# News from Episcopal Church of Redeen

NOVEMBER 6, 2022

# Sunday after All Saints'

On this day, we remember parishioners who have died and those who were buried in our churchyard this year since the last All Saints' Day:

Washington Atlee Burpee IV John Tillson Jackson Jr. William Davis Miller Chew Helen Bingham Justi Michael Steele Bright Churchman Janet S. Dougherty Elizabeth Ervin Nancy G. Gardiner Alida B. Geoffroy Margaret Huh

William Bennett Kraft III Mary Clay Lee Mercedes Levis Daniel Pratt Mannix V John Mather III Mary Stafford Page Elizabeth Libby Parker Joyce Petersen

Lawrence Roosevelt Reeve Norma Ann "Cricket' Roberts Margaret Grace Stineman Henderson "Woozy" Supplee III Barbara Perry Wadhams Charles R. Wood Alexander Brinton Yarnall

### Adult Forum - November 6

### 10:45am in Masterman Hall & via Livestream

Exploring the Psalms with Rabbi Richard Hirsh. On this, our second Alignment Sunday of the year, the topic is Psalms. Rabbi Hirsh will explain how Psalms are used in Jewish practice and worship and will lead us in a study of selected Psalms. Please join us for what is sure to be a fun and lively discussion!

## All Souls Service of Remembrance

### Sunday, November 6 at 4:00pm

Join us for our annual service of remembrance commemorating All Souls. Interspersed between beautiful readings and prayers the choirs will sing movements of the stunningly beautiful Requiem of Maurice Duruflé. The Requiem utilizes traditional Gregorian chants that have been augmented and embellished by the expansive harmonic language of Duruflé. Organ music by the composer will be featured before and after the service. The choirs are directed by Michael Diorio and accompanied by Alexander Leonardi. This All Souls observance service provides an opportunity to remember loved ones who are no longer with us.

# All Souls Requiem



### Sunday, November 6 8:00am Spoken Holy Eucharist Rite I .......Church 9:15am Nursery......Rm 208 Holy Eucharist Rite II.......Church + Livestream 9:30am 10:30am Preschool ......Rm 221 10:30am Lower Elementary.......Rm 215 10:30am Upper School (Grades 4-7) ...... Rm 217 10:40am Coffee Hour.....Burns Hall 10:45am Adult Forum ...... Masterman Hall + Livestream 10:45am 4:00pm 4:00pm All Souls Requiem......Church The Foundation (20s and 30s).....Library/Clothier Rm 6:00pm

### **OUTREACH MATTERS**

# Tour ECS's St. Barnabas Community Resource Center

### Tuesday, November 8 at 1:00pm

ECS transformed St. Barnabas Mission from a 107-bed emergency shelter to a Community Resource Center. Tour the open choice food pantry, the industrial kitchen, the playground, the health center, the community meeting rooms, and hear how the Center is becoming a resource for community-centered health and prosperity in West Philadelphia. Just 6 miles from The Redeemer. Be inspired by this video of the SBCRC Opening!! Address: 6006 W. Girard Avenue, Philadelphia (corner of Girard and North Edgewood) Park on North Edgewood (one-way street heading north, so you may need to drive around the block) and the surface parking lot midway down the block on North Edgewood, or across the street for those parking on Girard (to avoid parking too close to the trolley tracks on the near side). Contact Anna Gerrity (agrunrun@gmail.com) for additional information and to sign up for the tour. Carpool meeting at The Redeemer at 12:30pm.

### **OPPORTUNITIES**

# November 13 4pm Second Sunday Service

Please join us in Burns Hall for this special eucharist that allows the congregation to ask questions and experience a more interactive service. All ages are welcome!

# 2023 Stewardship Campaign & Volunteers Needed

By now you should have received the 2023 Stewardship solicitation via email or snail mail. We already have 97 pledges in-hand and running at a 7.1% overall increase. We are very grateful to those who have already pledged. Your early response to our campaign saves us money in supplies and postage and countless hours of staff and volunteer time. We will begin to publish the list of our pledgers next week. If you have not received your solicitation, please contact Ken Garner at ken@theredeemer.org.

