

REDEMPTION LUTHERAN CHURCH

Christian Education Sunday

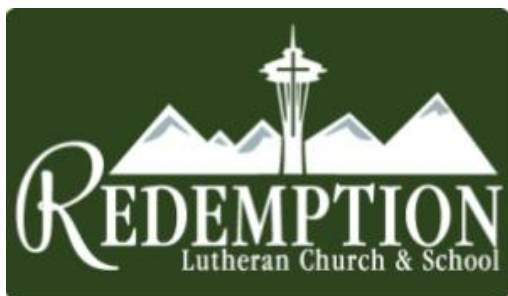


Train children in
THE RIGHT WAY,
and when old, they
WILL NOT STRAY.

Proverbs 22:6, NRSV

WELCOME To all of you who are visiting our service this morning, we extend a most cordial welcome in Jesus' name. It is our hope that you will feel at home in our midst and will be blessed by our message of Christ crucified and risen for the sins of the world.

If you are looking for a church home or would like to know more about our beliefs and practices, please see the pastor. He will be glad to visit with you at your convenience. Be sure to join us again.



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Pre-Service Meditation:

John 6:68 ⁶⁸ But Simon Peter answered Him, "Lord, to whom shall we go? You have the words of eternal life.

Prayer: Dear Heavenly Father, You have graciously given us the words of eternal life through Your Son, our Lord, Jesus Christ. This Word made flesh has given us the power to become Your children both now and hereafter into eternity. Never let us seek anyone besides You, but forever be our inheritance as You were for the tribe of Levi. Draw us closer to You so that we might bring You close to those who need Your grace. Through Jesus Christ our Lord and Savior, who lives and reigns with the You and the Holy Spirit, One God now and forever, world without end. Amen.

Service of the Word

Opening Hymn

TLH 540 With the Lord Begin Thy Task

P: We gather to worship in the name of God the Father, God the Son, and God the Holy Spirit

Matt. 28:19

C: Amen.

P: One thing I ask from the LORD. This is what I seek:

Ps 27:4

C: that I live in the house of the LORD all the days of my life,

P: to gaze on the beauty of the LORD,

C: and to seek Him in His temple.

P: I rejoiced with those who said to me,

Ps 122:1

C: “Let us go to the house of the LORD.”

P: Yes, one day in Your courts is better than a thousand elsewhere.

C: I would rather wait at the doorway of the house of my God than dwell in the tents of the wicked.

Ps. 84:10

P: For the LORD is a sun and shield.

Ps 84:11a

C: God gives grace and glory.

P: How blessed are those who live in Your house.

Ps 84:4

C: They are always praising You.

P: From the rising of the sun to its setting,

Ps 113:3

C: the name of the LORD is to be praised.

P: We come to this holy God with the confession of our sins and ready to receive His forgiveness in Christ Jesus.

C: Most merciful God, we confess that we are by nature sinful and unclean. We have sinned against You in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We justly deserve Your present and eternal punishment. For the sake of Your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in Your will and walk in Your ways to the glory of Your holy name. Amen.

Ps. 51:5

Matt 22:37-39

Ps 119:32

[P]: In the mercy of almighty God, Jesus Christ was given to die for us, and for His sake God forgives us all our sins. To those who believe in Jesus Christ He gives the power to become children of God and bestows on them the Holy Spirit. May the Lord, who has begun this good work in us, bring it to completion in the day of our Lord Jesus Christ.

1 John 2:1-2

John 1:12

Phil 1:6

Hymn of Response:

TLH 39 Praise to the Lord

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty the King of creation!
O my soul, praise Him, for He is thy Health and Salvation-
Join the full throng;
Wake, harp and psalter and song;
South forth in glad adoration!

Praise to the Lord, who o'er all things so wondrously reigneth,
Who, as on wings of an eagle, uplifteth, sustaineth
Hast thou not seen
How thy desires all have been
Granted in what He ordaineth?

Salutation and Collect of the Day

[P] The Lord be with you.

[C] And also with you.

[P] Let us pray. . . Blessed Lord, who has caused all Holy Scripture to be written for our learning, grant that we may in such wisdom hear them, read, mark, learn, and inwardly digest them, that by patience and comfort of Your Holy Word we may embrace, and ever hold fast the blessed hope of everlasting life, which You have given in our Savior Jesus Christ, who lives and rules with You and the Holy Spirit, one God forever.

[C] Amen.

First Reading:

Deuteronomy 6:1-9

¹ Now this is the commandment-- the statutes and the rules-- that the LORD your God commanded me to teach you, that you may do them in the land to which you are going over, to possess it, ² that you may fear the LORD your God, you and your son and your son's son, by keeping all his statutes and his commandments, which I

command you, all the days of your life, and that your days may be long. ³ Hear therefore, O Israel, and be careful to do them, that it may go well with you, and that you may multiply greatly, as the LORD, the God of your fathers, has promised you, in a land flowing with milk and honey. ⁴ "Hear, O Israel: The LORD our God, the LORD is one. ⁵ You shall love the LORD your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your might. ⁶ And these words that I command you today shall be on your heart. ⁷ You shall teach them diligently to your children, and shall talk of them when you sit in your house, and when you walk by the way, and when you lie down, and when you rise. ⁸ You shall bind them as a sign on your hand, and they shall be as frontlets between your eyes. ⁹ You shall write them on the doorposts of your house and on your gates.

