



OUR REDEEMER LUTHERAN CHURCH

LUTHERAN CHURCH—MISSOURI SYNOD

TO KNOW CHRIST AND TO MAKE HIM KNOWN

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**Please join us today for worship at 8AM and 10:30AM with breakfast, hosted by the youth group, between services!
There is no Sunday School or Adult Bible Study today.**

Thank you to Grace Biermann for playing violin in the services today.

NEXT SUNDAY'S EDUCATION HOUR

Adults are invited to join us as we discuss the book of Daniel. Come see how such an incredible book and events point us to Christ. We are currently discussing chapter 5.

Young Children: David, Israel's Greatest King is Also a Sinner

Middle School: Tenth Commandment

High School: Being Lutheran

Easter Breakfast

**SUNDAY
APRIL 5**

9 AM TO 10:15 AM

Menu:

Variety of Egg Bakes
Sausage Links
Breakfast Potatoes, Fruit
Pastries, Coffee, Juice, Milk

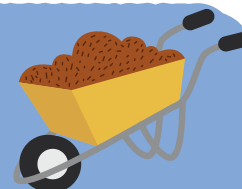


Suggested donation of \$7 per person

Funds raised will go toward the youth group trip to St. Louis for the Higher Things Conference

Thank you for supporting us and encouraging us to learn more about our faith!

Trail Life USA Fundraiser



Western RED CEDAR mulch for sale to support all troop functions.

\$8/bag (2 cu. ft.)

Delivery & spread options available.

Discounts for larger orders.

Ask the Lees or the Riecks to place your order today.

Midweek Activities

Wednesday | April 8

5PM

Church Family Meal

6PM

Catechesis Classes, Adult Bible Study, Youth Group

All are invited!

BIRTHDAYS

4/6 - Guy Herman

4/7 - Maren Maeschen

4/8 - Londyn Leonard

4/9 - Duane Hartmann

ANNIVERSARIES

4/11 - Jim & Margaret Wosje

4/12 - Al & Jan Schlueter

BAPTISMAL BIRTHDAYS

4/5 - Bob Graham

4/6 - Vivan Thorn

4/9 - Nathan Sandbulte

4/11 - Don Dobbs



Easter Flowers are Given to the Glory of God and in Memory of Our Loved Ones

*Arthur & Hilda Baltzer, Roy & Vera Konrad,
Leonard Bertsch, and Jeffery Auch
given by Dennis & Elaine Baltzer*

*Robert Berg Sr. & Mary Berg,
Harvey & Arlene Koehn
given by Bob & Pam Berg*

*Karen Biermann, Robert & Cathrine Steinmeyer
given by Micah & Grace Biermann*

*Robert & Mitzi Bittner
given by their daughters*

*Don Boetel
given by Lorna Boetel*

*Gordon Cink, Parents
given by Dorene Cink*

*Parents, Grandparents, Son, and Sister April
given by Jody & Angela Clark*

*Harvey & Deloris Boese and George & Ruth Clemens
given by Michael & Paula Clemens*

*Robert & Arlyss Peterson, Loren & Gladys Eden,
and Dennis Peterson
Bryan & Janet Eden*

*Violet Eden and Barbara Lemcke
given by Craig & Stephanie Eden*

*Pam Halverson, Bob & Ruth Trageser,
Dave East, and Fred Ewoldt
given by Barb Ewoldt*

*Blanche Gjoraas
given by Ron Gjoraas*

*Alton & Esther Haar, William Haar,
Tom & Laurie Haar, and Wells Pidde
given by Kathy Haar*

*Renee Michelle Heitman
given by Harlan & Joan Heitman*

*Marvin & Patricia Seachris
given by Guy & Pamela Herman*

*Richard & Mary Jastram,
Jeff Jastram, and Kay Olson
given by Steve & Vicki Jastram*

*Lucy Lea Leonard
given by Andrew & Jayne Leonard*

*Betty Buck and Philip Buttke
given by Terrence & Kelsey Maeschen*

*Wally & Marie Jacobson
given by the Miller Family*

*Jake & Ann Mohr, Lloyd & Beverly Zinnel,
and David Zinnel
given by Robert & Debra Mohr*

*Wendell & Betty Morfitt and
Robert & Eldora Krusmark
given by Rev. David & Karen Morfitt*

*Cal Neumeister
given by Donna Neumeister*

*Jay Jacobson & April Jo Gustafson
given by Christian & Jody Rieck*

*Lawrence Ryken and Leslie & Luetta Dau
given by Duane & Marcia Ryken*

*Oliver & Inez Shane, Max & Edith Bonin,
Gustav & Tena Borkenhagen,
August & Anna Wiederhoeft, Howard & Ethel Shane,
Clarence & Erna Borkenhagen, and Lynnette Swenson
given by Rev. Howard & Jane Shane*

*Jerry Smith
given by Kathy Smith*

*Clarence Strampe
given by Sharon Strampe*

*Larry Weissenburger
given by Sandra Weissenburger*

Flowers may be taken home after the 10:30AM service



SIoux FALLS LUTHERAN SCHOOL

World Ready. Faith Secure.