We are again looking for parishioners to make follow-up phone calls in November to those whom we have not heard from. Lists will be provided to you and it is a nice way to have a chat or email conversation with your fellow parishioners. If you can help, please email ken@theredeemer.org.

### Sincere thanks to these parishioners who have already made a pledge.

Maisie Adamson Paul & Mary Adkins Charlie Alexander James & Julia Alexandre Warren & Susan Ayres Carolyn Bartholdson Glenn Beamer Tom & Carolyn Bennett Barbara Billings Diana Bittel John & Lisa Black Rick & Phyllis Brown Bob & Nancy Bruechert Iim & Lin Buck Andrew & Karen Bucklee Christian & Alice Bullitt Chris & Kate Chojnacki Bill & Joanne Conrad Peter & Elisabeth Cooke, Jr. David Copas & Jennifer Vollmer Copas Bob & Lisa Davis Gary Davis Jack & Judy Dawson Gloria DePasquale Joe & Elizabeth Dougherty Tory Dunkle

Norma Fabian Kitty Farnham Greg & Jennifer Farwell Philip & Suzanne Fisher Gordon & Patricia Fowler Phyllis French Ken Garner & Bob Mikrut C. Meade Geisel Bruce & Gale Gillespie Frank Grebe Greg & Lorrie Harper Joan Harvey Jane Hastings Sandra Hudson Kathy Hutchinson Wilson Jeffreys David & Joanna Johnson Jackie Johnson Jo Ann Jones Susan Keith Jim Kelleher & Rik Morris Victoria Leidner Timothy & Lauren Leithead Dee Pugh Marian Lockett-Egan Charlie & Betsy MacIntosh Mackie & Charlotte MacLean Charlie & Ann Marshall

Jim & Louise McCabe Tony & Binney McCague James & Kristin McGinley Alan & Annie McIlvain Rodger & Lauren McKinney Sandra McLean Hunter & Pamela McMullin Charles & Ellen Merwin Gregg & Mary Miller Rob & Janie Morris Perc & Sally Moser Jean Murdóck Ted & Carol Neilson Lathrop & Lorna Nelson Nancy Nimick Phil & Nancy Nord Rvan & Rebecca Northington Francesca Northrup Roz Pendergast Alfy & Kathleen Putnam Doug & Lisa Raymond Arden Saligman Joan Schiller Karl Schoettle

Ken & Amanda Schwenke David & Diane Senior Nancy Sharp Charlie Silio & Emily Snell Lorraine Simonis Dan & Patty Slack Jim & Prill Smartt Winnie Smith Carol Soltis David & Michele Spence Tad Sperry & Ellen Harvey Tracy & Kevin Steele Steve & Bebe Strawbridge Radclyffe & Maria Thompson Elizabeth Van Dusen Jacques & Stephanie Vauclain Jamen Voss & Michael Fradley Joan Warren Pat Wesley Daniel Wesley Guy Woodruff Sook Hee Yoo Chris Zafiriou & Jessica Harper

# Nominating Committee Solicits Your Input

At the Parish Annual Meeting in January, we will be nominating new members to serve on The Redeemer's Vestry for a 3-year term. We are asking interested persons to <u>volunteer to serve</u> and encouraging members of the Parish to <u>nominate candidates</u>, whom they believe are qualified for the Vestry. All suggestions will be handled confidentially and can be sent electronically to Al Greenough (<u>algreenough59@gmail.com</u>) or left in a sealed envelope in his mailbox in the parish office, before the deadline of Friday November 11. The Nominating Committee: Al Greenough, Chair, Vestry members: Elisabeth Cooke, Melanie LeBoeuf, Harry Miller, Paul Adkins and At large members: Emily Snell, Elizabeth Camerota.

