

Our Redeemer Lutheran Church

Transforming Lives & Building Community by Loving God and Serving Others

We welcome you to worship today and trust that God will meet us here and send us out to be his servants in the world.

GATHERING

WELCOME

HYMN “We Are Called” ELW # 720

CHILDREN’S MESSAGE

LESSON OF THE DAY Deuteronomy 10:12-13, Matthew 6:19-24

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

MESSAGE T.H.I.N.K. Intern Pastor Anne Jackson

***HYMN OF THE DAY** “Be Thou My Vision” ELW # 793

***PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH** ELW, Page 152
(After each petition, respond “**Hear our prayer.**”)

OFFERING & WELCOME FOLDERS

***OFFERTORY RESPONSE** “Let the Vineyards” ELW #184

C: Let the vineyards be fruitful, Lord, and fill to the brim our cup of blessing. Gather a harvest from the seeds that were sown, that we may be fed with the bread of life. Gather the hopes and dreams of all; unite them with the prayers we offer. Grace our table with your presence, and give us a foretaste of the feast to come.

P: Let us pray. Merciful Father. **We offer with joy and thanksgiving what you have first given us-ourselves, our time and our possessions, signs of your gracious love. Receive them for the sake of him who offered himself for us, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

***GREAT THANKSGIVING**

ELW, Page 152

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 our thanks and praise.**

P: It is indeed right and salutary ... and join their unending hymn: **C: Holy, holy, holy Lord. Lord, God of pow’r and might. Heav’n and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the LORD. Hosanna in the highest.**

***WORDS OF INSTITUTION/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.

COMMUNION ELW, Page 154

(The congregation is encouraged to sing during the distribution of communion.)

“Guide Me Ever, Great Redeemer” ELW #618

“This Is My Father’s World” ELW # 824

***PRAYER**

***BENEDICTION** ELW, Page 155

HYMN “O Beautiful for Spacious Skies” ELW #888

***DISMISSAL**

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

POSTLUDE

(* = Please stand, if you are able.)

Deuteronomy 10:12-13

The Essence of the Law

12 So now, O Israel, what does the LORD your God require of you? Only to fear the LORD your God, to walk in all his ways, to love him, to serve the LORD your God with all your heart and with all your soul, ¹³and to keep the commandments of the LORD your God and his decrees that I am commanding you today, for your own well-being.

Matthew 6:19-24

Concerning Treasures

19 'Do not store up for yourselves treasures on earth, where moth and rust consume and where thieves break in and steal; ²⁰but store up for yourselves treasures in heaven, where neither moth nor rust consumes and where thieves do not break in and steal. ²¹For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also.

The Sound Eye

22 'The eye is the lamp of the body. So, if your eye is healthy, your whole body will be full of light; ²³but if your eye is unhealthy, your whole body will be full of darkness. If then the light in you is darkness, how great is the darkness!

Serving Two Masters

24 'No one can serve two masters; for a slave will either hate the one and love the other, or be devoted to the one and despise the other. You cannot serve God and wealth.



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