



REDEEMER LUTHERAN CHURCH & CHILD CARE

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WORSHIP SERVICE: 9:15 AM

SUNDAY SCHOOL and ADULT BIBLE CLASS: 10:30 AM

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SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

MAY 20, 2007

WELCOME! It is our pleasure to worship with you this morning here in God's house. It is our sincere desire that the Holy Spirit will deepen the faith of each one of us through God's holy Word and Sacrament. *Guests* are kindly asked to refer to the guidelines for Holy Communion printed on the Communion registration card and on the yellow placard in the pew rack. Please be sure to introduce yourself to those around you and to our Pastor(s) following the service.

A QUIET REMINDER – Worshipers are reminded that the “**quiet times**”...during the pre-service Prelude, the Offering, and Communion Distribution...are intended for personal meditation and prayer. **Please keep conversation to a minimum.** You are encouraged to make use of our beautiful Narthex for visiting. Thank you.

PRAY FOR

HUT-INS Herb Bohm, Gloria Carlson, Ruth Jansch, Bertha Sandhusen, Norma Spaw, and Shirley Youngberg.

HEALING: Members: Elma Cancellieri, Norman Grewe, Mark Horvath, Lessie Kirch, Brenda Kraft, Tom McGrath, David Perry, Irma Proehl, Katie Rudolph, and James Wonsey Sr.

Friends & Relatives: Jim Bergman, Esther Gaskill, Cheryl Harfst, Nathalie Kiedaisch, Mary Ann Leidy, Rev. David Maier, Cheri Petersen, and Marion Talley.

Military Personnel and Families

ALL GRADUATES

ALTAR GUILD: The lighting of the Paschal candle during the Easter season reminds us of Christ's victory over the darkness of sin and death.

The color for Easter season is **WHITE** – Symbolizing perfection, celebration and joy.

BIBLE CLASS – We will begin a 4 session DVD series “Christ or Caricature” with Dr. Paul Maier. Today's session is “Christianity in a Postmodern Culture”. Come join us at 10:30 A.M. in the sanctuary.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

PASTOR AND FAMILY WILL BE ON VACATION THIS WEEK (MON. THRU SAT). IF YOU HAVE AN EMERGENCY PLEASE CONTACT THE CHURCH OFFICE OR PASTOR REDMANN 941-627-6060.

FLOWERS are placed on the altar today in celebration of Shawn Richard's birthday by her family.

BAPTIZED TODAY: *Matthew Cameron Schick*, born August 16, 2005, to Katherine and Frederick Schick. Sponsors for Matthew are Bernie & Jackie King and Jack & Barbra King.

NEWSLETTER DEADLINE TODAY, at 12:00 NOON

TO DATE 74 boards have been "purchased" for the Habitat house that will be built in Port Charlotte this summer. Thank you to those who have so generously donated! The **deadline** has been **extended to May 31** for our church to "sell" 90 boards. Please take a look in the Narthex to see the creative work done by our Sunday school children in decorating the boards for the house! If you wish, feel free to write on the boards your words of encouragement and blessing for this home. If you would like to "purchase" a board, the **suggested donation is \$10**, with checks made payable to **Thrivent Builds**. Please give your donations to Carol Haupt or Michelle Ferrier. Thank you for continuing to support this project.

SCRIP orders are available to pick-up today! See Michelle Ferrier.

SERVING IN THE LORD'S HOUSE TODAY:

9:15 AM Elder on Duty: Glen Kraft

Elders: Glen Kraft and Tim Byrne

Ushers: Ron Beaber, Shirley Zatkalik, Patrick and Jackie Wall

Greeters: Olga Nagel, Dallas and Rusty Queck

Coffee Hour: Erv and Betty Maki

Altar Guild: Helen Sturzenbecker and Eleanor Jollay

PASTOR: Rev. Kenneth M. Ferrier

WINTER ASSISTANT PASTOR: Rev. Earl Schmidt

ORGANIST: Nancy Gunterman or Lanette Schmidt

SOLOIST: Henry Rudolph

**ORDER OF WORSHIP
DIVINE SERVICE II
+ = Congregation Rises**

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| Organ Prelude | |
| Call to Worship Bells | |
| Greetings and Announcements | |
| The Opening Hymn: | # 151 |
| The Invocation | p.158+ |
| The Sacrament of Holy Baptism | p.199+ |
| The Confession & Absolution | p.158+ |
| The Entrance Hymn | # 226 |
| The Salutation | p.164+ |
| The Collect of the day | W S + |
| The First Reading: | W S |
| The Epistle Reading: | W S |
| The Verse: “Alleluia, Lord” | p.164+ |
| The Holy Gospel:(with sung responses) | p.165+ |
| The Sermon Hymn: | # 179 |

MESSAGE by Pastor Schmidt:
“Lion Hearted”
Daniel 6

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| The Prayers | p.167+ |
| The Gathering of our Tithes and Offerings | |
| The Choral Offering:(solo) “ Christ Has Arisen, Alleluia ” from the new LSB Hymnal | |
| The Offertory (“Let the Vineyards...”) p.168+ | |
| Recognition of Graduates | |
| The Service of the Lord's Supper | p.170+ |
| Distribution Hymns: | # 250 & # 247 |
| The Post Communion Canticle: | p.173+ |
| “Thank the Lord & Sing his praise” | |
| The Benediction | p.174+ |
| The Closing Hymn: | # 287 |
| The Organ Benediction | |
| Postlude | |

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REDFISH BASEBALL is here in Charlotte County, and Redeemer is planning an outing to see the team play on Tuesday, June 19. All youth, high school age (including graduating seniors) and younger, are invited to attend as guests of the Board of Youth. You need to sign up with Michelle Ferrier, Carol Haupt, or Missey Williams so we know how many tickets to get. You are welcome to bring your friends as our guests. For all those planning to go, youth and adults, the evening starts out at **5:30 p.m.** with a meal of hot dogs, hamburgers, potato salad, baked beans, drinks and dessert at the Park. The cost is \$10/person. Tickets will be available in the narthex starting Sunday, June 3.

CHURCH SCHEDULE FOR MAY 21ST, THRU MAY 27TH

Pastor on Vacation Monday thru Saturday

- MONDAY:** Weight Watchers
- TUESDAY:** 11:30 AM Red Hat Lunch
7:00 PM AA Meeting
- WEDNESDAY:** 10:00 AM Outreach Meeting
- SUNDAY:** 9:15 AM Worship Service
10:30 AM Sunday School, Adult Bible Study and Sr. High Bible Study
Blood Pressure Testing
CONFIRMATION SUNDAY

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TERRY CURRY
SARAH FERRIER
CHARLES WAGENSEIL
JAMES WONSEY JR.

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About the Cover: Ever since Adam and Eve were driven out of the Garden of Eden because of their sin, the prayer of humanity has been “Hide not your face from me. Turn not your servant away in anger” (Psalm 27.9). In His Sermon on the Mount, Jesus promised: “Blessed are the pure in heart, for they shall see God” (Matthew 5:8). On the Last Day, the redeemed will see their Lord face-to-face.