



GOD ON FILM

"The Hobbit: The Desolation of Smaug"

Aug 17, 2014
8:30 ANNOUNCEMENTS

THIS WEEK AT REDEEMER Aug 17 - Aug 25

Sun	9:45am	Bible Study (@Fellowship Hall)
	Noon	Discovery 301
Mon	7am	Men's Bible Study (@Coco's)
Tue	1pm	Bible Study (@Lehmann's)
Wed	8am	Life Journal Bible Study
	7pm	Chancel Choir
Thu	6:30pm	Youth Guitar Class
	6:30pm	Bible Study (@ Rhonda's)
Fri	12:30pm	Bridge
Sun		"Revelation" Sermon Series Starts
	Noon	Serve Team 401

Upcoming Events

Aug 29	7:10pm	Baseball Choir Night
Aug. 31	10:30am	Sunday School Rockin' Rally Day!
Sep 14	Noon	Voter's Meeting
Sep 21	12:30-4:30	Annual Church Picnic

As We Gather

Today we conclude our God on Film message series with a movie that is considered epic high fantasy. "The Hobbit: The Desolation of Smaug" is the work of Christian author J. R. R. Tolkien. But can we possibly find spiritual relevance in a work of clear fiction and fantasy? Tolkien sure hoped so, and so do we. Today's themes of victory, honor, love, friendship and self-sacrifice are all visible in the scene from the movie as well as our Biblical texts. Jesus didn't intend for His disciples to simply sit back and watch evil triumph in the world. Rather, He calls us into loving service and defense of our neighbor. Moreover, He doesn't just call us into service, He demonstrated that loving service and protection as He laid down His life for us undeserving sinners.

Memory Verse

"You did not choose me, but I chose you and appointed you so that you might go and bear fruit—fruit that will last—and so that whatever you ask in my name the Father will give you." (John 15:16)

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To Our Guests

Thanks for worshiping with us. We pray that you will feel the friendliness of our congregation and hope that while you came as a visitor you will leave as a friend. We invite you for refreshments after our morning services. You are invited take a free book or any resources from the Welcome table! Free Bibles and Bible Studies are also available.

Sunday Information

OFFERING

We join Christians all over the world in worshipping God through our giving of our financial resources. Humbly, we give thanks to God who, through the mighty working of His Spirit through Word and Sacrament, has given us grace to believe in Christ, the Light who shines in the darkness. Gratefully, we offer our gifts to be used to spread the great, unfathomable love of God in Christ. *Visitors: please consider yourselves our guests and do not feel obligated to participate in the offering. We encourage you to complete a Connection Card and place it in the offering or bring it to the Welcome Table.*

NURSERY

A professionally staffed nursery is available downstairs and to the right. You are invited to bring your children to our nursery at any time throughout the service. Please feel free to drop your little ones off for first or second service - and if you don't have any babies, just stop by and say hello!

ALTAR FLOWERS

Today's flowers are given by Dan & Ellen Bitner in loving memory of Aaron Bitner.

If you would like to provide the flowers for the altar in 2014, the calendar is available on the bulletin board at the bottom of the stairs - Contact the church office 760-431-8990 with questions.

SUNDAY SCHOOL REGISTRATION & CHECK-IN

Parents: check-in your children for Sunday School and Nursery at the registration table before the 10:30am service. The children will start out in worship, then be dismissed to their classrooms. Parents will pick up their children at their classrooms following the service.

ENRICHMENT TIME

At **9:45am**, children Pre-K - 6th grade will meet in the nursery for the remainder of the summer. Watch the announcements for more information about exciting activities planned for this time in the Fall!

SUNDAY MORNING ADULT BIBLE STUDY - NEW STUDY STARTS NEXT SUNDAY

Join us for a Bible Study in the lower level fellowship hall at 9:45am. **Starting Next Sunday, 8/24, there will be an additional adult Bible study on the book of Revelation** using the book that is for sale in the lobby. It will be led by Blake Bolton.

COMMUNION INSTRUCTIONS

As guided by ushers, approach the Altar from either side. Proceed as far to the rear of the rail on your side as possible. You may remain standing if you are not able to kneel. Once you have received both elements, the elder will speak a brief dismissal prayer, after which you may stand and return to your seat. If you are unable to come forward to receive Communion, remain at your seat and the pastor/elder(s) will come to you following the Communion distribution.

We believe in the real presence of the body and blood of Christ in Holy Communion. (1 Corinthians 11:23-29)

We request that those who receive the Lord's Supper profess the following:

I am a sinner. I have been baptized and believe that Jesus Christ gave His life so that I might be forgiven and live forever. (John 6:54-56).

I believe that Jesus Christ is actually present in this meal and that together with the bread and wine I receive His true body and blood for the forgiveness of sins. (Matthew 26:28)

I sincerely desire to live as a fully devoted follower of Jesus Christ.