### **OPPORTUNITIES**

# **Evening Formation Opportunities**

Wednesdays at 7:00pm

Episcopal Distinctiveness - Parish House Masterman Hall

Join a discussion of public issues as they can be seen through an Episcopal lens.

We invite you to a light supper from 6 to 6:45. Visit <a href="www.TheRedeemer.org/RSVP">www.TheRedeemer.org/RSVP</a> to signup to attend or to bring food.

# Thanksgiving Pies

Once again the choirs will offer Linvilla Orchard Thanksgiving pies for sale. Order forms are available online, or on the table in the Clothier Room in the Parish House. Orders must be returned by November 14.

# Christmas Village



We hope you are planning to join us on the evening of November 18th from 6-9pm in our festively decorated courtyard to celebrate the coming season and the joy of gathering together – all to benefit Redeemer's community service initiatives.

As a reminder- admission to the event is free. However, if you plan to enjoy a meal and drink from our delicious artisanal food trucks please register and purchase a ticket at: <a href="https://redeemerchristmasvillage.asimobile.net/">https://redeemerchristmasvillage.asimobile.net/</a>. You'll find a comprehensive set of FAQs at: <a href="https://www.theredeemer.org/christmasvillage/">https://www.theredeemer.org/christmasvillage/</a>. If there are any other questions please reach out to Kate Chojnacki (<a href="https://www.theredeemer.org/christmasvillage/">https://www.theredeemer.org/christmasvillage/</a>. If there are any other questions please reach out to Kate Chojnacki (<a href="https://www.theredeemer.org/christmasvillage/">https://www.theredeemer.org/christmasvillage/</a>. If there are any other questions please reach out to Kate Chojnacki (<a href="https://www.theredeemer.org/">https://www.theredeemer.org/christmasvillage/</a>. If there are any other questions please reach out to Kate Chojnacki (<a href="https://www.theredeemer.org/">https://www.theredeemer.org/</a> christmasvillage/</a>. If there are any other questions please reach out to Kate Chojnacki (<a href="https://www.theredeemer.org/">https://www.theredeemer.org/</a> christmasvillage/</a>. If there are any other questions please reach out to Kate Chojnacki (<a href="https://www.theredeemer.org/">https://www.theredeemer.org/</a> christmasvillage/</a>. If there are any other questions please reach out to Kate Chojnacki (<a href="https://www.theredeemer.org/">https://www.theredeemer.org/</a> christmasvillage/</a>. If there are any other questions please reach out to Kate Chojnacki (<a href="https://www.theredeemer.org/">https://www.theredeemer.org/</a> christmasvillage/</a>. If there are any other questions please reach out to Kate Chojnacki (<a href="https://www.theredeemer.org/">https://www.theredeemer.org/</a> christmasvillage/</a>.

Tickets are currently \$65 and include one meal from either Epicurean Garage or The Flying Deutschman and a drink. Ticket prices will increase to \$100 on November 10th. To view the menu, please visit: <a href="https://www.theredeemer.org/christmasvillage/">https://www.theredeemer.org/christmasvillage/</a>.

Starting Monday, November 14th a wonderful selection of auction items will be available for early bidding online at: <a href="https://redeemerchristmasvillage.asimobile.net/">https://redeemerchristmasvillage.asimobile.net/</a>. From a NYC apartment with Broadway tickets of your choice to a long weekend near the Biltmore Estate to the Phillies owner's box for 16 (!!), check out the amazing items being offered this year! Please note that you MUST register on the site and provide credit card information to bid on <a href="mailto:auction items">auction items</a>... but a meal ticket purchase is NOT required. Please contact Meghan Jodz (<a href="mailto:meghanjodz@yahoo.com">meghanjodz@yahoo.com</a>), Elisabeth Cooke (<a href="mailto:Elisabeth.c.cooke@me.com">Elisabeth.c.cooke@me.com</a>), or Caroline Manogue (<a href="mailto:cbmanogue@gmail.com">cbmanogue@gmail.com</a>) with any questions.

