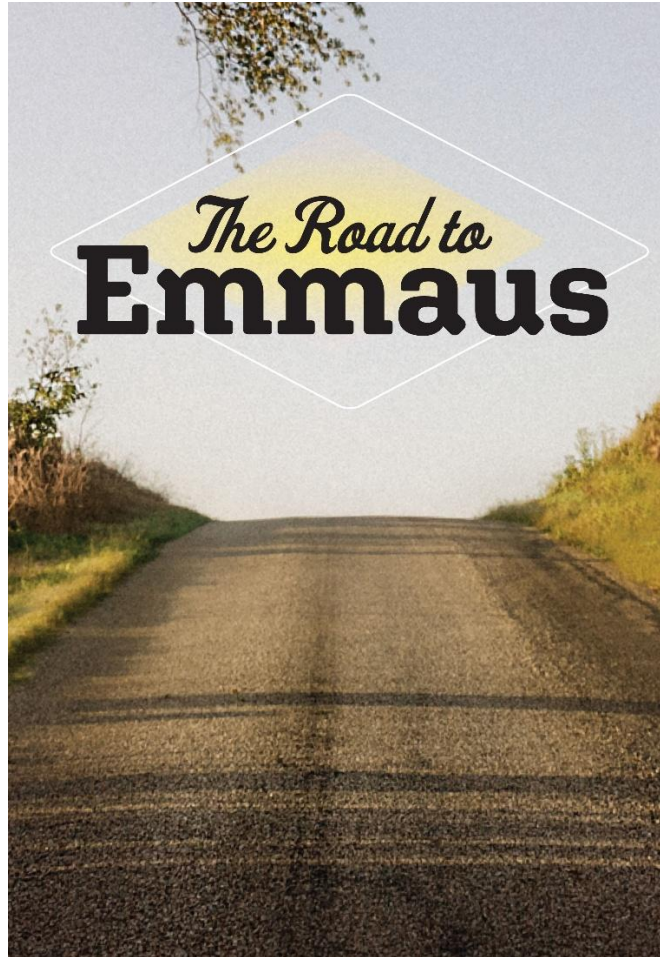


REDEEMER LUTHERAN CHURCH

37 Newton-Sparta Road
Newton, NJ 07860
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Third Sunday in Easter
April 19, 2026



Sunday Service at 11am
Zoom and podcast available on-line
Table Talk with Pastor every Wednesday @ 7:00 p.m.

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Church Mouse

'Knowing Christ and making Christ known since 1954'

The Mission of Redeemer Lutheran Church is to reach the lost, comfort those in need, and build the body of Christ by proclaiming the truthfulness of God's word in love.

If you would like more information on reaching the lost and comfort those in need, please check us out at www.redeemernewton.net and follow us on

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Next Week's Readings

First Reading: Acts 2:42-47 **Epistle Reading:** : I Peter 2:19-25

Gospel: John 10:1-10

The attendance for Sunday, April 12, 2026 was 32 Please make sure you fill in the attendance sheet so we can keep our records accurate. Financially supporting the many ministries here at Redeemer and seeing them thrive is a blessing. Please feel free to use our easy online giving for a onetime offering or a recurring donation. We have a direct link on our homepage <http://www.redeemernewton.net> or contact the church office for more information at 973-383-3945 Every small donation is a gift to us, thank you for your support!

The Mini-Mouse

To reach the REDEEMER PRAYER CHAIN call Joanne Naumowicz at 973-919-8144 (cell) 973-383-4793 (home) or Emilie Gewecke at 973-534-0127. All requests are confidential.

Ongoing Prayer Needs

Our president, Congress, and Supreme Court as they seek to govern, make their hearts and ears attentive to what pleases God so that they are doing what is right in His sight. For the men and women who serve our country now and, in the past, and for the sacrifices their families make so that we can all enjoy the blessing of freedom. Those struggling with physical afflictions, that they hear our prayers during their journey of healing. Please see Prayer Chain communication for current prayer requests.

