

September 13, 2020  
Fifteenth Sunday after Pentecost



### MISSION STATEMENT

We dedicate ourselves to nurturing the awareness of God's presence in our world,  
and to sharing our blessings with others.

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### ANNOUNCEMENTS

**GOOD NEWS! Even if you do not have a Facebook account, you can join our live streaming of Sunday Worship service.** Here is the link to Redeemer's Facebook page: <https://www.facebook.com/redeemerramsey/> When you first open the page, you will see a log in or create an account page. Scroll down the page, and when the "log in or create account" bar pops up, close it by clicking on the "x" or, if it appears, the "not now" prompt. You may have to do this whenever the "log in/create" bar pops up again. When you click "not now" you are free to navigate the web page. On the left side there is a list of options. Choose "videos." And there you are!

**Sunday, September 13<sup>th</sup> – OUTDOOR worship, 10:15am, with Backpack Blessing!** Bring your backpack, chair, mask, worship guide, and sunglasses! (Check website/FaceBook pages, [www.redeemerramsey.org](http://www.redeemerramsey.org), for cancellation announcement if inclement weather.)

**On Sunday, September 13th we celebrate "God's work. Our hands." Sunday.** In the past we have done this as a congregation, but sadly we are unable to do that this year. It is very important that we remember to continue with this very special tradition, and we can do this within our own family. There are countless ways that we can help others. Here are a few suggestions:

- Younger children - paint rocks and pictures. Leave outside as a surprise for a neighbor or friend. Mail the pictures to people who may be homebound and may feel isolated especially with the pandemic.
- Write short notes or letters to military personnel, fire, police, rescue and health care workers expressing appreciation for all the selfless work they do. Consider sending a note to someone who you have not seen recently to let them know you are thinking and praying for them.
- Consider donating grocery store gift cards to Center for Food Action (90 Ridge Road, Mahwah) and the food collection at St. Paul's, Ramsey. When a person in need receives a gift card, they are able to buy fresh fruit, vegetables, meat and dairy. These kinds of items cannot not be distributed through the food pantries.

### Wednesday Bible Study at 10am.

Socially distanced in-person in Fellowship Hall and on Zoom.

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81149011175?pwd=L0ZCbW40YjROMm9sbmc5bEc0STFmQT09>

Meeting ID: 811 4901 1175  
Passcode: 041505  
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**Sunday School and Youth Group begin again for the School Year, Sunday, September 20<sup>th</sup> on Zoom**

Toddler – 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade

9-9:20am

<https://us04web.zoom.us/j/672235243>

Meeting ID: 672 235 243

3<sup>rd</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup> Grade

9:30-9:50am

<https://us04web.zoom.us/j/658771183>

Meeting ID: 658 771 183

7<sup>th</sup> Grade

11:30-11:50am

<https://us04web.zoom.us/j/268127764>

Meeting ID: 268 127 764

8<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> Grade Youth Group

12-12:20pm

<https://us04web.zoom.us/j/470377266>

Meeting ID: 470 377 266

**Sunday, September 27<sup>th</sup> is Rally Day and we will have an Outdoor Service at Redeemer Cemetery, 90 Chapel Rd, Mahwah, at 10:15am followed by a BYO Picnic.** Bring a chair, mask, worship guide, and bag lunch and enjoy each other's company from a distance. Parents are encouraged to bring a soccer ball for the kids to kick around in the field.

**Adult Education begins Monday, September 28<sup>th</sup> at 7:30pm**

For the 2020-2021 year, we will be using the seven-part series entitled "Dialogues On: Race." Each Dialogues On: Race lesson includes perspectives from thought leaders challenging the legacy of racism within the American church. September's session will be on "What Does it Mean to be White?: History and the Social Construct of Race." Email Stephanie at [FaithFormation@RedeemerRamsey.org](mailto:FaithFormation@RedeemerRamsey.org) to purchase a Learner Book for \$10.

**Food Collection in this time of Need –**

**Center for Food Action, 90 Ridge Road, Mahwah, is accepting donations of food items Monday - Friday 10am - 1:30pm.** Canned, jarred and boxed non-perishable items are desirable due to their long shelf life, however, they do accept donations of fresh produce. High-protein items are preferred as they provide better nutritional value. If you prefer you can donate Supermarket Gift Cards. These allow CFA to purchase essential or urgently needed food items. Most needed items include: Supermarket Gift Cards, Canned Meat & Fish, Canned Pastas, Stews, Chilis and Hearty Soups, Canned Tomatoes and Vegetables, Pasta, White and Brown Rice, Dried Beans, Cold Cereal, Oatmeal, Pancake Mix, Peanut Butter & Jelly, Shelf Stable Milk, Baby Formula, Diapers (Size 4, 5, 6), Toilet Paper and Paper Towels, Low Sodium and Low Sugar Foods, Cleaning products & Laundry Detergent, Toothpaste, Shampoo & Body Wash, and Coffee. **Donations can also be dropped off at the Ramsey Farmers Market on Sunday 9am-2pm at the Main Street Train Station, Ramsey.**

**Ramsey Responds** has coordinated with St. Paul RC Church to offer food and toiletries for local residents in need during this uncertain and difficult time. They will graciously accept donations of non-perishable food such as rice, beans, pasta, pasta sauce, canned fruits and vegetables, pancake mix, peanut butter, soup, canned fish (e.g. tuna) and meats, oatmeal, cereal, boxed meals (e.g. mac & cheese), Parmalat, canned milk and shelf-stable juice. They will also be accepting toiletries, paper goods and ShopRite gift cards. Your donations may be dropped off to their volunteers every **Tuesday from 5:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. at the garage behind St. Paul RC Church**. Their volunteers will then distribute to those in need. Your generosity is greatly appreciated and will alleviate the struggles experienced by countless families.

### **Offering**

Offering can be given online using our website and a credit card or a bank account.

<https://www.redeemerramsey.org/give-now.html>

Automatic weekly or monthly offering from a bank account can be set up by downloading the form on the web page below and mailing the information into the church office or emailing [finsec@redeemerramsey.org](mailto:finsec@redeemerramsey.org)

<https://www.redeemerramsey.org/simple-giving-program.html>

Checks can be mailed to the church office as well.

**PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS**

***“First of all, then, I urge that supplications, prayers, intercessions,  
and thanksgivings be made for everyone.” 1 Timothy 2:1***

Family and friends of Barbara DeSantis	Dot Holmes Eliana Elaine Elisabeth Gustowarow* Elizabeth Ernst* Elizabeth Greimel Ellen Joyce Eric Ernie Faith Danforth Francesca Reganato Frank J. Frank Terrizzi Gail Gail & Ed Stengel Ginny Griffin Grusser Family Gus Hess Hank Van Beuzekom Hans Kleipool Jack Grundy Jan Greten Jane Jane Donlon Jean Gager Jeanne Longo Jeannie Sarreshtedari Jill Hyland Joan B. John Conti Judy Roberts Julie Spreen June Jurgen Gustowarow Kate Kathy Kathy B. Keith Kim Daehnke Krista Kyle Gauweiler Landon Wilson Laura Behrmann Larry Leo	Linda Conboy-Schall Lio Ortega Lois Berger Lois Friedman Lynne Kramer Madison Behrmann Marika Mary Smith Matthew Matthew Wolfinbarger Maureen Kopinski McKenna Phillippe Melina Meredith Dykstra Michael Kallin Michael Sancilio Michelle Nancy LaCava Nellie Fader Nico Amadio Nina Poleshuk Nora S. Pat Pat & Bob Tremper Patricia Worth* Peter Johnson Phil Hockman Rachel Antorino Roger Walz Ruth Ryley Sharen Pacenza Shawn Sweeney Shirley H. Spoerl Family Ted Kissel Teri Wilson Theresa T.J. and Kate Thomas Sabo Tony Conboy Tyler Perry Teddy Fredericks Violet Kinzelmann Knyfd Willie Grundy Yvonne Schadei	Our sister congregation, St. Stephan’s Grace Community  Pastor Janelle, the coordinator for Young Adults in Global Mission team in Rwanda  <i>To add or remove a name from the prayer list, please call or email the church office. Your devotion in praying for people listed is sincerely appreciated. (** denotes a homebound member)</i>
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