

## HAPPENING THIS WEEK

SUNDAY	APRIL 24 • SUNDAY	
8:15am	DW	Worship
9:00am	ON	Children's Ministry Zoom
9:30am	ALL	Worship
9:30am	DW	Christian Education <i>Preschool—grade 12</i>
9:30am	DW	Adult Bible Study
9:30 & 11am	DW	Nursery
11:00am	DW	Worship
11:00am	DW	Confirmation Class
6-7:30pm	DW	High School Group

MONDAY	APRIL 25	
6:30pm	DW	Finance Meeting—Conference Room

TUESDAY	APRIL 26	
10am-2pm	DW	Food Pantry
5:30-7pm	DW	Food Pantry
6-7:30pm	DW	Middle School Youth Group

WEDNESDAY	APRIL 27	
10:00am	DW	Senior Bible Study
11:00am	SJ	<i>Mid Week Bible Study in St. Johns</i>
2:30-4:30pm	DW	Open Gym grades 6-12
7:00pm	DW	Worship Team Practice

THURSDAY	APRIL 28	
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FRIDAY	APRIL 29	Building closed
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SATURDAY	April 30	
9:30am	SJ	<i>Yoga (St. Johns Campus)</i>

SUNDAY	MAY 1 - CELEBRATION SUNDAY	
8:15am	DW	Worship
8:45-9:45am	DW	Celebration Brunch #1 DeWitt Campus
9:00am	ON	Children's Ministry Zoom
9:30am	ALL	Worship
9:30am	DW	Christian Education for Preschool-Grade 12
9:30am	DW	Adult Bible Study today
9:30 & 11am	DW	Nursery
10:15-11:15am	DW	Celebration Brunch #2 DeWitt Campus
10:30am	SJ	<i>St. Johns Campus Celebration Brunch</i>
11:00am	DW	Worship
11:00am	DW	Confirmation Class
6-7:30p	DW	High School Group

Key: DW—DeWitt; SJ—St. Johns; ON—Online; All—All Campuses



ONE CHURCH. TWO LOCATIONS.  
www.myredeemer.church

### DeWitt (Main Office)

13980 Schavey Rd  
DeWitt, MI 48820

517-669-3430

### Office Hours:

Mon-Thurs: 8:30am-4:30pm

### Sunday Services:

In-person:

8:15, 9:30, 11am

Online: 9:30am (Fb. & YouTube)

### St. Johns

200 E State St.  
St. Johns, MI 48879

989-224-6859

### Office Hours:

Tue & Wed: 1-4pm

### Sunday Service:

9:30am

## FOLLOW US



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## GIVE TO REDEEMER

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# COUNT ME IN

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Kid's Bible page 140

## Welcome to Worship!

We are starting a new message series this morning called “Count Me In!” God is counting on every one of us to step into His mission in this community and around the world. We are blessed by Christ to be a blessing to others. You are invited to be a part of what God is doing at Redeemer Church. We are so thankful you have joined us!

## CHECK IN

You are important to us. Guests and members, let us know you are here or leave a prayer request by filling out the connection card in the pew and dropping it in one of the boxes in the back of the worship center. You may also check in online through our app or by scanning this QR code or by visiting:

[myredeemer.church/  
connect](https://myredeemer.church/connect)



Would you like to receive our weekly enews?

Keep up with what's happening, sign up for our enews. contact us at: [office@dewittredeemer.org](mailto:office@dewittredeemer.org)



# Announcements

## GET INVOLVED WITH MEDIA AND TECH!



Sunday morning wouldn't happen without our incredible media technicians. If you're interested in presenting slides, running sound, streaming, or photography, this is the perfect opportunity for you!

[Learn more](#) and [sign up](#) on our website under GET INVOLVED/SERVE or in our mobile app under SIGN-UPS.

## SUMMER FUN NIGHT



Mark your calendar to join us on Wednesday, August 3, from 5:30 - 8:00pm for Summer Fun Night!!

Food, games, bounce house, and much more! Fun for all ages - no registration required. Invite your friends and neighbors to this free event!! Watch for future announcements and links to volunteer.

