

## 1 Corinthians 13:1-3

### The Gift of Love

13If I speak in the tongues of mortals and of angels, but do not have love, I am a noisy gong or a clanging cymbal. <sup>2</sup>And if I have prophetic powers, and understand all mysteries and all knowledge, and if I have all faith, so as to remove mountains, but do not have love, I am nothing. <sup>3</sup>If I give away all my possessions, and if I hand over my body so that I may boast, but do not have love, I gain nothing.

## Next Week's Reading

May 8: Death Swallowed in Life—1 Corinthians 15:1-26, 51-57

<b>Worship Host</b>	Dennis Peterson
<b>Ushers</b>	Claire Sexton, Cheri & Caitlynn Edwall, Matt Kilbride
<b>Greeters</b>	Helen Wallace, Shirley Keating, Oliviene Hefta
<b>Gift Cards</b>	Jill Rodriguez
<b>Kitchen Help</b>	Darlene Harwood



## Our Redeemer Lutheran Church

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**Sunday, May 1, 2016**  
**11:00am**

### Sunday, May 1

*First Sunday Food Shelf, Blood Pressure Check, Bucks for our Building*

8:45am Traditional Worship

10:00am Creation Stations, Middle School SS, Food Matters, Gardening Meeting

11:00am Contemporary Worship

1:00pm Spring of Eternal Life Church

### Monday, May 2

### Tuesday, May 3

1:00pm Staff Meeting

6:30pm Summer Lunch Program Mtg

7:00pm SEL (S)

### Wednesday, May 4

9:30am Bible Study

2-9:00pm Directory Pictures

6:00pm Confirmation

7:00pm Sanctuary Choir

### Thursday, May 5

6:45am Men's Bible Study

9:00am Widows Group

2-9:00pm Directory Pictures

**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!

**Holy Communion** This morning we celebrate the sacrament of Holy Communion. All baptized believers who profess Jesus Christ as their Lord and Savior are welcome to participate. To accommodate those participating in communion that would prefer to have a gluten-free wafer (instead of bread), they are available for you to take in the silver bowl on the baptismal font. There is also white grape juice (instead of wine) available from the inner circle of the communion tray. Please fill out a communion participation card and hand it to the usher as you come forward.

5:30pm Worship & Music

6:00pm Children's Ministry Team Mtg, Girl Scouts

### Friday, May 6

9:30am-2pm Plant Delivery

2-9:00pm Directory Pictures

6:00pm FH Setup

### Saturday, May 7

10am-4:40pm Directory Pictures

10:30am-2pm Women's Luncheon

5-9pm SEL (Outside)

### Sunday, May 8

8:45am Traditional Worship

10:00am Creation Stations, Middle School SS

11:00am Contemporary Worship

1:00pm Spring of Eternal Life Church

3:00pm SEL Fellowship Hall

## Gathering

## Welcome & Announcements

## Worship Songs

## Children's Message

**Lesson of the Day** 1 Corinthians 13:1-3

**P:** Word of God, Word of life **C: Thanks be to God**

**Message** Pastor Margaret Kelly

## Response Song/Offering

## Prayers

## Communion/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.

## Benediction

## Sending Song

## Sending

**P:** Go in peace to serve the Lord by transforming lives **C: Thanks be to God**

**Today we welcome** Pastor Margaret Kelly from Shobi's Table. The mission of Shobi's Table is to provide food, friendship, faith and employment skills to the homeless and near homeless people of St. Paul. A food truck is the site of food distribution, with program participants serving as the volunteers who cook and serve the food. The program draws a large group of people together who are forming community with each other and finding the resources they need to move toward self-sufficiency.

## Photo Directory

We are doing another church directory with pictures being taken May 4 –7. Sign up today! Each family that is photographed will receive one free 8x10 picture and a free church directory. If you can't make that weekend of pictures, alternative locations will be available—please ask at the table.

## Plant Sale Plants Will Arrive May 6

Help is needed to sort and deliver plants from 9:30 am – 2 pm. Contact Intern Pastor Anne if you can help. Plants will be delivered to homes that Friday afternoon. Plants may also be picked up that day at church after 12 pm.

Forgot to order? No worries! Extra plants will be available on Saturday and Sunday for sale in the narthex (or last day to turn in your order forms is today!). Proceeds help fund the Youth Ministry Programs. Thank you for your generous support!

## Trivia Night!

Thursday, May 19<sup>th</sup> 6:30 pm – 8 pm Time for the annual Trivia Night at ORLC! Grab a funky hat to wear to Trivia Night and sign-up in the narthex on a Trivia Team. Bring a snack to share and refreshments will be provided. Get ready to laugh, be silly and have fun with friends. Prizes for the top three teams! All ages welcome – nursery care will be provided. For more information contact Intern Pastor Anne.

## Women's Luncheon

Don't miss out on the plans for a lovely luncheon and A FLASH TO THE PAST 1920's Style Show on Saturday, May 7 from 10:30am to 2:00pm.

There will be raffles, a money hat and prizes. Tickets not sold at the door so quick arrange for your friends, relatives to join you in this special day. The cost is \$15. Tickets available by phone or between services beginning April 10.

Wear your 1920's hat or costume if you have one. Funds go to tablecloths, décor and special items for the church.

## Flower Gardeners

Anyone interested in helping in the flower gardens, try to come to a meeting today at 10, or talk to Carol Rodriguez at 651-484-7956.

## Rummage Sale

ORLC is hoping to have a rummage sale the first weekend in June. Save your items! We will post more info in the upcoming bulletins on specific details of the sale and when you can drop off your goods!

## Summer Stretch Registration

Parents of youth 6-12 (as of Fall 2016) please pick up a registration packet for Summer Stretch (a weekly service-oriented) ministry at the Welcome Desk. Return forms by May 8. We are looking for adults who can help transport kids during the day and chaperone – please contact Intern Pastor Anne to complete a background check and for more information! We need volunteers to help make this great summer program happen for our youth.

## Serving Up Nutrition Now for Youth

**(S.U.N.N.Y)** - The hunger needs in our community is the greatest in the summer months as children are out of school. Intern Pastor Anne is kicking off her internship project in partnering with Loaves & Fishes to provide a hot-lunch and bag lunch option for Frost Lake Elementary School students in the months June-August. If you are interested in helping in the kitchen, planning meals, providing hospitality to families, donating snacks and helping on a planning team – please contact Intern Pastor Anne. Our first planning meeting will be Tuesday, May 3 from 6:30 pm – 7:30 pm. Sign-ups will be in the narthex in May for people to volunteer.

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