

BLAMELESS HEARTS

Sunday, December 1, 2024

As We Gather

The "blame game" has been happening since the fall into sin when Adam blamed Eve and Eve blamed the serpent for their world-changing transgression. To this day when things go wrong, the "blame game" continues among siblings, spouses, coworkers, elected leaders, and governments around the world. If we are honest, we realize that we often have no one to blame but ourselves, as we are by nature sinful and unclean. In contrast to our "blame game," we have a blameless Savior who came into this world as one of us. Through Jesus Christ, whose birth we prepare for as we begin this Advent season, we are made holy and blameless in God's sight. We share Paul's prayer for the church in Thessalonica to make our hearts blameless: "May the Lord make you increase and abound in love for one another and for all, as we do for you, so that He may establish your hearts blameless in holiness before our God and Father, at the coming of our Lord Jesus with all His saints" (1 Thessalonians 3:12–13).

10:45 AM Pre-Service Song "He Has Come For Us (God Rest Ye Merry Gentleman)"

Invocation

P: In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit. **C: Amen.**

Lighting of the Advent Wreath

- P: Each week in Advent, we light a candle as we prepare for the arrival of the Savior, who would come to His people in human flesh and who promises to come again. In a world of darkness, a light shines. Jesus Christ is the light of the world.
- C: The light shines in the darkness, and the darkness has not overcome it.
- P: The first Advent candle is known as the prophecy candle or the candle of hope. We hear again the first promise and prophesy made in the Garden of Eden after the fall into sin: "I will put enmity between you and the woman, and between your offspring and her offspring; He shall bruise your head, and you shall bruise His heel." The Lord has kept His Word through the mouths of prophets who, for generations, pointed people to the promised Savior to come.
- C: The true light, which enlightens everyone, was coming into the world.
- P: Guided by the light of hope, we respond with the psalmist: "Our soul waits for the LORD;
- C: He is our help and our shield.
- P: For our heart is glad in Him, because we trust in His holy name.
- C: Let Your steadfast love, O LORD, be upon us, even as we hope in You."

The first Advent candle is lit.

- 8:15 AM Opening Hymn "O Come, O Come, Emmanuel" Sts. 1– 2: *LSB* 357
- 10:45 AM Opening Song "God So Loved"

Confession and Absolution

- P: As we begin the Advent season—a time of preparation for the coming of our Savior and a time of pondering God's great love for us given in His Son—we also prepare ourselves to come before Him in humility and with honesty. If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us.
- C: If we confess our sins, He is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness.
- P: The prophet Jeremiah proclaims, "The days are coming, declares the LORD, when I will fulfill the promise I made....
 And this is the name by which it will be called: 'The LORD is our righteousness.'"
- C: We confess we have not rightly rejoiced in the promises that the Lord made and fulfilled and have instead found our fulfillment in the temporal things of our lives and this world. We have sought our own rightness instead of the Lord's righteousness. Forgive us.
- P: Paul prays, "May the Lord make you increase and abound in love for one another and for all, . . . so that He may establish your hearts blameless in holiness before our God and Father, at the coming of our Lord Jesus."
- C: We confess our hearts are full of blame and unholiness. Our love has been misguided and our actions have been self-serving. We have not loved You with our whole heart nor loved our neighbors as ourselves. Forgive us.
- P: As Jesus speaks of the time of His return, He calls His followers to "straighten up and raise your heads, because your redemption is drawing near."
- C: We confess we have not remained ready for Your return, nor realized time is short for the work You've called us to do. We have prioritized other matters instead of Your Word, relied on other things instead of Your presence, and in our thoughts, words, and actions have chosen to live our way instead of by Your commands. Forgive us.
- P: The Lord is our righteousness. He alone establishes hearts blameless in holiness at His coming. Redemption draws near.
 We are declared righteous, blameless, and redeemed

because of the living, dying, and rising of our Savior, Jesus Christ. As a called and ordained servant of Christ and by His authority, I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit. **C: Amen.**

Salutation

P: The Lord be with you. C: And also with you.

