

Redeemer Reporter

A Lifelong Family Ministry of God's Love

July 19, 2026



Important Dates

July

- 19 - Worship 10am
- 19 - Young Youth Summer Outing 3:00-6:00pm Pump It Up
- 20 - PE OFF and Office CLOSED
- 20-25 PE on Vacation
- 25 - Sam Evers Gill's Baby Shower Fellowship Hall
- 26 - Worship 10am
- 26 - Committee Team Meetings 11:30am Fellowship Hall
- 27 - PE OFF and Office CLOSED

August

- 2 - Sunday School Starts 9am
- 2 - Worship 10am
- 4 - Ladies Lunch @ Southside Smokehouse Grill 11:30am
- 9 - Parent/Youth Interest Meeting for 2027 Youth Gathering 11:30am Fellowship Hall
- 16 - Long Range Planning Team Meeting 11:30am (Fellowship Hall)
- 16 - ALL Youth Back To School Party 3:00-5:00pm
- 23 - RALLY DAY and Ministry Fair

July Serving Schedule

	July 19	July 26
Ushers	John and Sharon Fouke	Wade Tate Phil Rhoads
Greeters	John and Sharon Fouke	John and Sharon Fouke
Assisting	Harold Neel	Al Ludwigson
Lector 1:	Renee Phillips	Joyce Frid
Lector 2:	Catharine Kirby	Elaine Finley
Acolyte	Armands Ceips	Ava Ceips
Crucifer	Rose Lanning (needs a sub)	Mylea Felicia
Cantor	Chuck Pegram	Heather Hester
Counters	Chuck Pegram Courtney Childers	Cyndi Celinskis Jennifer Tierce
Altar Guild	Marilyn Barr	Paula Ludwigson
Flowers	Given by Maxine Howell in memory of David Howell	Given by Vallorie Poznanski
Sheepdogs	Michael Lybrand Sonny Lybrand Aaron Cornwell Young Youth 3-5pm Mike Miller *Brian Ginsberg	Phil Rhoads Seth Brandt Renee Phillips
Nursery	Kim Zumstein Hannah Hester	Kaci Cotter Rose Lanning



The **Clean Out** has begun. These folks along with many others worked in the choir room, Sacristy, garage, and basement. There is *definitely* more to do, but we're off to a great start! Thanks for the dumpster, JJ Johnson!



Ministry Teams Meeting

WANTED: Leaders, Liasons, Chairs
We want you **ALL** to attend this very important meeting.

July 26 @ 11:30am
Fellowship Hall

PE will be presiding and discussing the
August 23 Ministry Fair



We 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.



Treasurer's Report

for June 2026

ATTENDANCE

6/7	72
6/14	98
6/21	95
6/28	124

General Giving

In person	\$17,179.78
Online	5,533.20
Total	22,712.98
Budget	23,752.00

Designated Account

Youth Gathering	\$4,969.76
Columbarium	9,745.67
Evergreen	389.00
Memorials	11,328.30
Lutherridge 75th	1,529.75
Lutheroad	50.00

FLCA Federal Credit Union

Line of Credit - Balance \$0

Loan Balance - \$61,887.01

Available Credit - \$17,000

Savings - \$1008

YEAR TO DATE: Giving: \$177,819.40 Budget: \$156,776.40 +\$21043

Neighbors In Need Food Pantry

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.

Redeemer Youth

Young Youth Summer Event

PUMP itUP

Don't forget
your socks!

Snacks &
Drinks
provided!

\$15

**July 19, 2026
3:00 - 6:00**

We will meet at church to caravan to
PUMP IT UP in Greenville.

Scholarships available if needed.

*Our reservation is from 3:25 - 5:25
if you would like to meet us there.

75 Brookfield Oaks Dr Ste 100, Greenville, SC 29607

CHILDREN'S Sunday School

Starts back on August 2!