If this is not your belief or you have not yet received instruction about his sacrament, we still invite you to participate in this way: by placing your hand over your heart instead of opening your hand, we will know that you have come forward for a prayer of blessing and not the sacrament.

PLEASE NOTE: The clear liquid in the middle of each individual-cup tray is a non-fermented fruit of the vine for communicants who must refrain from alcohol for any medical reason. Gluten-free wafers are available in the separate container on the paten (bread plate).

REGULAR SUNDAY SCHEDULE

8:30am	Traditional Worship Service
9:30am	Fellowship on the Patio
9:45-10:30am	Enrichment Classes <u>Pre-K - 6th -- Nursery</u> <u>Bible Study - Fellowship Hall</u>
10:30am	Contemporary Worship Service w/ Sunday School (dismissed from worship)
11:45am	Fellowship on the Patio

WHO'S YOUR ELDER?

Head Elder: Doug Sandow 760-804-0022 Last names: **A-B** Charles Um, **C-E** Otis Haarmeyer, **F-H** Ken Swick, **I-K** Chuck Krause, **L-M** Dave Berrier, **N-R** Jim Brunner, **S** Carl Gehring, **T-Z** Lyle Meyer

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Visit our webpage at <http://tinyurl.com/RBTStudy> for a list of our current Bible studies and how to get involved!
If you would like to know more about the Free Online Bible Studies, check that off on your connection cards, or contact the office!

MORNING DEVOTIONS AND PRAYER

Pastor Augie 760-431-8990

Begin your day with prayer, Bible Study and sharing with Pastor Augie in Room 3 on Wednesday mornings from 8am to 9am.

THE PATRIARCHS

Evelyn Meyer 760-740-6476 or Robin Zale 760-274-6196

The PATRIARCHS by Beth Moore. Encounter the God of Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob. Come along for an 11week study thru Genesis-the Book of Beginnings. Discover God's pursuit of relationship with man, and marvel as His plan to bless all people unfolds. Begins Monday, Sept.8th and Wednesday, Sept.10th at 9:15-11:30am in the Fellowship Hall. Member books will be \$20. Registration starts now!

Jr. & Sr. High

Sunday AM Jr. & Sr. High Study – The Sunday study at 9:45am in the Youth Lounge (Room 4) ***will not meet for the rest of the summer.*** Enjoy some refreshments on the patio, or join in the Adult Bible study in the Fellowship Hall!

FREE Guitar Classes – ages 9-18, Thursdays 6:30-7:30pm. Contact Joe Flatt by cell/txt: 574-606-8833

***Confirmation Classes** – Students in 6th, 7th & 8th grade – Register now for confirmation! Classes will be held at 9:45am on Sunday mornings. (Parents and siblings -- check out the adult Bible study and Enrichment classes available at that time as well!!) Contact the office.

Info & More!

FOLLOW THE MODEL OF GOD IN BEING GENEROUS

Barbara Gehring

The source and strength of Christian stewardship is the blood-bought salvation that is so richly and daily given us in Christ. As a result, we are given a new purpose in life and a new hope. We are given new hearts and new minds. Also, we are freed from our former slavery to sinful patterns of thought and action. Talk about lasting generosity!!

CREATION MOMENTS–*The Archer Fish...* It When the archer fish finds a tasty-looking insect, he shoots an accurately aimed stream of water at his prey, knocking the insect into the water. Before the insect has a chance to recover, the archer fish has eaten him and is looking for dessert.... This simple but elegant arrangement is testimony to a wise and skillful Creator. Neither mindless chance evolution nor any fish could be smart enough to design this system... Read more here: tinyurl.com/FishArcher. To See previous Creation Moments visit tinyurl.com/CreationMoments

Want to Know More?

Discovery Track: Redeemer by the Sea wants to help you walk closer with Jesus Christ. The four sessions of our Discovery Track offer the tools necessary to make this happen in your life. All the way from membership to life-changing ministry, we will lead you step-by-step from discovery to growth into a fulfilling ministry role. Enjoy a light lunch before each session.



Church 101- This session is an introduction to the ministry of Redeemer and will help you understand church membership. Offered the first Sunday of the month from Noon-1:30pm. *Next date is 9/7.*

Essentials 201 -- This session guides you through the essential beliefs and provides the necessary tools every Christian needs to grow in their walk with Christ. Offered the second Sunday of the month from Noon-1:30pm. *Next date is 9/14*

Discovery 301 -- We want to help you realize what makes you so unique. This session will help you discover your personality, gifts, and purpose in life and see how God combines them for the best fit in ministry. Offered the third Sunday of the month from Noon-1:30pm. ***Next date is 8/17.***

Serve Team 401 -- This is a chance to find out more about the specific ministry areas that interest you, and meet various leaders. Offered the fourth Sunday of the month from Noon-1:30pm. *Next date is 8/24.*

