



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



### **TONIGHT: Book Discussion: Seeing My Skin**

**Time: Jun 30, 2020 07:00 PM Eastern Time (US and Canada)**

The Rev. Patty Alexander and our friends at St. Dunstan's have invited us to take part in a discussion of the Rev. Peter Jarrett-Schell's book *Seeing My Skin*\*. This book is available free online during the month of June. There are other resources listed on the diocesan website as well.

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84368373987>

Meeting ID: 843 6837 3987

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\*The book is not expensive. (\$10 on Kindle) If you can, please purchase it and support Rev. Peter's ministry.

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### **An Independence Day, Appropriately Distant, Food Drive for Manna Food Pantry**

It may be Independence Day, but we are still dependent on each other and God. Let's make the holiday count! Please make plans to be a part of this vestry-approved, kid-friendly, contact-less food drive!

Youth are invited to gather from 9-11am on July 4th at church and help. We all will wear masks and gloves (please supply your own) and collect the food from people in their cars. Adult volunteers will give us a hand and take the food up to Manna. Afterward, those who wish to stay will eat pizza on the lawn. If you can donate a can or two of food, there will be people in Montgomery County incredibly grateful to you.

Please let Amma Cricket know if your young person would like to participate or you would like to be an adult volunteer. Please understand that this is not a mandatory event. If you are not comfortable coming out currently, it's okay. Do what is right for you and your family.

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Thank you for keeping your pledges current!  
<https://www.redeemberbethesda.org/stewardship-giving/online-payments/>



## Worship

### **Collect for Sunday:**

O God, you have taught us to keep all your commandments by loving you and our neighbor: Grant us the grace of your Holy Spirit, that we may be devoted to you with our whole heart, and united to one another with pure affection; 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:**

Genesis 24:34-38, 42-49, 58-67

Psalms 45: 11-18

Romans 7:15-25a

Matthew 11:16-19, 25-30

### **Worship On Sunday \*New Zoom Address\***

*TheFIVE*

Time: Jun 28, 2020 04:00 PM Eastern Time

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81643035778>

Meeting ID: 816 4303 5778

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We've made a few adjustments, hence the new address. Once you are in the meeting, PLEASE mute yourself. If you do not, the host(s) will do it for you. We know it's weird. Limiting the number of microphones open makes the sound better and eliminates feedback - which is really annoying. Be aware that we are recording the meeting. If you make any noise (including touching your phone) you will fill the screens on the recording. If you do not want your picture recorded, please stop your video. If you have a problem CALL BOB! 240-205-5783.

**The Washington National Cathedral Sunday Service is at 11:15am.  
Go to [www.cathedral.org](http://www.cathedral.org).**

### **■PRAYER REQUESTS**

**For healing:** Frank Anderson, Kim Barrett, Grace Beard, Mary Helen Carlson, Chrissy de Fontenay, Brendan Dealy, Joan Eisenstodt, Susan Forsyth, Kiki Garo, Natalie S. Graham, Tom & Margaret Greene, Judy James, Olivier Jeanne, Peter & Beate Kendall, Sujie Kim, Kelsie Kimberlin, Anna Kraske &



Contact Steve Gibson and Mary K Young for log-in information

Holy Eucharist, 11:15am  
National Cathedral Livestream  
[www.cathedral.org](http://www.cathedral.org)

Redeemer Book Club (via Zoom)  
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88265752899>

Zoom Coffee Hour at 4:30pm followed by TheFIVE, with more time to mingle after the service  
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81643035778>

**Monday, July 6**  
Office closed

**Tuesday, July 7**  
Staff Meeting on Zoom at 1:30pm

Needlers/Knit-Along on Zoom at 4:30pm  
Meeting ID: 870 8317 3624 Password: 128143

**Wednesday, July 8**  
Lectionary Bible Study on Zoom at Noon  
Meeting ID: 859 1202 8288 Password: 173917  
A discussion based on the readings for the upcoming Sunday

**The Building is Closed; the Church has been deployed!**

### **Redeemer Book Group**

The next book that we will be discussing is " People of the Book " by Geraldine Brooks. We have previously read two of her books: Nine Parts of Desire and March. In her new book, Brooks recounts the history of the Sarajevo Haggadah. The Haggadah is a ritual book that recounts the escape of the Jews from bondage in Egypt, and is often recited at Passover. The Sarajevo Haggadah is at least 650 years old, and has calfskin pages illuminated with gold, lapis lazuli and malachite. It was made in Spain around 1350 and has withstood war and persecution, bearing silent witness to tumultuous events . After Spain expelled its Jews in 1492, the Haggadah found its way to Italy and then Vienna before reaching multicultural Bosnia. In 1894, the National Museum in Sarajevo bought the Haggadah from a Sephardic family in Sarajevo. During WWII, German troops searched for the legendary book, but the Museum's Catholic Director and Muslim Curator bravely hid the book inside a mosque in a mountain village. And the story of the Sarajevo Haggadah goes on. This is a wonderful illustration of multi-religious cooperation to save a precious treasure. A planned film based on this book has been delayed because of the pandemic.

If interested, even if you have not read the book, please join the zoom meeting on July 5 at 2:00 hosted by our Rector Cricket at the following link:  
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88265752899>

Questions? Contact Huda at [hqkraske@aol.com](mailto:hqkraske@aol.com)

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**No one from Redeemer will ever ask you to buy gift cards or send money. THIS INCLUDES FELLOW PARISHIONERS. Please be careful!**

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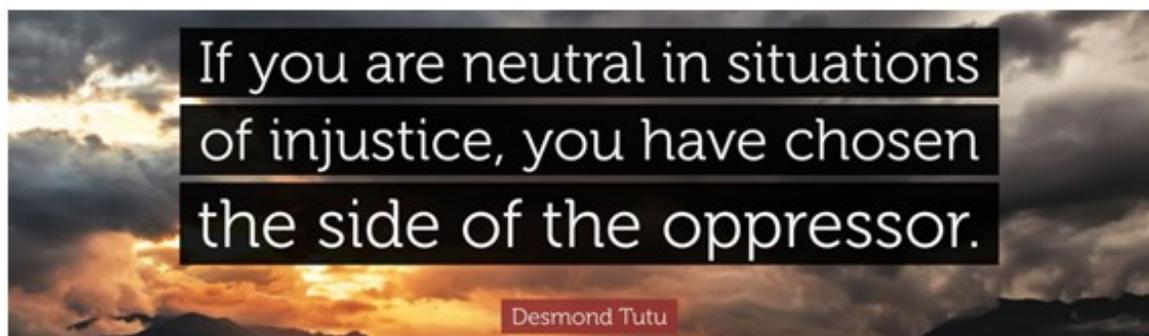
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