

Redeemer Lutheran Church

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August 09, 2026



Pastor: Rev. Brian Handrich

Music Director: Deborah O' Brien

Church Secretary: Melissa Moffett

Sunday Service at 9am

Zoom and podcast available on-line

www.redeemernewton.net

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 Facebook **Redeemer Lutheran Church LCMS Newton NJ**

Next Week's Readings

First Reading: Deuteronomy 30:1-10-New Testament Galatians 3:1-14

Gospel: Matthew 7:21-29

The attendance for Sunday, August 02 was 38. 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 one-time 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.

I Want It!

August 09, 2026 – Pentecost 11A
James 4:1-10

They Devoted themselves to the Fellowship...:

As we gather:

- What are some things you want?
- What are you willing to do to get them?
- What is the difference between a want and a need?

Welcome and Invocation

AGPS – All God's People Sing LSB – Lutheran Service Book
P&W Info for organis

.Opening Song: God of Grace and God of Glory

LSB 850

Prayer of the Day

Almighty and most merciful God, preserve us from all harm and danger that we, being ready in both body and soul, may cheerfully accomplish what You want done; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

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

We Hear the Word of the Lord:

Old Testament: 2 Samuel 11:2-25

Pew Bible page 486

New Testament: James 4:1-10

Pew Bible page 1884

Response: Rejoice in the Lord, Always

(AGPS 203)

Gospel Reading: Luke 12:13-22

Pew Bible page 1617

Statement of Faith: Nicene Creed

LSB back page

Sermon Song: From the Inside Out

(P&W 5 #263 p.197)

**A Thousand times I've failed, still Your mercy remains
And if I stumble again, still I'm caught in Your grace.
Everlasting, Your light will shine when all else fades
Neverending, Your glory goes beyond all fame.**

**Your will above all else, my purpose remains;
The art of losing myself in bringing You praise.
Everlasting, Your light will shine when all else fades.
Neverending, Your glory goes beyond all fame.**

***My heart and my soul, I give You control
Consume me from the inside out, Lord.
Let justice and praise become my embrace
To love you from the inside out.***

Message: Possessed by Possessions

Luke 12:13-22

...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: The Infant Priest was Holy Born

LSB 624

The Thanksgiving Prayer

The benediction is given

The announcements are made

Closing Song: A New Hallelujah

(P&W 5 #269 p.222)

Can you hear? There's a new song
Breaking out from the children of freedom.
Ev'ry race and ev'ry nation,
Sing it out, sing a new hallelujah.

Let us sing love to the nations
Bringing hope of the grace that has freed us.
Make it known, and make Him famous,
Sing it out, sing a new hallelujah.

*Arise! Let the Church arise!
Let love reach to the other side.
Alive, come alive, let the song arise!*

All the world sings a new song
Reaching out with a new hallelujah.
Ev'ry son and ev'ry daughter
Ev'ryone sing a new hallelujah.

Chorus

Common Doxology

Dismissal

Next Week's Readers August 16, 2026



Joanne Naumowicz

-Deuteronomy 30:1 -10

Margret Carstens

Galatians 3:1 -14



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Sunday Aug.09	9am	Worship Service
Monday Aug 10	5:30pm	Women's Bible Study
Tuesday Aug.11	5-6:30pm	Manna House Spaghetti Dinner
Sunday Aug 16	9am	Worship Service
Thursday Aug 20	10am-1pm	Manna House
	7pm	In Person Ministry Bd Meeting
Friday, Aug 21 -22	LWML NJ Convention in Edison	
Sunday, Aug.23	9am	Worship Service
Sunday, Aug. 30	10am	Combined Worship Service at Our Savior in Stanhope

Bible Study Book Club This Monday, August 10th, we will be reviewing Theo of Golden by Allen Levi, a fiction novel, with Christian values showing the power of generosity and the importance of connection.

Women of Redeemer Attention Women of Redeemer -We will meet after church to look over the Mite projects on the ballot for convention. There are many choices to consider.

Combined Worship Service Sunday, August 30 will be a combined worship at Our Savior in Stanhope. Worship time will be 10am

LWML NJ District Convention the LWML NJ District Convention is almost here! Ladies from NJ will be gathering at the Crowne Plaza Hotel in Edison on August 21st -August 22nd. We are asked to bring Gifts from the Heart to help those in need. We are collecting specific food items for Anchor of Hope to distribute in the Patterson area. See the below list. Also, we are collecting diapers for babies and toddlers and incontinence pads for Seniors for the Center for Food Action (CFA) which is in Northern NJ. These items will make it easier for families and those who most need assistance. Please bring your items next Sunday August 16th. Every little bit helps to make life easier for those who are in need. Thank you for your support. Also, if you have eyeglasses, you no longer need, we are collecting them for MOST Ministry which is short term mission projects, who will do vision care around the world. LWML does much ministry beyond our Mites. Thank you for your support! See Joanne for more information.

Shopping List for Food Donations

- Ready to eat Canned Meals
- Chili, Stew,
- Ravioli (cheese & beef)
- Canned Tuna, Canned Chicken
- Pancake mix & Syrup
- Canned Vegetables (low sodium)
- Peanut Butter & Jelly
- Canned Fruit in juice or light syrup
- Cold Cereal (whole grain)
- 100% Fruit Juice
- Soup (low sodium)
- Hot Cereal (Oatmeal, Farina)

No Glass containers please

Gifts of the Heart for the LWML Convention



Moving Forward

The Center for Food Action (CFA), founded in 1976, is a non-profit, 501 (c)(3) organization that provides emergency services to Northern New Jersey's poorest and most vulnerable residents. CFA provides food, housing, utility, and heating assistance and offers counseling and advocacy services to low-income individuals and families.

**Diapers (any size for babies or toddlers & Baby Wipes
Incontinence pads/products for Seniors**