Prayer of the Day

- P: Let us pray. From everlasting to everlasting You are our God, and You come to Your people. In Your Word and in the flesh of Your only-begotten Son, You come that we may know forgiveness, righteousness, and redemption.
- C: Prepare us to receive You in this season and always, that our hearts may be made blameless and filled with holiness;
- P: through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **C: Amen.**

10:45 AM Song of Praise "O Come, O Come, Emmanuel"

Old Testament Reading *Jeremiah* 33:14–16 (after the reading)...

L: This is the Word of the Lord. C: Thanks be to God.

Epistle 1 Thessalonians 3:9–13 (after the reading)...

- L: This is the Word of the Lord. C: Thanks be to God.
- L: Please stand as you are able for the reading of the Holy Gospel.

Verse

- P: Alleluia. Lift up your heads, O gates! And be lifted up, O ancient doors,
- C: that the King of glory may come in. Alleluia.

Holy Gospel Luke 21:25-36

- P: The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the twenty-first chapter.
- C: Glory to You, O Lord. (after the reading)...
- P: This is the Gospel of the Lord. C: Praise to You, O Christ.

Children's Message & Celebrate Song よ

8:15 AM Hymn of the Day "Savior of the Nations, Come" *LSB* 332; vrs. 1-4, 8

10:45 AM Sermon Song "Your Name"

Sermon 'Blameless Heart' 1 Thess. 3:9-13

Nicene Creed

Prayer of the Church

P: (after each request)... Lord, in Your mercy, C: hear our prayer.

Offering and Attendance/Involvement Cards

Preface

- P: The Lord be with you. C: And also with you.
- P: Lift up your hearts. C: We lift them to the Lord.
- P: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
- C: It is right to give Him thanks and praise.

Proper Preface

P: It is truly good, right...and magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising You. **C: Amen**

The Words of Our Lord

Proclamation of Christ

- P: As often as we eat this bread and drink this cup, we proclaim the Lord's death until He comes.
- C: Amen. Come, Lord Jesus.
- P: O Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father, in giving us Your body and blood to eat and to drink, You lead us to remember and confess Your holy cross and passion, Your blessed death, Your rest in the tomb, Your resurrection from the dead, Your ascension into heaven, and Your coming for the final judgment. So remember us in Your kingdom and teach us to pray:

Lord's Prayer

Pax Domini

P: The peace of the Lord be with you always. C: Amen.

Distribution

- **8:15 AM Distribution Hymns** "The Day Is Surely Drawing Near" *LSB* 508, "Lord Jesus Christ, you have prepared" *LSB* 622, and "Jesus Comes Today with Healing" *LSB* 620
- **10:45 AM Communion Songs** "Hymn of Joy" and "Come Thou Long-Expected Jesus"

Post-Communion Thanksgiving

- P: Give thanks to the LORD, for He is good,
- C: for His steadfast love endures forever.
- P: We thank and praise You that as we prepare to celebrate Christ's coming in the flesh and His promised return, You have come to us now through this gift of His body and blood for the forgiveness of our sins and nourishment of faith. Enable us, equip us, and make us, through faith in You, and in fervent love for one another, to
- C: increase and abound in love for one another and for all, so that You may establish our hearts blameless in holiness before You, our God and Father, at the coming of our Lord Jesus. Amen.

Closing Sentences

- P: The light shines in the darkness, and the darkness has not overcome it.
- C: The true light, which enlightens everyone, was coming into the world.

Benediction

- P: The blessing of almighty God—the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit—be with you. **C: Amen.**
- 8:15 AM Closing Hymn "Lift Up Your Heads, Ye Mighty Gates" LSB 341; vrs. 1-3

10:45 AM Closing Song "Joy To The World"

Today we welcome Redeemer's newest member:

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Holy Communion is celebrated at Redeemer in the confession and glad confidence that, as He says, our Lord gives into our mouths not only bread and wine but His very body and blood to eat and drink for the forgiveness of sins and to strengthen our union with Him and with one another. Our Lord invites to His table those who trust His words, repent of all sin, and set aside any refusal to forgive and love as He forgives and loves us, that we may show forth His death until He comes. We ask visitors who are in doubt or hold a confession differing from that of this congregation, and yet desire to receive the sacrament, to first speak with a pastor.

