

REDEEMER LUTHERAN CHURCH

743 East Magnolia Road, Salina, KS 67401

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Worship Time: Sunday 8:00 & 10:30



Seventh Sunday of Easter


May 12, 2024

Welcome!

May our hearts be open to our Creator and to one another as we share in worship together.

HE IS RISEN INDEED!!!

- *We welcome you to Redeemer Lutheran Church in the hope that you truly experience God's gracious presence through the joy and celebration of our worship and fellowship together. We are glad that you have decided to worship with us and invite you to join us for refreshments following our service.*

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Redeemer is a family friendly congregation, encouraging children and youth of all ages to join us in worship. We are delighted to offer a fully equipped Cry Room located on the north wall of the sanctuary to the far left of the altar. 	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Restrooms are located at the west end of our Gathering Space and are wheelchair accessible. If you need a wheelchair during worship, an usher may assist you. We also have hearing devices. 	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If you would like to receive more information about Redeemer or if you desire to be contacted by our pastor, please indicate so as you write your name and contact information in the visitors book located in the gathering space. • Please silence your mobile devices. Thank you. 	
Liturgy is Setting 8 Altar Guild: Vivian Cook & Kris Johanson	
Today's organ music is listed at tiny.cc/redeemermusic Last week's attendance: in person attendance: 8:00 – 20 10:30 – 48; On-line -90	
Pastor: Rev. David Strommen (785)827-8195 (785) 275-2247 mobile phone dstrommen@redeemer-elca.org Administrative Assistant: Volunteers Tuesdays 9am-12pm Office: 785-827-8195 Email: redeemer@redeemer-elca.org Website: redeemer-elca.org  Like us on Facebook	<u>Music Staff</u> Organist: Ruth Mirtz (rmirtz@redeemer-elca.org) Choir & Bell Choir Director: Ann Metcalfe

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PRELUDE

GATHERING SONGS

413 Come into God's Presence

The musical score is in 4/4 time. The vocal line consists of four parts. The piano accompaniment is in 4/4 time. The key signature is one flat (F major/D minor). The score is divided into two systems. The first system contains the first two lines of the vocal parts and the piano accompaniment. The second system contains the last two lines of the vocal parts and the piano accompaniment. The lyrics are as follows:

1 Come in - to God's pres-ence sing-ing "Al - le - lu - ia,
2 Come in - to God's pres-ence sing-ing "Je - sus is Lord,
3 Praise the Lord to - geth - er sing-ing "Wor - thy the Lamb,
4 Praise the Lord to - geth - er sing-ing "Glo - ry to God,

al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia."
Je - sus is Lord, Je - sus is Lord."
wor - thy the Lamb, wor - thy the Lamb."
glo - ry to God, glo - ry to God."



1 Je - sus loves me! this I know, for the Bi - ble tells me so;
 2 Je - sus loves me! he who died heav - en's gates to o - pen wide;
 3 Je - sus loves me! he will stay close be - side me all the way;

lit - tle ones to him be - long, they are weak, but he is strong.
 he will wash a - way my sin, let his lit - tle child come in.
 when at last I come to die, he will take me home on high.

Refrain

Yes, Je - sus loves me, yes, Je - sus loves me,

yes, Je - sus loves me, the Bi - ble tells me so.

Text: Anna B. Warner, 1820–1915, alt.
 Music: JESUS LOVES ME, William B. Bradbury, 1816–1868

1 Lord, I want to be a Chris-tian in my heart, in my heart;
 2 Lord, I want to be more lov - ing in my heart, in my heart;
 3 Lord, I want to be more ho - ly in my heart, in my heart;
 4 Lord, I want to be like Je - sus in my heart, in my heart;

Lord, I want to be a Chris-tian in my heart,
 Lord, I want to be more lov - ing in my heart,
 Lord, I want to be more ho - ly in my heart,
 Lord, I want to be like Je - sus in my heart,

in my heart, in my heart,
 in my heart, in my heart,

Lord, I want to be a Chris - tian in my heart.
 Lord, I want to be more lov - ing in my heart.
 Lord, I want to be more ho - ly in my heart.
 Lord, I want to be like Je - sus in my heart.

