

HAPPENING THIS WEEK

SUNDAY MARCH 20

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 continues in HSM Room
6-7:30pm	DW	High School Group

MONDAY MARCH 21

7:00pm	ALL	Leadership Meeting - Multipurpose room
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TUESDAY MARCH 22

10a-2pm	DW	Food Pantry
5:30-7pm	DW	Food Pantry
6-7:30pm	DW	Middle School Youth Group

WEDNESDAY MARCH 23

10:00am	DW	Senior Bible Study
2:30-4:30pm	DW	Open Gym grades 6-12
7:00pm	DW	Worship Team Practice

THURSDAY MARCH 24

FRIDAY & SATURDAY BUILDING CLOSED

SUNDAY MARCH 27

8:15am	DW	Worship
9:00am	ON	Children's Ministry Zoom
9:30am	ALL	Worship
9:30am	DW	Christian Education
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Preschool— grade 3 Movie Sunday</i> • <i>BRIDGE meets in the St. Center with MSM</i>
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9:30 & 11am	DW	Nursery
11:00am	DW	Worship
11:00am	DW	Confirmation Class continues in HSM Room
6-7:30p	DW	High School Group

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



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DeWitt (Main Office)

13980 Schavey Rd
DeWitt, MI 48820

517-669-3430

Office Hours:

Mon-Thurs: 8:30a-4:30p

Sunday Services:

In-person:

8:15, 9:30, 11a

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

St. Johns

200 E State St.
St. Johns, MI 48879

989-224-6859

Office Hours:

Tue & Wed: 1-4p

Sunday Service:

9:30a

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Welcome to Worship!

We are in a message series called “Breaking Bread with Jesus.” The gospel of Luke records seven meals Jesus eats with others. We are exploring how they relate to us today. We have looked at the fact that hospitality starts with the heart and Jesus is a multiplier when there isn’t enough. This week, we will focus on how serving and study go hand in hand. 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.



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Announcements



NEW MEMBERS JOINING REDEEMER CHURCH TODAY

We are excited to share with you the names of seven new members joining today: Audrey & Eric Anderson, Wanda Bengé, Bethany & Craig Mauger, David Shogren, and Ben Unruh. Please join us in welcoming them today.

OUTREACH

OPPORTUNITIES FOR UPCOMING #BETHECHURCH EVENTS

There are several openings in the next few weeks for #bethechurch activities:

- Assembling homeless kits
- Unloading food pantry orders
- Making Plarn
- Tying 'Fleece and Thank You' blankets, and more.

For details on dates and times, please check out our [online sign up](#) through the mobile app or the website www.myredeemer.church under Outreach.



BUILDING BEDS FOR KIDS

We are excited for our upcoming #bethechurch event on Saturday, April 23, as we partner with Sleep in Heavenly Peace to help make beds for local kids. Ages 12 and up are invited to join us – **REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED**. [sign up](#) online under the events tab. Lunch will consist of BBQ pork/chicken and side dishes, but we are looking for donations of chips, pop, and other items – see the sign up under the events/sleep in heavenly peace tab. Thank you to the donor who made this event possible and for helping us fulfill the mission of "No Kid Sleeps on the Floor in Our Town!"

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION CLASSES HELD DURING SPRING BREAK!!

A new option this year, Redeemer will be having Christian Education classes for Pre-school—Grade 12 on March 27 & April 3 of Spring Break.

- There will be Movie Sundays for Preschool—Grade 3. (Allergy alert—Please bring an alternate snack if your child can't have popcorn)
- BRIDGE (4-5) will meet with MSM (6-8) for a fun morning of games
- HSM will be in the High School Room

Join us both days!!

EASTER EGG HUNT DURING CHRISTIAN ED. ON PALM SUNDAY (4/10)



This year, on Palm Sunday, April 10, there will be Easter Egg hunts in all Kids/Student ministry classes. We will have shortened classes and Easter Egg hunts during the other portion of the class. We will be breaking the egg hunts into different time frames to ensure kids are getting age appropriate eggs (ex. no small toys for younger children).

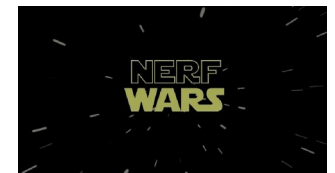
Here's how you can help at this time:

- Bring in candy donations (to the baskets in the lobby)
- Sign up at the Info Center to help stuff eggs on one of three days (3/24, 3/31, or 4/7)
- Sign up at the Info Center to help hide eggs between egg hunts on April 10

Mark your calendar—your KIDS won't want to miss it!

NERF WARS 2022!!! APRIL 8 - 6-8:30PM

If you are in grades 6-12, you are invited to Nerf Wars 2022! Redeemer students and their friends will be having the event to rival all events. Come ready to battle for prizes, title of victory, and so much fun! Pizza and snacks will be provided. *Bring friends for more chances to win!*



WE ARE EXCITED TO ANNOUNCE THAT VBS IS BACK!

Monday - Thursday, June 20-23, 2022 from 9am-11:30am

Students in grades PreK-5 are invited to join us for Make Waves!

Registration will open on Sunday, April 10.



March 20, 2022 | CHOOSING THE BETTER WAY
LUKE 10:38-42 | Pew Bible page 863
Kid's Bible page 385

Big Idea: **SERVING WITH THE RIGHT ATTITUDE**

GETTING STARTED

What is on the top of your “to do” list when preparing for company?

REFLECTION/DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

1. How do these two sisters differ? What personality differences exist between your siblings? Or in your family?
2. What was Jesus saying to Martha? If you had been Martha, how would you have responded to Jesus?
3. Is Mary's choice better? What about Jesus' call to servanthood? What is Jesus' point?
4. Comparing your personality to the two people in this story, which of them are you more like?
5. If Jesus stopped by your house, what might he say to you? In what area of your life do you need more balance?
6. What “one thing is needed” for you to take some stress out of your life?
7. What are the prayer requests on your mind and heart today?

PRAYER: Lord Jesus, thank you for the hospitality that you showed in allowing Mary to sit at your feet. When we are overly busy and distracted by many things, may we pause and focus on You. You are the source of our strength, our life, and our energy. May we serve you with our whole hearts with a good attitude. Keep us close to you. In the name of Jesus, we pray, Amen.

GOING DEEPER: Read Luke 10:38-42 and John 11:1-44, 12:1-11. Think about the impact that Jesus had on this family. What does it teach you about your own discipleship and connection with Jesus?

FOCUS SCRIPTURES:

“As Jesus and his disciples were on their way, he came to a village where a woman named Martha opened her home to him. She had a sister called Mary, who sat at the Lord's feet listening to what he said. But Martha was distracted by all the preparations that had to be made. She came to him and asked, ‘Lord, don't you care that my sister has left me to do the work by myself? Tell her to help me!’ “Martha, Martha,’ the Lord answered, ‘you are worried and upset about many things, but only one thing is needed. Mary has chosen what is better, and it will not be taken away from her.’”

Luke 10:38-42

My Notes: