WELCOME TO REDEEMER!

VISITING OR CHECKING US OUT TODAY? THINKING OF JOINING? Redeemer may be the place for you. Here's how to connect:

JOIN US for coffee and hospitality after the 8:00 am and 10:00 am services.

ASK QUESTIONS and fill out a welcome card at our Welcome Table, found in the Narthex (Lobby). If you like, sign-up for a name tag. Greeters, ushers, clergy, and friendly people would love to talk to you!

CHILD CARE is available in the Playroom each Sunday beginning at 8:45 am through 12:15 pm. During 10:00 am worship services, children (grades 1-4) are invited to the Chapel for Children's Liturgy during the Liturgy of the Word and Godly Play (age 3-6) begins in the St. Joseph room at 9:45 am. Both groups will return to services at The Peace. Also during the 10:00 am services, toddlers are in the St. Francis room (pick up in the Playroom) and infant care is in the Playroom. Questions about kid's programming? Text Minister for Families, Brad Gough @ 859-322-6468.

HOW CAN I GET INVOLVED? Contact Anny Stevens-Gleason, Minister for Incorporation and Worship: anny@redeemer-cincy.org or 513.321.6700

RECTOR'S BLOG: WORSHIPING IS A MOVEMENT - "Worship is a movement. It's a movement towards God. Wherever you are in your life, whatever your age, whatever the stage or status of your faith, you are connected to this movement. When you are gathered into this worshiping community you are being swept up into a movement, drawn deeper into the heart of the God who made you."

Read Phil's blog in it's entirety at redeemer-cincy.org/rectors-blog-worshiping-is -a-movement.

SUNG COMPLINE: Every other Sunday, January through April. Join this evening at 9:00 pm in the chapel, as we close the evening in prayer.

WEEKDAY SERVICES

Tuesday: 7:30 am Morning Prayer Wednesday: 6:00 pm Eucharist Thursday: 7:30 am Morning Prayer

WEEKLY BIBLE STUDY

DOWNTOWN BIBLE STUDY: Wednesdays, 12:00 pm, Diocesan Offices. Thoughtful reflection on the upcoming Sunday scripture readings. To learn more, please email philip@redeemer-cincy.org.

THURSDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY: Thursdays, 10:00 am, Parlor. Thoughtful reflection on the book of Genesis. To learn more, please email philip@redeemer-cincy.org. Childcare is provided.

We strive to share our mission of radical welcome and hospitality with the world through photos and video. From time to time we document church events for use in publications, website, and social media. By your presence, you grant Redeemer unrestricted rights to use and publish, transmit or telecast images, and or likenesses that may be taken of you for use in communications related to the church. Please contact Nancy Schwartz, Minister of Communications, with any questions at 513.321.6700 or nancyschwartz@redeemer-cincy.org.

PASTORAL CARE: Redeemer Clergy are here to support you pastorally. If you are, or will be, in the hospital or are confined to home, please be in touch with us. We will be glad to arrange a visit, bring communion to you, and/or speak by phone with you. Call the church office at 513.321.6700 during business hours. If your need is urgent after business hours, call the office and follow the prompts for emergency circumstances.

PASTORAL SERVICES

Baptisms are scheduled throughout the year on specific Sundays (dates available at redeemer-cincy.org). Contact Minister for Worship and Incorporation, Anny Stevens-Gleason.

Blessings of Commitments and Marriage require consultation with clergy (see contact info, below). For arrangements and set-up requirements. contact one of our Wedding Coordinators, Sheila Maxwell, max04@fuse.net, Kathe Kissel, kckissel23@gmail.com.

Funeral and Memorial Service planning may be done in advance or when a death is reported to the church. Contact the Rev. Joyce Keeshin.

Communion for the sick or home-bound (or pastoral visits to the hospital) are arranged through the Rev. Joyce Keeshin.

To add a name to the prayer list, you may fill out one of the prayer request cards found in the narthex (lobby) and drop it in the plate, or contact the Rev. Joyce Keeshin.

THE CLERGY AND STAFF OF REDEEMER ARE HERE FOR YOU

The Rev. Philip DeVaul, Rector, philip@redeemer-cincy.org The Rev. Melanie W. J. Slane, Associate for Mission & Liturgy, melanie@redeemer-cincy.org

The Rev. Joyce Keeshin, Associate for Pastoral Care, joyce@redeemer-cincy.org The Rev. Mitchell Bojarski, Associate for Youth & Young Adults, mitchell@redeemer-cincy.org

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VESTRY OF THE EPISCOPAL CHURCH OF THE REDEEMER

Charles Fellows, Senior Warden; Emily von Allmen, Junior Warden Rob Kranz, Treasurer; Audrey Sesler, Asst. Treasurer; Pattie Kovach, Clerk of Vestry Ryan Andrews, Michael Firesheets, Brett Flodder, Chuck Hardy, Kate Haralson, Alan Henning, Megan Johnson, Kyle Roberts, Andrea Rogers, Betsy Schram, Jim Votaw, Kelli Wisecup



The Third Sunday after the Epiphany January 26, 2020



At Church of the Redeemer, to be engaged in the life of this community, we encourage you to live by The Way of Love: Practices for a Jesus-Centered Life.