Text: African American spiritual
 Music: IN MY HEART, African American spiritual

ANNOUNCEMENTS

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS (ELW p. 94)

The assembly stands. All may make the sign of the cross, the sign that is marked at baptism, as the presiding minister begins.

Blessed be the holy Trinity, † one God,
who forgives all our sin,
whose mercy endures forever.

Amen.

The presiding minister may lead one of the following or another prayer of preparation.

Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you and worthily magnify your holy name, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

One of the following or another confession is prayed.

Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another.

The assembly kneels or stands. Silence is kept for reflection.

Most merciful God,

we confess that we are captive to sin and cannot free ourselves. We have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. For the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy name.

Amen.

The presiding minister announces God's forgiveness with these or similar words.

In the mercy of almighty God, Jesus Christ was given to die for us, and for his sake God forgives us all our sins. As a called and ordained minister of the church of Christ, and by his authority, I therefore declare to you the entire forgiveness of all your sins, in the name of the Father, and of the † Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

Amen.

KYRIE

Refrain

Ky-ri - e e - lei - son, on our world and on our way.

Ky-ri - e e - lei - son, ev-'ry day.

- 1 For peace in the world, for the health of the church, for the
- 2 That we may live out your im - passioned re - sponse to the
- 3 For peace in our hearts, . . . for peace in our homes, . . for
- 4 For your Spir - it to guide; that you cen - ter our lives in the

u - ni - ty of all; for
 hun - gry and the poor; that
 friends and fam - i - ly; for
 wa - ter and the word; that you

this ho - ly house, for all who wor-ship and praise,
 we may live out truth and jus - tice and grace,
 life and for love, for our work and our play,
 nour-ish our souls . . . with your bod - y and blood,

let us pray to the Lord, let us pray to the Lord.

† WORD †

PRAYER OF THE DAY Let us pray.

A brief silence is kept before the prayer.

Gracious and glorious God, you have chosen us as your own, and by the powerful name of Christ you protect us from evil. By your Spirit transform us and your beloved world, that we may find our joy in your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Amen.

FIRST READING: Acts 1:15-17, 21-26

¹⁵In those days Peter stood up among the believers (together the crowd numbered about one hundred twenty persons) and said, ¹⁶“Friends, the scripture had to be fulfilled, which the Holy Spirit through David foretold concerning Judas, who became a guide for those who arrested Jesus—¹⁷for he was numbered among us and was allotted his share in this ministry.” ²¹So one of the men who have accompanied us during all the time that the Lord Jesus went in and out among us, ²²beginning from the baptism of John until the day when he was taken up from us—one of these must become a witness with us to his resurrection.” ²³So they proposed two, Joseph called Barsabbas, who was also known as Justus, and Matthias. ²⁴Then they prayed and said, “Lord, you know everyone’s heart. Show us which one of these two you have chosen ²⁵to take the place in this ministry and apostleship from which Judas turned aside to go to his own place.” ²⁶And they cast lots for them, and the lot fell on Matthias; and he was added to the eleven apostles.

PSALM: Psalm 1

The psalm for the day is sung.

The LORD knows the way of the righteous. (*Ps. 1:6*)

¹Happy are they who have not walked in the counsel ¹ of the wicked, nor lingered in the way of sinners, nor sat in the seats ¹ of the scornful!

²**Their delight is in the law ¹ of the LORD,
and they meditate on God’s teaching ¹ day and night. R**

³They are like trees planted by streams of water, bearing fruit in due season, with leaves that ¹ do not wither; everything they ¹ do shall prosper.

⁴**It is not so ¹ with the wicked;
they are like chaff which the wind ¹ blows away.**

⁵Therefore the wicked shall not stand upright when ¹ judgment comes, nor the sinner in the council ¹ of the righteous.

⁶**For the LORD knows the way ¹ of the righteous,
but the way of the wicked shall ¹ be destroyed. R**

SECOND READING: 1 John 5:9-13

⁹If we receive human testimony, the testimony of God is greater; for this is the testimony of God that he has testified to his Son. ¹⁰Those who believe in the Son of God have the testimony in their hearts. Those who do not believe in God have made him a liar by not believing in the testimony that God has given concerning his Son. ¹¹And this is the testimony: God gave us eternal life, and this life is in his Son. ¹²Whoever has the Son has life; whoever does not have the Son of God does not have life.

