



The Second Sunday
of
Easter

April 8, 2018

Redeemer News

Calendar of Events

April 8-14, 2018

Sun.	9:00 am	SC School
	10:15 am	Worship
Sun.	Following	Adult Fellowship Event
Sun.	6-8:00 pm	Girl Scouts
Mon.	5:30-7:00 pm	Daisy Troop
Wed.	8:30 am	Ch. Action Sewing
Wed.	11:00 am	Bible Study
Wed.	7:00 pm	Choir
Fri.	1:00 pm	O. A.
Sat.	9:00 am	Outdoor Walking
Sat.	6:00 pm	Worship

Food Bank

The Food Bank needs various items

April – Peanut Butter & Jelly

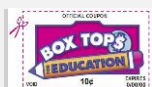


Upcoming Events

April 17	Collaborative Council @ Christ Church
April 30	Shady Maple Trip
May 20	Pentecost- Rev. Dr. Ted Zimmerman – Missionary to China, Guest Preacher

Box Tops

Don't forget to save your Box-Tops for Muhlenberg School!



Benevolent Focus-BEAR CREEK



“Bear Creek Camp is a ministry of the Southeastern and Northeastern Pennsylvania Synods of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America (ELCA) nearly 3,000 acres in the beauty of the Pocono Mountains, Bear Creek Camp offers year-round opportunities, including summer residential youth camp, nature day camp, environmental education programs, weekend camp retreats and outside group rentals. Bear Creek Camp’s core purpose is to help individuals **explore, celebrate and grow in God’s creation**. Bear Creek Camp staff and volunteers support that mission of experiential ministry by guiding campers to: have fun, share faith, build character, embrace adventure and cultivate community.”

A Note of Thanks

THANK YOU to everyone who provided brightly colored eggs, yummy breads and delicious fruit for the Easter Breakfast. It was a glorious morning filled with good food, good friends and joy of the resurrection!

Special thanks to . . .

- Dottie Beazley, Paulette and Doug Cramer, Dottie and Kay Dilliard and Cyndy Hillegass for assisting with the setting of tables on Friday morning
- Dottie Beazley for providing the fruit
- Kylie Hartman, Cole Richards, Laura Dreabit and Corinne and Aubree Wolf for leading the litany
- Pastor Donna for leading the “blessing of the eggs”
- Martha Taremae for her work with the SCS children who made a “Joyful noise to the Lord!”
- Shaelynn Hartman, Nathan, Nick and Noah Rode for assisting with the offering
- Members of the Education and Fellowship Ministries for helping to prepare and serve the trays of bread, fruit and eggs
- All who remained and assisted with the cleanup following the breakfast and to
- Cyndy and Rick Hillegass for delivering the leftover food to those who are less fortunate at the Allentown Rescue Mission. Redeemer is blessed with many faithful servants.

Your partner in ministry,
Mary Richards

Bear Creek Camp

All youth who have completed grades one through 12 are eligible to attend a week of summer camp at Bear Creek Lutheran Camp near Wilkes Barre, PA. Bear Creek is the outdoor ministry site of the NE and SE PA Synods of the ELCA; it is a residential camp with traditional programs centered on spiritual growth, outdoor living and small group development. Weekly sessions run from June 17th thru August 5. Family Camp will be held the week of July 1-6. Applications and information are available online at bearcreekcamp.org. A discount voucher is available for one of Redeemer's campers. See Mary Richards for details



Weekly 2018 Worship

Attendance

Weekend	Sat.	Sun.
Mar. 24-25	21	102
Mar. 30	Noon	7:30
	54	71
April 1		158



Erna Zotter
Whitehall Manor C 75
1177 6th St.
Whitehall PA 18052

Irene Buehler
Fellowship Villa Rm 312A
3020 Fellowship Drive
Whitehall PA 18052

Earl Schlegel
1930 Jane St
Allentown PA 1810

Memorials

Please remember to check the Memorial Book in the narthex if you are sponsoring bulletins, flowers or the sanctuary lamp.

Office Hours

Mon. & Wed. - 9:00-4:00
Tues. & Thurs. - 9:00-2:00
Friday- 9:00-3:00

SCRIP



Last week, Redeemer SCRIP took in \$900 in orders. These orders gave us \$27.00 in rebates for our fund which now has \$762.02. SCRIP has now added WAYFAIR.com as a new vendor. WAYFAIR is an online retailer of home furnishings. Also, a reminder from last week - the SCRIP order form is now on the Redeemer website.

THANK YOU

A special word of appreciation to everyone who donated sheets for the ongoing project of sewing quilts for LWR and other local agencies. A big thank you to the ladies who work on the quilts for Lutheran World Relief each month. Come, join our next meeting which will be held on **April, 11th**, at **8:30 a.m.** in the room off the kitchen. Everyone is welcome!



Take me out to the ballgame . . .

Adult Fellowship has group tickets for the **Lehigh Valley Iron Pigs vs. the Toledo Mud Hens** game on Friday, June 1st at 7:05 pm. Tickets are \$11. No sign-up sheet will be posted - your payment to Todd Richards is your reservation. A limited number of tickets are available. **ALL** members of Redeemer and their families and friends are welcome! **Deadline - April 29th!**



Celebrations Within Our Congregational Life:

A place to share those special moments in your life with sisters and brothers in Christ.

Thank you to my Redeemer family for thinking of me this Easter. I received such beautiful cards and flowers. Your thoughtfulness is greatly appreciated. Reniea Peters

***Are you missing a car key? A car key was found this week near the Washington St. entrance to the Fellowship Hall. Please call the office if it belongs to you!**

Please remember to notify the office when you or a member of your family has entered or has left the hospital. Call any weekday with your information. Please use the church code #267 when entering the hospital.

Members - ill, recuperating, somewhat confined, and those in the military:

Miki Babbitt, Jack & Gloria Beil, Louise Brunner, Donna Debelak, Lois Gerhart, Erika Mantz, Lois Nowack, Shirley Saeger, John Saylor, Rita Sparrow, Joyce Weidner, Erna Zotter, Marilyn Snyder, Gale James, Matthew Jaxheimer, Ryan Jaxheimer, Elaine Cruse, Nathan Rode, Dennis Friend



Members known to be hospitalized: No one

Our Shut-In Members: Shirley Arnold, Carmella Bell, Irene Buehler, Carolyn Crilley, Lois Gerhart, Nila Grammes, Alton Kuhns, Nancy Long, Jean Lory, Glenda McNelis, Reniea Peters, Helen Roth, John Saylor, Earl Schlegel, John & Doris Schwoyer, Donna Stauffer, Erna Svoboda, Gloria Worsley, Erna & William Zotter

Please keep these sisters and brothers in Christ and their families in your prayers:

Marian Breisch, Derry Family, Margaret Heil, Martin Landau, Alan McNabb, Eric Hill, Lisel Cruse Moynihan, Eric Sell, Mary Shankweiler, Christopher, Wyatt, Robert and Violet Zweig, Daniel Fahringer, David Eckert, Leah, Jamie Hillegass, James Balliet, Marilyn, Jim Lindenmuth, Gladys, Dennis, John, Lois Mantz, The family of Anna Ritter, The family of Morey James.

We are always honored to keep your needs in prayer. Please contact us so that we can gratefully remove names when needs and prayers have been fulfilled. Thank you!