

# Redeemer Reporter

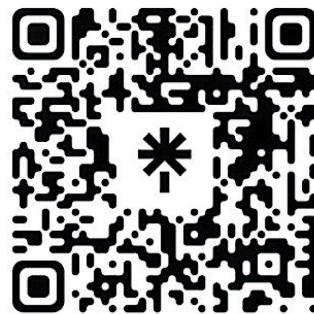
A Lifelong Family Ministry of God's Love

January 18, 2026

## Serving Schedule

	January 25
Ushers	Wade and Barbara Tate
Greeters	David Henderson Tom Lewis
Assisting	Phil Rhoads
Lector 1:	Kathy Mieczkowski
Lector 2:	Pat Kirchman
Acolyte	Henry Cotter
Crucifer	Cooper Jackson
Cantor	Nancy Stires
Counters	Chuck Pegram Courtney Childers
Altar Guild	Brenda Van Putten
Flowers	Given by Sam and Jeri Kleckley in honor of Jeni's birthday, their daughter
Sheepdogs	Chris Felicia JJ Johnson Renee Phillips
	4-6 Chris Felicia
Nursery	Jenny Wiggers Ava Johnson

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**Prayer Shawl Ministry**

**Meeting**

Tuesday, January 20<sup>th</sup>  
3:00pm  
Conference Room

Anyone interested is welcome to attend.  
Contact person: Joyce Frid 218-839-7851



## January

- 18 - Adult Sunday School 9:00am
- 18 - Worship 10am
- 18 - YY and LCY
- 20 - Prayer Shawl Ministry 3:00pm
- 20 - Holy Yoga 6:30pm
- 20 - Girl Scouts 6:30pm
- 21 - Y'ALL Group & Choir
- 25 - Adult Bible Study 9:00 am
- 25 - Worship 10:00am
- 25 - LCY
- 31 - Girl Scouts

We are very excited and thankful to announce that we now have AudioFetch Hearing Assistance available for anyone who may need it. It is a downloadable, wireless, Bluetooth system to pair with your personal device. Please See an Usher, or the printed flyer on the table as you enter the Sanctuary for details.



There's so much going on in the life of Redeemer!

See inside for more information

Youth Groups / Evergreen / Food Pantry  
Prayer Shawl Ministry / Art Exhibition

## Treasurer's Report for December 2025

Attendance	General Giving - Dec 2025		Designated Account
12/07 132	In person	\$21,353.21	Memorials \$10,440
12/14 148	Online	\$ 4.095	Youth Gathering \$2,228
12/21 122	Total	\$25,448.21	Columbarium \$4,978
12/24 200	Budget	\$28,122.50	Nursery Furniture \$3,000
12/28 62	EAR TO DATE	\$292,385	Evergreen \$389
		Budget \$29,2476	Special Music \$0
		-91	Wheelchair \$50

## FLOWERS

Flowers are placed in the Sanctuary each Sunday. Members are asked to commemorate a loved one or special event. After Sunday service, members are encouraged to take arrangements.

**\$70**

Payable by Cash, Check, Tithely, or Venmo

Note on Payment: 'For Flowers'

Sign Up Sheet in the Narthex

See Jackie Pitts for details

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## EVERGREEN SOUPFEST and BINGO

Join us Wednesday, January 28 at noon in the Fellowship Hall for soup and Bingo called by our own PE. There is a signup sheet in the Narthex. Look forward to seeing you at our first 2026 event!



### EVERGREEN 2026 Upcoming Events

Mark your calendar for the upcoming events so that you don't miss out. More details will be available as we get closer to the events.

January 28 - Soupfest, brief meeting, and Bingo

February 25 - Grandma's Recipe Lunch at church followed by one of Grandma's favorite games

March 25 - Lunch at the Fare House followed by visiting the Toy Train Exhibit

April 28 - TUESDAY, 5 to 7pm Happy Hour at the Shelter - Evergreen is holding this event so that members, who normally cannot attend on the Wednesdays we meet, will have an opportunity to be together and have fun.

May 20 - Lunch and Upstate History Museum



## CALLING ALL ARTISTS!

"For we are his workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand, that we should walk in them."

Ephesians 2:10

### SC Synod Assembly Art Exhibition June 12, 2026

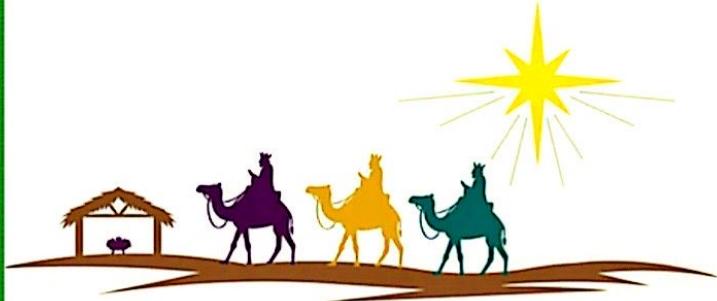
We're inviting artists (ages 16 and up) from across the Synod to share their creativity in a special art exhibit to be featured during the 2026 South Carolina Synod Assembly in Columbia.

