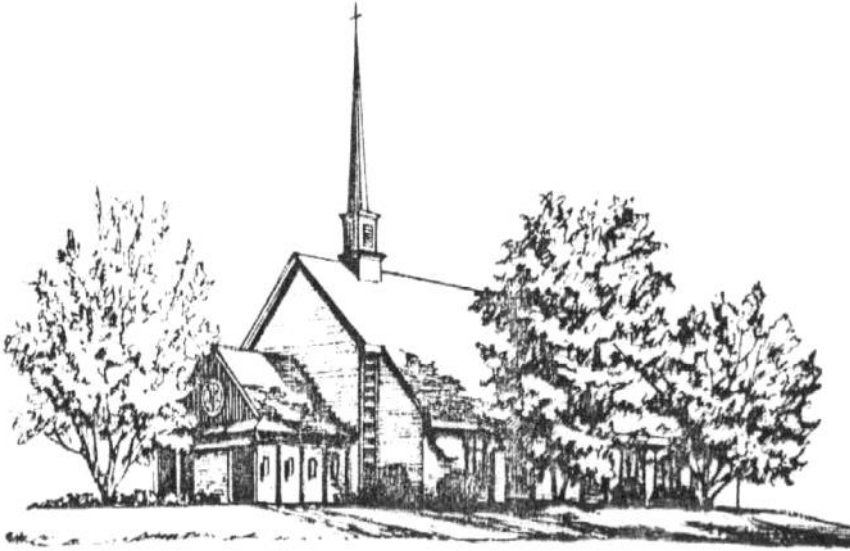


# *The Church of the Redeemer*



## **NOVEMBER 12, 2023** **THE TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST** **PROPER 27**

A Parish in The Episcopal Diocese of Upper South Carolina  
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The Very Rev. Catherine Tatem, Rector

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## Prelude

### THE WORD OF GOD

*Please stand (as you are able).*

#### Processional Hymn #436

“Lift up your heads, ye mighty gates”

*The service continues on **page 355**  
in the red Book of Common Prayer (BCP).*

#### Gloria in Excelsis

BCP 356, S-280

#### Collect of the Day

(see insert)

#### The Lessons

First Reading

Joshua 24:1-3a, 14-25

The Response

Psalm 78:1-7

Second Reading

1 Thessalonians 4:13-18

*Please stand.*

#### The Holy Gospel

Matthew 25:1-13

*You may be seated.*

#### The Sermon

The Rev. Catherine L. Tatem

**The Nicene Creed** (*Officiant and People, all standing as able*)

BCP 358

**Prayers of the People:** Form VI

BCP 392

#### The Peace

Celebrant: The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People: ***And also with you.***

#### Announcements

## THE HOLY COMMUNION

*Celebrant says an offertory sentence.*

**Offertory**      *Come Down, O Love Divine*

# Vaughan Williams

## Doxology

Hymn 380, verse 3

*The people stand while the people's gifts are brought forward.*

## The Great Thanksgiving: Eucharistic Prayer A

BCP 361

## Sanctus

S-129

# The Lord's Prayer

BCP 364

## The Breaking of the Bread

BCP 364

*The Celebrant breaks the consecrated Bread.*

## Agnus Dei

S-163

**Celebrant:** *The Gifts of God for the People of God.*

## Communion Hymn #305

“Come, risen Lord”

## Post Communion Prayer

BCP 365

## Blessing

## Recessional Hymn #620

“Jerusalem, my happy home”

## Dismissal

**Celebrant:** Let us go forth into the world, rejoicing in the power of the Spirit.

*People: Thanks be to God.*

## Postlude

# THE CHURCH OF THE REDEEMER

Announcements for November 12, 2023

## Prayers of the People

Our parish has a faithful and strong prayer ministry. If you want to add someone to the prayer list, please contact Phyllis Webb: 864-630-2353 or [phylwebb@charter.net](mailto:phylwebb@charter.net)

### **We ask your prayers for:**

Claire Allen  
Anderson Family  
Debbie Bauer  
Blake Brown  
Betsy Chambers  
Scott Derrick  
Hawkins Family  
Jack Jackson  
Aislinn Johnson

Hank Johnson  
Elizabeth Koontz  
Betty Lupo  
Lynne Massengill  
Nick McConnell  
Renee Morgan  
Doug Parrott  
Lee Quinn  
Ed & Wayne Roberts

