

## HAPPENING THIS WEEK

### SUNDAY • JULY 7

8:15am	DW	Worship Service
9:15am	DW	Adult Bible Study - Meeting Room
10:00am	ALL	Worship Service & Livestream
10:00am	DW	Nursery / Kids—Make a Splash (Holiday Weekend)
11:00am	DW	Seeker's Bible Study - Meeting Room
6:00-7:00pm	DW	Young Adult Bible Study

### MONDAY • JULY 8

10:00am		St. Vincent DePaul sorting
12:00-1:30pm	DW	High School Bible Study - Gym - Door 5*

### TUESDAY • JULY 9

10:00am-2:00pm	DW	Food Pantry
5:30-7:00pm	DW	Food Pantry

### WEDNESDAY • JULY 10

10:00am	DW	Sing & Play - Nursery - Door 4*
2:00pm	DW	Helping Hands
7:00pm	DW	Worship Team Practice

### THURSDAY • JULY 11

4:30pm		Ronald McDonald House Meal Delivery
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### FRIDAY • JULY 12 - Office Closed

### SATURDAY • JULY 13 - Building Closed

### SUNDAY • JULY 14

#### Start of CAC Week!

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11:00am	DW	Seeker's Bible Study - High School Room
11:15am	DW	Meet & Greet - Meeting Room
6:00-7:00pm	DW	Young Adult Bible Study

\*Door numbers refer to the large white numbers on the building's exterior, above each outside door.



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[www.myredeemer.church](http://www.myredeemer.church)

#### DeWitt (Main Office)

13980 Schavey Rd.  
DeWitt, MI 48820

517-669-3430

#### Office Hours:

Mon-Thurs: 8:30am - 4:30pm

#### SUMMER Sunday Services:

8:15 & 10am  
Online: 10am (FB & YouTube)

#### St. Johns

200 E. State St.  
St. Johns, MI 48879

989-224-6859

#### Office Hours:

Tue & Wed: 1:00pm - 4:00pm

#### Sunday Service:

9:30am

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# Questions JESUS Asked



**A good listener asks good questions. Jesus asked over 305 questions recorded in Scripture. He asked curiosity questions, open-ended questions, challenging questions, and many more. Join us for this message series in July as we explore four of the questions Jesus asked and how they can impact our lives today.**

MESSAGE: WHY DO YOU DOUBT? WHY ARE YOU TROUBLED? July 7, 2024

Text: Luke 24: 36-39; John 20: 24-29 Pew Bible pages: 880 & 902

## Welcome to Redeemer!

#### CHECK IN

Whether you're at one of our campuses, online, new, or here all the time, be sure to sign in on a pew card, on the Redeemer app, online, or use the QR code! You can also share prayer requests, ask questions, & more.



REMINDER:

No Kids class TODAY due to the Holiday Weekend!



MEET & GREET - NEXT SUNDAY

- Sunday, July 14 | 11:15 am -12:30 pm
- Meet Pastor Debbie plus others who are newer to Redeemer.
- A light snack will be provided.
- Limit 20 people. Please RSVP to reserve your spot.
- Learn more and RSVP online under [EVENTS](#)



NEXT STEP MINISTRY

The Next Step Ministry is looking for additional adults to support our new graduates as they enter adulthood and all the opportunities of that life chapter. This would be a monthly connection (about 30 minutes) with an individual graduate to encourage them of the hope and support Christ has to offer through the church. The connection may be by prayer and postal service, email, or text. Please let us know if you are interested via email at RedeemerNextStep@gmail.com.



SING & PLAY - THIS WEDNESDAY

- Wednesday, July 10 | Redeemer DeWitt
- Wednesday, July 24 | GracePointe St. Johns
- All events: 10-11 am
- For ages infant - 5 years
- July Theme: Summer Sun & Sand (Wear your swimsuits)
- Story, music, art, & playtime with Ms. Emily (Redeemer) and Ms. Jessica (GracePointe)
- Learn more online under [EVENTS](#)



OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

- We were able to collect a bunch of items for Operation Christmas Child during Kids Bible Camp.
- Although KBC is done, we're still collecting items from now until Family Mission Night in October.
- You can also give a monetary donation to help cover shipping costs.
- Available at the information desk are shopping bookmarks listing item do's and don'ts.