Our worship services will continue to be available, traditional &/or contemporary, on our website: <u>www.redeemersiouxcity.com</u> or you can like us on Facebook or find us on YouTube.

Children's Bulletins and Quiet Bags are in the back of the church. Please place the Quiet Bags in the plastic container (next to the bags) when finished. Thank You!

Large-Print Bulletins and hearing devices are available from Ushers.

Just a reminder that we welcome prayer requests through our church email: <u>redeemerchurchsc@gmail.com</u>. You don't have to be a member to request prayers.

If you would like to give a charitable donation, you may drop off at the church or mail to RLC, 3204 S. Lakeport, Sioux City, IA 51106.

Pulpit Flowers are given by Jan Null in memory of Dick Null.

The Annual Voters Meeting has been schedule for Sunday, December 8th, 2:00 PM, in the fellowship hall. All members 18 and older are welcome to attend.

We are pleased to announce two more days have been added to the schedule for taking pictures. December 10 and 11, they'll take more pictures. Please go online at <u>www.ucdir.com</u> and enter **ia330**

as the username - **photos** as the password. Or call the office and we'll help you.

The Bonhoeffer movie is now playing. Both movie theaters, AMC Southern hills 12 and ACX promenade cinemas are playing a new movie about a Lutheran pastor who lived and died during Nazi Germany. It should be a good movie for all Christians, especially us Lutherans, to go and watch.

Upcoming Bible Study: 'Where God Came Down: The Archaeological Evidence' by Joel P. Kramer offers compelling evidence that the Bible is trustworthy. Layer by layer, the Bible and archaeology agree! We will examine different Biblical sites, revealing how divine interactions with simple people thousands of years ago shaped ordinary, unimportant places into holy sites, still revered today. This bible study will involve studying different Biblical passages and corresponding videos which show where these events took place! This course will strengthen your faith that the Bible is indeed true and inspired by God! The course will be begin Wednesday, Jan. 8th, at 5:30 PM and continue each week until February 26th. If interested, call or text Curt Green.

Christmas Program Practice! If you are interested in being part of the Christmas program, join us in the basement for our first practice of the year. Parts will be assigned, and we will go through the program. Practice is from 1-2 PM. All ages are welcome.

Thanksgiving Offerings will go to Lutheran Family Services.

Monday, December 2nd, 6:30 PM - LWML Board Meeting in conference room. All are invited to attend.

Join us for *The Word Made Flesh* special Midweek services, Wednesday, December 4th, 11:30 AM & 7 PM. For the first week of our Advent series, we celebrate that Jesus is born in Bethlehem, the House of Bread, to nourish and strengthen us in our faith and feed us with his Word of truth to fill our lives.

Red M&Ms: We have our breakfast / bible study this coming Saturday, December 7th at 7:30 a.m. Come join the food, fellowship, and discussion. **MERCY MEALS** —**SATURDAY, DECEMBER 7th, 10 AM-12 PM** -Our Youth will be partnering with LWML packaging *Mercy Meals* at Faith Lutheran church. After the event, lunch will be at 1000 Degrees Pizza. There will be a sheet located in the back of the church to sign up. Ages 11 and up are invited to help.

Join us for our Christmas Cantata on Sunday, December 8th, 8:15 AM & 10:45 AM, featuring choir, bells, and orchestra ensemble. Fellowship and Refreshments between services. If you are willing to provide muffins, pastries, coffee cake, etc. between services, please sign up in the back of the sanctuary or contact Brenda Ernst.

The board of elders invite you to please consider joining us for some food, fellowship, and fun on **Monday evening, Dec 9** when we gather at the church at 5 pm for a little soup, desert, hot chocolate, and fellowship. Then at approximately 6:30, we will head out to visit some care facilities, as well as some of our member's homes, to do some Christmas caroling! In order to plan for the meal and transportation, please either sign up on the sheets at the back of the sanctuary or let our church office know. We look forward to having many of you join us! God's Blessings.

CONFIRMATION PARENTS: We are preparing for our Family Advent Service which is **Wednesday**, **December 11th**, **at 7:00pm**. Please have your child here at Redeemer before 5:30 so that we can begin our practices on time. We will also have a *Chicken Strip Meal* at noon & 5-7pm for the J.J. Wolf Family in Africa.