¹³I write these things to you who believe in the name of the Son of God, so that you may know that you have eternal life.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION



Al - le - lu - ia. Lord, to whom shall we go? You have the
words of e - ter - nal life. Al - le - lu - ia.
Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia.
Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

GOSPEL John 17:6-19

[Jesus prayed:] ⁶"I have made your name known to those whom you gave me from the world. They were yours, and you gave them to me, and they have kept your word. ⁷Now they know that everything you have given me is from you; ⁸for the words that you gave to me I have given to them, and they have received them and know in truth that I came from you; and they have believed that you sent me. ⁹I am asking on their behalf; I am not asking on behalf of the world, but on behalf of those whom you gave me, because they are yours. ¹⁰All mine are yours, and yours are mine; and I have been glorified in them. ¹¹And now I am no longer in the world, but they are in the world, and I am coming to you. Holy Father, protect them in your name that you have given me, so that they may be one, as we are one. ¹²While I was with them, I protected them in your name that you have

given me. I guarded them, and not one of them was lost except the one destined to be lost, so that the scripture might be fulfilled. ¹³But now I am coming to you, and I speak these things in the world so that they may have my joy made complete in themselves. ¹⁴I have given them your word, and the world has hated them because they do not belong to the world, just as I do not belong to the world. ¹⁵I am not asking you to take them out of the world, but I ask you to protect them from the evil one. ¹⁶They do not belong to the world, just as I do not belong to the world. ¹⁷Sanctify them in the truth; your word is truth. ¹⁸As you have sent me into the world, so I have sent them into the world. ¹⁹And for their sakes I sanctify myself, so that they also may be sanctified in truth.”

SERMON

Pastor David

SING OUT, EARTH AND SKIES

WP 126

Leader	All
1	Come, O God of all the earth: come to us, O
2	Come, O God of wind and flame: fill the earth with
3	Come, O God of flash - ing light: twin - kling star and
4	Come, O God of snow and rain: show - er down up -
5	Come, O Jus - tice, come, O Peace: come and shape our

Leader



Righ - teous One; come, and bring our love to birth:
righ - teous - ness; teach us all to sing your name:
burn - ing sun; God of day and God of night:
on the earth; come, O God of joy and pain:
hearts a - new; come and make op - pres - sion cease:

All

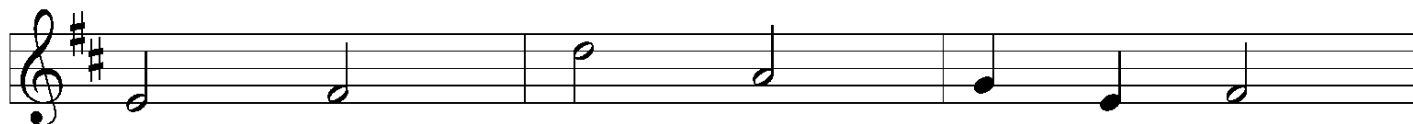


in the glo - ry of your Son.
may our lives your love con - fess.
in your light we all are one.
God of sor - row, God of mirth.
bring us all to life in you.

Refrain



Sing out, earth and skies! Sing of the God who



loves you! Raise your joy - ful cries!



Dance to the life a - round you!

Text: Marty Haugen
Music: SING OUT, Marty Haugen

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NICENE CREED:

**We believe in one God,
the Father, the Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,
of all that is, seen and unseen.
We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,**

**the only Son of God,
eternally begotten of the Father,
God from God, Light from Light,
true God from true God,
begotten, not made,
of one Being with the Father;
through him all things were made.
For us and for our salvation**

**he came down from heaven,
was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the virgin Mary
and became truly human.**

**For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;
he suffered death and was buried.**

**On the third day he rose again
in accordance with the scriptures;
he ascended into heaven**

and is seated at the right hand of the Father.

**He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,
and his kingdom will have no end.**

**We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,*
who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified,
who has spoken through the prophets.**

We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic church.

We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.

**We look for the resurrection of the dead,
and the life of the world to come. Amen.**

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSIONS

“CELEBRATE”

INSERT

PASSING OF THE PEACE

The peace of Christ be with you always.

And also with you.

† MEAL †

OFFERING

OFFERING PRAYER

Risen One, you call us to believe and bear fruit. May the gifts that we offer here be signs of your abiding love. Form us to be your witnesses in the world,
through Jesus Christ, our true vine.

Amen.

THANKSGIVING AT THE TABLE

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

It is indeed right, our duty and our joy, that we should at all times and in all places give thanks and praise... we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow'r and might,
heav-en and earth are full of your glo - ry, full of your glo-ry. Ho -

san - na, ho - san - na, ho - san - na in the high -
 est. Bless-ed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho-
 san - na, ho - san - na, ho - san - na in the high - est.

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

THE LORD'S PRAYER

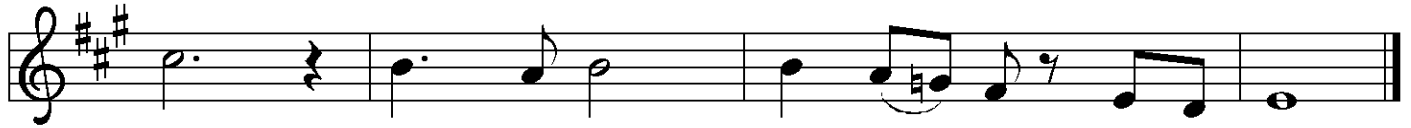
Our Father, who art in heaven,
 hallowed be thy name,
 thy kingdom come,
 thy will be done,
 on earth as it is in heaven.
 Give us this day our daily bread;
 and forgive us our trespasses,
 as we forgive those
 who trespass against us;
 and lead us not into temptation,
 but deliver us from evil.
 For thine is the kingdom,
 and the power, and the glory,
 forever and ever. Amen

COMMUNION SONG

Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the world; have
 mer-cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the



world; have mer - cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the



world; grant us peace, grant us peace, Lamb of God.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Shepherding God, you have prepared a table before us and nourished us with your love.

Send us forth from this banquet to proclaim your goodness and share the abundant mercy of Jesus, our redeemer and friend.

Amen.

† SENDING † BLESSING

Alleluia! Christ is risen!

Christ is risen indeed! Alleluia!

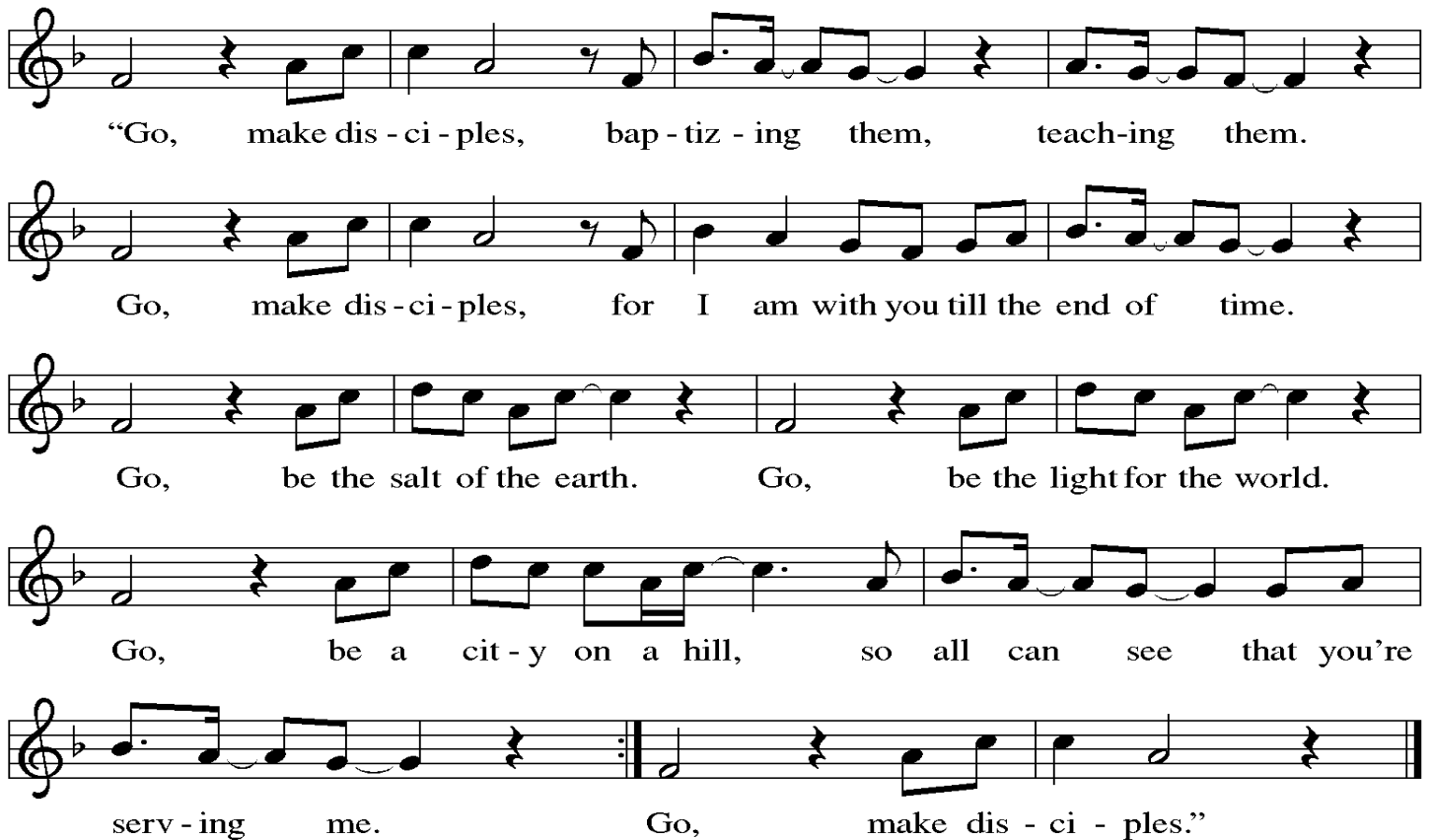
The God of resurrection power, the Christ of unending joy, and the Spirit of Easter hope

