



# TIDINGS

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## A MESSAGE FROM PASTOR KESSINGER

APRIL OF 2023  
PRAYING THE PSALMS

**M**arch was an interesting month from a pastoral perspective. With joy we received awesome new members, baptized adorable infants, and had incredible Lenten meals and worship experiences on Wednesday evenings. I attended and presided over an amazing wedding over a two-day period that combined two cultures and two different faith traditions.

We also held a Stewardship meeting and invited the Executive Committee from our council to discuss the next steps for our approved building and grounds project. Rob Wenk presented us with the overview. We then started to explore what we needed to do to set up a Capital Campaign to raise the funds necessary to complete the project. We are hopeful that the people at Redeemer will receive the invitation to pledge towards the campaign with the same generosity that everyone has shown in the past!

The joys of ministry that I just outlined help us get through the more challenging times. In March the McLean clergy group from a wide variety of faith traditions gathered at Redeemer for fellowship and discussion. We have been meeting for some time now so this conversation was more serious. We reflected on what is happening in our area and in our nation that need our collective attention. Here are some outcomes of our discussion.

- 1) A small group of us will take the lead to find the best ways to gather the people from our different houses of worship to discuss our response to the hatred we see in this world and in our country.
- 2) A member of the McLean Police force also sits at the table with us to listen to whatever concerns we have and to see where they can be of help. It has been wonderful to have their presence and it keeps us informed of what we need to be aware of in our day-to-day activities and when we gather for worship.
- 3) In our conversation they made us aware of the effect that drugs and the isolation of the pandemic has had on the overall health of our young people. More and more of our youth are showing signs of depression. The pressures they experience in school compounds their struggles. It comes on the heels of Redeemer hosting an event that was organized by Safe Community Coalition that centered on how to reduce anxiety.

I have always said that the call to a congregation is also a call to the wider church and to the community that we serve. We seem to be at a Kairos (critical) moment to act. God is calling us to respond in faithful ways not only to the joys of ministry but to the different ways that the people

are hurting. Prayer is important and necessary. We must also act. What does that mean?

I will be honest in that I am still thinking it through. I know we will be at the table to plan for some kind of seminar that will address the violence and hatred we see every day. I write this article on the heels of another mass shooting. This time it was at a Christian school in Nashville where three children and three adults were killed. The mere fact that we can sit down and discuss this in healthy ways will be a big step forward.

As for the young people in our church and in our community, it occupies my mind day and night. Once again we see so many joys with our young people. Our Faith Formation classes (Pre-school through Grade 6) are well attended as is the Confirmation and High School classes. We have a High School Leadership team that is open to all in that age group. You have heard of our work this fall in doing environmental clean-up in the Anacostia area of the District.

And starting in April we have another project that needs the help of the entire congregation. We will be collecting specific food items that will then be packed up for elementary school children who need extra food on the weekends. Look for the details in another part of this newsletter! We will accept monetary donations and shop for any items that we are still lacking by the end of the drive.

Pastor Josh has good attendance for the Youth Group that meet every Sunday night for dinner and activities. We want to build on that to include the younger grades. We had one Parents' Night

Out where we took care of the children while parents spent a couple of hours to themselves! We would love to find other ways to engage our youth. With Sunrise Senior Living opening up in the next month or two we have a wonderful opportunity to do intergenerational activities.

I am a strong believer that if we want the world to change in good and healthy ways we, as adults, need to do our part to nurture and foster the values that our children will need as they grow older. In our Lenten series we just completed the five gifts of discipleship that are said at every baptism and when we confirm our young people –

- *to live among God's faithful people,*
- *to hear his Word and share in his Supper,*
- *to proclaim the good news of God in Christ through word and deed,*
- *to serve all people, following the example of Jesus Christ,*
- *and to strive for justice and peace.*

It is the place to start for those who are already inside the church. Now we need to find effective ways to meet the youth who are outside our church doors. Our connections with the community are growing stronger. It is my hope and desire to network with other organizations. I have already been in touch with the Safe Community Coalition and hope to reach out to our local schools to be partners in this endeavor.

March has made me think how we can be more of a presence in our community. We are a work in progress and open to any thoughts or direction you can give us.

