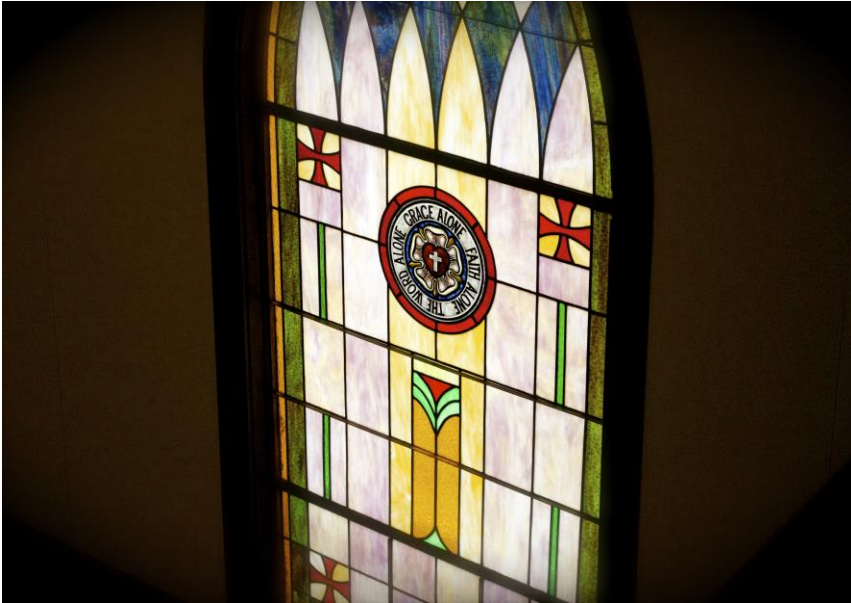


OUR REDEEMER'S RECORD



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Scripture Readings for the Month

April 7, Second Sunday of Easter

Mary Karl, Reader

Acts 4:32-35, Psalm 148,
1 John 1:1-2:2, John 20:19-31

April 14, Third Sunday of Easter

Mitch Rhen, Reader

Acts 13:11-21, Psalm 4,
1 John 3:1-7, Luke 24:36-49

April 21, Fourth Sunday of Easter

Chris Rhen, Reader

Acts 4:1-12, Psalm 23,
1 John 3:16-24, John 10:11-18

April 28, Fifth Sunday of Easter

Karen Janousek, Reader

Acts 8:26-40, Psalm 150,
1 John 4:1-11, John 15:1-8

Servers for the Month

Readers:

7: Mary Karl
14: Mitch Rhen
21: Chris Rhen
28: Karen Janousek

Coffee Fellowship:

Barb Lunde

Altar Guild/Communion

Prep: Diann Hauger

Greeters:

7: Jim Christianson
14: Diann Hauger
21: Curt Hukee
28: Kevin & Jody Randall

PP & Live Stream:

7: Mark Karl
14: Brent Witthoef
21: Jodie Davy
28: Robin & Kristina Wisner

April Birthdays & Anniversaries

3rd Lloyd & Debbie Hietala
7th Jody Randall
8th Dawson Beito
10th Chris Beito
10th Brett Christianson
11th Roger Davy
11th Jada Rose Stafford
12th Leah Meland
12th Amelia Stainbrook
15th Brenda Jenson
16th Katie Rhen
26th Dave & Connie Creviston
29th Robin & Kristina Wisner



Prayers for Healing, Strength & Comfort:

Wendy Lee, Dryden Thompson, Edward Moe, Sallie Wilkus, Gordon Broten, Brian Yates, Donnie Brekke, Lonnie Hagen, Lloyd Frosaker, Sissy Dunrud, June Hagen, Toby Swenson, Pastor Joseph & the Haitian Ministry
The Family & Friends of Evan Foster, Arlene Howell, Joshua Anderson, David Rinde & Deb Mundt

If you have any prayer concerns or know of anyone that should be added to or taken off of these lists, please contact the church office. Thank you!

