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WEEKLY AT REDEEMER

- ◆ **Weekday Daily Mass** - 10 AM; Additionally **Wed @7:30 AM, Thurs @ 5:30 PM**
- ◆ **Weekday Morning & Evening Prayer** - 8:30 AM & 5:15 PM (Wed Evening Prayer: Halton Chapel)
- ◆ **Saturday Eucharist** - 10 AM & 5:30 PM (Contemporary)
- ◆ **12 Step Groups** - meet daily throughout the week. Contact parish office for meeting times.

Sunday

- ◆ Sunday Eucharist: 7:30, 9 & 11 AM, 1 PM in Spanish
- ◆ Nurseries: 8:50 AM
- ◆ Children’s Chapel: during the 9 AM mass
- ◆ Sunday School: 10:10-10:40 AM, various locations
- ◆ *Rector’s Class*: 10:10-10:40 AM, Goowey Hall
- ◆ *Tell Me More*: 10:10-10:40 AM, Gillespie Hall
- ◆ Gift Shop: 8:30 AM, and after the 9 & 11 AM Masses
- ◆ RSCM Canterbury Choir, Grade 9 - 12: 5 PM, Music Room
- ◆ Senior EYC: 6-7:30 PM, Gillespie Hall

Monday

- ◆ Samaritan Counseling Center, by appointment

Tuesday

- ◆ *Faith Fitness Class*: 12 Noon, Gillespie Hall

- ◆ 11 AM Sunday Choir Rehearsal: 3:15-5 PM, Choir Room
 - ◆ *Crecimiento in spiritu sancto*: 7PM, Eva Pope Room
- #### Wednesday
- ◆ *Businessmen’s Bible Study*: 7 AM, Turner/Dabney Room
 - ◆ *Heart to Heart Women’s Bible Study*: 9:45 AM, Eva Pope
 - ◆ Gift Shoppe: 10 AM-2 PM
 - ◆ RSCM Westminster Choir, Grade 2 - 5: 5 PM, Church
 - ◆ RSCM Canterbury Choir, Grade 6 - 8: 5 PM, Church
 - ◆ LOGOS: 5 - 6:30 PM, beginning in Bell Tower Wing
 - ◆ Confirmation: 5 - 6 PM, Phillips/Turner/Swanson Room
 - ◆ Junior EYC: 6 - 7:30 PM, Gillespie Hall

Thursday

- ◆ *Balance & Movement Class*: 9 - 10 AM, Gillespie Hall
- ◆ Samaritan Counseling Center, by appointment
- ◆ Needlepoint Group: 10 AM, Eva Pope Room
- ◆ Adult Choir Rehearsal: 7 PM, Music Room

Friday

- ◆ Youth Bible Studies: 6:15 -7 AM, various locations
- ◆ Men’s Prayer Breakfast: 7:30 AM, Eva Pope Room

Saturday

- ◆ Men’s Prayer Group: 7:30 AM, Eva Pope Room
- ◆ Confessions: 9:15—9:45 AM, Halton Chapel



IN THE BEGINNING...

It’s the beginning of a new month at Redeemer.

JANUARY 2020

Dear People of God:

For Linda and me, this has been a time for “lasts.” As your rector, the 1st of November was our last All Saints’ Day. In January, we enjoyed our last Service of Lessons and Carols and our last Christ-Mass. During this month we will celebrate our last Feast of the Epiphany and at the end of this month will be our last Annual Parish Meeting. And this, my dear brothers and sisters, is my last *In the Beginning* letter to you.



Experiencing all of these “lasts” is a nostalgic experience, to put it mildly. I am so grateful for so many things, and among them is the privilege it has been to address you monthly in first *The Pelican*, and now *In the Beginning*. In this last letter, therefore, I wish first of all to thank all who took the time to read my ramblings over the years.

Secondly, I wish to assure you that while we are retiring, our love for you and for Church of the Redeemer continues. We want Redeemer to continue to thrive and grow.