***God's peace – Pastor Sandy Kessinger***

## 5 Gifts of Discipleship

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- 2) *To hear his Word and share in his Supper,*
- 3) *To proclaim the good news of God in Christ through word and deed,*
- 4) *To serve all people, following the example of Jesus Christ,*
- 5) *To strive for justice and peace*

## A MESSAGE FROM PASTOR JOSH



### Dear Siblings in Christ,

As I look outside, it is clear that Spring is upon us. The Dogwoods, Bradford Pears, and Cherry Trees are all blooming, and we are starting to see buds of life on all sorts of other vegetation as well. As we look towards the Spring and Summer months, I am reminded of how busy our youth will be in this coming season. Which is why, in this month's article, I want to highlight all that our youth have been and will be doing in the coming months ahead.



Recently, our youth group has been hard at work working to improve the Butterfly Garden on the backside of our property. Teaming up with the Preschool/ Afterschool programs we are preparing the beds to welcome some

new friends to our grounds - the Preschool program is growing and hatching butterflies! So, in looking forward to welcoming our new guests towards the end of May, we want to make sure they have a place to call home. Our group has started by weeding and prepping the bed for new soil, and in the coming weeks will begin to plant native flowers/pollinators for the butterfly's enjoyment.

Coming up towards the end of April, PSK and I will be traveling to Camp Caroline Furnace with the Confirmation Class for our annual retreat. There we will spend the weekend focused on fellowship and team building. We will spend time hiking, canoeing, completing their confidence course, playing plenty of games, eating plenty of sugary snacks, and of course, end the day with a campfire. This time away has proven to be a great opportunity for our youth to bond and create friendships that they can rely on as they prepare for Confirmation and the high school years ahead.

Lastly, coming up in June, PSK and I will be traveling to Logan County, WV, with our youth group for the summer mission trip. Along with Lon and Denise Augustenborg, we will travel with ten youth and participate in the YouthWorks summer project there. This will be a rural assignment, and due to economic strife in that area of the country, much of our work will be focused on serving those who live in poverty. We will serve in food pantries, soup kitchens, and clothing distribution centers. I am told there may even be an opportunity for





home improvement projects with the elderly in the community as well. No matter the project, this opportunity will allow our youth to see and serve God and God's people in new and eye-opening ways.

Be on the lookout for our next fundraising event to support the mission trip coming up in May – Does anyone need a carwash?



Thank you all for the support you offer our youth through your prayers and financial contributions. It is because of you that these events are possible. We look forward to sharing more about our trips in the near future.

***Christ's peace be with you in the month ahead,***  
***Pastor Josh***

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Faith  
Formation -  
in action!

Photo credit: Liz Hernadi

## Habitat for Humanity Opportunities - Update



For many years, Redeemer has participated in a group of different faith communities called with Fairfax Interfaith Coalition for Habitat. Member churches (and other faith groups) provided money donations to Habitat of Northern Virginia, and in turn Habitats reserved build day slots for FICH members – typically 10 per build day – approximately once a month. After an extended break due to Covid, Habitat is busy on a number of new building projects, and a lot of other updates as well. This includes the merger of Habitat-NOVA and Habitat-DC, with a new name “Habitat for Humanity of Washington, D.C. & Northern Virginia, Inc.” (Habitat DC-NOVA). Habitat DC-NOVA was also the recipient of a substantial grant from philanthropist MacKenzie Scott, and it now has a number of build projects pending throughout the Washington, D.C. area.

Pre-Covid, the build days were often on weekdays and Redeemer did not have many members sign up to help. With the new opportunities available to anyone who would like to support Habitat build projects - no experience necessary – the Social Outreach Team has decided to end its membership in FICH at this time. This does not preclude you from volunteering for Habitat. If you are interested, you can find information [here](#). If you are interested in coordinating a group of Redeemer members to volunteer together, please contact Ellen Kennedy, [ellen.kennedy@cox.net](mailto:ellen.kennedy@cox.net), who can provide additional information and connect you with the Social Outreach Team.



