

Loved and Sent: Helping people find their identity and purpose in Jesus.

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Psalm 139:13 – You created me in my inmost being; you knit me together in my mother’s womb. I praise you because I am fearfully and wonderfully made.

“Welcome to You!” Are you familiar with that tagline? It’s from one of Silicon Valley’s fastest growing companies 23 and Me; a company that does DNA testing to help you better manage your health.

With the help of modern science and DNA testing, 23 and Me and other companies like it are helping people really dig deep into their identity – your genealogy, your ethnicity, your health, your traits... and much more.

So fascinating!

Holy Week is coming up April 15-21 when we will walk again with our Savior Jesus through the final days of his life, his crucifixion and resurrection. What a journey it will be!! We will listen to our Savior’s words from the upper room as he washes his disciples feet and gives them a new meal called the Lord’s Supper. We will go with him to Gethsemane, and to his trial. We will listen as he is sentenced to die and watch as he carries his own cross to Calvary where he is sacrificed for the sins of the world. And of course – we will rejoice with all creation when he bursts forth from the tomb!

I can’t encourage you enough to join us for worship during Holy Week.

- Maundy Thursday Worship – April 18 at 7:00 PM is an amazingly beautiful time of worship.

- Good Friday Worship – April 19 at 7:00 PM – we will remember the life and death of Jesus.

- Easter Sunday – 9:30 and 11:00 will both be filled with joyful praise!

Easter is a great time to invite a friend or neighbor. We will have a special gift for everyone who comes!

The story of Easter recorded in Luke 24 is just for you! Our true identity and purpose are found in Jesus – our risen and living Savior. He created you. He knit you together in your mothers’ womb. He redeemed you! Our life is found in Him!

Welcome to you!

See you church!

Pastor Paul Schult



HOLY WEEK AT REDEEMER

PALM SUNDAY 9:30/11 AM	MAUNDY THURSDAY 7 PM	GOOD FRIDAY 7 PM	EASTER MORNING 9:30/11 AM
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Redeemer REDWOOD CITY
468 GRAND ST. REDWOOD CITY, CA 94062

RedeemerKids Easter: Please RSVP by April 14!

Help us plan to have enough goodies for everyone. RSVP at www.redeemerministries.org and indicate how many kids will join in the fun!

YOU'RE INVITED!

HAPPY
EASTER

April 21st

9:30-10:30am

Fellowship
Hall

REDEEMERKIDS

TREASURE HUNT!

EXPLORE AND DISCOVER
YOUR VERY OWN
FAITH TREASURE BOX!

EASTER EGG HUNT

JOIN YOUR FRIENDS IN
FINDING SOME HIDDEN
EASTER SWEETIES!



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Home Group Update and Next Steps

The response to Redeemer's Home Groups has been amazing!! Over 130 people are participating in weekly Home Group meetings using the Red Letter Challenge, encouraging each other to put the words of Jesus into practice.

The goal of Redeemer's Home Groups is much more than just Bible study – it's discipleship! This is how Pastor Jeff Vanderstelt defines discipleship:

Discipleship is defined as leading others to increasingly submit all of life (time, work, relationships, finances, sexuality, leisure, etc) to the empowering presence and lordship of Jesus Christ.

Discipleship happens best in smaller groups, where people can love and encourage each other to live on mission with Jesus, put Jesus' words into practice, be disciples of Jesus, and make disciples of Jesus.

This is where real life change happens! This is where faith gets put into practice. This is how the kingdom of Jesus grows.

Some Home Groups will be finishing the Red Letter Challenge material by Easter or soon after.

Home Group leaders will be meeting shortly after Easter to make plans for next steps including ways to meet through the summer, and getting ready for the Fall.

Discipleship isn't a program of Redeemer, it's the mission of the church, the heart and soul of why Redeemer exists.

If you would like to be a part of a Home Group, please email Beth Schult at bschult@redeemerministries.org

reLENTless Love

What an amazing night of awesome food, family, and FUN!

Each family unpacked and created their own Easter Tree for their homes. It will be exciting to add an ornament to their tree each day of Holy Week leading up to Easter. We thank JESSE TREE TREASURES for this artistic piece that this will now become a tradition to do as a family every Easter! Check them out for more of their ornaments and trees for the different seasons of the year! <http://www.jessetreetreasures.com/treasures/>

Thank you for all the donations of toiletries for homeless families in transition at Redwood House in Menlo Park. What a simple, small way to share some BIG LOVE !