With that in mind, I have a couple of last requests. The transition to a new Rector is a challenging and exciting time for a parish. First of all, pray daily for your parish and your vestry. It doesn’t have to be a long prayer – just a prayer that God’s will be done and that the parish will continue to be strong in this time of transition.

Second, step up your participation in worship and other parish activities in this time of transition. Your support is more important than ever during this time. Do your part to help Redeemer buck the trend of decline during a time of transition. Be determined to make this a time of strengthening, rather than weakening, the parish. Our lay involvement really is a beacon in The Episcopal Church. Make The Redeemer shine even more brightly during this time. Ask Fr. Wilson or Fr. Wood how you can be of help.

Thank you for your ongoing good wishes and prayers for Linda and me as we begin this totally new part of our lives. We love you all and will keep you in our prayers wherever we may be!

Faithfully yours,

*Fr. Fred**

OF NOTE IN JANUARY

Note: To see everything that happens at Redeemer each week, please refer to the “Weekly at Redeemer” on the back of this issue.

- 1 **Feast of the Holy Name**, Masses at 7:30 AM and 10 AM
Office Closed
- 3 First Friday, 6 PM -7:30 PM, Palm Avenue Terrace
- 4 Wedding, 3 PM
- 5 Rector’s Class Series, *Fireside Chats*, 10:10 AM -10:40 AM, Goowey Hall
Tell Me More! 10:10 AM -10:40 AM, Gillespie Hall
Baptism Preparation Class, 10:10 AM -10:45 AM, Phillips/Turner/Swanson Room
- 6 **Feast of the Epiphany**, Masses at 7:30 & 10 AM, 6 PM
Office Closed
Epiphany Reception following the 6 PM Mass, Goowey Hall
Sarasota Opera Guild, 7:30 PM, Gillespie Hall
- 7 Heart to Heart Women’s Book Club, 9 AM, Goowey Hall
Books and Beyond, Men’s Book Group, 7 PM, Gillespie Hall
- 8 Logos resumes, 5 PM -6:30 PM, beginning in Bell Tower Wing
Women of Redeemer, *Be You*, 6:30 PM -7:30 PM, Room 220
Men of Redeemer, *Wingman*, 6:30 PM -7:30 PM, Phillips/Turner/Swanson Room
- 9 GATORS *Grace in Art*, 11 AM - 1 PM, Ringling Museum of Art
- 10 Friday Morning Youth Bible Studies resume, 6:15 AM, various offsite locations
- 12 **Baptism of the Lord**
Rector’s Class Series, *Fireside Chats*, 10:10 AM -10:40 AM, Goowey Hall
Tell Me More! 10:10 AM -10:40 AM, Gillespie Hall
Sunday School Teachers’ Meeting, 11 AM -11:30 AM, Room 220
- 13 Daughters of the King, 9:45 AM, Eva Pope Room
Daughters of the King - hosted Book Study, 10:45 AM, Eva Pope Room
Night Shift Women’s Book Club, 6:30 PM, Goowey Hall
GATORS’ Bible Study, 6:30 PM, offsite
Sarasota Opera Guild, 7:30 PM, Gillespie Hall
- 14 Finance Committee, 4:30 PM, Turner/Dabney Room
Mission and Outreach Committee, 5:30 PM, Phillips/Turner/Swanson Room
Facilities and Grounds Committee, 6 PM, Turner/Dabney Room
- 15 Women of Redeemer, *Be You*, 6:30 PM -7:30 PM, Room 220
Men of Redeemer, *Wingman*, 6:30 PM -7:30 PM, Phillips/Turner/Swanson Room
- 16 *A Clearer Vision: Reconciliation in 2020* - An Evening with Andrew Young, 6 PM - 8 PM, nave
- 19 Rector’s Class, *Faith Talk*, 10:10 AM -10:40 AM, Goowey Hall
Tell Me More! 10:10 AM -10:40 AM, Gillespie Hall
Kent Tritle concert, 4:30 PM -5:20 PM, nave
Evensong, 5:30 PM, nave
- 20 Vestry Meeting 6 PM - 7 PM, Strawberry Hill
Sarasota Opera Guild, 7:30 PM, Gillespie Hall
- 22 Women of Redeemer, *Be You*, 6:30 PM -7:30 PM, Room 220
Men of Redeemer, *Wingman*, 6:30 PM -7:30 PM, Phillips/Turner/Swanson Room
- 24 Jr. and Sr. EYC to *Rock the Universe*, buses depart from the church at 4 PM
- 26 **MORNING MASSES AT 7:30 AM, 8:45 AM, and 11:15 AM**
Annual Parish Meeting, immediately following the 8:45 AM Mass
Pancakes and Pajamas, during the Annual Parish Meeting, Gillespie Hall
Robinson Retirement Celebration: 5:15 PM Compline; 6 PM - 8 PM Reception
- 27 Daughters of the King, 9:45 AM, Eva Pope Room
Daughters of the King - hosted Book Study, 10:45 AM, Eva Pope Room
Renana Gutman concert, 7:30 PM, nave
- 29 Women of Redeemer, *Be You*, 6:30 PM -7:30 PM, Room 220
Men of Redeemer, *Wingman*, 6:30 PM -7:30 PM, Phillips/Turner/Swanson Room