- **Save the Date for the 16th Annual Dr. Vaughn & JoAnn Meyer Memorial Golf Tournament!** Mark your calendar and plan to join us at 8:00am on Monday, August 3, at Bakker Crossing Championship Golf Course for a Mardi Gras themed event. All proceeds will support our activities and athletics fund. Stay tuned in the weeks ahead to register your team!
- **Is your child ready for kindergarten?** At SFLS, students are nurtured in a Christ-centered environment with strong academics, enriching extracurriculars, and lifelong skills developed through PeaceWise and small-group violin instruction. Discover the difference—schedule a visit:
www.siouxfallslutheran.com/admissions/visit-us.
- **Join Our Team:** We're hiring a junior high track & field coach for spring 2026 and a Middle & High School Science Teacher (Physics emphasis), Orchestra Teacher, and head varsity volleyball coach for the 2026-27 school year. Learn more and apply:
www.siouxfallslutheran.com/careers.



PARISH NURSE

Keep God in view. When we're stressed, it's easy to lose sight of our faith. When that happens, we feel overwhelmed and forget that God has everything under control. Rather than try to deal with our stress apart from God and His word, we can seek the Lord and find strength to sustain us in difficult times. Life is stressful! But we can prevent ourselves from being overcome by excessive stress by looking to God, remembering His word, and counting on His grace to carry us through.

Excerpt from Christopher M. Kennedy, Grace Under Pressure: Responding Faithfully to Stress (Concordia Publishing House, 2022)

More! Can we do more? Should we do more? Would you be interested in doing more as a church or individual?

Our current staff and many volunteers are at or near "max capacity." We can likely maintain our current efforts, but see potential for more WITH the support of the congregation. Please talk to an Elder or Council member if there is more you would like to see ORLC do!

Medical Mission Trip Fundraiser

Pizza Ranch
2717 W 41st St
Wednesday, April 29
5PM - 8PM

Spring Cleaning at Our Redeemer

April 25 • 9 AM-12 PM
Lunch will follow



Sign up to help!

CANARIES GAME - JUNE 14, 4 PM

\$14 PER TICKET



—UPCOMING AT OUR REDEEMER—

Sun 4/5	Easter Festival Worship <i>Crucifer: Elijah Simek</i> <i>Acolyte: Joel Simek</i> Easter Breakfast Easter Festival Worship <i>Crucifer: Jacob Rieck</i> <i>Acolyte: Lucas Birger</i> Oromo Group	8 AM 9 AM 10:30 AM 1 PM	Sun 4/12	Communion Worship <i>Acolytes: James & Lydia Lafrentz</i> Sunday School & Adult Bible Study Communion Worship <i>Acolyte: Elliott Leonard</i> Oromo Group	8 AM 9:15 AM 10:30 AM 1 PM
Mon 4/6	Church Office Closed Weigh-2-Go Guys' Garage Trail Life Committee Meeting	9:30 AM 6 PM 6:30 PM	Mon 4/13	Weigh-2-Go S.A.I.L. Class Trail Life	9:30 AM 1:30 PM 6:30PM
Tues 4/7	Pastor Simek - Out of the Office Parish Nurse Hours Senior Saints Bible Study Elders' Meeting Handbell Choir Rehearsal	10 AM - 1 PM 1 PM 5:30 PM 6:45 PM	Tues 4/14	Parish Nurse Hours Staff Meeting Evening LWML Handbell Choir Rehearsal	10 AM - 1 PM 10 AM 6:30PM 6:45 PM
Wed 4/8	Church Family Meal Catechesis Classes, Adult Bible Study, and Youth Group	5 PM 6 PM	Wed 4/15	Church Family Meal Catechesis Classes, Adult Bible Study, and Youth Group	5 PM 6 PM
Thurs 4/9	TOPS Group Senior Brunch at Perkins S.A.I.L. Class	9 AM 9:30AM 1:30 PM	Thurs 4/16	TOPS Group S.A.I.L. Class Adult Information Class Women's Bible Study	9 AM 1:30 PM 6PM 6:30PM
Fri 4/10	Pastor Simek's Personal Day Kids 4 Christ	5:45PM	Fri 4/17	Pastor Simek's Personal Day	
Sat 4/11	<i>Lower Level in Use</i>		Sat 4/18	<i>No Events</i>	

IN OUR PRAYERS

Dorene Cink

Harlan Fauth

Mike Gabel

Duane Genzlinger

Duane Hartmann

Don Hennies

Ella May Kelly

Louise Lafrentz

Carole Lang

Mary Muchow

George Sagissor

Larry Sroufe

James Streyle

Julie Suter

Rhoda Thomas

Jeanne Toay

Kendra Voss

Mary Warns

Jim Wosje

Nicole, Aunt of Ashley Consoer

Brian, Mavis Fritz's Grandson

Chuck, Family Member of Ed & Jean Harmdierks

Mark, Brother-in-Law of Jean Harmdierks

Bernice, Mother of Nathan Sandbulte

Cora and Auralia, Granddaughters of David Wacker

Jim Wegehaupt, Former Member

Barb, Sandra Weissenburger's Sister-in-Law

Families and Friends of:

- **Richard Lochmann, Son-in-Law of Mavis Fritz and Brother-in-Law of Margaret Wosje**