2027 Youth Gathering Parent & Youth Interest Meeting



**August 9
11:30am**

ALL youth entering 8th grade
to graduation are eligible!

imagine more...
**COURAGE JOY LOVE
GRACE WELCOME**

LCY

LABOR DAY BEACH RETREAT

Where: Lutheran Retreat Center on Isle of Palms

When: September 4 - 7, 2026

How Much: \$150 per youth
(includes lodging, meals, beach time, games,
worship, devotions, and lots of fun)

RSVP: In Group Me by August 2
with \$50 deposit



Evergreen Group

Upcoming Events

Mark your calendar and plan to attend the events
we have for the remainder of 2026!

August 25 - BEACH PARTY Yes, this is a Tuesday. Hosts: Jon and Pat Larson.

September 23 - Fall Kickoff Now that FIFA is over, we can look forward to a Football Kickoff. Wear your favorite team shirt and bring a tailgate food dish.
Host Needed.

October - For the month of October we will collect square tissue boxes for Greer Community Ministries for the annual Christmas Giving.

October 21 - Greek Luncheon hosted by Brenda Van Putten

October 25 - The Chii Cook Out - This is a fundraiser held during Trunk or Treak for the 2027 Youth Gathering. Details will be coming and we will need volunteers for this event.

November 18 - Wrapping Event Wrapping up the Christmas shut-ins' bags. This will be a bring your own meal event. Host: Phil and Debbie Rhoads

December -Christmas Concert Details to come. Host Donna Norman.

About us...

Evergreen is a 55+ group that started about 4 years ago. We are developing and growing. Typically, we meet the last Wednesday of the month at noon.

A few of the past activities have been themed carry-ins, speakers, a trip to a winery, Christmas matinee at a local playhouse, cookout at the shelter, pasta making, trivia, Bingo, and eating out at a local restaurant.

In addition, we have done outreach activities such as collecting and wrapping tissue boxes for part of the Meals on Wheels Christmas giving, making blankets for our homebound members, and having a bake sale for the 2027 Youth Gathering.

We welcome new ideas as we continue to develop. If you have any questions or interest in joining the Evergreen committee, please contact Debbie Rhoads, Pat Larson, or Nancy Stires, or just stop in at the next event.

NOTE: If you are not on the Evergreen Club thread for GroupMe, we encourage you to contact the church office to be included.

We hope to see you at the next event!

Get Involved - Join Us!

Redeemer Lutheran Church

Calling All Singers



Love to sing?

Please come join us for fun and add some meaningful music to our fantastic worship services!

Rehearsals resume
August 13

Thursday evenings 6:00-7:00.

JOIN OUR INSTRUMENT ENSEMBLE

Who? Anyone who plays an instrument

What? We would like to get all of our musicians together to share our talents during worship.

When? Rehearsal August 15 @ 10am

Performance August 16 @ 10am



VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Backpack Buddies

Beginning September 17, we will need drivers to deliver groceries to Crestview Elementary School on Thursdays. You pick up the prepared bags at Redeemer and drop them off at Crestview. The school office will give you a cart to roll groceries into the building.

Meals on Wheels

Greer Community Ministries is looking for folks to help pack meals as well as drivers to deliver meals. Call Karen Roughton for more information.
(864) 735-3627



HELP us update our directory!

Why? Help us put faces to names, to stay connected and to build our community.

We are adding new members' information to the directory, however, we want to make sure all members' information is up-to-date. We are encouraging individuals and families to update their photo and contact information.

WHAT TO DO? For members that are currently in the directory, it is important that YOU review your information page and check:

- Do you want your photo retaken?
- Are all the information on your page correct or does it need corrections?
- Does anything need to be deleted?

If yes, you must contact Lori Gellatly on information corrections. You may text to 937-623-7372 or email Lori at Ignbct@aol.com. Beginning July 26, we will begin to take photos after church to update members' pictures. We would like to have all updates completed by Sept. 13th. (Note - Lori will be out of town August 9 and 16.)