THE 50 DAYS OF EASTER
Easter is not only a day but a season. Jesus appeared to his disciples for forty days after his resurrection and gave the Holy Spirit 50 days after Easter. So the church celebrates the resurrection of Jesus for fifty days (seven Sundays) including Easter itself. Plus, every Sunday year round is a celebration of the resurrection!

THE ASCENSION OF OUR LORD
Will be celebrated May 29th (Ascension Eve) at a 6:30 pm Service with Holy Communion. “On Christ’s Ascension, I now build the hope of my ascension.”

CHURCH COUNCIL meets Tuesday April 30th at 7 p.m.

VOTER’S MEETING May 5th after the worship service.

ELDERS will meet Thursday May 9th at 7 p.m.

BIBLE CLASSES AVAILABLE!
Get into the Scriptures with your fellow members of Redeemer! Three weekly Bible studies are meeting:

Pastor Alms Sunday Morning Class: 1 Corinthians in the Parish Hall at 9 a.m.
Wednesday Morning Bible Study: Women of the Bible: 10:30 a.m.

2019 GRADUATES
Redeemer will recognize the 2019 high school and college graduates on Sunday, June 9th. Graduates are asked to wear their cap and gown, process in, and sit in the reserved area. Also, please provide a brief bio of your accomplishments, future plans and a picture to be included in the June Update by May 19th.

SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE

Lutheran School Scholarship
A Lutheran School Fund has been established for the purpose of promoting Christian Education and providing financial assistance for members of Redeemer and their children who are enrolled in grades kindergarten through 12th at Concordia Christian Day School, St. Stephens Lutheran School or University Christian High School. Funding for the scholarship is provided through free will gifts, memorials and honorariums, and other donations.

1. Student and parents must be members of Redeemer.
2. Student and parents must attend Sunday School and Worship service (at Redeemer) at least twice each month.
3. Scholarships will be awarded based on funds available and number of applications received.
4. Completed applications are due to church office by May 26th for the upcoming school year.

Brandon Edwards Scholarship
Applications available in Narthex and are due to Barbara Edwards no later than Sunday, May 19th.

Sandra Right Mayberry Scholarship
The Sandra Rights Memorial Scholarship is for graduating seniors who are members at Redeemer and will be attending a four year college or university this fall. The Sandra Rights Memorial Scholarship applications are available in Narthex and are due by Sunday, May 26th to Pastor Alms or Connie Burkett.

CRAWDAD CONCESSION VOLUNTEERS
We appreciate all who have volunteered, but we still need a few more people to help on May 24th, June 21st, and August 30th. Sign-up online or in parish hall.

YTD April 21, 2019
Average Sunday Attendance 124
Budgeted Needs $62,933.92
Contributions-Receipts $69,731.26
Over/(SHORT) of Budget $ 6,797.34
If your May celebration is not listed below, please drop a note in the basket on the church office door.

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5 3rd SUNDAY OF EASTER  WHITE  
9:00 am Sunday School
10:00 am Divine Service w/ Lord’s Supper
11:00 am Voters Meeting
Flowers:
Elder: Robert Benfield and Bob Eury
Offertory: M/M Barry Edwards

10:30 am Midweek Bible Study
6:30 pm Wednesday Worship

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NO Midweek Bible Study or Wednesday Worship
7:00 pm Senior Choir
7:00 Elders Meeting

12 4th SUNDAY OF EASTER  WHITE  
“Happy Mother’s Day”  
9:00 am Sunday School
10:00 am Divine Service w/ Lord’s Supper
Flowers:
Elder: Stephan Raddatz and Derran Medlin
Offertory: M/M Kenneth Edwards

10:30 am Midweek Bible Study
6:30 pm Wednesday Worship

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19 5th SUNDAY OF EASTER  WHITE  
7:00 am LLL Breakfast Meeting
9:00 am Sunday School
10:00 am Divine Service w/ Lord’s Supper
Flowers: Gail Houston
Elder: Kelly Matthews and Johnny Sigmon
Offertory: M/M Greg Fisher

10:30 am Midweek Bible Study
6:30 pm Wednesday Worship

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26 6th SUNDAY OF EASTER  WHITE  
9:00 am Sunday School
10:00 am Divine Service w/ Lord’s Supper
Flowers: Lynn Matthews
Elder: Carroll Yount and Phil Davis
Offertory: M/M Norris Harwell

10:00 am Midweek Bible Study at Catawba Valley Living with Lunch to follow
6:30 pm Ascension Eve Service with Holy Communion

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30 7:00 pm Senior Choir