LWML & Redeemer Youth 'TOYS FOR TOTS'- Your donation helps provide a brighter Christmas for the less fortunate children in our community. New and unwrapped toys ages 0-18 years. We will have drop off sites at the South & North entrance **through December 12**.

Angel Tree: This year we are partnering with Mid-Step Services. Take a tag and purchase the requested item(s) and **return gift wrapped and tagged by December 18th.** Thank you for sharing God's love as we celebrate Jesus's birth!

Family Christmas Party – Dec 13th from 6-8 PM: Everyone is invited! We will watch the movie "The Star" in the gym. Bring your comfy chair for the movie. You can play Bingo in the parish hall. There will be bingo prizes. We will also have hotdogs, nachos,

popcorn, hot chocolate and coffee for snacks.

High School and Middle School Youth Christmas Party: Sunday December 15th from 5:30-7:30pm. Ugly Christmas Sweater Contest. Ginger Bread building contest and Cookie Exchange. Bring a friend and a dozen cookies. If you have questions, reach out to DCE Jonathon Bailey 620-655-5395.

Please join us on Sunday December 15th at 3:00 pm for the Children's Christmas Program. The Sunday School and Rock Wednesday students have been working hard to learn their songs and lines for the program. So come watch them as they tell, the true meaning of Christmas and the decorations that we use. Stay after the program for cookies and coffee.

Your 2025 Offering Envelopes are available for pick up. They are located in the hallway under the coat rack next to the Office.

Thrivent Choice Dollars are at work all year long in a variety of projects. This Christmas season, the Thrivent Choice Committee along with the Board of Elders, will be visiting many of our shut –ins to deliver baskets funded by Choice Dollars and Action cards provided by members. Thank you for your support of Thrivent Choice Dollars and Action Cards provided by many of you during the year.

We are in need of Greeters for our 10:45 AM Service. If anyone is interested, see Pastor Senstad or Gary Kitzmann.

Ushers Wanted! We are in need of Ushers for our 10:45 AM service. No Experience Necessary. If interested, Please contact Doug Stucky.

The Exalt team is always looking for more musicians to join us for the 10:45 Contemporary Service on Sunday mornings! If you, or someone you know, would like to join the group, please let Nathan Klaumann know either after church or by contacting him directly!

Technologist Wanted! We are in need for students or adults who are interested in running technology on Sunday mornings. No experience necessary. We will train you. If interested, please contact Angie DuBois or Tim Young at 712-276-1125.

Thrivent Members Who Have Choice Dollars: NEW Choice Dollars for the 3rd Quarter of 2024 are now available. Please direct them as soon as possible by calling 1-800-847-4836 or by directing them online at **www.thrivent.com.** Thanks for your continued support of the Choice Dollar program at Redeemer.

Fresh rhubarb, rhubarb custard, strawberry rhubarb custard & strawberry rhubarb pies, small & large are available, Thursday and Sunday mornings. \$20 for large & \$9 for small! At times, there are other flavored pies available! Tkx for your purchases! Thanks for all your help. December sales will go to Bibi's Hope, our orphanage in Bamako, Mali, West Africa. Just in time for the holidays! Bibi is recovering from breast cancer surgery and now doing chemotherapy. Small jars of jams, jellies, & pickles are \$6 each or 5 for \$25. We have a new Holiday Jam (strawberries, cranberries, oranges, and cinnamon). Large jars of pickles & jams are \$8 each or 5 for \$35. Varied flavors of syrups are \$8.

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**New – Holiday Jam

PICKLES

Dill Hamburger Sweet Dills Sweet Pickles

You are Invited! New Horizons Band Christmas Concerts:

Sunday, Dec. 1 – Lewis & Clark Encounter Center – 2:00 PM Wednesday, Dec. 4 – Morningside Lutheran Church – 12:30 PM Monday, Dec. 9 – Sunrise (The Pointe) – 2:00 PM Wednesday, Dec. 11 – Whispering Creek – 2:30 PM Friday, Dec. 13 – Holy Spirit Retirement – 2:30 PM

34th Annual Christmas Cookie & Candy Walk! Join us on Saturday, December 7th, 8:30 – 11:30 AM, at Calvary Lutheran Church, in the Parish Hall (4412 Central St., Sioux City, IA) for hot coffee & fresh cinnamon rolls as you make your selection of homemade cookies and candies for only \$7 per pound!