## Easter Offering

There is still time to donate to the Easter Offering. Each year at Easter time, Redeemer Church invites the congregation to

give a special donation to a local community organization. This year our gifts will be dedicated to the City Rescue Mission of Lansing. To make a gift, simply use the Easter offering envelope in your monthly mailing or one from the pew rack. A gift can also be made through the mobile app, online at [myredeemer.church](http://myredeemer.church) under "Give," with the QR code, or by texting 517-731-0518 with your dollar amount and the word EASTER.



## OUTREACH

### BUILDING BEDS FOR KIDS

Thank you to everyone who helped build beds for local kids yesterday! From the donor who provided the funds, the volunteers, Sleep in Heavenly Peace organization, to Crossroads BBQ for a great price on lunch – THANK YOU!! What an amazing impact this will make!! Redeemer will begin helping to deliver these beds the first week in May – check the [#bethechurch](#) [signup](#) on our website, [myredeemer.church](http://myredeemer.church), under OUTREACH for dates and times. Ages 10 and up, with an adult, are welcome to join us.



#bethechurch

## CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

### WELCOME EMILY!

We are thrilled to welcome Emily Hanje as our new Kid's Ministry Director, starting June 15, 2022. Emily is married to her husband, Jonathan, and comes to us from GracePointe Wesleyan Church in St. Johns where she has worked with children for several years. She is currently a preschool teacher at Grand Ledge Schools. Stop by the Children's table in the lobby today to introduce yourself!



### WHERE CAN WE COUNT YOU IN?

Questions: [megan@dewittredeemer.org](mailto:megan@dewittredeemer.org)

#### WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON:

- Open Gym

#### NEXT STEPS:

- Pen Pal

#### OTHER OPPORTUNITIES:

- Set up, tear down, cleaning, sharpening pencils, special events, preparation, & prayers



#### SUNDAY MORNING:

- Children's 9:30 or 11am services
- Youth 9:30 or 11am services

#### SUNDAY NIGHT:

- High School Groups

#### TUESDAY NIGHT:

- Middle School Groups

## VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL REGISTRATION OPEN



**Monday–Thursday**  
**June 20–23, 2022**  
**9:00–11:30am**

Questions:  
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Signup with the QR codes or through our homepage at [myredeemer.church](http://myredeemer.church)



Pre-K/K  
Registration

1st - 5th grade  
Registration



donation list



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**Big Idea:** GOD IS COUNTING ON YOU TO STEP INTO HIS MISSION

### GETTING STARTED

Growing up, what was your least favorite chore? Why?

### REFLECTION/DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

1. How would you describe Gideon in this passage?
2. What do you think was the main reason Gideon balked at God's instruction?
3. Why do you think the Lord was patient with Gideon's requests for signs?
4. When have you used a "fleece" to seek direction from God? What happened?
5. Where is God calling you to step into ministry right now? (kids, youth, young adults, outreach, hospitality, etc.)
6. "Count Me In!" How can God count on you in the following areas: worship, grow, serve, give, share?
7. What are the prayer requests on your mind and heart today?

**PRAYER:** Father, help us in those moments when we feel hesitant or inadequate to participate in what you are asking of us. Give us courage and wisdom to step into places of ministry. Help us to step up in our financial commitment to your ministry through Redeemer. May we share what you have given to us. Thank you for everything. In the name of Christ, we pray, Amen.

**GOING DEEPER:** Read Judges 6:1-40. One time Gideon is so sure of God (v.22,24,27). The next moment he is so unsure (v.13,15,17,36,39). When are you, perhaps, like Gideon in this regard? When you are uncertain or hesitant, what helps you step into what God wants you to do?

### FOCUS SCRIPTURES:

*"When the angel of the Lord appeared to Gideon, he said, 'The Lord is with you, mighty warrior.' 'But sir,' Gideon replied, 'if the Lord is with us, why has all this happened to us?' The Lord turned to him and said, 'Go in the strength you have and save Israel from Midian's hand. Am I not sending you?' ...Gideon said to God, 'If you will save Israel by my hand as you have promised—look, I will place a wool fleece on the threshing floor. If there is dew only on the fleece and all the ground is dry, then I will know that you will save Israel by my hand, as you have said.'"*

Judges 6:12-14, 36-37

My Notes: