

**Mark 5:21-43**

**A Girl Restored to Life and a Woman Healed**

21 When Jesus had crossed again in the boat to the other side, a great crowd gathered round him; and he was by the lake. <sup>22</sup>Then one of the leaders of the synagogue named Jairus came and, when he saw him, fell at his feet <sup>23</sup>and begged him repeatedly, ‘My little daughter is at the point of death. Come and lay your hands on her, so that she may be made well, and live.’ <sup>24</sup>So he went with him.

And a large crowd followed him and pressed in on him. <sup>25</sup>Now there was a woman who had been suffering from haemorrhages for twelve years. <sup>26</sup>She had endured much under many physicians, and had spent all that she had; and she was no better, but rather grew worse. <sup>27</sup>She had heard about Jesus, and came up behind him in the crowd and touched his cloak, <sup>28</sup>for she said, ‘If I but touch his clothes, I will be made well.’ <sup>29</sup>Immediately her haemorrhage stopped; and she felt in her body that she was healed of her disease. <sup>30</sup>Immediately aware that power had gone forth from him, Jesus turned about in the crowd and said, ‘Who touched my clothes?’ <sup>31</sup>And his disciples said to him, ‘You see the crowd pressing in on you; how can you say, “Who touched me?”’ <sup>32</sup>He looked all round to see who had done it. <sup>33</sup>But the woman, knowing what had happened to her, came in fear and trembling, fell down before him, and told him the whole truth. <sup>34</sup>He said to her, ‘Daughter, your faith has made you well; go in peace, and be healed of your disease.’

35 While he was still speaking, some people came from the leader’s house to say, ‘Your daughter is dead. Why trouble the teacher any further?’ <sup>36</sup>But overhearing what they said, Jesus said to the leader of the synagogue, ‘Do not fear, only believe.’ <sup>37</sup>He allowed no one to follow him except Peter, James, and John, the brother of James. <sup>38</sup>When they came to the house of the leader of the synagogue, he saw a commotion, people weeping and wailing loudly. <sup>39</sup>When he had entered, he said to them, ‘Why do you make a commotion and weep? The child is not dead but sleeping.’ <sup>40</sup>And they laughed at him. Then he put them all outside, and took the child’s father and mother and those who were with him, and went in where the child was. <sup>41</sup>He took her by the hand and said to her, ‘Talitha cum’, which means, ‘Little girl, get up!’ <sup>42</sup>And immediately the girl got up and began to walk about (she was twelve years of age). At this they were overcome with amazement. <sup>43</sup>He strictly ordered them that no one should know this, and told them to give her something to eat.

<b>Worship Host</b>	Claire Sexton
<b>Ushers</b>	Bruce Ring, Mark & Doreen Winter, Courtney Magnuson
<b>Greeters</b>	Claire Sexton, Sharon Peterson
<b>Lector</b>	Chris Reeves
<b>Kitchen Help</b>	Dennis & Jan Peterson

**Finances through December 31, 2015**

<b>2015 Beginning Balance</b>	<b>\$40,737</b>
<b>Member Giving</b>	<b>\$306,735</b>
<b>Supplemental Income</b>	<b>\$46,387</b>
<b>Total Income</b>	<b>\$353,122</b>
<b>Expenses</b>	<b>\$365,563</b>
<b>Difference</b>	<b>\$28,296</b>



**Sunday, January 24, 2016  
11:00am**

**Our Redeemer Lutheran**

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**Welcome to worship!**

If you are visiting, thank you so much for joining us in worship! If this is your first time here or if you have been here before and would like to know more about this church, please fill out a Visitor Information Card (located in the card racks in front of you on the pew) and place it in the offering plate. Please feel free to join us after service for conversation and fellowship. Thank you for visiting and experiencing the power of God and hearing the promise of His Word with us!

