



The Church of the Redeemer, Greenville, SC

Announcements

July 26, 2026

The altar flowers are given to the Glory of God
in memory of Dan Wood, Ken's brother, by
Charlene Moyer.

CHRISTIAN FORMATION

**** Sunday Morning Nursery:** We encourage you to bring your little one to sit with you in church this summer! The nursery will not be staffed for the months of June and July. However, the nursery space is available for your use if your child needs a bottle, diaper change, or some quiet time. Having little ones sit in church is good practice and can help familiarize them with the rhythm of the worship service. They will likely be squirmy and want to chat, and that is O-kay! Children are the life and future of the church. **There are pew buddy bags for all ages located on the bookshelf at the back of the church.** They are filled with stuffed animals, coloring sheets, and other small toys. Please return the bags to the shelves after the service. There is no need to sort the items when you return them; a volunteer will clean and restock everything for the following Sunday. Let us know how we can further support your family. Please email Lori at Lhredeemer@gmail.com with any questions or concerns. See you in the pew!

**** Godly Play is on Summer Break.** Classes will resume in the Fall.

**** Adult Formation:** Please join us today after church (approximately 10:45) in the Vestry Meeting Room (Education Wing Room 217) for our 3rd quarter "The Bishop Reads" study. We are using the book *Being God's Image-Why Creation Still Matters*, by Carmen Joy Imes, to focus our conversations. We invite you to join us!

REDEEMER REMINDERS

**** Thank you to our guest musicians:** We are delighted to have Kristin Gill as our guest flautist today! Welcome, Kristin! Today's music features Sonatas for Flute and Harpsichord by George Frideric Handel (1685-1959). These works were composed chiefly between about 1711 and 1726. Handel was known for "recycling" his music and several of these pieces are adaptations of sonatas originally written for oboe, violin, or recorder. Handel later re-cycled the Flute Sonatas into his Organ Concertos. Great tunes bear repeating. **Prelude:** Sonata in F Major for Flute and Harpsichord; **Offertory and Postlude** are excerpts from Handel's Sonata in g minor for Flute and Harpsichord.

**** Choir Practice** resumes this Wednesday, July 29th.

**** Backpack Blessings:** Calling all students, teachers, and school staff....it's time for our annual backpack blessings. Bring your backpack with you to church on August 9th. During the 9:30 service, Mother Catherine will have a special blessing for those about to begin a new school year. Join us for coffee hour after the service for sweet school treats!

**** Faith Offering Challenge:** Please help us fill our budgeted faith offering. Your donation will be matched up to \$15,000 to reach the \$30,000 goal. If you have a yearly required minimum distribution (RMD), you can send an untaxed amount directly to the church. To be matched, your donation must arrive by July 30th. **Thank you for your faithful generosity!**

**** Donations for the Pleasant Valley Community Blessing Box:** Canned foods of your choice may be placed in the wagon in the Narthex. The Daughters of the King thank you for your participation and generosity in this ministry.

Back to School Drive July 5-August 2: From the Outreach Committee--Redeemer is collecting school supplies for children living in local motels. Supplies will be distributed during the week of August 2nd so the children will be ready for the new school year. Donations can be dropped-off in the narthex or office. Thank you for your generosity and support!

School Supply List:

Backpacks- gender neutral
Ticonderoga #2 Sharpened Pencils

Pencil Sharpeners

Pencil Pouch- (No boxes, please)
Colored pencils

Crayola markers
Highlighters
Blue or Black Pens
Pocket Folders
College Ruled Loose Leaf 3-Hole Paper

3-Ring Binder
Single Subject Spiral Notebooks
Elmer's Glue Sticks
Sticky Notes
Thermal Water Bottle

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

Those who are sick, confined indoors, and others dear to us: Claire Allen, Michael Brown, Rhonda Cuneaz, Sharon Entwistle, Tom Gange, Craig & Gretchen Grounsell, Rick Grounsell, Jack Jackson, Aislinn Johnson, Hank Johnson, Paul Massengill, Teresa Morelli, Prentiss Palm, Pat Pryor, Wayne Roberts, Jackie Smith, Elyette Taylor, Bill Wagner, Joe Webb, Margaret White, Jeremy Wilger, Buzz & Debbie Willis, Catherine Wilson, Amber, Bobby, Bruce, Debi, Mike, Deb, Robert

For the repose of the soul of:

In the Diocesan Cycle of Prayer, we pray for: Still Hopes and Finlay House Retirement Communities

For Missionaries: Gary Powell (Ukraine); Rachel and Alonso Silva (Chile); Casa Hogar (Mexico)

For those serving in the military, especially: Elijah Johnson, Andrew Lupo, Chris McDowell

For students, especially: Asheton Skardon, Joseph Ethan Hawkins, Shea Kennedy, Cade Kennedy, Kathryn Elmore, Alice Elmore, Charlie Poe, Daniel Poe, Caroline Phillips, Raina Harwood, Emma McKeehan, Hollie Butler, Liam Harwood

We give thanks and praise for:

And for those whose needs are known to God alone

Please contact Riley Morgan corgsc29605@gmail.com or Mother Catherine to provide updates to the prayer list.

Happy Birthday: 26-Tom Oliver, 29-James German

Happy Annivesary: 27-Joe and Lauren McCullough

Save the Dates:

- July 29—Holy Eucharist 9:30
- August 5—Men's Group Bible Study 9:00 Fireplace Room
- September 12—*Save the Date! Let's celebrate!* Redeemer is 75! Invitations to a celebration dinner will be mailed soon! Is there anyone you would like to add to the invitation list? Please give names/addresses to Dinah Johnson ASAP.
- September 13—Holy Eucharist 9:00 AM—the 75th celebration continues at our Sunday service with special music and coffee hour.

Coffee Hour Treats:

- August 2-Rick & Margie
- August 9-Backpack Blessings
- August 16-
- August 23-
- August 30-Holy Chow

The sign-up sheet for future dates is next to the coffee pot in the Transept.