Volunteers needed for RedeemerKIDS Easter

- April 21st -- 9:30 Fellowship Hall
- Gathering **Volunteers** now! Junior High through Adults! JOIN in the FUN!
- Email bschult@redeemerministries.org if you are able to help!
- (many various opportunities : prep work or involvement during event)

Redeemer Faith Party Celebrating Steps of Faith

Redeemer Faith Party – Celebrating Steps of Faith
Sunday, June 2 - 5:00 – 7:00 PM in the Fellowship Hall

When people take a step of faith to be closer to Jesus, it's something worth celebrating together as God's people. That's what Redeemer's Faith Party is all about.

The Redeemer Community will gather together to celebrate how God is working in people's lives, leading them to take steps of faith.

Here's a few things we are planning for:

- **Baptisms** – If you or your children would like to be baptized, we would love to celebrate with you! We will be setting up a baptismal pool in the courtyard and look forward to celebrating this step of faith for as many people who are ready to take it.
- **Baptismal Remembrance/Renewals** – Some people may have been baptized, wandered from their relationship with Jesus, but would like to renew their baptismal faith and commitment to Jesus.
- **Life Verse/Testimony** – Some people may want to publicly share for the first time their story of faith, of how God has been at work in their life bringing them to faith in Jesus – finding their identity and purpose in Him. This can be shared through a life verse testimony.
- **Faith Step Testimony** – Some people may be taking their first steps closer to God; seeking God for the first time, learning more about Jesus, seeking out their identity and purpose in Jesus. We'd love to celebrate the step you have taken.

You can learn more about these next steps at the following times:

Adult and parent Information Meetings (Church and School Community)

Wednesday, April 24 OR Thursday, April 25 (choose one date to attend)
7:00 – 8:30 PM in the Fellowship Hall

These meetings will be an opportunity to learn about, discuss, and ask questions about the Christian life and faith.

Topics:

- Finding your identity and purpose in Jesus; LOVED and SENT.
- What is baptism?
- What is a life verse testimony?
- What is communion (The Lord's Supper)?

Pastor Schult will also be sharing information about the Faith Party in each classroom so that students have a better idea of what the Faith Party is all about.

Poland Mission 2019—Thanks!

We hope you all enjoyed the delicious Pierogis and Kielbasa at coffee hour on March 24th in celebration of Poland Mission awareness day.

The Poland Mission team gives thanks to the Lord for Redeemer's generous support of the 2019 mission. A door offering was taken on Sunday, March 24, and over \$900 was collected towards the \$5,000 goal. If you still wish to give, there is an ongoing effort to support this program. Go to www.redeemerministries.org for more information.



THE RESCUE TOUR

Dave Anderson & Roger Walck



Join us for
Praise & Worship

Sunday, April 14 at 6:00 pm
at Redeemer Lutheran Church
468 Grand Street, Redwood City

Concert info at www.thefellowship.com

Dave and Roger's music ministry benefits
Shepherd's Canyon Retreat
www.shepherdsanoyonretreat.org
800-783-3079



Member News

Please welcome new member

Sara Spencer



Opportunities for the Women of Redeemer



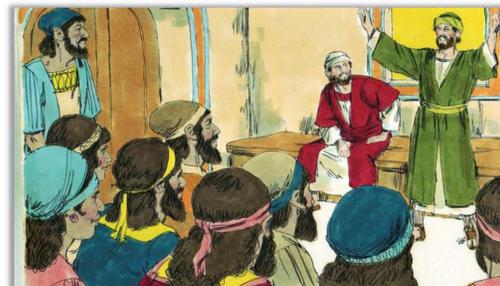
Zone 8
California-Nevada-Hawaii
District

LUTHERAN WOMEN'S MISSIONARY LEAGUE
CALIFORNIA-NEVADA-HAWAII
ZONE 8 ~ SPRING GATHERING
April 6, 2019 ~ 9:30am — 1:00pm
Grace Lutheran Church
2825 Alameda de Las Pulgas ~ San Mateo, CA

Serving the Lord in Gladness

“So the disciples determined, every one according to his ability, to send relief to the brothers living in Judea.”

