

Worship Arts

Worship at Redeemer Lutheran Church gives us the chance to come before our Lord and praise him for all his blessings and to devote ourselves completely to him. We have a variety of venues in which members can use their talents and interests to assist with and enhance our worship services. Click on the links below for additional information on an area that interests you. For more information or to inquire about serving in one of these areas, please contact Director of Worship Deb Fall at debfall@comcast.net or contact the church office at (517) 750-3100.

Adult Choir

The Adult Choir sings in the 8:00 a.m. service, usually twice a month, and for special services such as Lent and Advent midweek services. There are no requirements other than a love of praising God! Even if you cannot read music, you are welcome to join. Practice is held on Monday evenings from 6:30-7:30 p.m. in the choir loft in the sanctuary. Kris Nowak is the choir director.

Men's Choir

Redeemer's Men's Choir sings in the 8:00 a.m. service, usually on the third Sunday of each month. They perform hymns a cappella. All men are welcome to participate, even those who think they cannot sing! The Men's Choir practices year-round on Saturday mornings from 9:30-10:00 a.m. Ted Miller is the director of the Men's Choir.

Praise Band

The Praise Band leads the music for the 10:30 a.m. Celebration service. All instrumentalists (keyboards, guitars, percussion, brass, woodwinds) and vocalists from high school age on up who are interested should contact Deb Fall for an audition. Schedules are flexible. The team hopes to have two full bands that can alternate Sundays.

Audio/Visual

The Audio/Visual Team encompasses three areas—sound, presentation and lighting. Sound technicians are responsible for equipping Pastor and any other speakers, soloists or instrumentalists with microphones, adjusting sound levels and, when requested, recording the service. Presentation volunteers are responsible for creating and executing PowerPoint and Media Shout presentations of orders of worship and sermon outlines that the congregation follows on the overhead screens in both services. Lighting technicians are needed only in the late service to cast appropriate lighting on the stage and bring lights up and down as needed. Contact Deb Fall if you have an interest in one of these areas.

Chancel Guild

The Chancel Guild maintains the chancel area of the sanctuary and the vestments and communion vessels and is responsible for preparation of these before and after each service. If you like needlework, decorating, ironing and caring for fine silver, then the Chancel Guild would love to welcome you! Lynette Luksan serves as president of the Chancel Guild.

Drama Club

If you enjoy acting or doing behind-the-scenes theatre work, such as set design or playwriting, then the Drama Club may be the place for you. Drama Club members perform skits from time to time in both worship services. Ron Rockwell and Deb Fall lead the Drama Club.

Ushers

Ushers assist at both services by handing out bulletins, directing people to communion, and generally providing assistance where needed, whether passing out Bibles or lending a hand to an elderly member. Four ushers serve per service.

Organists

Redeemer's organists accompany hymns and provide prelude and postlude music in the early service and at times provide music for funerals and weddings and accompany special choral pieces. While previous organ experience is helpful, it is not necessary, and anyone proficient in piano can be trained. This is a paid position.