The ideal way to learn The Way of Love is in a community of love, support, and accountability. We pray you find that here at Church of the Redeemer.

WORSHIP

Gather in community weekly to thank, praise and dwell with God

When he was at the table with them, he took bread, blessed and broke it, and gave it to them. Then their eyes were opened, and they recognized him.

- Luke 24:30-31

Celebrant: Lift up your hearts. People: We lift them to the Lord

- Book of Common Prayer, P. 361

For Reflection and Discernment

- What communal worship practices move you to encounter God and knit you into the body of Christ?
- How will (or do) you commit to regularly worship?
- With whom will you share the commitment to worship this week?

Welcome to Redeemer! We have a vision of a worshipping community that **knows Jesus and grows in love.** A community that is **united** in relationships of holy connection and communion. A community **growing** with people of every age, race, gender, sexual orientation, socioeconomic situation, and political persuasion. A community **inspired** by our understanding of why we are Christian, why we are Episcopalian, why Redeemer matters to us. A community **sent** into the world, rooted and grounded in love, to serve all people with humility, compassion, and faithfulness. Come, join us on the journey.

JANUARY 26: THE THIRD SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY

8 am RITE I EUCHARIST (Sanctuary)

Sermon: The Rev. Philip DeVaul

In the traditional language of The Book of Common Prayer.

9 am RISE & SHINE (Parlor)

The Rise and Shine discussion group will gather with Brad Gough to discuss the topic: "Slavery Is Not A Historical Problem." We will use scripture and the recent news regarding January being named National Slavery and Human Trafficking Prevention Month.

10 am RITE II EUCHARIST (Sanctuary)

Sermon: The Rev. Philip DeVaul

Redeemer's Adult Choir offers the music of H. Willan and C. Wood and on the organ we will hear pieces from F. Bridge and H. Willan.

10 am THE BANQUET (Great Hall)

Sermon: The Rev. Mitchell Bojarski

11:15 am FORUM (Great Hall)

Inspired to Serve: Engaging in *The Way of Love* - The Rev. Philip DeVaul will lead us on a deeper look at WORSHIP: Gather in community weekly to thank, praise, and dwell with God.

5 pm CELTIC EUCHARIST (Chapel)

Sermon: The Rev. Mitchell Bojarski

An intimate, contemplative service, celebrated in our beautiful chapel.

WELCOME TOURS - A Welcome Tour of the church will be offered on the fourth Sunday of each month after the 10:00 am worship services. The tour should last no longer than 30 minutes. If you still feel a little lost around the building, or are simply curious to see all of the nooks and crannies, join us at the Welcome Table in the narthex/lobby after the 10:00 am worship services **TODAY**. Cynthia Blocksom will be your tour guide and will be pleased show you around the Church of the Redeemer.



SAVE YOUR SHOE BOXES: The Rev. Mitchell Bojarski is collecting shoe boxes for the upcoming Mardi Gras Celebration on Shrove Tuesday, February 25 at 6:00 pm in the Great Hall. If you have any to donate, you may leave them at his office or in the reception area on the office level. Don't miss what promises to be a popular annual community event!

VISIT THE CHURCH LIBRARY - Make a New Year's resolution to learn something new. The Redeemer library can challenge you, comfort you and give you insights into the background of your faith. Nearly 100 newly donated books have recently been added, and all books are organized by subject (see poster in library.). Make a plan to stop by the library and check it out.

PARKING: Parking is on the street. Please pay attention to the signs indicating proper parking zones. Handicapped parking is available in the front on Erie, in the back parking lot, and on the south side of Raymar.

ACCESSIBLE REDEEMER: The front entrance has a ramp and there is an elevator inside the back door and to the left. Accessible restrooms are located in the Lobby inside the front entrance. The nave is equipped with a hearing assistance system. Large print bulletins are available for worship at 10 am in the nave. Please ask an usher for assistance.

FEBRUARY 2: THE FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY

8 am RITE I EUCHARIST (Sanctuary)

Sermon: The Rev. Mitchell Bojarski

In the traditional language of The Book of Common Prayer.

9 am RISE & SHINE (Parlor)

Join us for discussions that are relevant to our lives through the lens of a current topic and scriptural references. Interested in weekly Rise & Shine email updates? Contact Brad Gough, brad@redeemer-cincy.org.

