



GOD WITH US

Our
Shepherd

December 9, 2018

WELCOME

Redeemed by Jesus Christ, motivated by the Holy Spirit, moved by God's grace as revealed in the Bible, we will invite all into faith in Jesus Christ, revitalize our grace-filled Lutheran tradition for today's culture, and make God the center of our personal and our communal life.

WEEKLY SERVICES & MEETINGS

SUNDAY SERVICE // 10:00AM

MONDAY

THURSDAY

TUESDAY

Al Anon // 7:30PM

WEDNESDAY

FRIDAY

Tai Chi // 9:30AM

AA // 8:00PM

Weight Watchers // 6:15PM

SATURDAY

AA // 1:30PM

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UPCOMING EVENTS

Sunday, Dec. 9
Advent 2 Our Shepherd
9:00am "God With Us"
Study
9:50am Advent Sing

Thursday, Dec. 13
12:00pm Senior Christmas Lunch

Saturday, Dec. 15
8:00am Men's Prayer
Breakfast

Sunday, Dec. 16
Advent 3 Our Living
Branch
9:00am "God With Us"
Study
9:50am Advent Sing
11:15am Christmas
Cookie Potluck



THANK YOU to all who contributed to the Salvation Army campaign. We collected \$1615.00 which has been forwarded on to them.

Anyone wishing a printed copy of their contributions to date should contact the church office 306-374-7585 or redemer.luth.stoon@sasktel.net. A reminder that the deadline for 2018 donations to Redeemer is **Sunday, Dec. 30** to receive credit on your 2018 charitable tax receipt.



**WELCOMING KIDS
OF ALL AGES TO
WORSHIP!**

☺ **LOOK FOR CHILDREN'S WORSHIP SPACE, BAGS AND ACTIVITY SHEETS AT THE TOP OF THE STAIRS.**

☺ **READER & PRE-READER WORSHIP BULLETINS ARE LOCATED ON THE CABINET AT THE TOP OF THE STAIRS.**

☺ **THERE IS ALSO A FAMILY ROOM WITH SPEAKERS AND WINDOWS TO USE AS NEEDED.**

Please keep the following members and friends of Redeemer Lutheran in your prayers this week:

For healing and on-going health concerns:

Twyla Bergstrom, Megan Gudmundson, Myrna Kydd, Jim Peever, Dick Trefiak

*For bereavement:
Family of Harry Zacharias*

Celebrating Advent means learning how to wait.... Not all can wait – certainly not those who are satisfied, contented, and feel that they live in the best of all possible worlds! Those who learn to wait are uneasy about their way of life, but yet have seen a vision of greatness in the world of the future and are patiently expecting its fulfillment. The celebration of Advent is possible only to those who are troubled in soul, who know themselves to be poor and imperfect, and who look forward to something greater to come. For these, it is enough to wait in humble fear until the Holy One himself comes down to us, God in the child in the manger.

~ Dietrich Bonhoeffer



Welcome to our Advent worship series, God With Us. In our worship for today we will remember that God is with us as our Shepherd, who carries us close to his heart.

Devotions corresponding with this series are available on the table at the bottom of the stairs. Please take one if you wish. You are also welcome to join our bible study from 9:00-9:45am where we will dig even deeper into the Sunday themes.



In the spirit of Christmas...O Come All Ye Faithful to Redeemer **OWLS** Christmas luncheon. Great food, games, crafts and entertainment by our very own Jack Beatty and Grace Buhler. If that's not enough, it's



FREE! Come and join the fun and fellowship during this Christmas season. **RSVP to Becky at the church office by Tuesday Dec 11. NEEDED** 796ml or 28oz tin cans. These can be dropped off at the church office before Dec. 11.



JOIN US NEXT SUNDAY, Dec. 16 following worship for a Cookie Potluck. We will gather in the Fireside Lounge for coffee, cookies and fellowship.

Redeemer will host a **SERVICE OF REMEMBRANCE AND HEALING** Thursday, Dec. 20 @ 7:30pm. Acknowledging that God is present with those who mourn and those who struggle, we will gather to share His peace and comfort with each other.



There will be **WEEKLY ADVENT SERVICES** at Resurrection Lutheran Church on Thursdays at 7 PM - November 29, December 6, 13, and 20.



GIFTS FROM THE HEART catalogues are now available in the Place of Welcome.



Please make note of the new times for our **Christmas Eve services: 5:00pm and 7:30pm** There will be no Christmas Day service at Redeemer. We encourage you to worship at one of these Lutheran churches in Saskatoon:

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| Augustana | 10:30am |
| Resurrection | 10:00am |
| Zion | 11:00am |