HAPPENING THIS WEEK

Sunday, November 1
8:15am **Worship Service** | Nursery
9:15am Bible Study - Meeting Room
9:30am **Worship Service** | **Livestream** | Nursery
Middle School class - Gym
High School class - High School Room
Kids Club - Kids Wing
11:00am **Worship Service** | Nursery
Bible Study - Meeting Room
Kids Club - Kids Wing
12:15-1:30pm Membership Class - Meeting Room - Door 4*
6:30-8:00pm High School Youth Group - Gym - Door 6*

Monday, November 2
10:30am Prayer Ministry - Meeting Room - Door 4*

Tuesday, November 3
10:00am-2:00pm Food Pantry open
5:30-7:00pm Food Pantry open
6:00-7:30pm Middle School Youth Group - Gym - Door 6*
6:00-7:30pm Men's Bible Study - Meeting Room - Door 4*
6:30-8:00pm Women's Bible Study - Music Room - Door 4*

Wednesday, November 4
10:00-11:30am Senior Bible Study - Meeting Room - Door 4*
7:00-8:30pm Worship Team practice - Door 4*

Thursday, November 5
9:30-11am Women's Bible Study - Meeting Room - Door 4*
6:00-8:30pm MomCo - Gym - Door 5*

Friday, November 6
No events scheduled

Saturday, November 7
No events scheduled

Sunday, November 8
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*Door numbers refer to the large white numbers on the building's exterior, above each outside door. *

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Mon-Thurs: 8:30am-4:30pm
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Ever tried to read the Bible but found it to be very confusing? What if you could put all of the people, places, and themes together in a way that caused you to understand and love Scripture even more? Join us in this fall season as we focus on "The BIG Story" of the Bible—creation, fall, redemption, restoration—and how to find your place in it.

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Welcome to Redeemer!

CHECK IN

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



THANKSGIVING BASKET COLLECTION

This Thanksgiving, we have received 60 names from Clinton County agencies, giving us the opportunity to help local families enjoy a special holiday meal.
To see a full list of what is needed, visit our website under **EVENTS**.
Monetary donations are also welcome for purchasing perishable items. Visit our website for more information.
Join us November 22 to assemble the Thanksgiving Baskets for distrubution.



FALL FESTIVAL THANK YOU

Fall Festival was a huge success!
We had nearly 300 people attend the event, a significant increase over last year, including families who were checking out Redeemer for the first time.
What a joy to see people enjoying hayrides, games, food, bingo, and more!
A big THANK YOU to all of the staff and volunteers who gave of their time to put the event together.



CHRISTMAS EVE CHOIR

Calling all singers!
You are invited to participate in our Christmas Eve choir for this year. Rehearsals will take place **after the 11:00am service, starting November 29**, led by Nicole, our Worship Director.
The choir will be singing for services on **December 23 at 7:00pm** and **December 24 at 3:00 & 5:00pm**

Sign-up through our website under **WORSHIP**



FESTIVAL OF CAROLS

Join us **December 11 at 7:00pm** for an evening featuring the music and traditions of Alma College's beloved Festival of Carols.
Tickets are $10 each, visit our website to purchase.
Proceeds support the Alma College Choir as students prepare to make history with the Choir's first-ever performance at Carnegie Hall in New York City. Find more information on our website under **EVENTS**

GO. LOVE. SERVE.
MAKE A DIFFERENCE

ADULT MISSION TRIP
APRIL 25-28, 2027
MORE INFORMATION

ADULT MISSION TRIP

We are excited to share that #BeTheChurch is hitting the road and traveling to Midwest Missions in Pawnee, Illinois from **April 25–April 28, 2027.**
There are a variety of jobs for all levels, but you must be able to walk, bend, light lift, and stand for short periods.
The cost is $300 and includes lodging, travel, all expenses for volunteering, and meals, except lunch on travel days — **14 slots available.**
If you are interested in receiving more information scan the QR Code above. The first meeting will take place in January.

Attention High School Students and Parents:

The 9:30am HS class will be preparing 100 lunches for Advent House on **Sunday, November 15.**

Donated items are needed such as: buns, carrots, fruit snacks, chips, etc..

Please sign-up in the class or email Christina in the church office.

Thank you in advance!



SERVING AT LANSING SHELTERS| Sign Up

Men's Shelter on Kalamazoo St:
Nov 19 • Dec 17
Women's Shelter on South Cedar:
Nov 13 • Dec 11
Come lend a hand and make a difference,
Sign up under #BeTheChurch to join us!

ADVENT HOUSE

If your group is interested in providing 100 brown bag lunches one month in 2027, please contact Suzie at **sunruh@dewittredeemer.org** for more details.

PRAYER OPPORTUNITY

This Thursday, volunteers will deliver dinner to families staying at the Ronald McDonald House in Lansing.
Please join us in praying for the children, their families, and the medical teams caring for them.

#BETHECHURCH EVENT CALENDAR

Find signups & learn more online under Outreach or on the Redeemer mobile app under Sign Ups.

Nov 5– Deliver Dinner to Ronald McDonald House
Nov 8– Handout items at the Homeless Event
Nov 10–Gratitude in Action Event with DeWitt Library

Nov 11–Helping Hands Group
Nov 13–Serve Dinner at Women's Shelter
Nov 15–Advent House lunches
Nov 15–Last day to donate for Thanksgiving Baskets
Nov 19–Food Pantry AM Food Delivery
Nov 19–Prep for Homeless Park Event



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BIG IDEA **THE STORY IS NOT FINISHED YET, UNTIL JESUS RETURNS**

GETTING STARTED:

Where is one of the most beautiful places you have ever been?
What impressed you about that place?

REFLECTION/DISCUSSION QUESTIONS:

1. Who wrote the book of Revelation? Where was he when he wrote it? Who was it addressed to? Why?
2. Where will the new world be lived out—on earth or in heaven? Why do you think so?
3. What is the goal of all redemption? What do you think it will be like living without fear, pain, or death, and with the continual and direct presence of God?
4. What do you find comforting in this chapter? What disturbs you? What is your biggest spiritual battle today? What is the hope in this passage for you?
5. If we truly believe Jesus will return and make all things right, how should that affect how we live today?
6. Thinking about this series as a whole, what was the most impactful aspect for you in seeing God's BIG Story through Scripture?
7. What are the prayer requests on your mind and heart today?

PRAYER: Lord Jesus, you are the Alpha and the Omega, the beginning and the end. You have overcome all things and will return someday to gather your people. May we be faithful and ready to spend eternity with you. When we get weary, let us keep our eyes fixed on your finish line. In the name of Jesus, we pray, Amen.

GOING DEEPER: Read Revelation 21:1-22:6. What is the size of the city? (v.16-17) Of what is it constructed? Compare this vision to the related vision in Ezekiel 40:2,5 and 48:30-35. When in the past week have you needed a vision of the Holy City—the joyous place that awaits you?

> ***"Then the angel showed me a river with the water of life, clear as crystal, flowing from the throne of God and of the Lamb. It flowed down the center of the main street. On each side of the river grew a tree of life, bearing twelve crops of fruit, with a fresh crop each month. No longer will there be a curse upon anything. For the throne of God and of the Lamb will be there, and his servants will worship him. And they will see his face, and his name will be written on their foreheads. And there will be no night there for God will shine on them."*** Revelation 22:1-4

MY NOTES: