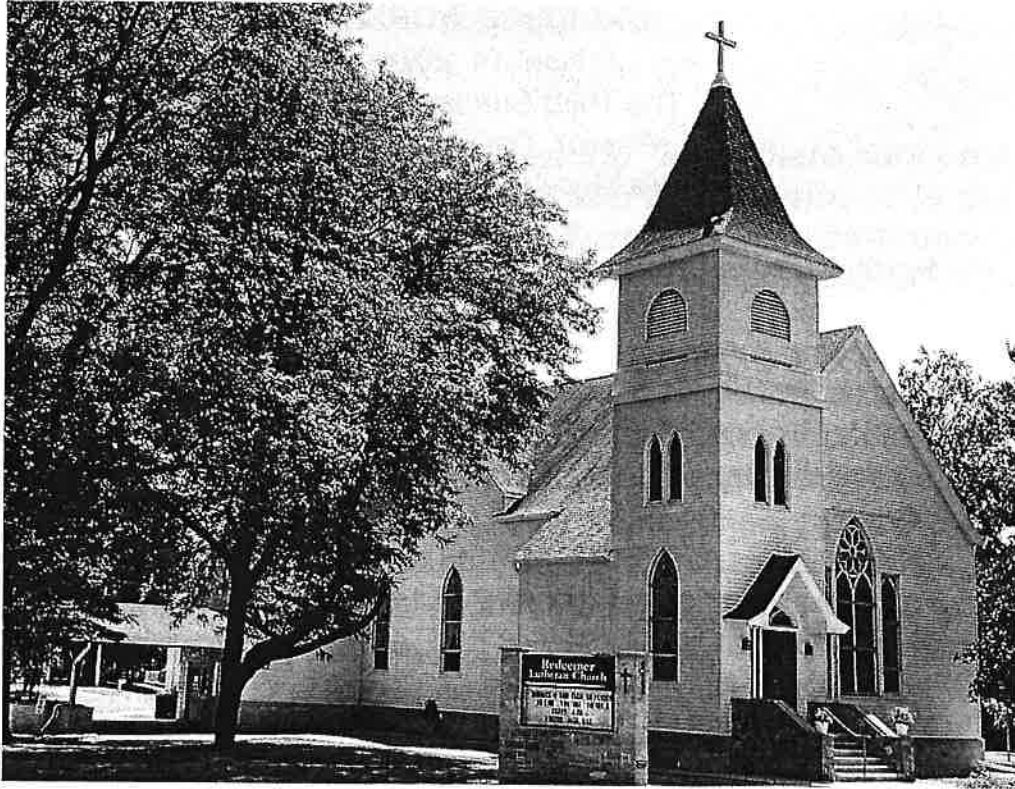
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**Redeemer Lutheran Church
April 14, 2024
The Third Sunday of Easter
9:00 am Worship**

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The Third Sunday of Easter

Pastor: David Berggren

Organist/Keyboard: Carla Gerhardt

God's Spirit Gathers Us

Prelude

Welcome & Announcements

Call to Worship

Confession and Forgiveness

****Gathering Hymn "Awake! Awake and Greet the New Morn" #242**

Greeting

Kyrie ELW P. 147-148

Canticle of Praise "**Glory to God in the Highest**" ELW P. 148-149

Prayer of the Day

God's Word Enlivens Us

Acts 3:12-19

Luke 24:36b-48

Message – Pastor David Berggren

Hymn of the Day "Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us" #789

Nicene Creed ELW, Page 126

Prayers of Joys and Concerns

Sharing of the Peace

Offering

Offering Hymn

"Alleluia! Jesus is Risen!

#377 v 1,3

Offertory Prayer

God's Meal Nourishes Us

The Great Thanksgiving – ELW Page 152

Holy, Holy, Holy – ELW Page 153

Words of Institution

The Lord's Prayer ELW Page 154

Lamb of God - ELW, Page 154

Distribution

Communion Hymn "Let Us Break Bread Together" #471

Post Communion Prayer

God's Spirit Sends Us

Blessing

****Hymn**

"I Love To Tell the Story"

#661

Dismissal

Update on Calling a New Pastor/Updates to the Parsonage

The Call Committee and Council both unanimously agreed to move forward with our candidate. For confidentiality reasons, we cannot yet share the candidate's name with you.

There will be a **congregational meeting on Sunday, April 28th**, following worship, to vote on calling a new Pastor and related updates to the 2024 Spending Plan.

To give you a chance to meet the candidate prior to the congregational vote, there will be a meet and greet on **Sunday, April 21st from 4:00 pm to 5:30 pm** in fellowship hall (basement). Refreshments will be provided. The candidate's name will be shared with the congregation at the worship service on April 21st. For those not in attendance, the candidate's name will be provided during the week of April 22nd.

We hope you share in our excitement!

If everything goes as planned with calling a new Pastor, they will live in the Parsonage with their family. As was indicated in announcements a couple of weeks ago, the Parsonage is in need of some immediate updates, as well as more longer-term updates. We are estimating approximately \$3,000 to do the immediate updates, which include a new refrigerator. To date, we have received \$1,150 in donations for that purpose.