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On the Road Again
April 19, 2026 – Easter 3A
Luke 24:13-35

They Devoted themselves to the Fellowship...:

As we gather:

- When taking a long trip, how do you pass the time?
- When you pray, “Come Lord Jesus, be our guest” do you expect Him to show up?
- Who have you told that death’s power over us is broken?
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Welcome and Invocation

AGPS – All God’s People Sing **LSB** – Lutheran Service Book
P&W Info for organist.

Opening Song: “I Have a Hope” (P&W 5 #265 p.206)

I have a hope. I have a future.
I have destiny that is yet awaiting me.
My life’s not over; a new beginning’s just begun
I have a hope. I have this hope.

God has a plan, it’s not to harm me
But it’s to prosper me and to hear me when I call
He intercedes for me - working all things for my good
Though trials may come, I have this hope.

*I will yet praise Him, my great Redeemer.
I will yet stand up and give Him glory with my life.
He takes my darkness and He turns it into light.
I will yet praise Him, my Lord, my God.*

My God is for me, He’s not against me
So tell me whom then, tell me whom then shall I fear?
He has prepared for me great works He’ll help me to complete
I have a hope. I have this hope.

Goodness and mercy, they’re gonna follow me.
And I’ll forever dwell in the house of my great King.
No eye has ever seen all He’s preparing there for me.
Though trials may come, I have this hope.

Chorus

Confession of Sins and Absolution

LSB 151

- P Let us then confess our sins to God our Father.
- 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.**
- P Almighty God in His mercy has given His Son to die for you and for His sake forgives you all your sins. As a called and ordained servant of Christ, and by His authority, I therefore forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the T Son and of the Holy Spirit.
- C **Amen.**

...and to the Apostles' teaching...

We Hear the Word of the Lord:
First Reading: Acts 2:14a, 36-41

Pew Bible page 1694

Choir Anthem

Second Reading: I Peter 1:17-25

Pew Bible p 1887

Response: "Father, I Adore You"

(AGPS 94)

Gospel Reading: Luke 24:13-35

Pew Bible p 1643

Statement of Faith: Nicene Creed

LSB back page

Sermon Song: "Who are You Who Walk in Sorrow"

LSB 476

Message: Joy on the Journey

Luke 24:13-35

...and to Prayer...

P: Let us pray to the Lord

C: Lord, have mercy.

The Lord's Prayer is spoken together

To the breaking of bread...

The Words of Institution are spoken

Distribution in continuous fashion

Distribution Song: "Now All the Vault of Heaven Resounds" LSB 465

The Thanksgiving Prayer

The Benediction is given

The announcements are made

Closing Song: "Go, my Children, with My Blessing"

LSB 922

Common Doxology

Dismissal



Sun. April 19	10am	Sunday Sch/Adult Bible Study
	11am	Worship Service
Tues. April 21	7pm	Women's Zoom Bible Study
Wed April 22	7pm	Zoom Table Talk with Pastor
Sat. April 25	12:30	LWML Lakeland Spring Rally Mountain Lakes.
Sun. April 26	10am	Sunday Sch/Adult Bible Study
	11am	Worship Service



Table Talk with Pastor will resume this Wednesday, April 22 at 7PM. Th topic is Jacob.

Ministry Board Meeting. There will be Ministry Boar meeting this Thursday, April 23 @7PM. Please meet in the conference room off the office.

LWML Spring Rally will be held Saturday, 25, 12:30 PM at Kings of Kings Lutheran Church in Mountain Lakes, NJ. Arelene Price will speak about her experience as Lutheran Hour petal pusher at the Rose Bowl Parade. Pleas see Joanne N for more information. There is a flyer posted on the bulletin board in the back of the church inference to this event.

Fire Pit. Our first fire pit fellowship this season will be Saturday evening, April 25 at 6PM in the church parking lot.