



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

### The Collect for the Day:

Almighty God, you have built your Church upon the foundation of the apostles and prophets, Jesus Christ himself being the chief cornerstone: Grant us so to be joined together in unity of spirit by their teaching, that we may be made a holy temple acceptable to you; 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:

2 Samuel 1:1, 17-27  
Psalm 130  
2 Corinthians 8:7-15  
Mark 5:21-43

## Serving: *not scheduled in the summer*

**Note:** During the summer, sign up on the board in the narthex. You may sign up to read the week before, and you will get the readings by email, but all other positions are assigned on-the-spot. We encourage people, especially young people, to experiment with positions that they have never done before. We will go back to assignments on September 9th. If you want to be included in the regular scheduling, youth included, send an email to the office - [office@redeemberbethesda.org](mailto:office@redeemberbethesda.org)



### ■ Prayer Requests

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

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

In thanksgiving for birthdays: Zac Seckel, Dee Beilstein, Christoph Muenchow-Pohl,

Marcia Sartwell, Abe Sauer

And for the anniversary of Howard and Julie Wolf-Rodda

For those preparing for Baptism: Patrick Tucker, Anna McInturff

For successful mission trips for P.R.A.Y.

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

## **Parish Calendar**

### **Wednesday, June 27**

Morning Prayer, 9:00am

Music Together, 10:00 - 11:45am

AA Meeting, Noon

Holy Eucharist, Noon

Vestry Meeting, 6:30pm

### **Thursday, June 28**

**Office Hours @ Sangamore, 10:00 - 12:00am**

Balkan Dancers, 7:30pm

### **Friday, June 29**

AA Meditation Meeting, Noon

AA Meeting, 6:30 pm

AA Meeting, 8:30pm

### **Saturday, June 30**

Yoga, 9:30am

The Advent Project concert, 4:00pm

### **Sunday, July 1**

Holy Eucharist, 8:00am

Child Care, 9:15am

Holy Eucharist, 10:30am

### **Monday, July 2, Office closed**

AA Meeting, Noon

### **Tuesday, July 3**

Staff Meeting, 1:00pm

AA Meeting, 7:30pm

### **Wednesday, July 4**

Independence Day

AA Meeting, Noon

NO Holy Eucharist, Noon

### **Looking ahead:**

Labyrinth Walks begin July 9

Parish Choir in Bristol, U.K., August 5 - 13

Backpack Packing Party, August 5

Glen Echo Singers Rehearsal, September 12

P.R.A.Y. Kickoff at St. Dunstan's, September 19

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## Coming Up at Redeemer

### **From Amma Cricket to Parents of young people 5th grade and above:**

Over the past two years, Deacon Sue and the clergy of Redeemer, St. Dunstan's, and St. Patrick's have planted the seeds for a long-term cooperative effort called the Potomac River Anglican Youth (P.R.A.Y.). In our review of this program we realize that in order for this collaboration to work, our young people need to meet together a minimum of twice a month. *For this to happen, parents of said youth must commit to get them to the meetings!*

Beginning in the fall (September 19th), P.R.A.Y. will meet on the 1st and 3rd Wednesdays of each month. The meetings on the 1st Wednesdays will be here at Redeemer; the 3rd Wednesday meetings will be at St. Dunstan's. Dinner will be at 6:00 p.m. and the program will run from 6:30 - 7:30 p.m.

If everyone who participated in a P.R.A.Y. event last year came regularly to meetings, we would have a group of 15-20 youth. If we have enough high school students (minimum of 5), Sue will have a program for them specifically. Young people need a cadre of their peers who will support each other as Christians as they negotiate their world. Please mark your calendars now and support your children's faith journey.

### **Redeemer's Annual Backpack Project**

Shannon Yehl is our chair for the annual backpack project benefiting DC elementary school children. She'll share information on Sunday and start collecting donations for the supplies. The packing party is August 5th after the 10:30 a.m. service.

### **Summer Conversations beginning in July!**

Between services, join the rector for an informal time of conversation. If you'd like, we could read a book together, or just spend time chatting with each other. (Bring your craft project, if you have one!)

### **Labyrinth Walks in July!**

Mondays in July, please join us for the Summer Labyrinth Walks. We will start on July 9th and end on July 30th and have live music from 7:00 to 8:00pm most days. Come when you can and stay as long as you wish.

### **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR SUMMER WATER MINISTRY AT ST. COLUMBA'S**

This summer Redeemer will be joining St. Columba's and St. Dunstan's in serving the guests who come to St. Columba's for the summer water ministry services which include showers, laundry and lunch. Water Ministry is open Mon, Tues, Thursday and Friday from

June through mid August at St. Columba's church in Tenleytown. Volunteer jobs include:

- setting up the lunch room and helping with clean up or
- enrolling guests and monitoring the laundry and shower services, or
- preparing a simple sandwich and salad lunch and cleaning up.

You can volunteer for one day, everyday or anything in between. If you are interested in participating see Karen Stewart at coffee hour, email karenstewart0405@gmail.com or text at 301-310-1014.

## **Redeemer Book Group**

The Book Group will next be reading the book "Sing, Unburied, Sing" by Jesmyn Ward. This novel is a searing, urgent read for anyone who thinks the shadows of slavery and Jim Crow have passed and anyone who assumes the ghosts of the past are easy to placate. It is hard to imagine a more necessary book for this political era. This book will be discussed at 3:00 pm on Sunday, July 29, 2018 at the home of Huda and Jochen Kraske, 4550 North Park Avenue, Apt. 410, Chevy Chase, Md. 20815, phone 301 656 2087. For further information, pls. contact Huda Kraske at hqkraske@aol.com. The book to be read after this book will be The Sympathizer by Viet Thanh Nguyen.

## **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 at St. Dunstan's on Wednesday, September 12.

## **More Music Department News**

Looking ahead to August, the keen-eyed among you may notice that choir members will be absent from the pews. This is because we are going on a pilgrimage week to Bristol Cathedral in the UK (August 5-12) a culmination of two years of planning by my predecessor, Chris Betts (who will be attending to play organ and direct on the Friday).

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