



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 during Epiphany are cancelled, and a new one is added.

Please go to www.edow.org and click on the "Way of Love" to access the remainder of this program. In lieu of a formal weekly program, please join the rector for coffee and conversation. It's a great time to bring your needlecraft too!

Join us on March 3rd for a special presentation by Jordan Denari Duffner. We've invited our friends from Potomac Islamic Community Center to join us that day. She has a book titled: "finding Jesus among Muslims - How loving Islam makes me a better Catholic."

[Program Flyer](#)

The Collect for the Day:

Almighty and everlasting God, you govern all things both in heaven and on earth: Mercifully hear the supplications of your people, and in our time grant us your peace; 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:

- **Jeremiah 1:4-10**
- **1 Corinthians 13:1-13**
- **Luke 4:21-30**
- **Psalms 71:1-6**

Serving: *Sunday, February 3*

February 3, 2019

8:00 Service:

Lector: Dean Cinkala

Chalice: Susan Grigsby

10:30 Service:

Ushers: Jefferson Arrington, Mary Helen Carlson, Bill MacBain

Crucifer: Youth Choir

Acolyte: Thad Arrington

Lectors: Lisa MacBain, Marcia Sartwell

Intercessor: Patricia Snowden

Chalice: Ben Ivins, Helen Zitomer, Justin Hess

Counters: Deborah Babcock-Daley, Clark Downs

Coffee Hour: Patricia Snowden

Staff Meeting, 1:30pm
MS Group, 6:30pm
AA Meeting, 7:30 pm

Wednesday, February 6

Morning Prayer, 9:00am
AA Meeting, Noon
Holy Eucharist, Noon
Youth Choir Rehearsal, 4:30pm
Glen Echo Singers Rehearsal, 7:30pm (at St Dunstans)

Looking ahead:

The Whiffenpoofs in Concert, February 9

Pancake Supper, March 5

Ash Wednesday, March 6

Men's Retreat, March 29 - 31

Coming Up at Redeemer

**PRAY Youth Group Redeemer & St. Dunstan's Youth
2nd and 4th Wednesday* 5th through 12th graders
February 13 @ Redeemer, February 27 @ St. Dunstan's
Dinner and Program starts at 6:00pm.**



Simple meal and fellowship offered to all before Youth Groups from St. Dunstan's and Redeemer's joint youth programs meet. Youth Group is for 5th through 12th grades and meets after dinner from 6:30 to 7:30pm. Friends of youth are always welcome at dinner and youth group. PLEASE sign up by Monday so that the appropriate amount of food is prepared!

****Beginning in January, Youth Group will meet on the 2nd and 4th Wednesdays.***

Coffee Hour

There is a sign-up sheet on the board and we invite you to take a Sunday. If the cost of hosting is holding you back, please know that there is money in the budget to help reimburse you. Thank you for helping our ministry of hospitality.

At this time, we need volunteers!

Bell ringers invited:

I'm looking for 6-7 volunteers to prepare a bell fanfare for Easter Vigil. They do not need to have experience. We would practice on Thursdays at 6 until 7pm in the sanctuary. Any interested ringers please contact Silvia Maza at silviamaza357@gmail.com or phone me at (301) 523-0563 and leave a message with your name and contact information. Thank you for your attention,

Silvia Maza

Discernment Group at Redeemer - today at 12:15pm

A group has formed to practice deep listening and to share the experience of this practice with one another or just to be in silence together. A small number of interested parishioners met this fall and agreed to meet on the first Sunday of each month at 12:15pm in the adult classroom. There is silent reflection and voluntary sharing of the experience of a daily review. No experience of this practice is necessary, and any curiosity about spiritual

discernment of one's path in life may be brought to this simple gathering. We meet for about 45 minutes. A helpful companion is the booklet by Lois Lindbloom called "Is That You, God? Cultivating Discernment as a Way of Life" (2007). Marilyn has several copies available. So have a coffee after the 10:30am service and then meet us for a quiet time. Epiphany is a great season of quiet mystery. Join us whenever you can.

In Peace,

Marilyn Raisch raischm@gmail.com

Bethesda Cares - Collecting Warmth

Bethesda Cares is our local support center for homeless adults in our town. We are asking for donations of new or clean, lightly used clothing for both men and women as follows: Hats, gloves, scarves, socks, jackets, sweatshirts, and blankets are always welcome. We have a tote in the Parish Hall coat closet where donations can be dropped off. Church volunteers will take them to the Bethesda Cares center in downtown Bethesda. Two more volunteers are needed to help to deliver these throughout the winter season.

Marie France tweedfrance@gmail.com

Be sure to get a seat for the Music at Redeemer events in February and March:

Saturday, February 2, at 5pm - EYA in Concert

Saturday, February 9, at 7pm - The Whiffenpoofs in Concert

Saturday, March 2, at 7pm - Erik and Chuyoung Suter

Rachmaninoff & Grieg Piano Concertos

Tickets for these concerts are available at Eventbrite, which is accessible through the MusicAtRedeemer.org website.

Redeemer Book Group - New Book!

The next book we will be reading is *The Killers of the Flower Moon* by David Grann. In the 1920's, the richest people per capita in the world were members of the Osage Indian Nation in Oklahoma. After oil was discovered beneath their land, they rode in chauffeured cars and lived in mansions. Then, one by one, they began to be killed. The book is the real story that exposes one of the most chilling conspiracies in American history, touching on the birth of the FBI. It will be discussed on February 24 at 3:00 pm at the house of Susan Grigsby, 7325 University Avenue, Glen Echo, Md. 20812, Phone 301 229 7735. For questions, contact Huda Kraske at hqkraske@aol.com.

After that, we will be reading *Pale Blue Ink in a Lady's Hand* by Franz Werfel followed by *The Land Breakers* by John Ehle. For more information, contact Huda Kraske at hqkraske@aol.com or 301-656-2087.

Men's Retreat

Friday through Sunday

March 29th - 31st

Meeting for our ninth annual weekend retreat, men of the Church of the Redeemer will gather in Berkeley Springs, West Virginia, on the weekend of March 29 - 31, with David Schlafer as our convener, to share experiences and reflections, and enjoy each other's company.

The topic this year will be:

Men and Their Mentoring:

Who Has Mentored US, and Whom Have WE Mentored?

Please mark your calendars and plan to be there. The cost will again be \$200 each.

This includes room and meals. Scholarships are available!

Sign-up sheet in the parish hall. Questions: Jefferson7019@aol.com

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