Beth Laufenberg, Council President

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**Redeemer Lutheran Church
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The Fourth Sunday of Easter
9:00 am Worship**

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Sunday, April 21, 2024

The Fourth Sunday of Easter

Pastor: Ken Schaub

Organist/Keyboard: Oleg Rudnytsky

God's Spirit Gathers Us

Prelude

Welcome & Announcements

Call to worship

Confession and Forgiveness

Hymn "Dearest Jesus, We Are Here" #443

Greeting

Prayer of the Day

Hymn "Children of the Heavenly Father" #781 v 1, 2 & 4

Baptism Walker Wayne Schrader

Profession of Faith

Thanksgiving at the Font

Baptism

Welcome

Presentation of Gifts

Baptism Hymn "Borning Cry" #732 v 1 & 4

God's Word Enlivens Us

Readings: Acts 4:5-12; Psalm 23; 1 John 10:11-18;

Gospel: John 10:11-18

Message – Pastor Ken Schaub

Hymn "Wash, O God, Our Sons and Daughters" #445

Prayers of Joys and Concerns

Sharing the Peace

Offering

Offering Hymn "Alleluia, Jesus is Risen" #377 v 1 & 4

Offertory Prayer

God's Meal Nourishes Us

Words of Institution

The Lord's Prayer ELW Page 134

Hymn "As The Grains of Wheat" #475

Post Communion Prayer

Special Music – Solo by Oleg Rudnytsky – "Beautiful Day"

God's Spirit Sends Us

Blessing

Hymn "Shine, Jesus, Shine" #671

Dismissal

Prayers

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Baptism Participants

Walker Wayne Schrader

Parents: Michael and Carmen Schrader

Siblings: Harper Schrader

Godparents: Cody Gentz, Stefanie Doyle, and Shawna Fagan

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April 28	Worship – No Communion – MUSIC SUNDAY
May 5	Worship with Communion
May 12	Worship with Communion
May 19	Worship with Communion
May 26	NO WORSHIP AT REDEEMER Memorial Day Service at Bonnet Prairie – 9:30

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The Fifth Sunday of Easter
Music Sunday
9:00 am Worship

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Pianist: Gayle Krueger

God's Spirit Gathers Us

Prelude

Welcome & Announcements

Call to Worship

Confession and Forgiveness

Hymn "Jesus, Keep Me Near The Cross" #335

Greeting

Prayer of the Day

Sprouts: Baa Baa Baa, We're Lambs!

(Directed by Trish McNeill)

God's Word Enlivens Us

Psalm 150: 1-3

Bell Choir – Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee

Oh Master, Let Me Walk With Thee

Psalm 150: 4

**Cello/Piano Duet – Sasha & Oleg Rudnytsky – Ukrainian
Medley (aka Love Story)**

**Flute/Piano Duet – Trish McNeill & Gayle Krueger – Speak, O
Lord**

Psalm 150: 5-6

Hymn of the Day "O Sing to the Lord" w/Sprouts #822

Sharing the Peace

Senior Choir – Shout to the Lord, As the Deer

Prayers of Joys and Concerns

Accordion Solo – Nancy Washington – In the Garden

Offering

Offering Hymn "Alleluia, Jesus is Risen" #377 vs 1 & 5

Offertory Prayer

Bell Choir – I'm Just a Poor Wayfaring Stranger

The Lord's Prayer ELW Page 134

Senior Choir – I Feel the Spirit

God's Spirit Sends Us

Blessing

Sending Hymn "I Love to Tell The Story" #661

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Congregational Meeting Immediately Following Worship!!

There will be a congregational meeting immediately following worship **TODAY**, in the Sanctuary, to vote on calling a new Pastor and related updates to the 2024 Spending Plan.

Altar Flowers

Altar bouquets are given in honor of all the musicians participating in today's service, by Larry and Geri Gorman.

Thank You!!!

A **Huge** Thank You to Bob Skare for his craftsmanship in making an awesome storage box for our new songboard numbers! It is greatly appreciated!

Redeemer Lutheran Church Altar Guild

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APRIL 28, 2024 MUSIC SUNDAY PARTICIPANTS

SENIOR CHOIR

Bob Risgaard
Kurt Johnson
Steve Gilbert
Trish McNeill
Nancy Washington
Debbie Reiersen
Darlene Cutsforth
Renee Miles
Gayle Krueger, Accompanist
Geri Gorman, Director

BELL CHOIR

Bonnie Pribbenow-Paddock
Steve Gilbert
Kathy Olson
Beth Laufenberg
Kristi Fehrman
Trish McNeill
Linda Olson
Debbie Reiersen
Patti Borde
Joleen Frank
Melanie Gilbert
Geri Gorman, Director

SPROUTS

Emma Dahnke
Abby Dahnke
Amelia Maynard, Helper
Emily Laufenberg, Helper
Beth Laufenberg, Trish McNeill, Geri Gorman, Leaders

ORGANIST

Claudine Hanson

PIANIST

Gayle Krueger, Senior Choir Accompanist

SOLOISTS AND ACCOMPANISTS

Cello: Sasha and Oleg Rudnytsky
Flute: Trish McNeill and Gayle Krueger
Accordion: Nancy Washington

*Special THANKS to our Administrative Assistant, Kristi Fehrman,
for all her work in preparing today's bulletin.*

We will be voting to call **Pastor Kalen Barkholz**



Taken from Pastor Kalen's current church's website:

A little bit about me: I grew up in Neenah, WI and received my undergraduate degree at the University of Wisconsin Eau Claire. Before entering the ministry, I taught seventh grade language arts and fifth grade general education.

One of the things I love most about being a pastor is walking with people through joy and sorrow and sharing God's love in all the moments of life. My passions include poetry— both reading and writing —and walking anywhere beautiful.