Orphan Grain Train will be accepting items at Faith Lutheran Church on Hamilton Blvd. Items needed: Men and children clothing, winter coats & accessories, new undies & socks. An OGT Truck is tentatively planned to be at Faith on Saturday morning 12/07, weather permitting.

GriefShare for the Holidays – Calvary is hosting this opportunity the evening of Monday, December 9, 2024, from 6:30-8:00 p.m. This endeavor offers grieving church members, as well as people in our communities, support, understanding, and tools to get through tough times regarding the loss of a loved one. Bring a family member, a friend…if questions please call 712-389-5226. You may register at calvaryleeds.com. FYI – GS's winter cycle begins Tuesday, 1/14 (morning) and on 1/16 (evening).



Giving has never been easier! You can now scan Redeemer's QR Code to access our online giving. Just open up your camera on your phone and point it at the QR code centering it on your screen. You may have to hold it still for a few seconds. Then tap the pop-up banner/link. This will direct you to Redeemer's giving website.

If you have "new" flats (lids) and/or new/used canning rings (narrow or wide), you no longer need, we would gladly accept your donation. Just put in a sack or box and place outside Pastor Zirpel's door. Canning jars, especially 8 oz (narrow) and 16 oz (narrow & wide) jars, also accepted. ~~Thank You!

Additional Listening on Sundays:

1. Good Shepherd Hour- 8:00 AM KSCJ

2. Lutheran Hour- 8:30 AM KSCJ

3. Main Street Living- 10:00 AM KCAU, Channel 9.

December 1 airing - This is the Life – "Stable Boy" – A manger scene comes to life and tells the story of the first Christmas. Worship Service – Rev. Benjamin Perkins of Shepherd of Peace Lutheran Church in Sergeant Bluff, IA, delivers the message "Peace It Be A-Comin" based on Jeremiah 33:14-16. Additional information is available on the web site: www.mainstreetliving.com.

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Redeemer's Missionaries of the year for 2024 are the Adam Lehman Family and the JJ Wolf Family. Contributions may be made to their accounts to Redeemer Lutheran and earmarked as such at any time. Contributions are then sent through Mission Central (Gary Thies, Mapleton) by Redeemer. Thanks for your consideration!

SERVING THIS WEEK- (December 1, 2024)

Sunday 8:15 AM- Team 3 (Gary Flammang, Mitchel Bauman, Gary Bumsted, Paul Feckenstein, Bob Naylor). 10:45 AM- Team 7 (Doug Stucky, Nate Klaumann, Christian Stai, Tom Stokes). GREETERS: 8:15 AM- Paul & Cindy Fleckenstein; 10:45 AM-Scott & Beth Bowman. <u>ACOLYTES:</u> 8:15 AM- Mesa Zellmer & Sierra Zellmer, 10:45 AM- Leland David & Zac Marlow. <u>TECHNOLOGIST:</u> Sun. 8:15 AM- Erik Koehler; 10:45 AM- Tim Young. <u>COUNTING TEAM</u>: 3 (Bobolz's & Schmith's). <u>COFFEE &</u> <u>ROLL SERVERS</u>: Youth

<u>1 Midweek Advent Service (December 4, 2024): USHERS:</u> 7:00 PM- Team 5 (Mark Boyd, Loren Field, and Rick Lieber). <u>GREETERS:</u> 7:00 PM- Aaron & Tawnya Becker; <u>ACOLYTES</u>-7:00 PM- Brody & Goldsmith & Kennedy Robinson. <u>Technologist:</u> 11:30 AM- Jennifer Lay: 6:30 PM- Jordan Fisher

<u>SERVING NEXT WEEK- (December 5 & 8, 2024):</u> same as last week. <u>GREETERS</u>: 8:15 AM- Karen Grieme; 10:45 AM- Marty & Marcy Delperdang. <u>ACOLYTES:</u> 8:15 AM- Ian & Jake Beougher, 10:45 AM- Leland David & Camden Doscher. <u>TECHNOLOGIST:</u> Thurs. 6:30 PM- Tim Young; Sun. 8:15 AM- Jordan Fisher; 10:45 AM- Curt Green. <u>COUNTING TEAM</u>: 4 (Fink & Buckley). <u>COFFEE</u> & ROLL SERVERS: LWML

Record of Our Discipleship: Week Ending November 24, 2024 Worship Attendance: Sunday, 42+169+116=327 (27%) Adult Bible Study: 29; ROCK Sunday: 33; ROCK Wed: N/A Sudanese: N/A

Date	Income	Budgeted Income	%
Nov. 24, 2024	\$8,429	\$15,548	54%
Year-to-date	\$654,476	\$722,930	89%

Building Fund Income:

Year-to-date	Weekly Income	Total
\$2,795	\$100	\$2,895

THIS WEEK AT REDEEMER

Sunday, December 1, 2024

8:15 & 10:45 AM Worship w/Holy Communion
9:30 AM Adult Bible Study
No ROCK Sunday
9:30 AM Adult Confirmation
1:00 PM Sudanese Worship
No Christmas Program Practice
4:00-6 PM Pickleball

Monday, December 2, 2024

11:30 AM Members Luncheon at Wheelhouse

5:30 PM Adult Fitness 6:30 PM Pickleball 6:30 PM LWML Board Mtg

Tuesday, December 3, 2024

10:00 AM Devotions w/Pastor Zirpel at *Bickford Memory* 10:45 AM Devotions at *Bickford Assist* 1:30 PM Bible Study/Staff Mtg

Wednesday, December 4, 2024

9:30 AM Lamplighters at *Faith Lutheran* 11:30 AM Advent Service 1:00 PM Pickleball 5-5:40 PM Midweek Meal *(pulled pork)* 5:00-7 PM Midweek 5:00-7 PM ROCK Wednesday 6:00 PM Handbell Practice 7:00 PM Advent Service - Adult Choir Practice after worship 7:30-9 PM Youth Group

Thursday, December 5, 2024

5:30 PM Adult Fitness 6:00 PM BSF Bible Study (lower level) 6:30 PM Worship Service

Friday, December 6, 2024

9:00 AM - Noon Food Shelf

Saturday, December 7, 2024

7:30 AM RED M&M's Bible Study 8:30-11:30 AM Annual Christmas Cookies & Candy Walk at *Calvary* 10:00 AM Mercy Meals at *Faith* (Youth & LWML)

Sunday, December 8, 2024

8:15 & 10:45 AM Christmas Cantata

9:30 AM Adult Bible Study 9:30 AM ROCK Sunday 9:30 AM Adult Confirmation 1:00 PM Sudanese Worship 1:00 PM Christmas Program Practice 2:00 PM Voters Mtg 4:00-6 PM Pickleball

December Worship Schedule

Wednesday, Dec. 4 Advent Worship, 11:30 AM and 7 PM

Sunday, Dec. 8: Christmas Cantata, 8:15 AM and 10:45 AM

Wednesday, Dec. 11: Advent Worship, 11:30 AM and Family Advent Service, 7 PM. Chicken Strip meal at Noon and 5-7 PM. Free-will offering for J.J. Wolf Missionary Family

Sunday, Dec. 15: Christmas Preschool Program 1 PM. Children's Christmas Program 3 PM.

Wednesday, Dec. 18: Advent Worship, 11:30 AM and 7 PM

Christmas Eve, Tuesday, Dec. 24:

- Candlelight Services at 11:30 AM, 4 PM & 11 PM.
- Contemporary Candlelight Service at 7 PM
- Christmas Day, Wednesday, Dec. 25: 9 AM Worship with Holy Communion
- Sunday, Dec. 29: (First Sunday after Christmas) 8:15 & 10:45 AM Worship Services
- **New Year's Eve, Tuesday, Dec. 31:** Holy Communion Worship service at 11:30 AM & 6 PM

