



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

### **AT A LOSS OF INNOCENCE: LOVE AND WAR THROUGH SONG**

Join tenor Brian Giebler and our very own Geoffrey Silver for a concert at 7pm on Friday. Works by English composers including Ivor Gurney, John Ireland and Benjamin Britten. This is the last Music at Redeemer event of the season. Tickets are available at the door, and in advance on [www.eventbrite.com](http://www.eventbrite.com) (link through the Church site). Reception follows. Thank you all for continuing to support the series by your presence, by purchasing tickets, and underwriting. Look out for the exciting 2019-2020 season, coming soon.

### **Strawberry Festival Update from Michael Mershon!**

The annual Strawberry Festival is fast approaching! Please consider how you can help make this year's festival another rousing success. Share our Facebook event with your friends on social media. Take some time today to eyeball your books, collectibles and gently used clothing and think about what can be donated for resale (but please don't bring anything to the church until the calendar turns to June 2!)

Join us on Friday, June 7th for early morning picking at Butler's Orchard, midday hulling at the Clara Barton Community Center, or an afternoon shopping run to Costco. Bake something for the bake sale. And if you have other fun strawberry-themed ideas for the festival, please let Michael Mershon know! E-mail him at [jenningsmershon@gmail.com](mailto:jenningsmershon@gmail.com)

#### **The Collect for Sunday:**

O God, the King of glory, you have exalted your only Son Jesus Christ with great triumph to your kingdom in heaven: Do not leave us comfortless, but send us your Holy Spirit to strengthen us, and exalt us to that place where our Savior Christ has gone before; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, in glory everlasting. Amen.

#### **Readings for Sunday:**

- Acts 16:16-34
- Revelation 22:12-14,16-17,20-21
- John 17:20-26
- Psalm 97

*Serving: Sunday, June 2, 2019*

**June 2, 2019**

**8:00 Service:**

Lector: Rachel King  
Chalice: Marie France

**10:30 Service:**

Ushers: Jefferson Arrington, Meredith Griggs, Michael Mershon  
Crucifer: Youth Choir  
Acolyte: Helen Zitomer  
Lectors: Bill MacBain, Bob Yates  
Intercessor: John Nelson  
Chalice: Jenny Nachbar, Michael Hart, Steve France  
Counters: Ben Ivins, Jane Dealy  
Coffee Hour:

**Sunday's attendance: 148 (previous Sunday 116)**

**■PRAYER REQUESTS**

**For healing:** Frank Anderson, Joan Eisenstodt, Kiki Garo, Lou Garo, Lucien Garo, Jr., Eileen & Robert Hubbard, Olivier Jeanne, Judy James, Peter & Beate Kendall, Gary Lorenz, Clarice Leslie, Susan Moore, Mary

Potter, Marilyn Rossie, Claudia Serrin, Anne Southard, Patricia Snowden, Karen Stewart, Ann Taylor, Jimmy Tinto, Michele C. Underwood, Lois Vuolo, Jerry, Eileen and Anabel

**For the Repose of the Soul** of Philip Dibenedetto

**For those preparing for baptism on Pentecost:** Arthur Hoogerheide, and River Amouri

**In thanksgiving for birthdays:** David Brown, Whitney Cinkala, Wesley Price, Christine Tomasson, Janice Huey, Jack Mershon

**In thanksgiving for Anniversaries:** Cathy & Jefferson Arrington, and Katie & Josh Nickerson

**For safety while away:** Laura & Douglas Rose; Brenda, Tilla, & Kialah McAntony; Jim & Mary Packard-Winkler

**The flowers on the altar** are given to the glory of God.  
Please sign up to dedicate the flowers to your special intention.

# Parish Calendar

## **Wednesday, May 29**

Morning Prayer, 9:00am  
Education for Ministry, 9:30am  
AA Meeting, Noon  
Holy Eucharist, Noon  
Ministry with Larmax Homes, 2:00pm  
Youth Choir Rehearsal, 4:30pm

## **Thursday, May 30**

Collar & Coffee Office Hours at Sangamore, 10:00am  
Balkan Dancers, 7:30pm  
Adult Choir Rehearsal, 7:30pm

## **Friday, May 31**

AA Meditation Meeting, Noon  
AA Meeting, 6:30 pm  
AA Meeting, 8:30pm  
Brian Giebler, Tenor and Geoffrey Silver, Countertenor, 5:00pm

## **Saturday, June 1**

Yoga, 9:30am

## **Sunday, June 2**

Holy Eucharist, 8:00am  
Child Care, 9:15am  
Holy Eucharist & Sunday School, 10:30am  
Discernment Group at Redeemer, 12:15pm

## **Monday, June 3 - Office Closed**

AA Meeting, Noon

## **Tuesday, June 4**

AA Meeting, 7:30pm  
Staff Meeting, 1:30pm

## **Wednesday, June 5**

Morning Prayer, 9:00am  
Education for Ministry, 9:30am  
AA Meeting, Noon  
Holy Eucharist, Noon  
Youth Choir Rehearsal, 4:30pm

## **Looking ahead:**

June 8, Strawberry Festival  
June 9, Pentecost  
June 15, Rector's Welcome Lunch

**Please take the survey that went out this morning! Let your voice be heard.**

**Redeemer Spirit will be out this week! If you have something to add, please send it now.**

**Rector's Welcome Lunch on June 15 at 12:30pm.** Join Chief Spiritual Officer Cricket Park for lunch and conversation about the parish and opportunities for you to be in ministry at Redeemer. You are invited even if you are not new to Redeemer! Please RSVP by June 11th.

**Youth Field Trip to the Holocaust Museum.** Youth who are rising 5th graders and above, and their parents, are eligible to participate in this field trip. Amma Cricket has 16 tickets remaining for the trip on Saturday, June 22nd. We must be at the museum at 12:30 pm. Please let her know as soon as possible if you wish to go. We'll make carpool plans closer to the date of the event.

### **Water Ministry Summer Volunteers Needed at St. Columba's**

**A great opportunity to serve our community for those 18 years and older.**

Redeemer is partnering with St Columba's to offer lunch, laundry, and showers to adults in need year round, which we call the Water Ministry. Our summer Water Ministry starts June 3 and runs through August 2. We are open Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays and need five volunteers each day to assist our guests with showers and laundry, prepare simple lunches, set up for our guests, and clean up afterwards. Our hours are from 10:00am and finish around 1:30pm, once our guests have gone. We welcome volunteers who can come weekly, monthly or every now and then. We will provide an orientation. This is a wonderful chance to make a difference and help those truly in need. If interested in volunteering, please contact our parishioner Karen Stewart at Karenstewart0405@gmail.com. We look forward to meeting and working with you.

### **Redeemer Book Group**

The book we are reading is *The Devil in the White City* by Erik Larson. The book narrates the steps taken to build the legendary World Fair in Chicago, circa 1893, thereby securing America's place in the world. At the same time, it details the actions of the cunning serial killer who used the fair to lure his victims to their death. The book will be discussed at 3:00 pm on Sunday June 23, at the home of Huda & Jochen Kraske (phone number 301 656 2087 or email: hqkraske@aol.com). After that, we will be reading *March* by Geraldine Brooks.

### **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.

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