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Announcements

ANNUAL CHURCH PICNIC Mary Ann 760-436-4830

Mark Your Calendar!
Sunday, September 21st
12:30 - 4:30 pm @Aviara Park

FIESTATACOBAR

***CHOICE OF Shredded Beef, Pork & Chicken Meat**
Filling *Rice & Beans
***Chips & Salsa *Taco Fixin's *Water *Watermelon**
***Veggie cups**
and \$1 Soft Drinks

***Fun & Games for the kids *Cupcake Decorating**
***Burlap Sack Races *Piñata**

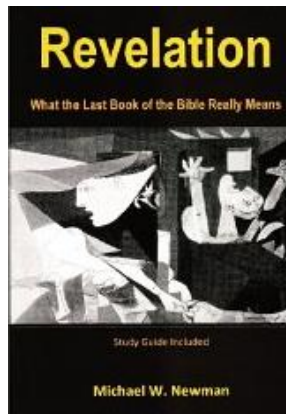
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SO WE CAN ORDER THE CORRECT AMOUNT OF FOOD.
ANY COMMENTS OR QUESTION, PLEASE BE FREE TO CALL
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SUNDAY SCHOOL Rhonda Sutherlin 760-599-9007

Get ready for a really Rockin' Rally Sunday on August
31st during the 10:30 service. You won't want to miss it!!

NEW SERMON SERIES Rachelle Iadicicco 760-431-8990

On **August 24th** we will begin a
message series on the book of
Revelation. We will be using the
book written by Michael W.
Newman, titled "*Revelation*" as a
resource for individuals and small
groups. **Softcover books are**
available for \$10 each (List
price \$14.99). Envelopes are in
the front of the books, please
deposit them into the offering
plate.



OFFICE ASSISTANT Rachelle Iadicicco 760-431-8990

Our office assistant Jill has taken a full time position teaching
at Tri-City Christian School. We wish her well in her new
position there! That means that we are looking for someone
to work in the office part-time (hourly paid position up to
20hrs/week). Must be proficient in Microsoft products (Word,
Publisher, Excel and Powerpoint). Please fill out an application
or email your resume to the office. Deadline is Aug. 22.

HEAVEN IS FOR REAL Rachelle Iadicicco 760-431-8990



If you would like to check out the movie
"Heaven is for Real", there is a copy
available in the church library. If it is
checked out already, put your name on the
list to be notified when it is available. There
is also a Bible study available -- we have a
few printed copies available and can print
more, or mark your connection card to send
an email copy.

LUTHERAN CHOIR NIGHT RETURNS! Mary Ann Meinardus 760-436-4830 or Eva Bruning 760-304-0501

There are only 10 tickets available for LUTHERAN CHOIR
NIGHT FRIDAY, **AUGUST 29 AT 7:10 PM** (PADRES VS.
DODGERS BASEBALL). "Gather together in Fellowship" & Enjoy
Padre Baseball at a "GREAT PRICE"! TICKET PRICE: \$35 each;
includes our group, reserved ballpark ticket (\$19) & round-trip
Super Coach Bus ticket (\$15) from church to Petco, and back,
plus \$1 tip to the bus driver. **BETTER BALL PARK SEATING:**
Right Field, Lower Reserved Section. Better than last year's
"Nose-bleed" section! **COMFORTABLE, SPACIOUS COACH**
WITH CUSHIONED RECLINER BUS SEATS! Seats are limited; 55
people required: First Come, First Serve! (Those who miss out
on the bus, can still reserve the group ticket to the game @
\$19 apiece. Bus leaves the church @ 5pm. Contact Mary Ann
MA.meinardus@hotmail.com Or, Eva TODAY!. Checks written
to RBTS or exact amount in cash at time of sign-up

In His Service -- If you are interested in using your gifts in one of these areas -- please contact the office today!

8:30am -- **Ushers:** Bob Hawley, John Bacon, Tom O'Donnell, Richard Evans **Greeters:** Ann Doering & Jan Bishop **Elder:**
Charles Um & Doug Sandow **Reader:** Carole Gomez **Acolyte:** Jeremy Richey **Choir Director:** Gary Wilson **Organist:** Heeya
Hwang **Refreshments:** Nancy Golnick **10:30am** -- **Ushers:** Ralph Hemphill, Kevin Lynaugh **Elder:** Chuck Krause **Reader:**
Karen Heiser **Acolyte:** Allyson Steffan **Praise Band:** Jordan Fletcher, Joe Flatt, Lori Batherson, Emily Michel, Nicholas Clauder,
Patrick Clauder, Jim Mullen **Refreshments:** Sandra Burger

Worship Grow-Serve

At REDEEMER BY THE SEA, we want to be a LIGHTHOUSE

to our community and the world! We do that by concentrating our efforts in three areas: **Worship – Grow – Serve**. In
worship we encounter and receive the light of Christ through Word and Sacrament. Then we fan into flame and grow that light
within us through study and fellowship with the Body of Christ. Equipped and encouraged, we then serve our community and
the world with the light of Christ shining through us to them!