✠ bless you now and always.

Amen

GO MAKE DISCIPLES

ELW 540



“Go, make dis - ci - ples, bap - tiz - ing them, teach - ing them.

Go, make dis - ci - ples, for I am with you till the end of time.

Go, be the salt of the earth. Go, be the light for the world.

Go, be a cit - y on a hill, so all can see that you're

serv - ing me. Go, make dis - ci - ples.”

Text: Handt Hanson, b. 1950

Music: GO, MAKE DISCIPLES, Handt Hanson

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DISMISSAL

Go in peace. God is at work in you.

Thanks be to God

POSTLUDE

Announcements

Happy Mother's Day to all mothers, grandmothers, dads who are also mothers and anyone else who serves as a mother figure. God bless you all on this your day.

Second Sunday Sunday school will actually be third Sunday as we are going to have it next Sunday on Pentecost. We will have a special bible story and activities, the children will process in during the opening hymn and then fellowship will be special (it includes a chocolate fountain).

High Seas Expedition will be coming to Redeemer May 28-31 (Tuesday-Friday the week after Memorial Day.) We'll start at 5:30 with a meal, and each night we will explore the mighty love of God as we sing songs, hear Bible stories, make crafts, play games, and do other fun activities. The final evening, Friday the 31st at 7:45, we will have a short program for families and members of the church to share what we have learned. Please share the word with your grandkids and neighbors. If they can only attend one or two nights, that's okay—we just want to share God's Word and love as much as we can. If you would like to help with VBS in any way let Debbie Beckman know.

Kris Johanson will be gone two Tuesdays in a row. May 28 4 June 4th. She will conduct usual weekly business from her electronics on the road. Her # is 402-759-2255

We are raising funds for replacement of floor covering in the older part of our church. You can donate via check (please mark it) or through “onrealm” where there is “bucket” available in the dropdown for this project.