## SUNDAY WORSHIP SCHEDULE

Services at 8:30 am, 9:45 am, 11:00 am



April 2	Palm Sunday (8:30 am) (9:45 am) (11:00 am)
April 6	Maundy Thursday (7:30 pm)
April 7	Good Friday (12:00 pm) Tenebrae Service (7:30 pm)
April 8	Easter Vigil Service (7:30 pm)
April 9	Easter Services (8:30 am) (9:45 am) (11:00 am)

### Week of April 10

Monday, April 10  
Wednesday, April 12

Congregation Council – 7:30 pm  
Quilting Group – 9:30 am  
Wednesday PM Bible Study – 7:00 pm

### Week of April 16

Tuesday, April 18  
Wednesday, April 19

Women's Prayer Group – 9:30 am  
Wednesday AM Bible Study – 8:00 am  
Wednesday PM Bible Study – 7:00 pm

### Week of April 23

Sunday, April 23  
Tuesday, April 25  
Wednesday, April 26

First Communion Class – 12:15 pm  
Women's Prayer Group – 9:30 am  
Wednesday AM Bible Study – 8:00 am  
Wednesday PM Bible Study – 7:00 pm  
Men's Bible Study – 8:00 am

Thursday, April 27



Saturday – Sunday, April 29 and 30  
Confirmation Retreat  
Caroline Furnace

# Redeemer's Holy Week & Easter Services

<b>April 6</b> <b>Thursday   7:30 pm</b>	<b>Maundy Thursday</b> Join us as we remember Jesus' final hours with his disciples. We will reflect on the Last Supper and the gift of Jesus washing the disciple's feet. Since some are not comfortable with the washing of feet, we will offer the washing and blessing of hands – anointing them for service to God and all God's people. At the conclusion of this service we will strip the altar and pulpit as we prepare to remember the darkest days of Jesus' journey on this earth.
<b>April 7</b> <b>Friday   Noon</b>	<b>Good Friday Noon Worship</b> At this most somber of services we recall Jesus' arrest, trial, and crucifixion. On this day we will offer two opportunities to worship. At noon we will celebrate a more traditional service where we reflect on the readings and hymns of the day and conclude with communion from preconsecrated elements.
<b>April 7</b> <b>Friday   7:30 pm</b>	<b>Good Friday Tenebrae Service</b> In this most moving of services that elicits one's senses we will walk with Jesus on his final steps to the cross and watch as our surrounding grow ever darker with each step. Then as the tomb is slammed shut, we depart with our hearts heavy but still hopeful for the days to come.
<b>April 8</b> <b>Saturday   7:30 pm</b>	<b>Easter Vigil</b> Join us as we go from the darkness of the tomb to the eternal light of Christ's resurrection. In this most sacred of services, we gather in the dark of night and experience the promise of the resurrection. From darkness we walk with the first disciples as the tombstone is rolled away and the light of Christ is forever known by all God's people. We will watch and experience the change of our surroundings as we gather outside and slowly make our way to the sanctuary where in one triumphant moment we will sing Alleluia and celebrate Christ's eternal reign. Join us for this most ancient of liturgies.
<b>April 9, Sunday</b> <b>8:30, 9:45 and 11</b>	<b>Easter Morning Services</b> Christ is Risen – He has Risen Indeed! Join us Easter morning as we celebrate our Risen Lord and proclaim Alleluia forevermore. On this most special of mornings our worship will be enhanced by the beauty of flowers, the singing of our choir, and the accompaniment of a brass quartet.



# Let's Help Hungry Kids

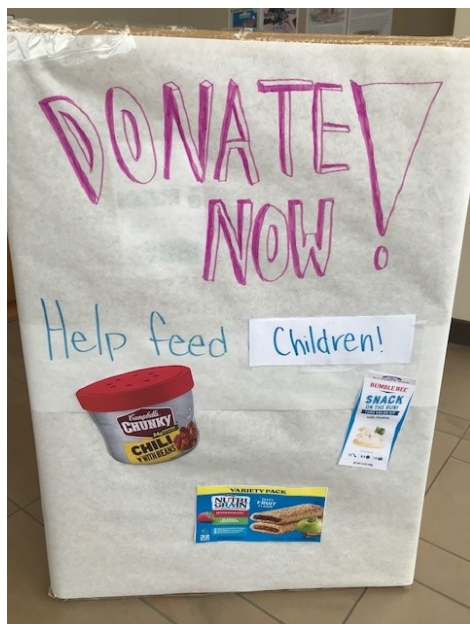
Many kids rely on school meal programs but go hungry on weekends and when school isn't in session. We're collecting food items to create meal kits for Food For Others (a food bank). From April 2 to May 7, our HS Leadership Team is collecting non-perishable food donations and assembling Power Packs for Kids (each has 2 breakfast items, 2 lunch or dinner items, 2 snack items, and 2 drinks (examples below). You'll see specially-marked collection boxes near entrances to Redeemer to receive donations. Guidelines on types of food needed will be on the boxes. Thank you for helping. If you want to make a monetary donation please feel free to place it in the collection plate and write "Meal Kit" on your donation.

