

Redeemer Events at a Glance

For a complete listing of all events, check out Redeemer's calendar on the Web: www.redeemerconnect.com.
On our Home Page, click on the "Calendar" tab to the far right.

Sunday, October 4	Education Hour Baptism Class RsM Show Rehearsal	9:30 a.m. 12:30 p.m. 6:30 p.m.
Monday, October 5	LWR GriefShare Support Group	6:30 p.m. 7:00 p.m.
Tuesday, October 6	Seniority Quarterly Meeting Boy Scout Troup #119 RsM Show Rehearsal Tae Kwon Do Deacon's Meeting	9:30 a.m. & 7:00 p.m. 6:00 p.m. 6:30 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:15 p.m.
Wednesday, October 7	RsM & Children's Choir Dinner RsM Night (ARMOR, Hearts Afire, 242) Children's Choirs Redeemer Choir Rehearsal	5:30 p.m. 6:00 p.m. 6:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.
Thursday, October 8	LifeLight Bible Study Stephen Ministry Meeting RsM Show Rehearsal DivorceCare Support Group Praise Band Rehearsal Recovery Small Group	9:15 a.m. 5:30 p.m. 6:30 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.
Friday, October 9	Men's Ministry Bible Study Women of the Word	6:30 a.m. 9:30 a.m.
Saturday, October 10	REJOICE! Band Rehearsal REJOICE! Saturday Night Service PEAK Children's Ministry	3:30 p.m. 5:00 p.m. 5:00 p.m.
Sunday, October 11	Classic Praise Worship High School Choir Rehearsal Middle School Choir Rehearsal Living Praise Worship Education Hour Living Praise Worship RsM Show Rehearsal Lutheran Men of Song	8:00 a.m. 8:55 a.m. 8:55 a.m. 9:30 a.m. 9:30 a.m. 11:00 a.m. 1:00 p.m. 6:30 p.m.

Small Group Members: Check with your group leaders concerning meeting times.

*RLECC = Redeemer Lutheran Early Childhood Center

Opportunities for Spiritual Growth

Children & Students

Saturday PEAK for kids

PEAK is a place where kids enjoy learning about God through creative Bible studies, puppet dramas, activities and new friendships. Parents can check in their children (pre-k to fifth grade) at the booth next to the Welcome Center in the Lower Atrium. Children depart for PEAK after the children's message. PEAK pickup is 6:10 p.m. and check-out is at the classroom.

Sunday School (preschool to 5th grade 9:30-10:40 a.m.)

Preschool through kindergarten classes are located on the lower level and can be checked in at the Kids for Christ booth in the Lower Atrium. First through fourth grade classes meet on the upper level and can be checked in at the Kids for Christ booth in the Upper Atrium. Preteens in grade five go directly to the Preteen Room (Rm. 110). Visit our Welcome Center for assistance.

Redeemer Student Ministry (RsM) (sixth to 12th grades)

On Sundays, we offer sixth through 12th-graders a relevant Bible study from 9:30 to 10:40 a.m. in our Student Center rooms on the lower level. Sixth grade students have their own ministry in Rm. SC-1. Seventh through 12th grades are located in Rms. SC-2 & 3.

Adult Education

Sunday Adult Ed classes

Join us today for an adult education class. We meet in Fellowship Hall at 9:30 a.m. Childcare is available.

- **Faith & Doubt (Ends October 4):** Led by Gerry Harrow. Examination of faith and doubt, digging into scripture and discovering what that looks like in everyday life.
- **The End Times (a.k.a. Hermeneutic Considerations on Eschatology) (Ends October 4):** Led by Scott Coerber. How to interpret prophetic teachings from Joel, Daniel, Amos, John, etc., and decipher End Time theology.
- **Seven Churches (Ends October 4):** Led by Larry Wallace. This class will explore the seven letters from Jesus to the churches of Asia Minor in the book of Revelation.

Today's Worship

Current Sermon Series: 8 Questions God Can't Answer

A Question of Fear, Mark 4:35-41

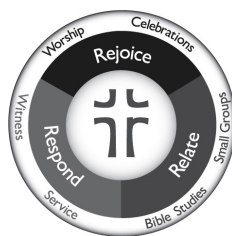
October 4, 2009

Traditional Worship - 8:00 a.m.

