



February 22, 2026 ~ 10:15am

REDEEMER BY THE SEA ~ "A PLACE TO KNOW AND BE KNOWN"

We are honored to recognize our niche in God’s Kingdom work. Here we will faithfully worship and teach in alignment with God’s Word and we’re a small enough fellowship where you can know and be known by most of the people around you. Here you will be missed if you’re gone and prayed for when you have needs. You are welcome to contact the office (kay@redeemerbythesea.org) with any questions or to get connected.

UPCOMING EVENTS: www.RedeemerbytheSea.org

Feb. 25th	6:00pm	Lenten Devotional Gathering w/ dinner at 5:30pm
Feb. 28th	4:30pm	Date Night
Mar. 4th	6:00pm	Lenten Devotional Gathering w/ dinner at 5:30pm
Mar. 7th	9:00am	Men’s Fellowship Breakfast
Mar. 14th		Holy Hackers
Mar. 14th	10:00am	LWM Zone 21 Rally at Redeemer

Announcements

Pastor's Welcome

Worship Set

"Live Like That"

"The Blessing"

Prayer of Confession

Children's Message/Sunday School Dismissal

Greeting One Another

Song

"King of my Heart"

The First Reading

Genesis 3:1-21

The Second Reading

Romans 5:12-19

The Gospel

Matthew 4:1-11

Message

"DISTRACTIONS: Refusing to Settle for Less Than God's Best"

Pastor Eli Thomas

Prayers

Lord's Prayer

Blessing

Closing Song

"This is Amazing Grace"

Find out more: www.redeemerbythesea.org
Submit a prayer: prayers@redeemerbythesea.org
Email the church: office@redeemerbythesea.org
Text the church office: 760-283-6567

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OFFERINGS: *Visitors: please consider yourselves our guests and do not feel obligated to participate in the offering.* In faithful obedience and

joyful response to God's grace in our lives, we humbly and gratefully bring our tithes (a regular first portion percentage of our income) and offerings (gifts over and above our tithes for other kingdom work). You may deposit your envelope, check, or cash in the box next to the exit; give online with your phone using the QR code at right, or text "GIVE" to 442-222-2448. All of these options are on our website: www.redeemerbythesea.org/donate/



LENTEN DEVOTIONAL GATHERING: Join us for a 5-week study called "Transformation" by Ed Young. This offers practical steps from Romans 12 to help renew your mind, offer true worship and walk in the will of God for your life. We will meet in the Fellowship Hall - Wednesdays starting **Feb. 25th through March 25th at 6pm**. You are also welcome to join us before for dinner at 5:30pm.

DATE NIGHT SAT. FEB. 28TH from 4:30PM-7:30PM. This is a chance for parents to take a break and enjoy a night out knowing your children are in a fun, safe environment with pizza, games, crafts, and more. Cost is \$25/child. Space is limited so sign-up online (ages 1-9 years old).

SERVE TEAM NEEDED: If you are high school-aged and above, willing to give your time to the children attending Date Night, please sign up online. Hours are 3:30-8:30pm to help set up and clean up. Email **Shauna** - shauna841505@yahoo.com.

LWM ZONE 21 RALLY AT REDEEMER ON SAT. MAR. 14TH. The program is a dramatic presentation by Laurel Kelsh Jones honoring Katharina von Bora Luther, the wife of Martin Luther. **9:30am registration** (\$6.00). **10:00am – 1:00pm** for the meeting, program, luncheon, and basket raffle. Please bring Walmart gift cards (\$10-\$20) to support the LCMS Joint Seminary Fund. Email BJ: bjclahr@cox.net to RSVP by March 2nd.

LENTEN DEVOTIONS AVAILABLE FROM LUTHERAN HOUR MINISTRIES: Copies of "Behold Your King!" are available in the lobby, OR checkout www.lhm.org/lent/ for digital access.

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DISTRACTIONS: Refusing to Settle for Less Than God's Best

Series: Joseph- Dreams & Destiny, part 3

Scripture References

- Genesis 39:1-6
- Deuteronomy 8:6-19
- Proverbs 30:7-9
- Mark 10:21
- Genesis 39:2-3
- 1 Peter 3:15

1. Blessings can become _____ when they feel
_____.

2. Blessings become a distraction when
_____.

3. Blessings become a distraction when
_____.