



THE EPISCOPAL  
**CHURCH OF THE REDEEMER**  
BETHESDA, MARYLAND

*O worship the LORD in the beauty of holiness; let the whole earth stand in awe of him.*

## This Week at Redeemer

### **Adult Forum: No forums in the summer**

If you have an idea for a forum in the fall, please bring it to Bob Yates.

### **Bethesda Cares/Redeemer Cares:**

Redeemer met its Outreach pledge once again on the Sunday before Memorial Day, thanks to the following individuals, who together contributed an abundant meal to the hungry and homeless in our community, served by Bethesda Cares:

Bramman Avery, Jo-Barclay and Brian Beard, Mary Helen Carlson, Dean Cinkala, Marie France, Meredith Griggs, Susan Grigsby, Ben Ivins, the Jennings-Mershon Family, Tami McMinn, Melinda Nelson, Cricket Park, MaryLin Raisch, Denny Shaw, and Helen Zitomer.

Redeemer will next serve a meal on Sunday, July 22.

**Sunday School Teachers** are meeting at 12:15pm on Sunday, June 10.

### **The Collect for the Day:**

O God, your never-failing providence sets in order all things both in heaven and earth: Put away from us, we entreat you, all hurtful things, and give us those things which are profitable for us; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

### **Readings for Sunday:**

1 Samuel 3:1-10(11-20)  
Psalm 139:1-5, 12-17  
2 Corinthians 4:5-12  
Mark 2:23-3:6

## Serving: June 3, 2018

**June 3, 2018 Second Sunday after Pentecost**

**8:00 Service:**

Lector: Marie France

Chalice: Susan Grigsby

**10:30 Service:**

Ushers: Jefferson Arrington, Mary Helen Carlson, TBD

Crucifer: Youth Choir

Acolyte: Olivia Tyler

Lectors: Dawn Fairbanks, TBD

Intercessor: Michael Mershon

Chalice: Michael Mershon, Judy James, Patricia Snowden

Counters: Jane Dealy, Melinda Nelson

Altar Guild: Ann Hartman, Marie France, Cathy Baker

Coffee Hour:



■ **Prayer Requests**

For healing: Rick Abramson, Ellen Boyle, Allison Chow, Joan Eisenstodt, Kiki Garo, Lucien Garo, Jr., John Harbeson, Olivier Jeanne, Judy James, Peter & Beate Kendall, Clarice Leslie, Evelyn Paparelli, Mary Potter, Marilyn Raisch, Rich Randa, Jack Reed, Charlotte Ripa, Bill Ryon, Claudia Serrin, Lynda Shepard, Anne Southard, Karen Stewart, Patricia

Snowden, Ann Taylor, Jimmy Tinto, Hannah Tubbergen, Beth Warner, Edward, Greg, Jerry, Jim, Katie, Leslie, Mollie, Logan, and Jay.

In thanksgiving for birthdays: Whitney Cinkala, Wesley Price, Christine Tomasson, Janice Huey, Jack Mershon, Matthew Arrington

And for the anniversary of Cathy and Jefferson Arrington

For those preparing for Baptism: Patrick Tucker, Anna McInturff

The flowers on the altar on Sunday are given for the glory of God.

**Parish Calendar**

Wednesday, May 31

Morning Prayer, 9:00am

Education for Ministry, 9:30am

AA Meeting, Noon

Holy Eucharist, Noon

Youth Choir Rehearsal, 4:30pm

Thursday, May 31

Balkan Dancers, 7:30pm

Adult Choir Rehearsal, 7:30pm

Friday, June 1

AA Meditation Meeting, Noon

AA Meeting, 6:30 pm

AA Meeting, 8:30pm

Saturday, June 2  
Yoga, 9:30am  
Bristol Choir Rehearsal, 10:00am

Sunday, June 3  
Holy Eucharist, 8:00am  
Child Care and no forum, 9:15am  
Holy Eucharist & Sunday School, 10:30am  
Festal Choral Evensong and reception, 5:00pm

Monday, June 4, Office closed  
AA Meeting, Noon

Tuesday, June 5  
Staff Meeting, 1:00pm  
AA Meeting, 7:30pm  
Education for Ministry, 6:30pm

Wednesday, June 6  
Morning Prayer, 9:00am  
Education for Ministry, 9:30am  
AA Meeting, Noon  
Holy Eucharist, Noon  
Last Youth Choir Rehearsal, 4:30pm  
Redeemer Safety Presentation, 7:00pm

Looking ahead:  
Festival Week preparations, June 5 - 8  
Strawberry Picking and Hulling, June 8  
Strawberry Festival, June 9  
Sunday School Teachers meeting, June 10  
Hitchcock's THE LODGER silent film, June 24  
Independence Day, July 4  
Parish Choir in Bristol, U.K., August 5 - 13

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### Coming Up at Redeemer

#### **Strawberry Festival is NEXT WEEK!** from Michael Mershon

Join the fun at our annual Redeemer Strawberry Festival on Saturday, June 9th. As you know, this event is a key fundraiser for our beloved church home, as well as one of our most important community outreach events.

