



Redeemer News

July 14, 2019

The 5th Sunday after Pentecost

Calendar of Events

July 14-July 20, 2019

Sun.	10:15am	Worship- <i>Rev. Martiza Dolich</i>
Wed.	5:30 pm	Ladies Coloring Night – Lib.
Fri.	1:15 pm	O.A.
Sat.	6:00 pm	Worship- <i>Rev. Woody Maxon</i>

Upcoming Events

Sept. 9th	Rally Day
Oct. 4 & 5	Relics & Reuzits Sale

Summer Collection Box Tops & Ink Cartridges

Don't forget to keep saving your **Box Tops** for Muhlenberg and empty **ink cartridges** for the office!



July Benevolent Focus



Moving the Pastor

Pastor Olson has expressed a desire to have a 1st floor office. The Church Council has approved this move; therefore, the move from the 2nd floor will take place on Saturday, July 20th. With help, this should not be a lengthy process. If anyone has a hand truck, your help would be greatly appreciated. Meet at 9:00 am in the church annex.

Meet the Pastor

On August 1st, we will welcome Rev. Grace Olson as our transitional pastor. Pastor Olson comes to us with an extensive background within the Lutheran Church. She has a religion degree from Wagner College and a Master of Divinity degree from Union Theological Seminary. In addition, she is also a registered nurse. Pastor Olson began her career within the Metropolitan New York Synod and, during the last 22 years, has been a transitional pastor within the Northeast Synod, most recently serving at Grace Lutheran Church in Allentown. Redeemer is very fortunate to have her fill a pastoral vacancy in our church.



Ladies Coloring Group – Wednesday, July 17th @ 5:30 pm

Ladies do you like to create beautiful artwork? Do you like to color? Let's de-stress and create artwork that expresses our Christian faith. **Please join us** and bring a snack to share plus your coloring supplies. We will have some supplies available for sharing. Please sign up in the narthex.

Ladies Coloring Night



Adult Fellowship

Copies of the **Adult Fellowship schedules for 2019-2020** are available on the Fellowship bulletin board. Don't forget about the upcoming trip to Shady Maple on July 29th.

Peaches and Ice Cream Festival

St. Timothy's Lutheran Church, Ott St., will be holding their annual Peaches and Ice Cream Festival on **August 21st**. Free peaches and ice cream and all kinds of homemade peach goodies. Mark your calendar!



Mission Ministry Soap Collection

Mission Ministry is asking you to help the **homeless Allentown School District students** and **Lutheran World Relief** by donating individually wrapped soap bars. **Regular or bath size only**. A collection box will be in the narthex from **June 2nd thru Sept. 4th**.



If you purchased a Dan Schantz Monthly Madness Flower card, don't forget to pick up your free 10" hanging basket.



Weekly 2019 Worship

Attendance

Weekend	Sat.	Sun.
June 22-23	19	57
June 29-30	11	63
July 6-7	24	50



God's Work, Our Hands . . .

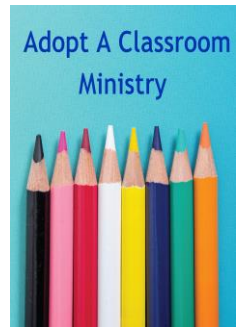
Our Adopt A Classroom Ministry Continues

The Education Ministry has committed to continuing our *Adopt A Classroom* partnership with the three kindergarten classes at **Muhlenberg Elementary School** in the Allentown School District for the 2019-2020 school year. With your support, we will prepare school supply kits for **85** children on Rally Day, September 8. A list of the needed school supplies was included in the summer issue of the Gleanings. There are also copies on the table in the narthex. Donated items may be placed in the collection box in the narthex.

If you'd prefer to contribute funds toward this endeavor, please *make your check payable to Redeemer and indicate*

Adopt A Classroom on the memo line or use a brown pew envelope.

A tally sheet showing the number of items needed is posted in the narthex. It will be updated each week to reflect which items are of greatest need.



Redeemer Relics and Reuzits

It may only be July, but the response for our sale has been beyond our expectations. The stage in Fellowship Hall is now available for placing items to be sold. If you have items to be picked up contact **Craig Long 610-437-1996**- chief41@ptd.net or **Vaughn Shappell 610-481-9237**- shappellv@enter.net. Please remember we are not accepting clothing or electronics; however, we will now accept furniture if it is all wood or metal. **NO FURNITURE WITH UPHOLSTERY WILL BE ACCEPTED.**



A Word of Thanks

On behalf of the Allentown Area Ecumenical Food Bank, we would like to thank you for your donation of 7 boxes and 5 bags of food in May and June.

Because of your caring and sharing, we are able to feed those less fortunate in our community. We are currently serving between 200 and 250 families per week.

Again, thank you for your donation!

*Sincerely,
AAEFB*

1/2 Year Giving Statements

Your giving statements are available in the narthex. Please call Marilyn at the office (610-434-1291) if you feel there is a discrepancy.



Members known to be hospitalized No one

Members who are ill, recuperating, somewhat confined, shut in or in the military

Gloria Beil, Jane Bellesfield, Irene Buehler, Carolyn Crilley, Lois Eisenhard, Lois Gerhart, Nila Grammes, Gale James, Nancy Long, Jean Lory, Glenda McNelis, Sister Verna Meckes, Lois Nowack, John Saylor, Earl Schlegel, John and Doris Schwoyer, Marilyn Snyder, Rita Sparrow, Erna Svoboda, Pastor Jack and Dottie Tomlinson, Joyce Weidner, Erna and William Zotter, Matthew Jaxheimer, Ryan Jaxheimer, Nathan Rode

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

Derry Family, Margaret Heil, Beth and Martin Landau, Alan McNabb, Eric Sell, Christopher, Violet Zweizig, David Eckert, Leah, Virginia Balliet, Darren, Julian, Lois Nowack, Liz Mantz, Mary Ann McNabb, Sister Verna, Joshua Bougher, Shirley Saeger, Debbie Reinhard, Jack Ohl, Greg Boyer, Cheryl Wentz, Niki Nolte, Joan Lorenz, Dick and Marilyn Paules, Gail & Ken Cortright, Dave Rodgers, The family of Reniea Peters

Current Office Hours

Mon. & Wed. 9:30-5:00

Tues. & Thurs. 9:30-2:00

Friday 9:30-3:00



Praising God
Sharing the Story
Spreading the Love

WOW

7 pm @

St. Timothy

Welcome Worship

Center Pavilion

140 So. Ott St.

Allentown

This week: The Collaborative Choirs

A freewill love offering will support the outreach of *Neighbors Helping Neighbors.*

Summer lunch program run by **Holy Trinity Memorial Lutheran Church** of Catasauqua. Please come see **Pastor Brian Reidy** and help support this fantastic ministry.