— Acts 11:29



Life Enrichment

God enables us through Life Enrichment Ministry to enhance our latter years by sharing with others our Christian love and fellowship.

Next
Life Enrichment Luncheon
April 13 at 11:00 am

Ingathering Items

Infant supplies:
Cloth and disposable diapers (new)
Stuffed toys (new)

Hygiene supplies:
Sanitary products for women
Toothbrushes & toothpaste
Towels and washcloths
Bar soap & travel sized items
Combs

Guest Speaker: Steve Magee
Orphan Grain Train ~ Nevada Sierra Branch

Bible Study Leader: Rev. Martin Noland
Grace Lutheran Church ~ San Mateo

Registration: \$10.00 ~ BYOB Lunch ~ Dessert Provided
Free Will Love Gift Offering to support the efforts of Orphan Grain Train

Please make out any check donations to LWML CNH Zone 8
memo: Orphan Grain Train

Questions? Please email President Barbara Guevara at tisbarb@sbcglobal.net

Redeemer Numbers

Fiscal Update

Fiscal Year Jul 2018/Jun 2019

40000 · Income

41000 · Church Income

Capital Campaign

42000 · School

Annual fund

43000 · Operations

Total 40000 · Income

50000 · Expenses

51000 · Church Expenses

52000 · School Expenses

53000 · Operations

Total 50000 · Expenses

Total Expense

Reserve for Dep/Capital Funds

Net Income

Month of

Feb 2019

Actual

Fiscal

Year to

Date Total

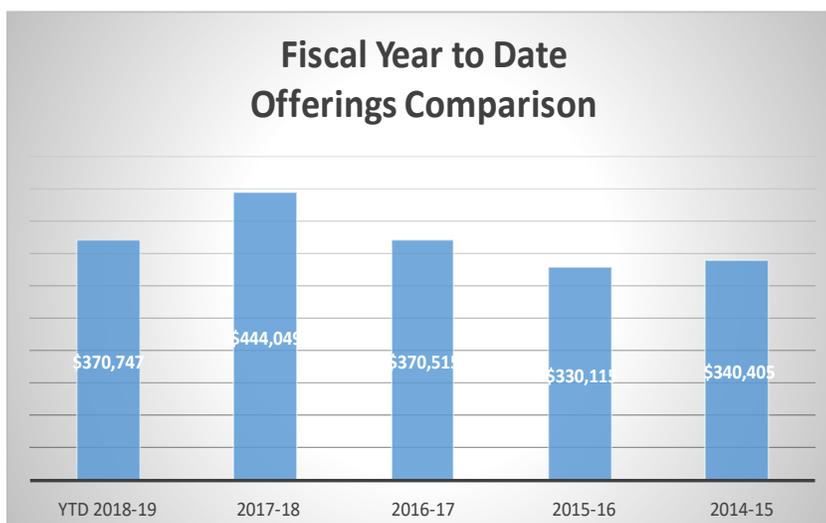
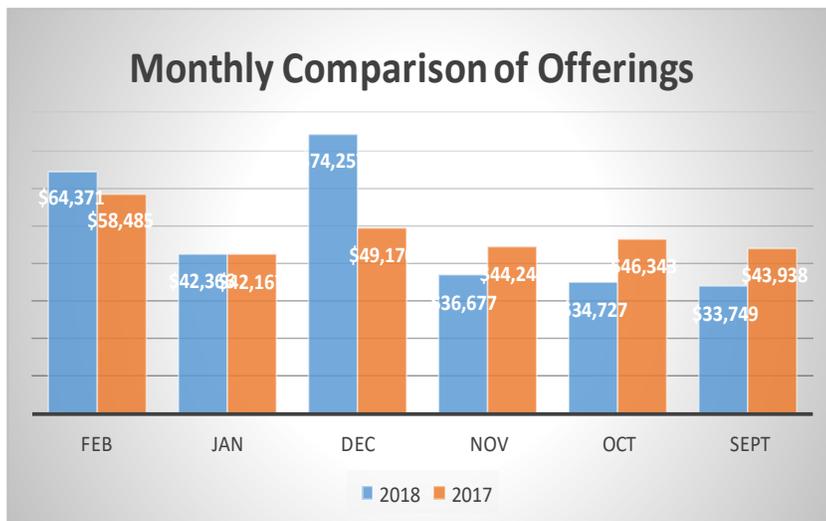
Annual

Budgeted

12 months

Month of	Fiscal	Annual
Feb 2019	Year to	Budgeted
Actual	Date Total	12 months
\$92,768	\$467,529	\$721,500
\$0	\$280,000	\$280,000
\$169,653	\$1,360,537	\$1,967,900
\$6,900	\$243,644	\$250,000
\$5,068	\$82,674	\$105,620
\$274,390	\$2,434,384	\$3,325,020
\$84,928	\$576,572	\$857,709
\$180,774	\$1,002,380	\$1,603,600
\$72,974	\$526,103	\$863,800
\$338,676	\$2,105,054	\$3,325,109
\$338,676		\$3,325,109
-\$64,287	\$329,330	-\$89
\$0	\$0	\$0

Note: As of February 2019, Church offerings still are projected to be lower than budgeted, and the church staff if making adjustments to ministry spending to accommodate the difference.



Church & School Office Staffing

The school office will be on spring break from April 1-April 5. The school and church offices will be minimally staffed during this week due to vacation scheduling. Please call in advance if you wish to visit.

Weekly Sunday Worship Schedule

9:30 am Contemporary Service, Sunday School (RedeemerKIDS)

9:30 am Adult Bible Study

10:30 am Coffee Hour

11:00 am Traditional Service

April 2019

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	<i>1</i> <i>School Spring Break</i> •7pm Choir Practice •7:30pm AA	<i>2</i>	<i>3</i> •6:30am Men's Breakfast •8:15 am CAN-CELED @ the WELL	<i>4</i> •10:15 am Adult Bible Study •7pm Women of Faith Bible Study	<i>5</i> •7pm AA	<i>6</i> •8:30 am Women's Breakfast & Devotion
<i>7</i> <i>See Worship Schedule</i> <i>MITE box Sunday</i>	<i>8</i> •12pm Life Enrichment Meeting •7pm H2H •7pm Choir Practice •7:30pm AA	<i>9</i> •6pm Cub Scouts •7pm Board of Lay Ministers	<i>10</i> •6:30am Men's Breakfast •8:15 am @ the WELL	<i>11</i> •7pm Women of Faith Bible Study	<i>12</i> •7pm AA	<i>13</i> 11 am Life Enrichment
<i>14</i> <i>Palm Sunday</i> <i>See Worship Schedule</i> •6pm Dave Anderson Perform-	<i>15</i> •7pm Choir Practice	<i>16</i>	<i>17</i> •6:30am Men's Breakfast •8:15 am @ the WELL	<i>18</i> <i>Maundy Thursday</i> •10:15 am Adult Bible Study •7pm Worship	<i>19</i> <i>Good Friday</i> •7pm Worship •7pm AA	<i>20</i> •TBA Choir Practice
<i>21</i> <i>Easter Sunday</i> <i>See Worship Schedule</i>	<i>22</i> <i>Church and School Offices Closed</i> •7:30pm AA	<i>23</i> •6pm Cub Scouts	<i>24</i> •6:30am Men's Breakfast •8:15 am @ the WELL •9am Newsletter Team •7pm Faith Party Parent Info Night	<i>25</i> •7pm Women of Faith Bible Study •7pm Faith Party Parent Info Night	<i>26</i> •7pm AA	<i>27</i>
<i>28</i> <i>See Worship Schedule</i> •9:30 am Baptism—Wang	<i>29</i>	<i>30</i>				

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Sundays at Redeemer

Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod

- 9:30 am Contemporary Service
- 9:30 am Sunday School
- 9:30 am Adult Bible Study
- 10:30 am Coffee Hour
- 11:00 am Traditional Service

Pastoral Staff

Lead Pastor

Reverend Paul Schult

Minister of Youth and Young Adults

Mr. Corey Garrity

Pastor to Seniors

Reverend Paul Hoffmann

Pastor Emeritus

Reverend Dr. Harold Draeger

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School Principal

Mr. Michael J. Mancini

School Office 650.366.3466

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www.redeemer-school.org