Psalm of the Day

Psalm 1 [Selected Verses]

P Blessed is the man who walks not in the counsel of the wicked, nor stands in the way of sinners, nor sits in the seat of scoffers;

C but his delight is in the Law of the LORD, and on His Law he meditates day and night.

P He is like a tree planted by streams of water that yields its fruit in its season, and its leaf does not wither.

C In all that he does, he prospers.

P The wicked are not so, but are like chaff that the wind drives away.

C Therefore the wicked will not stand in the judgment, nor sinners in the congregation of the righteous;

P for the LORD knows the way of the righteous,

C but the way of the wicked will perish.

Second Reading

2 Timothy 3:10-17

¹⁰ You, however, have followed my teaching, my conduct, my aim in life, my faith, my patience, my love, my steadfastness, ¹¹ my persecutions and sufferings that happened to me at Antioch, at Iconium, and at Lystra-- which persecutions I endured; yet from

them all the Lord rescued me. ¹² Indeed, all who desire to live a godly life in Christ Jesus will be persecuted, ¹³ while evil people and impostors will go on from bad to worse, deceiving and being deceived. ¹⁴ But as for you, continue in what you have learned and have firmly believed, knowing from whom you learned it ¹⁵ and how from childhood you have been acquainted with the sacred writings, which are able to make you wise for salvation through faith in Christ Jesus. ¹⁶ All Scripture is breathed out by God and profitable for teaching, for reproof, for correction, and for training in righteousness, ¹⁷ that the man of God may be complete, equipped for every good work.

Third Reading

John 6:65-69 NKJV

⁶⁵ And He said, "Therefore I have said to you that no one can come to Me unless it has been granted to him by My Father." ⁶⁶ From that *time* many of His disciples went back and walked with Him no more. ⁶⁷ Then Jesus said to the twelve, "Do you also want to go away?" ⁶⁸ But Simon Peter answered Him, "Lord, to whom shall we go? You have the words of eternal life. ⁶⁹ "Also we have come to believe and know that You are the Christ, the Son of the living God."

Confession of Faith:

Apostles Creed

**☩ I believe in God, the Father Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth.**

**And in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord,
Who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was
buried. He descended into hell. The third day He rose again from
the dead. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right
hand of God the Father Almighty. From there He will come to
judge the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Christian Church, the
communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of
the body, and the life ✠ everlasting. Amen.**

Hymn:

TLH 629 Let Children Hear the Mighty Deeds

³³ But to the tribe of Levi Moses gave no inheritance; the LORD God of Israel is their inheritance, just as he said to them.

The LORD God is Your Inheritance

Offertory:

TLH 39 vs 4

Praise to the Lord, who doth prosper thy work and defend thee,
Who from the heavens the streams of His mercy doth send thee.
Ponder anew What the Almighty can do, Who with His love doth
befriend thee.

Hymn:

LSB 711 Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us

Offering of Thankful Hearts

Prayer & Lord's Prayer

Matthew 6:9-13

C Our Father who art in heaven,
Hallowed be thy name,
Thy kingdom come,
Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven;
Give us this day our daily bread;
And forgive us our trespasses
As we forgive those who trespass against us;
And lead us not into temptation,
But deliver us from evil,
For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory
Forever and ever. Amen

Benediction

C: Amen.

Hymn:

LSB 866 Lord Jesus Christ, the Children's Friend

Silent Prayer

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Announcements

Upcoming Events:

- **Fall Schedule:** September 7th marks the return to our Fall Schedule. Bible Class at 8am and Worship at 9am.
- **Resignation:** As you may have already heard, last week Professor Dave Schaller resigned from his position at ILC for personal reasons. There is no need to go into further detail on this matter, but do pray for Dave and his family and that the LORD would use him in His kingdom in the near future.
- **PACIFIC COAST WOMEN'S RETREAT -- Run the Race!**
Registration is open (<https://tinyurl.com/MtnWomen>) for the retreat! Please consider joining us for a weekend in God's Word while relaxing in the mountain beauty of His creation. We'd love to have you with us! September 26-28 in Cusick, WA (fly or drive into Spokane, WA) Questions? Contact Tina at teichstadt@gmail.com

Call News:

- Pastor Matthew Hanel of St. Matthew Ev. Lutheran Church in Dallas, TX, ***has returned the call*** to Messiah Lutheran Church, Eau Claire, WI. Messiah has ***since called*** Pastor Drew Naumann of Trinity Lutheran in Spokane, WA.

Upcoming Schedule:

Sunday, September 7th Redemption Sunday Service at 9

Sunday, September 14th Redemption Communion Service at 9

Sunday, September 21st Redemption Sunday Service at 9