MILESTONES:

Joining:

Bonnie & Rev. Warren Barron
Brooke Felden
Carol & Hal Johnson
Ken McBride
Fiona McFarland & Matt Melton
Anita MacDonald

Faye O’Hara

Kait & Cash Shelton

Terry & Bill Stocker

Bob Wenzel

Yvonne & Bryan Williams

Weddings:

Carolyn Rush & William Crouse

Courtney Sanders & Brian Lail

Births:

“We Welcome you into the household of God”

Kai Alexander Senecal

Deaths:

“May Light perpetual shine upon them”

William R. Walker

Alice White Rau

Clarence Star

January Birthdays

- 1 Scott Bennett, David Daiello, Rachel Fieber, Muriel Quinn, Betty Smith, Angie Stringer, Bianca Tengerdy
- 2 Scott Lyons
- 3 Wendy Bonell, Gloria Koach, Maya Likar, Scott Stanton, Stephen Sutter
- 4 Connie Bailey, Harry DeCarle, Rob Halliday, Teresa Phillips
- 5 Howard Cepelak, Caleb Fonte, Avary Hollingsworth, Lauren Hunihan, Judy Kendall, Kathy Nix, Caroline Ryan, Logan Sandow, Richard Van Balen
- 6 Belinda Coffrin, Laurel Dove, Janice Hutchison, Christy Teffenhart, Elizabeth Wallace
- 7 Johanna Fuste, Laura Johnston, Bob Philpott, Arpad von Lazar
- 8 Craig Lefebvre, Orion Marx, Millie Menke, Kathryn Mercier, Steve Pearsall, Penell Skinner, Janet Walter
- 9 Gilbert Colefield, Sara Diaz, Melanie Dieckman, Alex Maulfair, Teresa Taft
- 10 Carol Barnhart, Holly Lang, Barbara Powers, Ron Rayevich, Rebecca Reger, Giovanni Zampol
- 11 Larry Clamage, Warren Collmer, Katherine Peet, Nancy Pinder, Sue Shaffer, Alex Steele
- 12 Lou Cid, Leeann Gladding, Arch Long, Mason Lucas, Carol Reid, Flo Witt
- 13 Dick Almy, Adam Armbruster, Grace Hollingsworth, Sandy Hulvat, Patti Stevenson
- 14 Finn Dingle, Juanita Erazo, Angel Guana-Ascencio, Carmen Gillett, Margaret Hamlin, Kumiko Hampton, Thomas Tollerton, Candi Walker, Dale Wilkinson
- 15 Liz Coursen, London Dailey, Flo Miller, Guy Nimz, Isabella Wiseman, Jonathon Zagrocki
- 16 Mike Beasley, Kelsey Bennett, Charley De Lorenzo, Ainsley Hunihan, Mike Long, Jazlyn Qualls, Christine Sporrer
- 17 Hudson Ettinger, Merrill Garlington, William Hughes, Kiley Lukas, Stan Marable, Cliff Pinder, Dennis Roy, Jared Valek, Tommy Williams
- 18 Ken Bailey, Edward Bermudez, Carter Cerven, Zachary Maulfair, Martha Wood
- 19 Rebekah Bragg, Garrett De Luca, Jeremiah Evans, Alex Kempton, Diana Linden, Fritz Maxwell, Annie Pollard, Rose Marie Proietti, Magnolia Riner
- 20 Carmen Adcock, Adam Bragg, Beth Foge, Owen Sepanski, Tom Tengerdy, Claire Walker, Addisyn Wiegand
- 21 Richard Good, Lorena Harris, Fritz Johnson, Sawyer Stiff, Camila Villaveces
- 22 Kimberly Coats, Stacy Flanagan, Gabriella King, Paul Marshall
- 23 Sue Armbruster, Amy Coats, Anne Hanson, Diane Knox, Andrea Lee, Bob Lonsdale, Erin McLeod, Alexis Robbins, Paul Robertson, Jill Steinhoff
- 24 Walter Friend, Mary Hills, Laura Kroll, Hannah Meister,