This Week at Redeemer		
Sunday (12th)	8:00	Worship in Person & Online
	10:30	Worship in Person & Online
	11:30	Fellowship
Tuesday (14th)	9:00-2:00	Office open
Wednesday (15th)	6:15	Food Distribution
Thursday (16th)	9:30	Silver needles sew in
Sunday (19th)	8:00	Worship in Person & Online
	10:30	Worship in Person & Online
	11:30	Fellowship

Partners in Ministry

Altar Guild: Vivian Cook & Kris Johanson

This Sunday May 12**8:00**

Greeter Mary Shaffer
 Usher Charlotte Herman
 Lector Jan Jackson
 Communion Kathy Lowman
 Sound Perry Jurgensen

10:30

Greeters: Betty and Rick
 Henderson
 Ushers: Joe Plumer & Janet
 Whitaker
 Lector Tom Mertz
 Communion Lana Jordan
 Sound Mary Mertz
 Fellowship Betty & Rick
 Henderson

Next Sunday May 19**8:00**

Greeter Denise Dusin
 Usher Mary Shaffer
 Lector Kathy Lowman
 Communion Jan Jackson
 Sound Perry Jurgensen

10:30

Greeters : Dan & Kahlan
 Metcalfe
 Ushers: KC & Marlie
 Potter
 Lector Dan Metcalfe
 Communion Rod Anderson
 Sound Kyle Tonniges
 Fellowship Education CMT

~ PRAYER REQUESTS ~**MEMBERS:** Esther Jording, Diane Conover, Rylee Koers, Brock Alstatt**REDEEMER FRIENDS:**

Family of Pat Marshall (Sister of Barbara Wire)

Ed Oliver (Nephew-in-law of Cecelia Anderson)

Willis Cox (Father of Becky Shulda)

Virginia Yantes (sister of Jean Sedo)

Eva Decker (Friend of Mary Mertz)

Karen Hendrickson (Sister of Tom Mertz)

Dina Tannous Vega and family and friends of Hope Lutheran Church in Ramallah
(Friend of Mary Bridges)

Susan Burklund (Kathy Heinrich's sister)

Mike Holmes (Nancy McDonald's Brother-in-law)

Marty Becker (Friend of Scott and Cheryl Itschner)

Randy Herbel (Friend of Scott and Cheryl Itschner)

Tanner Conrad (Friend of Kyle & Eugene Hale-Hanson)

Donnie Butrea (Friend of Kyle & Eugene Hale-Hanson)

Jerome Herrman (Nephew of Charlotte & Dave Herrman)

Janie Morris (friend of Mary Mertz)
Patricia Beaver (friend of Carol Keeler and Mary Mertz)
Kristy McGrath (Co-worker of Steve and Shellee Callahan)
Zach Swanson (Grandson of Sandi and Tom Drown)
Hayden Ballou (Great-great Nephew of Kathy Lowman)
Carissa Carlson (Niece of Tim and Anna Prockish)
Brenda Busch (Aunt of Jon Stohs)
Rich Novotne (Brother of Anita Hartley)
Dannie Tillberg, Christal Lantz (Friends of Mary Shaffer)
Keith Smith (Husband of Debbie Smith)
Bryan & Therese Sisler (Brother & Sister-in-law of Kathy Lowman & Diane Conover)
Echternkamp Family (Friends of Viv & Jim Cook)
Judy Bloyd (Former member & friend of Denise Dusin)
Randall Cunningham (Cousin of Anna Prockish)
Crystal Kupar (Diane Conover's stepdaughter)
Joann Singer (Mother of Carol Kuhlman)
Carrie Ryan Wilson (Friend of Mary Shaffer)
Phil Rankin (Father of David Rankin)
Tisha Berns (Friend of Mary Shaffer)
Calvin Martin (Grandfather of Alli Martin)
Dean Yantes (Brother to Jean Sedo)
Wilma Beckman (Mother to Susan Ramage)
Kathryn "Kay" Gile (Family friend to Nancy McDonald)
Melinda Melhus (Family friends to Nancy McDonald, Aunt of Spencer Melhus)
Kayla & Aalilyah Vasquez (Family of Dan & Angie Botz)
Doris Grogan (Friend to CeCelia Anderson)
Jeni Blair (Friend of CeCelia Anderson)
Beverly Alstatt (Craig Alstatt's mother)

MILITARY & AMERICORPS

Spencer Keil, US Navy, Maryland (Grandson of Arlene Keil)
Gavynn West, US Air Force, Omaha, NE (Nephew of Shellee Callahan)
Tanner Gibson (Great-nephew to CeCelia Anderson)
Eric Blomberg, USS Laboon, (Nephew of Mary Shaffer)