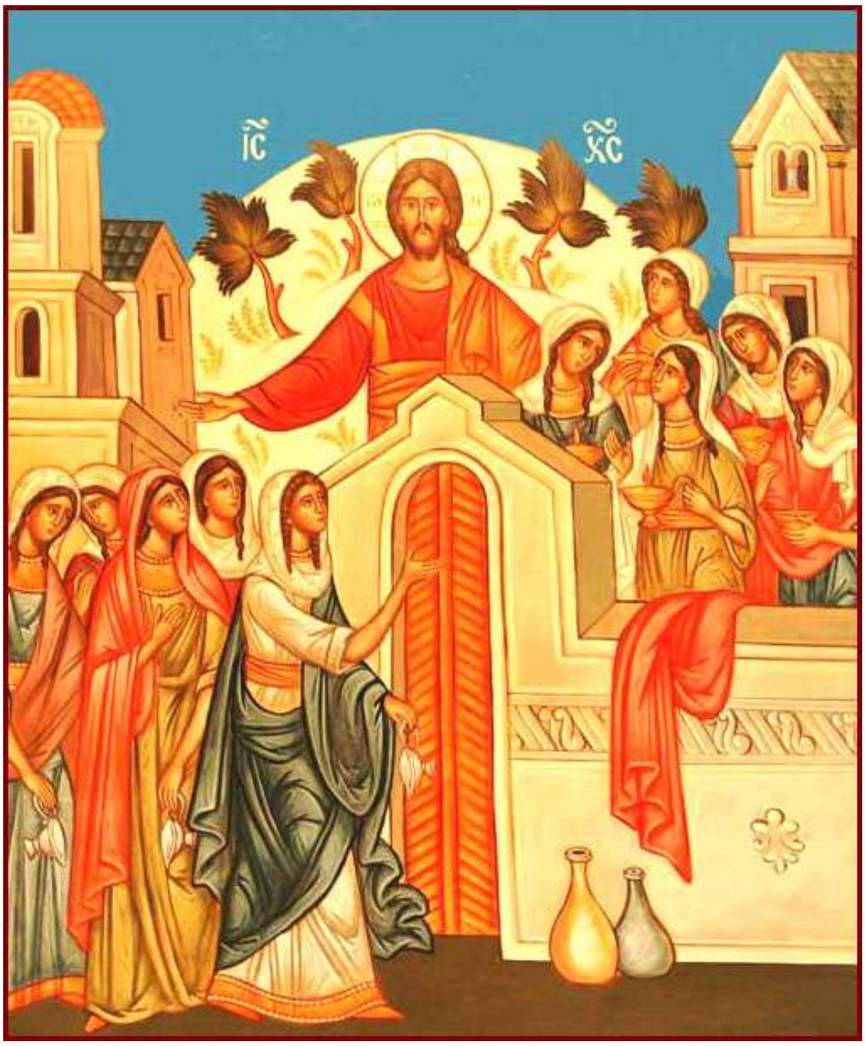
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Twenty-fourth Sunday after Pentecost November 8 - 10:00 AM

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Please silence all mobile devices in order to maintain reverence.
Before the service, talk to God. During the service, listen as God talks to you.
After the service, talk to one another.

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Holy Communion is celebrated in the confession and confidence that, as he says, our Lord gives into our mouths not only bread and wine but his true body and blood to eat and to drink for the forgiveness of sins and to strengthen our union with him and with one another. Our Lord invites to his table those who trust his words, repent of all sin, and set aside any refusal to forgive and love as he forgives and loves us, that they may show forth his death until he comes. Because those who eat and drink our Lord's body and blood unworthily do so to their great harm and because Holy Communion is a confession of the faith which is confessed at this altar, any who are not yet instructed, in doubt, or who hold a confession differing from that of this congregation and The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod, and yet desire to receive the sacrament, are asked first to speak with the pastor.
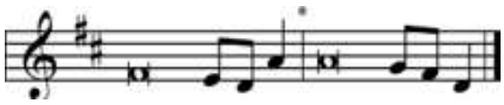
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Introit *Sing in unison* *Psalm 84:1, 9-12; antiphon: v. 3*



Even the sparrow finds a home, and the swallow a nest for herself, where she may | lay her young,*
at your altars, O Lord of hosts, my King | and my God.
How lovely is your | dwelling place,*
O | Lord of hosts!
Behold our shield, | O God;*
look on the face of your a- | nointed!
For a day in your courts is better than a thousand | elsewhere.*
I would rather be a doorkeeper in the house of my God than dwell in the tents of | wickedness.
For the Lord God is a sun and shield; the Lord bestows favor and | honor.*
No good thing does he withhold from those who walk up- | rightly.
O | Lord of hosts,*
blessèd is the one who | trusts in you!
Glory be to the Father and | to the Son*
and to the Holy | Spirit;
as it was in the be- | ginning,*
is now, and will be forever. | Amen.
Even the sparrow finds a home, and the swallow a nest for herself, where she may | lay her young,*
at your altars, O Lord of hosts, my King | and my God.