**Sunday, January 24**

- 8:45am Traditional Worship
- 10:00am Creation Stations, Middle School SS, Budget Meeting
- 11:00am Contemporary Worship
- 1:00pm Spring of Eternal Life Church
- 3:00pm Savior-Fireside, Classrooms
- 4:30pm Savior Church

**Monday, January 25**

- 6:30pm Islam Study (FH)

**Tuesday, January 26**

- 1:00pm Staff Meeting
- 6:30pm Youth Ministry Team Mtg
- 7:00pm SEL (S)

**Wednesday, January 27**

- 9:30am Bible Study
- 6:00pm Confirmation, Bell choir
- 7:00pm Sanctuary Choir

**Thursday, January 28**

- 6:45am Men’s Bible Study
- 6:00pm Savior (F)

**Friday, January 29**

- 6-8:00pm Savior (S), Girl Scouts (FH)

**Saturday, January 30**

- 10am-12pm Savior Practice (S)
- 5-9pm SEL (S)

**Sunday, January 31**

- 10:00am One Worship Service
- 11:15am Annual Meeting
- 1:00pm Spring of Eternal Life Church
- 3:00pm Savior-Fireside, Classrooms
- 4:30pm Savior Church

## Gathering

## Welcome & Announcements

## Worship Songs

## Children's Message

**Lesson of the Day** Mark 5:21-43 P: Word of God, Word of life C: Thanks be to God

**Message** Pastor Karsten Nelson

## Response Song/Offering

## Apostle's Creed

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, God's 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 to the dead. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

## Prayers & Lord's Prayer

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and forever. Amen.

## Blessing

## Sending Song

**Sending** P: Go in peace to serve the Lord by serving others. C: Thanks be to God

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## Upcoming Readings

January 31: Death of John the Baptist—Mark 6:1-29

February 7: Transfiguration—Mark 8:27-9:8

## Mission Statement

The language of our sending is being changed to help lift up our mission statement and to live this out in our daily life. Each week the sending line will incorporate part of our Mission Statement which is 'Our Redeemer - transforming lives and building community by loving God and serving others'.

## Budget Forum

As is our custom there will be a budget forum between services today to understand the 2016 proposed budget and address concerns or questions people may have. Please join us in the fireside room for the information and good conversation.

## Annual Meeting

Sunday January 31<sup>st</sup> following our combined 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday worship at 10:00am. We will have a time of reviewing 2015, looking ahead into 2016 plans, approve a budget and formally elect a few new Board members. The nominating team is in the midst of visiting with potential new Board members – if you might be interested, or if you think of someone to nominate please contact Pastor Karsten, Holly Forsberg, Jessica Morgan or Dean Ersfeld.

## Missions Update

A recent deposit of the Hunger boxes and jars was made in the amount of \$148.00. Thank you to all who continue to support this wonderful way to help stop world hunger. Look for empty boxes or jars to fill with change in the large basket in the Narthex. When full, return to church and it will be added to our next hunger deposit.

We have received a wonderful letter from Frayluis, the student ORLC supports at Doulos Discovery School in the Dominican Republic. He is currently in the 6th grade and our congregation has been supporting his schooling since he was in preschool. Please stop by the bulletin board in the hallway leading to the Sunday School rooms to read his letter.

## Help coordinate a vegetable delivery to Our Redeemer?

This next summer/fall we have been asked to be a site for Community Service Agriculture (CSA) delivery. A few farmers with the Hmong American Partnership would sell shares to people here (and maybe for the neigh-

borhood) and then deliver fresh vegetables weekly from June through September. If you want to help shape this program contact Pastor Karsten or come to a meeting here on 1/27 at 3:15.

## All Thrivent Members:

Please remember to check your Thrivent accounts to learn whether Thrivent Choice Dollars have accumulated at the end of 2015, and direct them NOW to the charity of your choosing. We hope you pick Our Redeemer Lutheran Church, #7608. Last year ORLC received \$4906, because of this beneficial Thrivent program and you individuals! Thank you!

## Past Intern News

Congratulations to Pastor Ben Mandrick who was ordained this last weekend in Florida. Ben was called to Faith Lutheran Church in Somerset PA. The church of about 600 is located 75 minutes east of Pittsburg. If you care to send a card the address of the church is at 6567 Glades Pike Somerset PA 15501. Ben and Andi and their two kids are looking forward to serving at this church. Ben will be moving shortly and Andi and kids joining him in March.

## Contribution Statements

Your 2015 statements are available in the Narthex. Thank you for your donations to Our Redeemer.

## Sharing Your Faith Matters

Join us on Sunday, February 14 for our monthly 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday adult forum series on 'What Matters?'. We will have some fun with role plays, visit about how we can or have tried to share our faith, and learn from each other more about why and how sowing seeds of faith is good. This will take place in the fellowship hall at 10:00am