



Redeemer Family Mission: To know Christ, grow in Christ, and go as Christ Himself does.

Focus of the Day

Christ mediates the chasm between faith and faithlessness, mercy and judgement, life and death! Overseers and deacons are caretakers of this delicate balance between Law and Gospel. Their biblical qualifications for office require faithful service that is blameless, dignified, and godly. Preachers and Teachers of God's Word are to be above reproach, clinging to faith in Christ. In faith, we all fight the good fight and make the good confession as did Moses, the prophets, and the saints before us.

This Week At Church

SEPTEMBER 25 TODAY

- Sunday Worship w/Communion-8:00am
- Sunday School/Adult Bible Study-9:30am
- Sunday Worship w/Communion-10:30am

SEPTEMBER 26 MONDAY

Praise Team Rehearsal-7:00pm

SEPTEMBER 27 TUESDAY

- Hour of Prayer-7:15am
- Choir Rehearsal-6:30pm
- Hand Bell Rehearsal-7:30pm

SEPTEMBER 28 WEDNESDAY

• Quilters-9:00am

SEPTEMBER 29 THURSDAY

Coffee with Pastor10:00am

OCTOBER 2 SUNDAY

- Sunday Worship-8:00am
- Sunday School/Adult Bible Study-9:30am
- Sunday Worship-10:30am
- Live Chain 2022-2:30pm

Sermon

"Praise the Lord"

Psalm 146

Readings

Amos 6:1-7

1 Timothy 6:6-19

Luke 16:19-31

8:00am Worship

Divine Service 1

822, 790, 821

Sunday Worship

Worship Times

8:00am and 10:30am

Children and Adult Bible Study Classes

9:30am-10:15am

Sunday Communion Schedule Second, Fourth and Fifth Sundays

At Both Services

Information on receiving Holy Communion can be found in the back of each pew.

For More Information

Website: <u>www.redeemerjackson.org</u>

Follow us on Facebook: @redeemerjacksonmi

Subscribe to Our YouTube Channel:

https://www.youtube.com/c/RedeemerLutheranChurchJacksonMI

Town Hall Meeting

Redeemer's Leadership Team and the Sanctuary Renovation Committee will be holding another set of town hall meetings to seek your input. Your input is extremely important.

- October 16, Sunday, immediately after the second service, in the Sanctuary
- October 20, Thursday, 7:00pm, in the Sanctuary

Life Chain 2022

Life Chain is Sunday, October 2 from 2:30-3:30pm. Christians of all denominations form a human chain, in the shape of a cross, on W. Michigan Ave and West Ave., praying publicly for an end to abortion and healing for those affected by its destructive path. Will you stand for one hour to PRAY for an end to abortion? For more information check out the table near the office or contact the office (517)750-3100. Redeemer will meet on West Ave between Norfolk and Michigan Ave, on the west side.

A Special Request

Our dear brother Cecil Lanphear resides in a nursing facility 40 miles from Redeemer, his church home and family in Christ. Visitors are few. Cecil has had several hospital stays in the past year and a recent fall. Craig tries to visit Cecil once a month and our social ministry provides gifts, supplies and newsletters. We would like to ask the congregation for greeting cards that Craig might take to Cecil on his next visit. It would be a great blessing. Please leave them in the church office. Many thanks.

All Saint's Day Special Worship Service

On Tuesday, November 1, 2022 at 6:30pm Trinity and Redeemer will be having a special service together to remember the saints who have departed in the past year (November 1, 2021-November 1, 2022). This special service of grief, remembrance, and hope will be held at Trinity Lutheran Church.

If you'd like to submit the name of your loved one, please add it to the list of names near the office. These names will be read at the special service at Trinity AND at Redeemer on Sunday, November 6.

Volunteer Opportunity-Mobile Food Pantry

Date: Oct. 2 2Time: 9:00am-12:00pm Place: Trinity Lutheran Church, Downtown Jackson Challenge Item(s) Needed: Deodorant, Body Soap, Candy Place in bin in narthex. Volunteers to serve are greatly needed.

Financials

Weekly Offerings needed for 2022 Budget \$10,155.06 Offerings Received 9/12-9/18/2022 Budget-\$6,292.49 Non-Budget-\$54.80 2022 YTD Financials as of 8/31/2022

Giving

If you'd like to support our ministries financially there are two ways:

- · Give as you enter the sanctuary
- · Online at <u>redeemerjackson.org/give/</u>

Income-\$312,794.77 Expenses-\$331,350.15



What is the "Collect"?

The word "collect" (pronounced COLL-ect) comes from the Latin word collectus which means "gathered together." A Collect is a prayer to God which **gathers together** the thoughts of the congregation into one prayer for the day.

Why do we use a Collect in the Divine Service?

We use the Collect in the Divine Service because it focuses the congregation's prayers and attention on the readings from God's Word, which will be read shortly after the Collect.

The Collect highlights the theme of the Sunday throughout the Church Year.





Parents: Before the Collect is prayed in the service, remind your children to pray in their minds along with the pastor. Encourage them to pay close attention to his words. Encourage them to listen for the theme in the collect and in the Gospel reading.