- Call to Worship
- Entrance Hymn: Sing With All the Saints in Glory
- Prayer of Confession
- Words of Forgiveness & Grace
- Song of Praise: God of All
- Prayer of the Day
- First Reading: Romans 8:35-39
- Special Music: God Is Our Refuge (Pote)
- Gospel Reading: Mark 4:35-41
- Children's Message
- Message: "A Question of Fear"
- Hymn of the Day: #411 How Firm a Foundation
- Apostles' Creed
- Prayers of the Church
- Offerings & Offering Prayer
- Invitation to the Lord's Supper
- Lord's Prayer
- Words of Institution
- Sharing of the Peace
- Distribution of Communion
- Communion Hymns:
 - #510 Be Still, My Soul
 - #408 I Am Trusting You, Lord Jesus
 - #512 Lord, Take My Hand and Lead Me
- Dismissal & Prayer of Thanksgiving
- Blessing
- Closing Hymn: #368 My Hope Is Built

Contemporary Worship - 9:30 & 11:00 a.m.

- Gathering Song: Let the Praises Ring
- Prayer of Confession
- Words of Forgiveness and Grace
- Song of Praise: Mighty to Save
- Prayer of the Day
- First Reading: Romans 8:35-39
- Special Music: God's Love Never Changes
- Gospel Reading: Mark 4:35-41
- Children's Message
- Message: "A Question of Fear"
- Song of the Day: He Will Come and Save You
- Apostles' Creed
- Baptism of Penny C. Regan (11:00)
- Baptism Song: Today You Wear the Crown (11:00)
- Prayers of the Church
- Offerings
- Special Music: I Will Trust in You
- Offering Prayer
- Invitation to the Lord's Supper
- Lord's Prayer
- Words of Institution
- Sharing of the Peace
- Distribution of Communion
- Communion Songs:
 - This is Our God
 - Still
 - You Shine
- Dismissal & Prayer of Thanksgiving
- Blessing
- Closing Song: Forever



The Three R's of Redeemer

Rejoice: We gather in worship and celebration to rejoice in God's grace and experience renewal through Word and Sacrament.

Relate: We grow in our relationship with God and others through small groups and Bible studies.

Respond: We respond to God's love through our service and witness in the church, community and world.

FEAR



1

What Do You Want?

2

Why Are You So Afraid?

3

Do You Want To Get Well?

4

What Is Your Name?

5

Do You See This Woman?

6

How Many Leaves Do You Have?

7

Will You Give Me a Drink?

8

Do You Truly Love Me?

Welcome to Redeemer!



We are glad that you are here today. Please complete the Communication Card located in the pew holder and place it in the offering basket later in the service. If you are a guest, please come to the Welcome Center for information about Redeemer and a special gift. Please worship with us again soon!

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Preparing for Worship

As We Gather - As we continue to examine the questions that Jesus asked, in Mark 4:35-41 we see him still a storm and then ask his followers, "Why are you so afraid?" Fears are a part of our everyday life. Fears can be very real. We'll examine our various fears as we seek to answer Jesus' question.

The Lord's Supper - Redeemer celebrates the Lord's Supper with the belief that this sacred meal is a gift of Christ to his church. First Corinthians 11, states: "Examine yourselves, and only then eat of the bread and drink of the cup. For all who eat and drink without discerning the body, eat and drink judgment upon themselves." We request that those who commune here:

- Are baptized Christians.
- Have received special training on the significance of the Lord's Supper.
- Realize they are sinful and in need of God's grace.
- Believe that Jesus Christ is their personal Savior.
- Believe that with the bread and wine they receive Christ's true body and blood for the forgiveness of their sins.
- Intend from this time forward to amend their sinful lives.

Non-communicating children may come forward for a blessing. They should fold their hands across their chest. Gluten-free wafers and non-alcoholic white wine are available. If you have questions, please contact a pastor.

Sermons Online

Available online at www.redeemerconnect.com. Click the "Listen Online" icon.

Nursery & Cry Room

Children are a vital part of Redeemer's ministry. We have a nursery staffed with caring individuals for children three years of age and younger. We offer nursery care on our main level on Sundays and lower level on Saturdays. Please see an usher to be directed to the proper room. We also have a cry room located in the back of the Worship Center and the Life Center with audio service. Children's worship bulletins and crayons are available from the usher stations, located near the entrance doors.