Amanda Morris, Javier Sanchez, MJ Wood

- 25 Graham Devitt, Reid Devitt, Alexis Lohead, Colleen Ruffini, Ross Wainwright
- 26 Cecile Collmer, Liz De Luca, Kira Gaillard, Mary Lindamood, Jim Valek
- 27 Dani Hernandez, Leanne McIntire, Giovanni Nuzzi, John Phillips, Maria Ramirez, Ned Richardson
- 28 Leigh Hughes, Leonardo Nuzzi, Gene Slaughter
- 29 William Ayres, Sharon Cropper, Jack Morgan, Karlene Rivas, Letia Short, James Zabel
- 30 Chad Belcher, Joshua Cook, Itzel Guadarrama, Arabelle Longueuil, Marcia Malmfeldt, Fr. Rick Marsden, Wilhelmine Rometsch, Ellen Tembo, Kelly Watts
- 31 Alisha Buckman, Edwin Cooper, Patti Del Tufo, Mary Nugent, Richard Schworm, Ron Skweres, Sofia del Valle

January Wedding Anniversaries

- 1 Allyson & Matthew Barry, Helen & Ron Rayevich
- 2 Mary Lou & Carl Morris, Jennie & Sam Papalia
- 4 Martha & Val Taylor
- 6 Kate & Chris Wood
- 7 Pam & Dickson Clements, Elizabeth & Warren Vandever
- 8 Lorna & John Clarke, Eddy & John Phillips, Becky Cardy- Tanzosh & Tom Tanzosh
- 9 Kathie & Mike Ropele
- 10 Jan & Doug Spangler
- 13 Shirley & Arthur Rowe
- 14 Judy & John Fuqua, Pat & James Lombard, Jenny & Bill Phillips
- 15 Mallory & Richard Goewey, Sherry & Fritz Johnson, Heather & Eric Suescun
- 16 Julianne & Richard Schworm
- 20 Suzy & Phil Conover, Naomi & Stuart Prall
- 22 Mary Koshy & Matthew Aresery, Trish & Chris Cook
- 25 Mackenzie & Don Longueuil
- 26 Meezie & Walter Pierce
- 27 Pam & Tom Younkman
- 29 Christine & Richard Sporrer
- 30 Rhonda & Keith Summerford
- 31 Catherine & John Saynor