Thank you – High School Leadership Team

Breakfast	Lunch/ Dinner	Snacks	Drinks
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Oatmeal Packets</li> <li>• Cereal (Individual Sizes)</li> <li>• Granola Bars</li> <li>• Nutri Grain Bars</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Chili Cups</li> <li>• Mac &amp; Cheese Cups (single-serving)</li> <li>• Tuna/ Chicken Salad Kits with Crackers</li> <li>• Chef Boyardee, Ravioli</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Fruit Cups (in juice NOT syrup)</li> <li>• Cheese &amp; Crackers</li> <li>• Granola Bars</li> <li>• Fruit Snacks, Dried Fruits</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 100% Fruit Juice</li> <li>• Capri Sun Juice Boxes</li> <li>• Shelf-stable Milk</li> </ul>

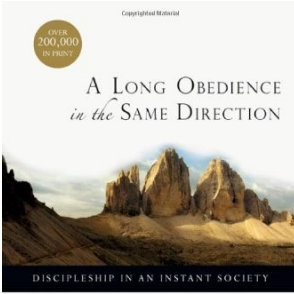
**Please do not include:**

Peanut butter or items that include peanut butter, candy, Pop-tarts, Vienna sausages, glass containers, high sugar items, apple sauce cups with tinfoil lids, or bottled water.



## WOMEN'S PRAYER GROUP TUESDAYS AT 9:30 AM

Beginning Tuesday, April 18, the Women's Prayer Group will continue reading the Eugene Peterson book, *"A Long Obedience in the Same Direction."* The group is open to all women. For those interested all you have to do is order the book. We will start with Chapter 11. You can either read the previous chapters or start where we are now. The book is set up in such a way that each chapter stands alone. Please contact Pastor Kessinger if you are interested. We meet in-person and offer a Zoom option.



## WEDNESDAY EVENING BIBLE STUDY | BOOK OF JOB BEGINS APRIL 12 AT 7 PM

Before Lent we started a study on the Book of Job. We completed the first seventeen chapters. On Wednesday, April 12, at 7 pm we will continue our study. For anyone who would like to join us please do so! Job is set up in such a way that you do not have to have completed the first part to participate in the second part. Please contact Pastor Kessinger if you are interested and she will send you the Zoom link. Thank you!



## WEDNESDAY AM BIBLE STUDY – NEW SERIES LUTHER AND SCRIPTURE BEGINS APRIL 19TH AT 8 AM

It took four years but those who attended the Wednesday AM Bible Study completed a thematic study of the Old and New Testaments. On Wednesday, April 19, at 8 am



we will start a new series on "Luther and Scripture." We will start with Genesis and read some of the major Biblical stories through the lens of Martin Lu-

ther. Along the way we will also learn what Luther had to say about different topics that came to define who we are as Lutherans. We will start with the Creation story and Original Sin based on the opening chapters of Genesis. If you are interested in joining us then please contact Pastor Kessinger. We meet in-person and also via Zoom.

## FIRST COMMUNION CLASS | SUNDAY, APRIL 23

The next First Communion class will be held on Sunday, April 23, from 12:15 pm to 1:30 pm. If your child(ren) has shown an interest in receiving Holy Communion then please contact Pastor Kessinger. Those who attend the class will then receive their First Communion on Sunday, May 28, which is also Pentecost Sunday. If none of these dates fit your Schedules, then Pastor Kessinger will work with you to find an agreeable time for the class and/or First Communion.

## RINGING THE REDEEMER GROUP DINNER BELL

For those at Redeemer with appetite for fun social gathering while dining, we look to re-start congregational "Dinner Group" events that had been on the menu, so to speak, before the pandemic came along. The plan is to form groups between seven and nine (singles and couples are welcome) with each group arranging to meet up sporadically (roughly once every two months) for a breakfast, lunch or dinner, either in potluck style at a group member's home, or at a local eatery where everyone in the group pays their own tab. Initial "sign up" to participate in a "Dinner Group" will be through SignUp-Genius, where one can indicate whether able to host a dinner for eight, as well as about preferences they might have on meal type and venue. As sign-up numbers (hopefully) grow, the participants will be assigned to a group of about eight members with similar dining format preferences (as best as possible), with one person in each group selected as "coordinator."