Prayers of the Church

Prayer requests to be included in our worship service may be added to our Prayer Request Sheet, which is located at the Welcome Center in the Commons (Sundays) or Lower Atrium (Saturdays).

Individual Prayer

Following worship, our deacons serve as prayer partners to pray with you individually for any need you have. They are stationed outside our worship areas, wearing red badges. For Sunday assistance, please contact deacon leads: **Craig Lange** at 225-0152 (8 a.m.); **Jim Dunlap** at 377-0030 (9:30 a.m.); or **Karen Boehler** at 482-8974 (11 a.m.). For Saturdays, contact **Richard Hoff** at 353-8452.

Medical Response Team

Provides appropriate triage and care for worshippers experiencing a medical problem. Men and women are licensed health care professionals with current CPR certification. For immediate assistance, alert an usher who will locate one of our medical response team members. Contact: **Deb Barnett** at 587-2448 or dbarnett@coloradoguidelines.org.

Serving in Worship

Worship Leader: Matt Blackford, Associate Pastor

Preacher: Tim Runtsch, Senior Pastor

Worship & Music: Don Damborg, Director; Beth Helmers, Assistant; Phil Barnett, Director of Choirs

Special Music: (8:00) The Redeemer Choir; Wes Hunget & Larry Currey, trumpet; Rebecca Hunget, oboe; Jean Currey, violin; (11:00) Redeemer Youth Choir, Jen Loucks, accompanist

Children's Sermon: Matt Blackford, Associate Pastor

Readers: Barbara McCarthy (8:00) Denny Tripcony (9:30) Brian Lessman (11:00)

Communion Assistants: Dottie Nazareus, Jerry Simpson (8:00) Ron Lautzenheiser, Jeff Hardy, Kay Holter, Craig Novak (9:30) Karen Boehler, Mary Carlson, Randy Fitzgerald, Kathy O'Connell (11:00)

Altar Flowers: Given today by Don & Kayleen Fraley in celebration of Denna's 13th birthday and Ben's 11th birthday. And given by Denny & Judy Woods in celebration of our son, Scott's wedding today to Kim Guittar in Evergreen, CO.

REJOICE

October Baptism Class

If you registered for our October baptism class, we'll see you today at 12:30 p.m. in Fellowship Hall.

Sing for Joy! Children's Choirs

All kids in preschool through fifth grade are welcome in one of our three children's choirs. Rehearsals are at 6 p.m. Wednesdays. Join us! (A simple meal is available for purchase at 5:30 p.m.) Questions? Contact: **Phil Barnett** at phil@redeemerconnect.com or 225-9020.

Join the new Women's Choir

Our new Redeemer Women's Choir will sing on Sunday, November 8. Rehearsal times will be announced soon. If interested, please contact **Pam Busboom** at pqbusboom@hotmail.com.

Praising the Lord...Men of Hymn

Men, note that we will sing on Sunday, November 15. Rehearsal times will be announced soon! All men, high school age and up, are welcome.

RELATE

Tune up your marriage this October

Put that "vroom" back in your marriage at Redeemer's Marriage Weekend Retreat on Friday, October 23 (6:30 to 9:30 p.m.) and Saturday, October 24 (8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m.) at Redeemer. Featured speakers are Mike and Kari MacKenzie, a compassionate couple who have a heart for Christ and ministering to people's relational needs. See our Web site for more information. Cost: \$40 per couple. Register at our Web site by clicking the "Register for Events" icon (deadline is 10/18). Or, sign up in the Lower Atrium or Commons at the Relate booth. *And for those couples who really want to get away from it all, the new Loveland Embassy Suites is offering Redeemer couples a special Friday night package of \$99. See our Web site for details. Register by calling 1-800-Embassy and reference Marriage Encounter Redeemer Lutheran Church.* Contact: **Shirley Henkel** at 593-0394.

NEW! Sunday Adult Ed classes

Join us for Sunday Morning Adult Education classes at 9:30 a.m. in Fellowship Hall. Childcare is provided. Today's classes are listed on back of this bulletin. See our Web site for new & current class descriptions. *New classes begin October 11:*

- **Paul: The Great Communicator:** What if you could enlist the Apostle Paul to help you connect people to Jesus? Join "Beyond Information to Transformation: How Paul Did It" and learn Paul's secret. Led by Sam Butler.
- **The Rest of the Revelation:** Come and discuss with Scott Coerber the vision given to the Apostle John in the book of Revelation. You'll discover the victory Jesus has won and the work he is doing today.
- **Abraham—holding to the promises of a faithful God:** To Abraham only God's Word mattered and he used that Word of promise and grace to face huge challenges. Join our Bible class and see how your theology matters in times of doubt, loss and finding certainty of life eternal. Led by Pastor Frank Winter.