Tasty Treats **LAST CALL**. Orders not received by Sunday November 6 will be returned. There will be items available, for purchase, at the Tasty Treats booth at the Christmas Village on November 18th and 19th.

Finally- we are always looking for volunteers to help in many different capacities. The Christmas Village is a wonderful time for us to come together to celebrate the community and work together to raise funds for outreach. If you're interested in being a part of Village preparations or staffing one of many parish run activities, please reach out to Kate Chojnacki at <a href="kate.chojnacki@gmail.com">kate.chojnacki@gmail.com</a>. There are so many opportunities, and we will find one that works for your schedule and interests!

### **DID YOU KNOW**

**Did you know,** the 8% inflation rate adds approximately \$135,000 to The Redeemer's budget? This is a significant increase in our current budget and will impact our planning for the upcoming 2023 year. We need to be careful stewards of our endowment and at the same time meet the financial needs brought on by inflation. If you are able to increase your support in these uncertain times, thank you and we understand it is simply not possible for others. Remember, you have the entire calendar year of 2023 to pay your pledge.

... Now that's Ministry and your Stewardship makes it happen!

### **CONTACT US**

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The Mission of the Church of the Redeemer is to celebrate the love of God in Jesus Christ. As an open and welcoming Episcopal community, we worship, learn and grow together, supporting each other and our world through the generous and creative use of God's gifts.

### **NEW TO THIS COMMUNITY?**

We're glad you're here! We'd like to get to know you. Please sign the guest book on the podium in the Church entrance way or fill out one of the cards in the pew. We will be in touch.

### Worshiping in the time of COVID-19.

Mask wearing is now optional.

Many of us here today were not raised in The Episcopal Church, but have found in this parish a source of spiritual growth. If you might like to join this congregation or come seeking prayer or guidance, please speak to one of the clergy or call the office at 610-525-2486.

For young children, we offer a worship tote bag filled with materials meant to enhance their sense of worship and help them process new prayers, scriptures and hymns. Pick one up in the narthex.

**Restrooms** are located through the large wooden door halfway down the left side aisle. Baby changing stations are in the handicap restroom off the left side aisle and in the hallway restroom behind the high altar.

### Wi-Fi Access

Choose: COTR-Congregation

Password: Redeemer1881

Best sources for information on all our ministries are on our ALL NEW website (www. TheRedeemer.org), Facebook page (RedeemerBrynMawr), Twitter feed (@TheRedeemerPA) and Instagram (theredeemerpa).

Submission guidelines and a submission form for The News can be found at www. TheRedeemer.org/the news.

### **ASK AN USHER**

- For hearing assistance devices
- For a card to drop in the offering plate if you give online

