

Redeemer News

September 15, 2019

The 14th Sunday after Pentecost

Calendar of Events

Sept 15-21, 2019

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| Sun. | 9:00 am | SCS |
| Sun. | 10:15 am | Worship |
| Sun | 12:30 pm | Ch. of the Divine Master |
| Mon. | 6-8 pm | G.S. |
| Wed | 7:00 pm | Ch. Of the Divine Master Bible Study |
| Fri. | 1:15 pm | O.A. |
| Sat. | 6:00 pm | Worship |

Upcoming Events

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| Oct. 4 & 5 | Relics & Reuzits Sale |
| Oct. 13 | Crop Walk |



SCS is for ALL ages!

Adults, please join Erica and Bob Dreabit as they lead adult discussions in the Library.



Many hands served with a joyful heart!

The Education Ministry would like to thank all who supported and participated in a very productive Rally Day morning! "God's Work. Our Hands." was the theme and many responded to the call to help assemble **100 school kits for the four Kindergarten classes at Muhlenberg Elementary School** and to sign **240 Christmas cards** for members of the military! The school supply kits were delivered to the four classes at Muhlenberg Elementary School on Monday, September 9th. The children were excited and grateful for our generosity. Mrs. Chaiko, Mrs. Hankee, Ms. McNeil, Miss Yocum and our **11 "church ladies"** (**Dottie Beazley, Noreen Clark, Dottie Dilliard, Erica Dreabit, Linda Fisher, Jane Helwig, Cyndy Hillegass, Barb Lindenmuth, Donna Paules, Mary Richards and Nancy Ruhmel**) look forward to another year in partnership. The signed Christmas cards will be distributed via Keystone Military Families.



Redeemer Relics and Reuzits

Thank you to the 13 members who came in Monday morning, Sept. 9, to begin the setup. We will do it again this Monday morning and perhaps get the setup completed. **All members are invited to go to Fellowship Hall and make purchases prior to the sale.** Don't forget we also need baked goods for the sale days.

"Relics & Reuzits Bake Sale and Lunch"

We will have a bake sale and lunch items at our Relics and Reuzits sale and we need your help to stock the baked goods table. Popular items last year were **cupcakes, breakfast cakes, tea breads, and pies.** If you are able to bake an item or two for us, **please drop them off in Fellowship Hall on Thursday, October 3rd, 3-5pm or on either Friday or Saturday after 7:00 am.** If you need your item picked up or have any questions, please call **Paulette Cramer at 610-432-5294.** We appreciate your help.



Redeemer chefs will also be serving a delicious lunch. The menu will include **Hot Dogs, Hamburger BBQ, Pierogies, Chip Snack Bags, and Cold Beverages.**

Personnel Committee



Our constitution requires two members of the church, in addition to the council officers, to be on the Personnel Committee. We are in need of two members who will be part of this committee. This only requires a few meetings a year.

Weekly 2019 Worship Attendance

| Weekend | Sat. | Sun. |
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| Aug. 24-25 | 15 | 59 |
| Aug.30-Sept 1 | 16 | 54 |
| Sept 7-8 | 22 | 77 |

Adult Fellowship Event

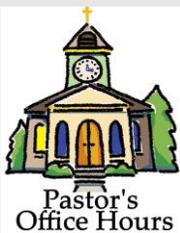
Wine and Cheese Party
on Sunday, September 22nd,

at the Craig Long residence

(Address can be found on the sign-up sheet on the Fellowship Bulletin Board).



We had a good week! Orders totaled \$1075 which gave us a rebate of \$41.00. **The total for the year in the SCRIP Fund is now \$1141.48.** It may be September but it is not too early to think about Christmas!



Monday & Thursday 9:30-1:00

Office Hours

Mon. 9:30-5:00
Wed. Office Closed
Tues. & Thurs. 9:30-2:00
Friday 9:30-3:00



Walk. Give. Change the world.

CROP Hunger Walks are community-wide events sponsored by Church World Service and organized by local congregations or groups to raise funds to end hunger at home and around the world. Redeemer is one of those congregations that participate in the CROP Walk.



Begun in 1947, **CROP** was an acronym for the **Christian Rural Overseas Program** designed to help Midwest farm families share their grain with hungry neighbors in post WWII Europe and Asia. TODAY, the program has outgrown its acronym but retains its mission....to help feed others, no matter where they live.

This year's CROP Walk will take place on **Sunday, October 13**. The Walk kicks off at **St. Timothy's Church** located at 140 South Ott Street, Allentown. **Sign-in time is 1:00 p.m.** with the actual walk beginning at 1:30 p.m. Participants can opt to complete a **Golden Mile** or the **5-mile Allentown City Loop**. **All attendees are encouraged to bring a nonperishable food item to the Walk** which will be donated to the Allentown Ecumenical Food Bank.

Those interested in donating to this most worthy cause are requested to write their **check to Redeemer** noting that the designated amount is for the **CROP Walk**. All monies must be received in the Church office by October 6. You may also go online to donate directly to the CROP HUNGER WALK if you so choose. More information is available on the bulletin board located in the narthex.

Celebrations Within Our Congregational Life:

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

Nathan Rode is currently enrolled at **Shippensburg University** for his second semester. Over the summer, he spent almost a month at **Resolute Castle, Romania**, with his National Guard Unit, the 228th Engineer Company, and **on August 23 he graduated from Air Assault School in Fort Pickett, VA**. This past week, he was awarded a pair of **silver wings** from his unit to recognize his status as **CHAMPION of the twelve-mile Ruck March** during Air Assault School. Nate was also awarded his **second Army Achievement Medal**, this one for his meritorious service during the vertical construction mission in Romania. **The Medal recognizes Nate's "high level of motivation which raised morale"** and was noted as the leading factor in his unit's completion of its tasks. Nathan was noted to **"lead soldiers with minimal supervision and producing superior results."** **Nathan thanks Redeemer** for praying for him throughout these early years of military service.

Words of Thanks

Just a thank you note to say your flowers sure helped cheering this old lady up. Many thanks.

Sincerely,
Lois Gerhart.

We would like to thank you for the prayer shawl Ken received. Pastor Grace brought it to us which was very much appreciated.

We also want to thank all the people who are praying for us.

God Bless You All,
Gail and Ken Cortright