Weight loss group sign-up underway

A Christ-centered weight-control program whose goal is for participants to find balance in their

spiritual, mental, emotional, and physical areas of their lives. Mandatory orientation is Tuesday, October 6 from noon to 1:30 p.m. in the Fireside Room. Begins Tuesday, October 27. Register by contacting **Kathy Henkenius** at 282-3715 or phkomets@msn.com or visit her in the Commons this Sunday near the elevator.

Get important documents in order

You are invited to a seminar to help you get important documents created and organized for yourself and for those you love. It takes place Tuesday, October 6 at 9:30 a.m. OR 7 p.m. at Redeemer in the Fellowship Hall. It's led by Phil Wilger of Senior Ministries. This seminar is designed to help you think about what information you need to provide for your loved ones. It's for anyone over 18! Are you a parent? – you need to come. Do you have parents? – they need to come!

Rev up for winter driving

The Redeemer Rodders small group will offer a free coolant, tires, blades, window wash, battery and alternator checks for those people who sign up (limit 35 cars). Takes place from 9 a.m. to noon Saturday, October 10 at Redeemer. Don't be caught when the snow starts to fly! Sign up by contacting **Gary Beckmann** 663-7214 e-mail becko101@aol.com.

Running group begins October 10

Lace up your running shoes and join Mark Nortarfrancesco at Redeemer beginning Saturday, October 10 at 7 a.m. Other group fitness classes are now available on our Web site under Sports Ministry. Come to a class or enjoy open gym nights in our new Life Center.

Break out!

Sometimes it's comfortable to do things the same old way. But sometimes it's good to try something new. Stephen Ministers will tell you what a joyous privilege it is to share Christ's love with others. To learn if Stephen Ministry is the ministry for you, attend an informational class Sunday, October 18 from 12:30 to 2 p.m. RSVP: **Vicki Matteson** at 222-0888.

Children and the grieving process

Children and teens experience and deal with grief differently. As a relative, teacher or friend you play an important role in the healing process. On Thursday, October 8 from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m., at Redeemer, Stephen Ministry will host Dr. Jennifer Aberle, PhD, psychotherapist, who will speak on "Children and Grief: How to Talk with Kids about Death and Support Their Grief When a Loved One Dies." Includes guidelines for coping and needs of a grieving child or teen based on developmental level. RSVP to **Vicki Matteson** vmatteso@colostate.edu or 222-0888.

Discover your child's love language

Redeemer Early Childhood Center is pleased to provide a 10-week parent education seminar based on the book "The Five Love Languages of Children," by Dr. Gary Chapman and Dr. Ross Campbell. The seminar presenter, Frank Johnson, MSFL—pCFL earned his master's in Family Life and conducts seminars and provides education on parenting and marriage relations. Join us and discover how to make certain your child feels loved. Seminar begins November 3, and you can choose a morning or afternoon class on Tuesday or Wednesday. Register on the Redeemer Web site by clicking on the "Register for Events" icon. Questions? Contact **Frank Johnson** at frank.johnson@cune.org or 227-9102.

What's shakin' during R&R?

On Wednesday, October 21, the R&R (Redeemed & Retired) group will tour the U.S. Geological Survey's National Earthquake Information Center (NEIC) in Golden, Colo. It's located on the Colorado School of Mines campus, and its geologic teams work in the areas earthquakes, flash floods and landslides, to name a few disciplines. Lunch will take place at Johnson's Corner on I-25. Want to carpool? Contact: **Sally Beebe** at 461-1849 or saljbb@q.com.

RESPOND

Suitcase drive for Crossroads

Starting this weekend, Redeemer will collect suitcases for Crossroads Safehouse. Many children and adults who go through the Safehouse process have nothing to hold their few meager belongings. Suitcases may be dropped off in the Lower Atrium coffee shop until October 11. (Suitcases and zippers must be in good working order.)