April Worship Schedule & Calendar Events

- Sunday, April 7th – Second Sunday in Easter Worship @10am & Coffee Fellowship
 - Church Council Meeting & Coffee Fellowship
- Sunday, April 14th – Third Sunday in Easter Worship @10am w/Holy Communion
 - Coffee Fellowship
- Sunday, April 21st – Fourth Sunday of Easter Worship w/Shawn Wagner @ 10am
 - Coffee Fellowship
- Sunday, April 28th – Fifth Sunday of Easter Worship @10am & Coffee Fellowship
 - Special Congregational Meeting

Our Redeemer's Council Minutes

Sunday, March 3, 2024

In attendance: Mark Karl, Mark Foldesi, Jodie Davy, Chris Rhen, & Barb Broten. Absent: Jim Christianson & Joe Olson

The meeting was called to order by Council President, Mark K.

An opening prayer was led by Council President, Mark K.

The agenda was reviewed. A motion to approve the agenda was made by Mark F., seconded by Barb - M.C.

The Secretary's Report from the Annual Meeting was read as submitted by Mary Karl. A motion to approve was made by Mark Foldesi, seconded by Barb - M.C.

The Treasurer's Report was submitted by Jodie. A motion to approve was made by Barb, seconded by Chris - M.C. The revised annual budget was address and confirmed. Thank you letters from 2023 year-end donations were received. Jodie reported that the business renewal filing with the Secretary of State has been completed. Jodie submitted our Audit for our Worker's Compensation Insurance. The \$900.00 from the Mission Outward miscellaneous budget that the Council had voted in December to donate to Haiti has not yet been sent to Pastor Joseph. Our Men's Pancake Breakfast income on January 21st was \$2,100.00, of which \$1,000.00 was used to reimburse our miscellaneous fund for money sent to Pastor Joseph in November. Mitch had sent \$1,200.00 to Pastor Joseph on January 24th, so \$800.00 of the \$900.00 remains to be disbursed. We decided that we will send Joseph those funds after the pancake breakfast to be held on March 24th.

Building & Grounds:

1. Prep & paint 1,000 gallon LP tank
2. Clean-up main entrance & bell tower (weed, trim shrubs, etc.)
3. Service Bell tower/make sure bell is working
4. New audio equipment for livestream
5. Sale of excess tables & chairs (donation request)

Old Business:

1. Pastoral Vacancy - No updates at this time. Mark Foldesi commented the Free Church is also needing a Pastor as well. Mark Karl commented on what he thought applicants would expect for salary and benefits. Further discussion in new business.
2. Haiti Mission - see new business.

New Business:

1. Congregational meeting to discuss path forward/possibly partnering with another church, etc.
 - a. Need a posting 2 weeks in advance for a Special Congregational Meeting. We will have this meeting April 28th.
 2. Men's Pancake Breakfast Sunday, March 24th (Palm Sunday) to benefit Haiti Mission. The proceeds from the breakfast in addition to the remaining \$800.00 from 2023 Miscellaneous donations balance will be sent together.
 3. Donation requests reviewed:
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- a. A motion to donate \$100.00 to the Badger Post Prom was made by Barb, seconded by Chris - M.C.
- b. Donation request by Northwest Minnesota Foundation and Samaritan's Purse were discussed with the decision to table a decision.

Other remarks or concerns:

None at this time.

Our next meeting is Sunday, April 7th, 2024.

Barb made a motion to adjourn; seconded by Chris -M.C.

The meeting closed with the Lord's Prayer.

Submitted by Jodie Davy, Secretary/Treasurer

Notice is hereby given that a Special Meeting of the Congregation will take place Sunday, April 28th, 2024, at Our Redeemer's immediately following the worship service. The purpose of this meeting will be to hold a discussion on a plan for a path forward in our congregational life in the absence of pastoral leadership. This will be the only matter of business conducted at this meeting. Please plan on attending this important meeting and contributing to the future of Our Redeemer's.