### THIS WEEK AT THE REDEEMER

| Monday November 7 Willibrord, Bishop & Missionary, 739                     |                                       |  |
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| 12:00pm  | Finance Committee                     | Rm 204                                   |
| 8:00pm   | NA                                    | Masterman Hall                           |
| Tuesday November 8  Ammonius, Hermit, 403                                  |                                       |  |
| 6:00am   | Election                              | Burns Hall                               |
| 1:00pm   |                                       | Rm 007                                   |
| 1:00pm   | Tour of St. Barnabas Community        | Center . 6006 W. Girard Ave. Phila 19151 |
| 6:30pm   | Vestry                                | Masterman/Zoom                           |
| 7:00pm   |                                       | Rm 007                                   |
| 9:00pm   | Compline                              | via Zoom                                 |
| Wednesday November 9 Richard Rolle, Walter Hilton & Margery Kempe, Mystics |                                       |  |
| 12:00pm  | •                                     | Church                                   |
| 1:00pm   | _                                     | Staff Conf Rm 204                        |
| 2:00pm   |                                       | Staff Conf Rm 204                        |
| 5:00pm   |                                       | Choir Rm                                 |
| 5:00pm   |                                       | Rm 221                                   |
| 6:00pm   | 1.1                                   | Burns Hall                               |
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| Thursdays November 10 Leo of Rome, Bishop, 461                             |                                       |  |
| 7:30am   | ,                                     | Rm 125                                   |
| 10:15am  |                                       | Rm 125                                   |
| 12:00pm  |                                       | Raymond Library & via Zoom               |
| 1:00pm   | _                                     | Staff Conf Rm 204                        |
| 4:00pm   |                                       | via Zoom                                 |
| 7:00pm   |                                       |  |
| 9:00pm   | •                                     | via Zoom                                 |
|  | November 11                           | Martin of Tours, Bishop, 397             |
| 9:00am   | · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · | Church                                   |
| 5:30pm   | ,                                     | Burns Hall                               |
| Saturday November 12 Charles Simionk, Priest, 1836                         |                                       |  |
| 9:00am   |                                       | Church                                   |
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| Sunday   | y November 13                         | The Twenty-third Sunday after Pentecost  |
| 8:00am   |                                       | Church                                   |
| 9:15am   |                                       | Rm 208                                   |
| 9:30am   | *                                     |  |
| 10:30am  |                                       |  |
| 10:30am  |                                       | Rm 217                                   |
| 10:30am<br>10:40am   | •                                     | Rm 215<br>Burns Hall                     |
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Up-to-date calendar always available on www.TheRedeemer.org/calendar All Zoom meeting links are there as well.

### IN OUR PRAYERS

• For those who are sick or in need:

Pierce Archer Irene Fran Northrup

Morris J. D. Joan

Janet Harvey Dana Monica Hackett

Meg Curry Barbara Jeffrey Louise Marx Gene John

Gary Fink Chris McCleary Rebecca Clothier Case

- For our brothers and sisters in Malawi affected by HIV/AIDS.
- For those fleeing from devastation in their countries of origin.
- For the victims of violence in this country and throughout the world, especially Ukraine.
- For those who have died and the victims of gun violence throughout this country.

If you know a parishioner who needs pastoral care or could use a visit, please contact Peter Vanderveen—pvanderveen@theredeemer.org or ext. 17, Jo Ann Jones—jjones@theredeemer.org or ext. 16, or any member of the Pastoral Care Committee.

To add names or thanksgivings to the prayer list, use the online form at: www.TheRedeemer.org/pastoral\_care or contact Jo Ann Jones; jjones@theredeemer.org

### CHURCH SCHOOL AND YOUTH MINISTRIES

# New This Year - Alignment Sundays!

Over the course of the past two years we have worked hard to create greater synergy between what each of our Church School classes are learning week to week. This year, we are going one step bigger! The first Sunday of every month is now Alignment Sunday. What does that mean? All of Formation at Redeemer (Preschool through Adults), will spend the morning focused on the same topic or lesson. The hope is that these weeks will help foster a greater sense of community learning while also facilitating ongoing conversations between generations throughout the week.

### Lesson of the Day Alignment Sunday: The Psalms

From the youngest to the grown-ups, we will spend this morning focused on the Psalms. The writers of the Psalms used these poems/songs as a means to express God a whole host of emotions. Whether it's joy, sadness, lament, rage or apathy the Psalms contain it all. We will explore their significance within Scripture and the role they play in our lives and liturgy.

Preschool - Rm 221 (age 3 to Kindergarten)

Lower Elementary - Rm 215 (grades 1 to 3)

Upper School - Rm 217 (grades 4 thru 7)

Confirmation - Hospitality Suite

Today, we will enjoy an outing to the Bakery House while discussing the Nicene Creed! Who says you can't have a meaningful theological discussion over sweet treats?

### Redeemer Youth Group - Youth Cottage

RYG, is invited to attend the All Souls service this Sunday at 4 pm. Please look for leaders in the narthex. We will meet for an hour afterwards to share dinner and to discuss All Souls and All Saints. Please join us!

### **WAYS TO GIVE**









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