Keeping kids warm 'n' read

Redeemer's winter gear and book drive for Irish Elementary starts this weekend. We need gently used jackets, hats, gloves, scarves, mittens, boots, sledding and ski pants, ranging in sizes—children small to youth large. Books should also be gently used and geared to elementary school children. Your donations will help kids during our cold Colorado winter and provide them with books to grow and learn. All items may be dropped off in the Lower Atrium coffee shop until October 11.

Free samples today for 'Apples For Kids' preschool fundraiser

Enjoy fresh, crisp apples by the box and apple cider from Red Mountain Ranches in Cedaredge, Colo. Look for the apple display this weekend to sample the delicious varieties. For information and to place orders go to the Redeemer Web site and look for 'Apple Fundraiser' under the Early Childhood tab. Deadline is Tuesday, October 13, by 5 p.m. Pick-up date is Saturday, Oct. 17, from 9-11 a.m. in front of Boltz Jr. High in Fort Collins. Questions? Contact **Kirstan Morris** at kirstanmorriss@gmail.com or call 282-3554. Thank-you for your continued support of the preschool program.

Find your passion in life

Register now for the Fort Collins Finishers Forum to help you connect to mission organizations and find assignments in short or long-term missions in the United States or abroad. It's October 9-10 at Faith Evangelical Free Church in Fort Collins. For info or to register, go to www.finishers.org. Questions? Contact **Todd Gibson** at toddgibsonnow@msn.com or 377-9997 or visit with him in the Commons this Sunday.

Respond to God's love

Looking for a simple way to serve at church? Here are some places we need a helping hand:

- Saturday Atrium guides & chair set up
- Saturday baristas
- Sunday coffee host

Contact **Colleen Finnman** at 231-2574 or colleen@redeemerconnect.com.

You can be a small group leader...

by sharing your love for Jesus in a fun, small group setting just two Saturday's a month during PEAK children's ministry. Just contact **Missy**

Salzer at missy@redeemerconnect.com to sign-up for this wonderful opportunity.

Got a Guitar and want to sing?

Interested in performing the opening music two times a month on Saturday evenings for the first 15 minutes of PEAK? Contact **Missy Salzer** at missy@redeemerconnect.com.

Fun projects for Kids for Christ

Children's Ministry is looking for someone to lead projects that will allow our children to share the love of Jesus to those who are less fortunate. Some of the projects done in the past are blankets to needy children and Valentine cards to the service men & women of our congregation. If this is something that interests you and that you can expand upon, or if you have questions, please contact **Wendy Gorman** at wendy@redeemerconnect.com.

KIDS FOR CHRIST (PRE-K - 5 GRD)

Check us out!

Kids for Christ is currently focusing on how God's love makes such a difference in our lives by studying "Elisha Shows God's Love." If you have children in Preschool 3 through the fifth grade who aren't attending Sunday School or PEAK, then come check us out!

Time to make the blankets

Kids for Christ will make blankets in November for those in need at Lutheran Family Services and Crossroads Safehouse. If you are able to assist on Sunday, November 1 during the 9:30 a.m. Sunday School hour and help children make these blankets, please contact **Wendy Gorman** at wendy@redeemerconnect.com.

RSM (Middle ≈ High School ≈ College)

'A little bit of Night Music'

Mark your calendars for a relaxing, fun night of entertainment. November 6 & 7 the youth will be putting on another awesome performance. Tickets go on sale soon.

RsM Night on Wednesdays (6-12)

All sixth through 12th-graders are invited to join us on Wednesdays from 6-8 p.m. ARMOR for 6th -graders, Hearts Afire for 7th & 8th-graders and 242 for high school. Dinner at 5:30 p.m., \$4 per person and \$14 per family.

Deadline approaches for mission trip

The deadline for commitment and deposit for middle school and high school trips is October 7! If you missed the Summer Mission Trip meeting, find the information on the Redeemer Web site at the bottom of our "Resource" section. Questions? Contact **Melissa Blank** at melissa@redeemerconnect.com or 225-9020.

Senior high news on colleges

In search of colleges? There is a college fair at Bethany Lutheran Church on Sunday, October 4 from 7:30-9 p.m. For more information you can visit www.lutherancolleges.org/events. Check out the poster hanging in the Student Center!!

Welcome college students

Welcome to your home away from home! We currently offer small group ministry on Tuesday nights and quarterly large group events! Please contact **Peter Melander** at csuram2006@gmail.com with questions or to be placed on our College Ministry list.