10 am RITE II EUCHARIST (Sanctuary)

Sermon: The Rev. Mitchell Bojarski

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10 am THE BANQUET (Great Hall)

Sermon: The Rev. Philip DeVaul

11:15 am FORUM (Great Hall)

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5 pm CELTIC EUCHARIST (Chapel)

Sermon: The Rev. Philip DeVaul

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STEPHEN MINISTRY OPEN HOUSE - Come share a meal with Stephen Ministry on Monday, February 3 from 5:30 - 6:30 pm in the Parlor. This Stephen Ministry community event is open to all current Stephen Ministers, trainees, and anyone interested in learning more about the ministry from the perspective of either a care receiver or a care giver. It will be a great time of fellowship and information sharing for all. For more information, please contact Becca Morehouse, Health and Wellness Minister, becca@redeemer-cincy.org or the Rev. Joyce Keeshin, Associate for Pastoral Care, joyce@redeemer-cincy.org.



BECOMING BELOVED COMMUNITY RECOMMENDS: THE COURAGE TO CONNECT LENTEN RETREATS - These two

day retreats at Transfiguration Spirituality Center will weave together Christian contemplative awareness of how our bodies keep score; how race operates as a floating signifier, tied to body-memory; and how antiracism is a spiritual practice.

Women's Retreat

February 7-8

Registration Deadline: January 26

Men's Retreat February 28-29

Registration Deadline: February 16

Register now at redeemer-cincy.org/blog/lenten-retreats

MLK Day 2020 - The Martin Luther King Day March begins on Monday, January 20 at 10:30 am outside the National Underground Railroad Freedom Center (the Rev. Melanie W. J. Slane will offer prayer before the march begins). At 11:00 am in Fountain Square there is an Interfaith Prayer Service and afterwards the march will continue to Music Hall for the MLK Commemorative Program. All of these events are free and open to the public. Learn more at mlkcoalition.org.

THIS SUNDAY @ REDEEMER: Available on our website: Copies of the worship bulletins and announcements for the upcoming Sunday. These are part of our weekly posts, www.redeemer-cincy.org/latest-posts and links to the page are also be available in the weekly eNews.

SAVE THE DATE!

Look for more details on these events on our website: redeemer-cincy.org.

February 16, Sunday: Annual Parish Meeting. Great Hall. Following Combined Worship at 9:00 am.

February 16-22: Interfaith Hospitality Network (IHN) Hosting Week.

February 25, Tuesday: Shrove Tuesday/Mardi Gras. 6:00 pm. Great Hall.

February 26, Wednesday: Ash Wednesday. 7:00 am, 12:00 pm, 7:00 pm.

March 5, Thursday: Lenten Evensong. 7:00 pm. Nave/Sanctuary.

March 16, Monday: Refresh Your Soul 2020. 9:00 am - 3:15 pm. Cintas Center.

March 29 - April 4: Interfaith Hospitality Network (IHN) Hosting Week.

April 5, Sunday: Palm/Passion Sunday.

April 6-9: Holy Week. Eucharist Daily, 7:00 am, 12:00 pm, 7:00 pm.

April 10, Friday: Good Friday.

April 11, Saturday: The Great Vigil of Easter. 8:00 pm. Nave/Sanctuary.

April 12, Sunday: Easter Day. 9:00 am, 11:15 am. Nave/Sanctuary.

CALLING ALL MUSICIANS - The Banquet would like to invite new musicians to play at our 10:00 am worship gatherings in the Great Hall. Drummers, percussionists, vocalists, and unique instrumentalists are encouraged to reach out to our Assisting Minister of Music, Liz Clemons, liz@redeemer-cincy.org, for more information. If you feel inspired to offer a joyful noise to God please consider serving in this ministry.



WHAT'S GOING ON AT REDEEMER? - The best sources of information on all our ministries are on our website, redeemercincy.org/latest-posts, Facebook page, facebook.com/RedeemerCincy/, Instagram, RedeemerCincy, and Twitter feed @RedeemerCincy. You can also subscribe to our weekly **eNews** at the bottom of our website homepage redeemer-cincy.org.

EDGE HOUSE CAMPUS MINISTRY - The Rev. Alice Connor serves as Good Shepherd Lutheran's chaplain to the University of Cincinnati at the Edge House campus ministry. Alice and some of her student volunteers visited us last year (and brought us yummy coffee from their coffee cart). This is a reminder that this ministry can always use support. Please visit edge-cu.org/support to see how you might be able to help out.



STEPHEN MINISTERS ARE CARE-GIVERS - The role of a Stephen Minister is to give care. They listen, empathize, encourage, pray, and provide emotional spiritual support on a weekly STEPHEN basis to hurting people for as long as the need persists. God MINISTRY works in and through them to bring hope and healing. If you are

feeling lonely, experiencing a crisis, struggling through a difficult time, or simply stressed by everyday life, our Stephen Ministers are here for you. For more information on Stephen Ministry and being matched with a Stephen Minister please contact Becca Morehouse, Health and Wellness Minister, becca@redeemer-cincy.org or the Rev. Joyce Keeshin, Associate for Pastoral Care, joyce@redeemer-cincy.org.