Silent Auction donations are needed ASAP. We need the forms to assemble the catalog, which will be on our website and available that day. If the donation is an actual item, bring it in Tuesday to Thursday, June 5-7. But, send the donation form with a description today! **Send your donation forms to Bill at: [bill@macbain.us](mailto:bill@macbain.us)**

**Festival Choral Evensong, June 3:** come and celebrate the closing of our choral and Music at Redeemer seasons - one that began with Chris and ends with Geoffrey - with this festival event that gives us an opportunity to share in the Adult Choir's hard work of preparation for its pilgrimage residency at Bristol Cathedral, August 5-13. Chris and Sunny Betts will be accompanying the Choir in Bristol. The service will feature music that the Choir will sing in Bristol, and will be followed by a reception.

**Safety at Redeemer Presentation:** A representative from Montgomery County has agreed to come to Redeemer to discuss practices and procedures for dealing with emergencies such as fire, terrorism, and disruption. The meeting will be June 6th from 7:00 to 9:00pm. We all need to know how to handle emergencies and crafting a workable plan is something that we all need to participate in. Bill MacBain is coordinating this effort.

### **Liturgical Changes:**

Beginning last Sunday, the dismissal follows the Organ Voluntary. Please be seated after the final hymn and enjoy the music. We'll do the dismissal after the voluntary and go to coffee hour together. On June 17th, our low-key summer procedure for assigning readers, chalice bearers, and intercessors starts. Please sign up for ministry when you arrive. Want to practice? The readings are posted in this e-mail every week. Or, go to [www.lectionarypage.net](http://www.lectionarypage.net) to find the readings. We are using Track One this summer for the Old Testament reading.

### **Pastoral Care Ministry** in Memory of Moses Middleton

If you know of anyone who you think would like support from our ministry, please notify us with an email: [pastoral-care-ministry@redeemberbethesda.org](mailto:pastoral-care-ministry@redeemberbethesda.org).

You can help by contributing to the two new resources the Ministry is setting up. Food and transportation are resources we want to be prepared to offer whenever someone is in need. Please help if you are able by:

1. Contributing to the Redeemer "casserole bank." Cricket has offered the use of her large deep freezer for this purpose. You can make an extra casserole when it is convenient. Use a disposable container, label it for Pastoral Care with the date, contents, and number of servings, and bring it to Redeemer.
2. Offering to drive fellow parishioners in need of transport, for example to a medical appointment. Place your name on the 'Drivers List' if you are willing to be called and consider responding to an occasional opportunity to help as needs arise.

As the Ministry develops, we would welcome offers of other specific talents or resources you think could enhance Redeemer's Pastoral Care Ministry. Please feel free to contact Ministry members or chat with us on Sunday at coffee hour. We will be happy to speak with anyone who would like to provide or request assistance.

Current founding members of the Pastoral Care Ministry are: Carolyn Killea Rutledge, Barbara Alterowitz, Mary Packard-Winkler, Brooke Anthony, Patricia Snowden, and Toyin Rose.

**Justice League:** Ambassador Mark C. Storella, Deputy Assistant Secretary of State, Bureau of Population, Refugees and Migration will come talk to us about refugee issues on June 5 at 7:30 at St. Dunstan's. He will include an update on their refugee admission program and a broader perspective to include things they are doing in terms of refugee assistance around the world and their humanitarian diplomacy on behalf of refugees.

## Redeemer Book Group - Note new date

Our next book we will be reading is *Cluny Brown* by Margery Sharp, a *New York Times* best-selling author. A parlor maid, Cluny Brown, upends the lives of an aristocratic family in prewar England. The book will be discussed on June 10 at the home of Huda & Jochen Kraske, 4550 North Park Avenue, Apt. 410, Chevy Chase, Md. 20815. After that, we will be reading the following two books: *Sing Unburied Sing* by Jesmyn Ward and the *Sympathizer* by Viet Thanh Nguyen. More on these two books later. Questions: contact Huda Kraske at [HQKraske@aol.com](mailto:HQKraske@aol.com)

## Music Department launches a new venture

Exciting prospects ahead: This September we will be launching a combined community non-auditioned outreach chorus with St Dunstan's in an initiative called the Glen Echo Singers, a 501(c) 3 that will work alongside Friends of Music at Redeemer to enrich our music, strengthen our identity, and grow our community-without draining our core budgets. The mission of this ensemble, which will meet on Wednesday nights, is to bring music in particular to those who can't travel easily (the elderly, the sick), music therapy to dementia patients, to bring an uplifting moment to carers and volunteers at soup kitchens etc., and to nurture the new ensemble's membership through new artistic experiences. The first rehearsal will be Wednesday, September 12.

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