Any questions about this can be directed via email to Mark Cronin ([mlm.cronin@gmail.com](mailto:mlm.cronin@gmail.com)) and Lee Cronin ([lee.sold@kw.com](mailto:lee.sold@kw.com)). [SIGN UP HERE](#) to let us know you are interested and to tell us your preferences.

## WHERE IS PSK?!?







## **Minutes of Meeting of Redeemer Congregation Council Teleconference via Zoom March 13, 2023**

**Present in Person:** Chris Hernadi, President Ellen Kennedy, Pastor Kessinger, Megan Kratz, Vice-President Karen Miller, Gene Morrow, Nate Paukovits, Tyler Posey, Secretary Roberta Pittman, Treasurer Ed Regan, Pastor Wullenweber

**Present via Zoom:** Lena Martikainen

**Excused:** Arash Behraves, Sheridan Kanski, Adetutu Toviho

**Call to Order:**

President Kennedy called the meeting to order 7:42 PM.

**Devotions:**

Pastor Kessinger led devotions and prayer based on John 4:11-14 as outlined in the Lenten Devotional titled "Water and Spirit."

**Adoption of Agenda:**

Without objection, the agenda was adopted as sent in advance of the meeting.

President Kennedy moved to adopt a resolution thanking Nate Paukovits for his work as Council President. The motion was seconded by Tyler Posey and passed unanimously, reading:

On behalf of the entire congregation of Lutheran Church of the Redeemer we, as the Congregational Council, would like to extend our deepest thanks and appreciation to former Council President Nathan Paukovits for his outstanding leadership and steadfast guidance over the past two years. May God bless, lead, and guide him as he transitions to other roles within the council and congregation.

**Pastors' Reports:**

♦ **Pastor Kessinger:**

Pastor Kessinger highlighted the following items from her written report.

- Connections through Pastoral Care that included hospital and home visits
- Baptisms and New Members
- Connections through Ministries of the Congregations
- Chaperoned younger youth for Parents' Night Out
- Participated and led portions of the Lenten Spiritual Retreat
- High School Leadership Team Meeting
- Synod meetings that included hosting the pastors in the Virginia Conference
- Coaching Session as part of the ELCA Coaching Staff
- Annual discussion and check-in with Bishop Ortiz
- [Connections through Community that included lunch with Rotary](#)
- Upcoming Events
  - ◊ Hosting Safe Community Coalition at Redeemer (March 15)
  - ◊ Hosting the McLean Clergy at Redeemer (March 22)

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- ◊ Working with High School Youth on *Food for Others* project
- ◊ Helping with Capital Campaign Task Force
- Holy Week Services were outlined in Pastor Kessinger's written report.
  - ◊ April 2: Palm Sunday Worship (8:30 am, 9:45 am, 11 am)
  - ◊ April 6: Maundy Thursday Worship (7:30 pm)
  - ◊ April 7: Good Friday Worship (12 pm and 7:30 pm)
  - ◊ April 8: Easter Vigil (7:30 pm)
  - ◊ April 9: Easter Sunday Worship (8:30 am, 9:45 am, 11 am)

◆ **Pastor Wullenweber:**

Pastor Wullenweber highlighted the following items from his written report.

- Men's Bible Study – Lenten Study on Baptism and Water
- Home Visits with Holy Communion
- Confirmation Class, currently studying Sacraments and Specific Lutheran Doctrines
- Redeemer Youth Group
  - ◊ Held a Chopped Champion Cook-Off
  - ◊ Upcoming Off-Campus Event – Bowling / Elevation Burger
- Funeral Preparation with Schumacher Family
- Mission Trip Fundraisers
  - ◊ Parent's Night Out
  - ◊ Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper
- Lenten Spiritual Retreat
- Upcoming Events:
  - ◊ Holy Week/ Easter Vigil/ Easter
  - ◊ Confirmation Retreat
  - ◊ Summer Bash on June 4
  - ◊ Youth Mission Trip in June
  - ◊ Summer Reserve Duty (6/26 – 7/21) and (8/7-9/4)
  - ◊ Holy Land Trip in 2024

**Approval of Minutes:**

Minutes from the meeting were previously approved by email.