The Greek word for "workmanship" is *poiēma*, from which we get the English word "poem." This verse beautifully illustrates that we are God's masterpiece, His poem, created to perform good works. Our creativity and good deeds are not just random acts; they are a direct result of our creation and a reflection of our creator.

## Ladies Lunch

224 Depot St. Greer, SC 29651

Tuesday, February 3 at 11:30am



## Food Pantry

The "Neighbors In Need" food pantry is up and running! I will check and stock as needed but I am also asking for continued support from the congregation. Thank you to those who have already assisted in stocking.



Why: "(In 2021 food pantries) distributed more than 5.3 billion meals (in the US)." - Feeding America

"10.6% of the population (in Greer, SC) live below the poverty line." - DATA USA

Appreciated items include: canned protein, canned fruits and vegetables, pasta, mac and cheese, granola bars, crackers, pop tarts, cereal, peanut butter, baby food, and other similar items.

If possible, please donate items that are easy to prepare and don't require additional perishable items. Donations can be placed in the "Neighbors in Need" marked container.

Thank you for all of your support in feeding those in our community. Mark 12:31, "you shall love your neighbor as yourself."

-Lily Childers

# Redeemer Youth

## Acolyte & Crucifer Schedule

Jan. 18

Acolyte: Aurie  
Crucifer: Harper

Jan. 25

Acolyte: Henry  
Crucifer: **Need a Sub**

## Acolytes & Crucifers Schedule

January 4:  
2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Christmas

A: Alexander Tierce  
C: Jacob Lybrand

January 11:  
Baptism of Our Lord

A: Ava Johnson  
C: Ady Brown

January 18:  
2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday After Epiphany

A: Aurie Dill  
C: Harper Meloon

January 25:  
3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday After Epiphany

A: Henry Cotter  
C: Cooper Jackson

February 1:  
4<sup>th</sup> Sunday After Epiphany

A: Rose Lanning  
C: Dillon Howell

February 8:  
5<sup>th</sup> Sunday After Epiphany

A: Owen Smith  
C: Clara Cotter

February 15:  
Transfiguration of Our Lord

A: Ava Ceips  
C: Lily Childers

February 22:  
1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of Lent

A: Armands Ceips  
C: Logan Childers

## Confirmation Class Dates February

# Young Youth

## Redeemer Lutheran Young Youth Group

Bi-Weekly from 2-4pm

**January**

- 4 - All Member Birthday Lunch 11:30am at Redeemer
- 11 - NO Meeting
- 18 - Regular Meeting
- 25 - NO Meeting

## Young Youth Group



### January

- 4 - ALL Member Birthday Lunch, 11:30am @Redeemer
- 18 - Regular Youth Group

### February

- 8 - Regular Youth Group
- 22 - Regular Youth Group

### March

- 8 - Regular Youth Group
- 29 - Easter Egg Hunt, 3-5pm

### April

- 12 - Regular Youth Group
- 26 - Regular Youth Group

### May

- 3 - Regular Youth Group
- 17 - ALL Youth End of Year Party, 3-5pm

# LCY

## REDEEMER LUTHERAN CHURCH LCY YOUTH GROUP 4:00 - 6:00 PM

**JANUARY**

- 4 - All Member Birthday Lunch 11:30am @Redeemer
- 11 - Regular Youth Group
- 18 - Regular Youth Group
- 25 - Regular Youth Group

## LCY YOUTH GROUP



### January

- 4 - ALL Member Birthday Lunch & Hangout at Redeemer, 11:30am

- 11 - Regular Youth Group
- 18 - Regular Youth Group
- 25 - Regular Youth Group

### February

- 1 - Regular Youth Group
- 8 - Regular Youth Group
- 15 - Regular Youth Group
- 22 - Regular Youth Group

### March

- 1 - Regular Youth Group
- 8 - Regular Youth Group
- 15 - Regular Youth Group
- 22 - Regular Youth Group
- 29 - Easter Egg Hunt, 3-5pm

### April

- 5 - Easter Sunday, NO Youth
- 12 - Regular Youth Group
- 19 - Regular Youth Group
- 26 - Regular Youth Group

### May

- 3 - Regular Youth Group
- 17 - ALL Youth
- End of Year Party, 3-5pm