Kyrie PP. 152-153

Hymn of Praise *This is the Feast* P. 155

Salutation, Collect P. 156

Lord God, heavenly Father, send forth Your Son to lead home His bride, the Church, that with all the company of the redeemed we may finally enter into His eternal wedding feast; through the same Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Old Testament Reading *Amos 5:18-24*

Gradual *Sing in unison* *Revelation 7:14b; Psalm 84:5*

These are the ones coming out of the great tribu- | lation.*
They have washed their robes and made them white in the blood | of the Lamb.
Blessèd are those whose strength is | in you,*
in whose heart are the highways to | Zion.

Epistle Reading *1 Thessalonians 4:13-18*

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Holy Gospel *Matthew 25:1-13*

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Benediction P. 166

Hymn **514**

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PRAYERS/ANNOUNCEMENTS

Prayers for the Homebound: Brenda Bell, Patricia Bodi, Theresa Burch, Marilyn Collier, Paul DeGarmo, Jackie Eichelberger, Judy Evans, Larry Pohlad, Elaine Rubke

Medical Treatment: Beryl Cotter, Sherri Hardy, Diana Hendy, Cathy Leinhos, Lowell Mark, Hank Perez, Pastor Roberts, Louise Urness

Medical Testing: Kathy Barton

Recovery: Mike Barton, Tim Bee, Andy Brown, Toni Lange, Robin Somers, Mahan Family, Bethanne Ponci, Reyes Family, Dennis Varley, Bernadine Wiggley, Youngblood family

Expecting: Pastor & Abby DeForest, Tanner & Gillie Durfee and their unborn children.

Useful Employment: Aaron Ashworth

Seminary Students:Vicar Nathan Demlow, Paul Mroczenski

Altar Flowers are placed to the glory of God by Paul and Kay Eagan in remembrance of God's love for granddaughter, River's11th birthday and son, Bryn's 48th birthday. Happy Birthday!

Altar Candle for November is placed to the glory of God by Theisa Martin
Sunday Bible Class, 8:45 a.m., *Reading Ramblings*
Thursday Bible Class, 9:30 a.m. *Genesis*
Q4 Missions: Women's Resource Clinic, KKXX, The Lutheran Hour, Issues, Etc.
Petition Enloe Hospital to stop performing abortions: calrighttolife.org/enloe
A Matins Service will be held on Tuesday, November 10th at 9:15 a.m. here at Redeemer before the circuit pastors' *Winkel*. You are welcome to attend the Matins service.
The Funeral for Bill Hardy will be on Wednesday, November 11th at 12 noon here at Redeemer.
Thank You to the fellowship ladies for hosting a delicious meal last week!

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THE WEEK AHEAD

Today		TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
		JOHANNES VON STAUPITZ, LUTHER'S FATHER CONFESSOR
	8:45 AM	Sunday School/Adult Bible Class
	10:00 AM	Divine Service
	11:00 AM	Fellowship
09 Mon		MARTIN CHEMNITZ (BIRTH), PASTOR & CONFESSOR
10 Tue		
11 Wed		MARTIN OF TOURS, PASTOR
12 Thu	9:30 AM	Bible Class
13 Fri		Pastor's Day Off
14 Sat		EMPEROR JUSTINIAN, CHRISTIAN RULER & CONFESSOR OF CHRIST
15 Sun		TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
	8:45 AM	Sunday School/Adult Bible Class
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Acolytes:		Aaron Ashworth, Yuhuan Wenslaff
Altar Preparation:		Bonnie Hunt, Theisa Martin
Deacon of the Month		Jay Erwin
Counter		Pat Lillie
Organ		Jay Erwin
Attendance:		71
Income:	(through September 30 Inc. 101,000 from RLC)	258,955.88
Expenses:	(through September 30)	172,250.68
Net Income:	(through September 30)	86,705.20
Available Balance:	(through September 30)	160,705.33