Mobile Food Distributions

Wednesday: July 24  
4-6 pm Aug. 21

SIGN UP ONLINE TO VOLUNTEER:  
[MYREDEEMER.CHURCH/OUTREACH](http://MYREDEEMER.CHURCH/OUTREACH)

MOBILE FOOD DISTRIBUTION

- July 24 | DeWitt Campus
- Aug. 21 | DeWitt Campus
- Need volunteers ages 16+
- Sign up under [Mobile Food Drive](#)



SUMMER FUN NIGHT

- Wednesday, August 14 | 5:30 - 8pm
- FREE event | Open to the community
- Clyde's BBQ Pit hot dogs, Kona Ice, inflatables, kids games, prizes, bingo, & more!
- Invite your friends, family, & neighbors!
- Want to volunteer? Sign up [ONLINE](#)
- Learn more online under [EVENTS](#)



WATER DELIVERY

- Monday, July 15 | Local Police & Fire
- Our way of saying "Thank You"
- Sign up under [#BeTheChurch](#)

RONALD MCDONALD HOUSE

- Tuesday, July 16 | 1 - 4 pm
- Ronald McDonald House in Lansing
- A fun afternoon of Christian fellowship and projects
- Need volunteers (Ages 10+ with adult)
- Sign up under [#BeTheChurch](#)

GREATER LANSING FOOD BANK

- Monday, July 22
- Need volunteers (Ages 12+ with an adult)
- Sign up under [#BeTheChurch](#)

#BETHECHURCH EVENT CALENDAR

THIS WEEK

- July 8** - St. Vincent de Paul
- July 10** - Helping Hands
- July 11** - Ronald McDonald meal
- NEXT**
- July 15** - Monthly #BTC at St John's Campus
- July 15** - Water Delivery
- July 16** - Ronald McDonald House
- July 18** - Food Pantry delivery at 7:30am
- July 18** - Good News Kitchen
- July 19** - St. Vincent de Paul

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MESSAGE: WHY DO YOU DOUBT? WHY ARE YOU TROUBLED? July 7, 2024

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**BIG IDEA:** DOUBT IS NOT THE END OF REAL FAITH. FOR MANY PEOPLE, IT IS THE BEGINNING OF REAL, SINCERE, AND GROUNDED FAITH.

## GETTING STARTED

Have you ever gone to your room and locked the door? Why?

## REFLECTION/DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

1. Why do you think Thomas wasn't with the rest of the disciples when Jesus first appeared to them?
2. "Unless I see the nail marks in his hands... I will not believe it." What was Thomas saying? (ex. "I need proof." "I want to believe, but...")
3. What do you think was Jesus' tone with Thomas?
4. Why does Jesus say, "Peace be with you?" How does this relate to their fears?
5. Where could you use Jesus' peace right now: in some relationship? In some inner fear? In your work?
6. What doubts or questions about God are you struggling with? What have you found helpful in dealing with spiritual doubts?
7. What are the prayer requests on your mind and heart today?

**PRAYER:** Lord Jesus, thank you for caring for each of us, even when we come to you with doubts at times. Help our faith to grow, not in just what you do for us, but in what you call us to do. May we trust and believe, even when it is hard. In Jesus' name, we pray, Amen.

**GOING DEEPER:** Read Luke 24:36-49 and John 20:19-31. What similarities do you see in how Jesus addressed the disciples? What do you learn about Jesus' resurrected body? What task does Jesus give to the disciples? What promise does he provide? What is John's purpose in writing this Gospel (v.30-31)?

"Then the two from Emmaus told their story of how Jesus had appeared to them... And just as they were telling about it, Jesus himself was suddenly standing there among them. 'Peace be with you,' he said. But the whole group was startled and frightened, thinking they were seeing a ghost! 'Why are you troubled?' He asked. 'Why are your hearts filled with doubt? Look at my hands. You can see that it's really me.'" Luke 24:35-39 "Eight days later the disciples were together again, and this time Thomas was with them. The doors were locked; but suddenly, as before, Jesus was standing among them. 'Peace be with you,' he said. 'My Lord and my God!' Thomas exclaimed. John 20:26-28

## **MY NOTES:**