Jim Skardon  
Steve & Jackie Smith  
Elyette Taylor  
Melanie Tinnelly  
Mark Wansley  
Bob Weinstein  
Margaret White  
Nathan

**...and for those whose needs are known to God alone.**

### **We give thanks and praise for:**

#### **For the repose of the soul of:**

#### **In the Diocesan Cycle of Prayer, we pray for:**

St. Martin's-in-the-Fields, Columbia

#### **For Gary Powell, missionary in Ukraine.**

#### **For those serving in the military, especially:**

Matthew Howard, Elijah Johnson, Andrew Lupo,  
Chris McDowell, Michael Reardon, Christopher Tyminiski

#### **For students, especially:**

Riley Hawkins, Kaitlyn Massengill, Caroline Phillips, John Phillips,  
Charles Poe, George Poleski, Andrew Reardon, Kimberlee Warren





## Happy Birthday!

14 Steve Webb  
15 Laurie Ethridge

17 Jayce Herbert  
17 Royce Herbert

### Trivia Night this Friday!

This Friday, Nov. 17th, in Purser Hall  
with our awesome MC: Royce Herbert!  
Arrival begins at 6:30pm, Trivia starts at 7:00pm sharp.  
Bring an appetizer to share and BYOB if you desire.  
Invite your friends and family! There will be prizes!  
Seven people per team, but adjustments can be made.  
**If you don't have a team, we'll get you on one!**

Sign up in the narthex or email Lori to let us know you're  
coming: [Lhredeemer@gmail.com](mailto:Lhredeemer@gmail.com)

### Diocesan Convention

Thank you to our delegates  
to the Diocesan Convention:

Jack Blackburn,  
Betty Herrin,  
Carol Hallman,  
Rev. Catherine Tatem

who represented Redeemer  
on Friday and Saturday at  
Christ Church, Greenville.  
We appreciate your ministry!

### Next Sunday:

#### **Our Thanksgiving Altar**

We will have a show of gratitude to  
God on our Thanksgiving altar, next  
Sunday, November 19th. The food  
and your contributions will be distributed to the needy  
through Samaritan House during the week of Thanksgiv-  
ing. Please return the enclosed form with your contribu-  
tion by Monday, Nov. 13th.



#### **Vestry Elections**

The Church of the Redeemer will hold a special meeting  
during the church service on November 19, 2023 for the  
election of vestry members. Please contact any vestry

### Christian Education

In Adult Christian Ed, we  
continue our study of the  
book of Ephesians at  
10:45am this morning in the  
vestry room

For children, Godly Play is  
available for those ages  
3 to 2nd grade. The nursery  
is available for those ages  
4 and under and is staffed  
every Sunday. Children are  
welcome to stay in the  
church or go to the  
Education Hall.



## Welcome, Visitors!

Thank you for joining us for worship and fellowship this morning. Please  
stop by the visitors' table to say hello and sign the guest book.

***How might we be part of your faith journey?***

## Advent Wreaths

December 3, after the service, join us for a Redeemer's tradition of making Advent Wreaths to enjoy at home. The beautiful live greens are generously provided by the McCullough family and other materials are provided by the church.



There is no fee for this activity; donations are welcome. To ensure there are enough supplies, please sign up in the transept.

## Christmas Outreach at Redeemer!

There are 2 ways for us to help make Christmas more joyous for those in need in Greenville County.

### 1. Salvation Army/Toys for Tots

We are hosting a clothing and toy drive for  
0-24 month old babies  
and  
8-12 year old boys & girls.

Bring in any *new and unwrapped clothing and toys* and drop them in the bin in the narthex.  
Deadline for donations is December 10.

### 2. Miracle Hill Rescue Mission Overcomers Christmas

80 packs of disposable razors

Miracle Hill will provide gift bags for the 80 men in their residence and recovery program and we are providing razors.  
Place your donation in the designated bin in the Narthex.