**Treasurer's Report:**

Ed Regan presented the Treasurer's Report. Giving and use fees for the month of January exceeded expenses of Lutheran Church of the Redeemer. Indebtedness has been reduced to \$32,097.

**Executive Committee:**

The Executive Committee met on March 3, 2023, to define discussion items for the full council.

**Discussion Items:**

- Committee Liaison Assignments (Main contact in parenthesis)
 

<u>Ministry Team</u>	<u>Council Liaison</u>
◊ Building (Rob Wenk) and Grounds (Gretchen Stark)	Nathan Paukovits
◊ Capital Campaign Task Force	Karen Miller
◊ Christian Education (Shelley Brennan)	Pastor Kessinger
◊ Congregational Life (Pastor Wullenweber)	Arash Behravesh
◊ Endowment Fund (Tammie Koenig)	Gene Morrow

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◇ Finance (Rob Wenk)	Ed Regan
◇ Financial Review	Ed Regan
◇ Membership Outreach (Pr. Wullenweber)	Chris Hernadi
◇ Mutual Ministry (Separate committees)	Pastors Kessinger and Wullenweber
◇ Redeemer Renaissance	Nathan Paukovits
◇ Social Outreach (Judy Kuhagen)	Lena Martikainen
◇ Spiritual Nurture (Diane Miller)	Megan Kratz
◇ Stewardship (Pastor Kessinger)	Ellen Kennedy / Tyler Posey
◇ Worship and Music (Liz Scheffler)	Roberta Pittman
◇ Youth Ministry (Pastors Kessinger and Wullenweber)	Sheridan Kanski / Tutu Toviho

- Capital Campaign  
Pastor Kessinger gave an update on the Capital Campaign. The Stewardship Ministry team has met with the Executive Committee and Rob Wenk. Karen Miller gave an update on the Capital Campaign Task Force. Members so far include Greg Adams, Carol Pribulka, and Mark Thronson. It was determined that there should be a sub-committee for the columbarium.
- Reconciling in Christ Initiative  
Pastor Wullenweber reported that RIC committee had first working meeting. Plans are being made for how to roll out information. The emphasis will be on finding ways for Redeemer to be more open and inclusive.
- Council Retreat  
A Council Retreat is being planned for May 6, 2023 from 10:00 am until 4:00 pm.

#### **Ministry Reports:**

- Gene Morrow moved that Endowment Committee be allowed to make a \$2000 grant to Doctors Without Borders. Lena Martikainen seconded the motion and it passed unanimously.
- The Social Outreach Ministry is sending \$500 to World Central Kitchen.

#### **Additional Old Business:**

- The Stewardship Ministry team will continue its work to update the Volunteer Booklet.

#### **Additional New Business:**

- Nefarious emails have been circulated to some members of the congregation.
  - ◇ Pastor Kessinger wants all members of the congregation to know that she will never send emails requesting gift cards and/or money be sent to her.
  - ◇ Always click on the name of the sender of the email to see the real email address from where the message is coming.
  - ◇ A 2-factor authentication system for Directory is being looked into.
- Redeemer has been allotted an additional voting member for the Synod Assembly. Pastor Kessinger moved that Karen Miller become Redeemer's additional voting member. Meghan Kratz seconded the motion and it passed unanimously.

#### **Closing Prayer:**

Pastor Wullenweber offered a closing prayer.

#### **Adjournment:**

President Kennedy adjourned the meeting at 8:55 PM.

**Next meeting of Council:** April 10, 2023

**Next meeting of Executive Committee:** March 30, 2023





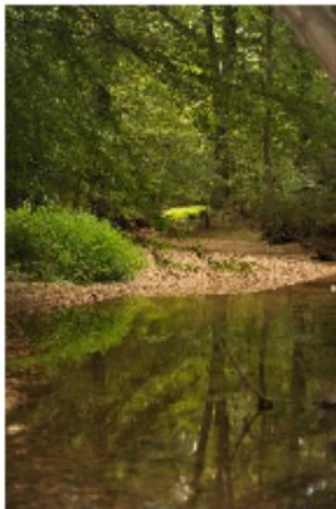
PLEASE JOIN **TYSONS INTERFAITH** for a

# **RAGLAN ROAD PARK TRASH CLEAN UP & INTERFAITH WALK**

**Sunday, April 30, 2023**

**Beginning at 2:00 pm**

Meet at the parking lot behind Best Buy 8449 Leesburg Park, Vienna, VA 22182



***Raglan Road Park is a hidden gem in the heart of Tysons.***

It is adjacent to the Old Courthouse Spring Branch Stream Valley Park

Please join us for an afternoon to beautify & explore the area known as  
"Tysons Last Forest."

**Please wear good walking shoes and bring your own gloves.**

Questions? Please email [info@tysonsinterfaith.org](mailto:info@tysonsinterfaith.org)



REDEEMER RENAISSANCE

APRIL 3-6  
MONDAY - THURSDAY

8:30 AM - 6 PM

# SPRING CAMP



BUILDING FRIENDSHIPS  
THROUGH PLAY, ART,  
SPORTS, STEM, & FUN



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\$80/day

[afterschool@redeemermclean.org](mailto:afterschool@redeemermclean.org)







# SUMMER CAMP 2023

## Rising K-6th Grade

Get ready for fun and learning! Summertime is for discovering, imagining, growing, laughing, and playing with friends! At camp, special performances, workshops, art, playing games and sports, STEM projects, and building friendships magically transform the lives of children. Please remember that space is limited. Questions? Please contact Linda McConaughay at 703-356-3346 ext. 106



To register visit our websites:

Preschoolers, ages 3 and 4

[rlpmclean.org](http://rlpmclean.org)

Rising kindergarteners through 6th grade

[afterschool.redeemermclean.org](http://afterschool.redeemermclean.org)







## April Birthdays - We Wish You a Happy Birthday!!!

- April 1** Nik Karnik, Vicki Myers, Steve Pelak
- April 2** Sean Angus, Anthony Jeffress, Cody Leonard, Kai Osifchin, Linda Ristig, Claire Roberts, Alexander Wu
- April 3** Audrey Grau, Julia Stanford, Ayo Toviho
- April 4** Lauren Frederick, Catherine Veum
- April 5** Stanley Carroll, Mary Crawford, Hannah Curtis, Tyler Honardoust, Amanda Rodriguez
- April 6** Shelley Brennan, Sara Huston, Andrew Curtis, Pia Herbolsheimer
- April 7** Suzanne Leaptrot, Ben Pribulka, Claire Pribulka, Amy Sevimli
- April 8** Susan Castillo
- April 9** Teresa Schellenger
- April 10** Miriam Howard, Mira Karnik, Jeffrey Schwartz
- April 11** Elizabeth Arnoult-Roberts, Brendon Dorgan, Monika Griffis, Meredith Lawler, Robert Mentzel, Steven Petersen, Madeleine Rubin
- April 12** Anna Broderdorf
- April 13** Emma Broderdorf, Mary Conway, Charlotte Roberts
- April 14** Susanne Gilbertson, Charlie Lindsay, Patrick Sivertsen, C.J. Tyeryar
- April 15** Delphine Engel, Steven Kutscher, Helen Pelak
- April 16** Mia Barb, Nate Beck, John Leonard
- April 17** Rian Klanderman, Julia Simpson
- April 18** Phil Demske, Ron Kutscher, Adam Reese, Ella Truslow
- April 19** Ella Barnes, Cate Lawler, Michael Michaud, Grace Posey
- April 20** Jake Holzapfel, John Zele
- April 21** Rod Angus, Bobby Barnes, Steve Koenig, Jake Torgrimson, Tyler True, Barbara Tyeryar
- April 22** Joan Durman, Jackie Stoll
- April 23** Russ Bruemmer, Isabella Peterson
- April 24** Jonathan Gorman, Palmer Holman, Jean-Marie Leonard, Nora Mueller
- April 25** Kate Zimmerman
- April 26** Katie Holzapfel, Danny Kostelancik, Cindy Waldron
- April 27** Robert Clarke, Tom Conway, Emma Dotterweich, Summer McCollough, Janelle Okorie, Terry Straub
- April 28** Lauryn Hahne, Liz Holzapfel, Reija Risseeuw, Clay Tyeryar
- April 29** Jamie Kanski
- April 30** Milo Koehli, Sharon Tsai