



**Redeemer Lutheran Church
September 6, 2026
The Fifteenth Sunday After Pentecost
9:00 am Worship**

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ORDER OF WORSHIP

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Pastor Anne Wickland

Organist: Claudine Hanson

God's Spirit Gathers Us

Prelude

Welcome & Announcements

Confession and Forgiveness

****Gathering Hymn "Earth and All Stars" #731**

Greeting

Kyrie ELW p. 138

Canticle of Praise **"Glory to God in the Highest"** ELW P. 139-140

Prayer of the Day

God's Word Enlivens Us

Ezekiel 33:7-11; Matthew 18:15-20

Message – *Pastor Anne Wickland*

Sermon Hymn "God, When Human Bonds are Broken" #603

Apostle's Creed

Prayers of The People

Sharing of the Peace

Offering

Offering Hymn "For the Fruit of All Creation" #679 v 1&2

Offertory Prayer

God's Meal Nourishes Us

Communion

The Great Thanksgiving – ELW Page 144

Holy, Holy, Holy – ELW Page 144

Words of Institution

The Lord's Prayer ELW Page 145

Lamb of God – ELW, Page 146

Distribution

Communion Music by Claudine Hanson

Post Communion Prayer

God's Spirit Sends Us

Blessing

****Sending Hymn "Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee" #836**

Dismissal

Prayers

We hold in prayer this week those who have immediate concerns: Lloyd Hinzman, Dave Hinzman's brother; Laura Johnsrud, Nancy Washington's daughter; Geri Gorman; Barb Nelson; and Steward Pribbenow.

School Kits

We are providing School Kits for Lutheran World Relief again this year as part of "God's Work – Our Hands". Beth has purchased all of the supplies and backpacks. If you would like to make a monetary donation, be sure to label the envelope and check as "School Kits" and either put it in the offering plate or send it to the office. We are assembling the school kits and holding fellowship in Fellowship Hall after worship ***today!***

Communion Schedule

Beginning today, we are returning to our regular communion schedule, which means we will offer communion weekly – even when Pastor Anne is not present.

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WORSHIP SCHEDULE

<i>Sunday, September 13</i>	Worship with Communion
<i>Sunday, September 20</i>	Worship with Communion
<i>Sunday, September 27</i>	Worship with Communion

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Pastor Anne Wickland
Pianist: Oleg Rudnytsky

God's Spirit Gathers Us

Prelude
Welcome & Announcements
Confession and Forgiveness
****Gathering Hymn "All Creatures, Worship God Most High" #835**
Greeting
Kyrie ELW p. 138
Canticle of Praise "**Glory to God in the Highest**" ELW P. 139-140
Prayer of the Day

God's Word Enlivens Us

Genesis 50:15-21; Matthew 18:21-35
Message – *Pastor Anne Wickland*
Sermon Hymn "Our Father, We Have Wandered" #359
Apostle's Creed
Prayers of The People
Sharing of the Peace

Offering

Offering Hymn "For the Fruit of All Creation" #679, v 1,3
Offertory Prayer

God's Meal Nourishes Us

Communion
The Great Thanksgiving – ELW Page 144
Holy, Holy, Holy – ELW Page 144
Words of Institution
The Lord's Prayer ELW Page 145
Lamb of God – ELW, Page 146
Distribution
Communion Music by Oleg Rudnytsky
Post Communion Prayer

God's Spirit Sends Us

Blessing
****Sending Hymn "We Are Marching in the Light of God" #866**
Dismissal

Prayers

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Pastor Anne Out of the Office

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<i>Sunday, September 27</i>	Worship With Communion
<i>Sunday, October 4</i>	Worship With Communion
<i>Sunday, October 11</i>	Worship With Communion
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September 20, 2026

The Seventeenth Sunday After Pentecost

Pastor David Berggren

Organist: Carla Gerhardt

God's Spirit Gathers Us

Prelude

Welcome & Announcements

Confession and Forgiveness

****Gathering Hymn "Take My Life That I May Be" #583**

Greeting

Kyrie ELW p. 138

Canticle of Praise **"Glory to God in the Highest"** ELW P. 139-140

Prayer of the Day

God's Word Enlivens Us

Jonah 3:10-4:11; Psalm 145:1-8; Philippians 1:21-30

Matthew 20:1-16

Message – *Pastor David Berggren*

Sermon Hymn "Lord of All Hopefulness" #765

Apostle's Creed

Prayers of The People

Sharing of the Peace

Offering

Offering Hymn "We Give Thee But Thine Own" #683 v. 1&2

Offertory Prayer

God's Meal Nourishes Us

Communion

The Great Thanksgiving – ELW Page 144

Holy, Holy, Holy – ELW Page 144

Words of Institution

The Lord's Prayer ELW Page 145

Lamb of God – ELW, Page 146

Distribution

Communion Music by Carla Gerhardt

Post Communion Prayer

God's Spirit Sends Us

Blessing

****Sending Hymn "Rise Up, O Saints of God" #669**

Dismissal

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Pastor David Berggren
Pianist: Oleg Rudnytsky

God's Spirit Gathers Us

Prelude

Welcome & Announcements

Confession and Forgiveness

****Gathering Hymn** **"Gather Us In"** **#532**

Greeting

Kyrie ELW p. 138

Canticle of Praise **"Glory to God in the Highest"** ELW P. 139-140

Prayer of the Day

God's Word Enlivens Us

Ezekiel 18:1-4, 25-32; Psalm 25:1-9; Philippians 2:1-13

Matthew 21: 23-32

Message – *Pastor David Berggren*

Sermon Hymn **"O Master Let Me Walk With You"** **#818**

Apostle's Creed

Prayers of The People

Sharing of the Peace

Offering

Offering Hymn **"We Give Thee But Thine Own"** **#686 v 1&2**

Offertory Prayer

God's Meal Nourishes Us

Communion

The Great Thanksgiving – ELW Page 144

Holy, Holy, Holy – ELW Page 144

Words of Institution

The Lord's Prayer ELW Page 145

Lamb of God – ELW, Page 146

Distribution

Communion Music by Oleg Rudnytsky

Post Communion Prayer

God's Spirit Sends Us

Blessing

****Sending Hymn** **"The Lord Now Sends Us Forth"** **#538**

Dismissal

Prayers

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This week's photo is taken outside the Office door. Each year, Skyler and April Severson display a couple of large pots of water, with lily pads and tiny fish. They also put one on the corner of the covered entryway by the elevator entrance. Now that the cooler weather has arrived, the pots have been removed.

It's enjoyable throughout the summer months for those who enter the building through one of those entrances to come to work, count offering money, attend meetings, or for other business.

A big “Thank You” to Skyler and April for their work in making Redeemer's entrances pleasant to look at.

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2nd Annual Chili Cook-Off

The Worship Team is planning the 2nd Annual Chili Cook-off for Sunday, October 18. A sign-up sheet is being circulated, starting today!

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<i>Sunday, October 25</i>	Worship With Communion
<i>Reformation and Confirmation Sunday</i>	
<i>Sunday, November 1</i>	Worship With Communion
	<i>All Saints Day</i>

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