Thank you in advance for your generosity!  
Questions email Lori at [Lhredeemer@gmail.com](mailto:Lhredeemer@gmail.com)

## THIS WEEK AT REDEEMER: NOVEMBER 12—18

<b>Sunday, November 12</b>	9:30 AM 10:45 AM 2:00 PM	Holy Eucharist (in-person and live stream) Adult Christian Ed - Vestry Room Hispanic Service - Purser Hall
<b>Monday, November 13</b>	4:15 PM 6:00 PM 8:00 PM	PVC & International Ballet - Purser Hall ACOA - Purser Hall ALANON - Transept
<b>Wednesday, November 15</b>	8:30 AM 9:30 AM 12:00 PM 4:15 PM 6:30 PM	Men's Study Breakfast Holy Eucharist AA Meeting - Purser Hall PVC & International Ballet - Purser Hall Choir Rehearsal
<b>Friday, November 17</b>	6:30 PM	Trivia Night - Purser Hall
<b>Saturday, November 18</b>	11:00 AM	AA Meeting - Purser Hall ALANON - Vestry Room/Media Room

	THIS WEEK: NOVEMBER 12	NEXT WEEK: NOVEMBER 19
<b>Verger</b>	Jack Blackburn	Betty Boesch
<b>Usher</b>	Steve Webb	Ken Wood
<b>Crucifer</b>	Riley Hawkins	Debbie Price
<b>Lector 1</b>	Betty Boesch	David Poleski
<b>Lector 2</b>	Robin Mill	John Helm
<b>Altar Guild</b>	Susan Butler & Margie Hankinson	Debbie Price & Edie Parrott
<b>Flower Guild</b>	Robin Mill	All Arrangers- Thanksgiving Altar
<b>Counters</b>	Steve Webb & Betsy Chiles	John Helm & Jane Bouton
<b>Video</b>	John Helm	David Poleski

#### **Coffee Hour Snacks and Treats:**

Today: Debbie Bauer & Elizabeth Koontz  
November 19 Charlene Moyer  
November 26 Meg Coffey  
December 3 Hankinsons

#### **Readings for Sunday, November 19**

First Reading: Judges 4:1-7  
Response: Psalm 123  
Second Reading: 1 Thessalonians:5:1-11  
Gospel: Matthew 25:14-30

*Thank you to the St. Therese Chapter of the Order of the Daughters of the King for providing snacks at the coffee hour last Sunday, the 5th.*

*Today's altar flowers are given by  
Phyllis Webb in thanksgiving for Steve's 80th birthday*

If you would like to dedicate altar flowers in honor of someone special in your life, the 2023 altar dedication book is on the communication table. We ask for a donation of \$40 to offset the cost of the flowers. Thank you for your generosity.

#### **Mac & Cheese for Samaritan House in November**

We are collecting all kinds of mac & cheese throughout this month. Add your donations in the narthex to help continue our outreach ministry to Samaritan House.

**For other opportunities to share your gifts of ministry, contact the ministry leader or the parish office to volunteer. You might want to help the current person or become the leader:**

Acolytes:	Lori Hawkins	Lectors:	Bob Bouton
Altar Guild:	Margie Hankinson	Outreach:	Lori Hawkins
Card Ministry:	Meg Coffey	Ushers:	Steve Webb
Counters:	Jane Bouton	Vergers:	Daniel McCullough
Flower Guild:	Lauren McCullough	Video:	Rick Hankinson

### **Clergy and Vestry:**

Rector: **The Rev. Catherine Tatem**      RevCTatem@gmail.com/864.350.4270  
Senior Warden: **Jack Blackburn** (2023)      blackburnjh@gmail.com/864.414.7675  
Junior Warden: **Rick Hankinson** (2024)      hankinsonsc@gmail.com/864.569.2615

Betty Boesch (2023)	Cynthia Eason (2023)	Rebekah Webb, Treasurer
Jane Bouton (2025)	Kathryn Swilley (2025)	Jack Blackburn, Assistant
Jim Briggs (2025)	Celia Jernigan (2024)	Treasurer
Meg Coffey (2024)	David Poleski (2025)	Debbie Price, Clerk

### **Parish Staff:**

Parish Administrator: <b>Eliza Lynn</b>	corgsc29605@gmail.com
Director of Youth & Family Ministries: <b>Lori Hawkins</b>	lhredeemer@gmail.com
Organist & Choirmaster: <b>Robert Powell</b>	Robpowl306@gmail.com
Sexton: <b>Gabriel Santamaria</b>	

### **Church Office Hours:**

**Monday-Thursday, 9:00 AM to 2:00 PM, and by appointment.**

Eliza's hours are: Mondays and Wednesdays 8:45 AM to 2 PM  
Tuesdays and Thursdays 8:45 AM to 12:30 PM