



CHURCH *of the*
REDEEMER

Chestnut Hill

Thursday, April 4, 2024



Caravaggio, Michelangelo Merisi da, 1573-1610. The Incredulity of Saint Thomas, from [Art in the Christian Tradition](#), a project of the Vanderbilt Divinity Library, Nashville, TN.

April 7th 10am Leaflet

Readings for April 7, 2024

- [Acts 4:32-35](#)
 - [1 John 1:1-2:2](#)
 - [John 20:19-31](#)
 - [Psalm 133](#)
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April 7th 5pm Evensong Leaflet

The Sunday worship leaflets are also located on the Redeemer website. Look for the '**Worship & Leaflets**' tab. You can access the page [here](#).

Prayers and Thanksgivings



Barbara S. MacDonald

Juliette Cobian, Liz and Pat Leehey, Eddie Sanders, Janice Somers, Betty, Brett, Christian, Christopher, Cynthia, Ellen, Erik, Fanniter, Frank, Fung, Glenn, Haley, Henry, Holly, Jane, Joan, Karen, Keith, Kirun, Marcia, Margo, Max, Medora, Murali, Nicholas, Oliver, Olivia, Sean, Sukran and Elle, Ted, Tom, Victor, the Woods family, Wai Ling, Zach B

Save the Date!

A Concert to Benefit the FUEL Program

The Redeemer community is warmly invited to attend a concert by *Duo Gwynne*, a flute and viola duo of Redeemer parishioners Long Okada and Nicholas Southwick. *Duo Gwynne* holds the [Artist Fellowship for Music for Food](#), and all proceeds raised at this performance will benefit Redeemer's FUEL program. Here are the details:

The Storms of Elegance*
April 13, 2024, 7pm
Carriage House Violins Boston Showroom,
236 Huntington Ave Suite 301, Boston, MA 02115

*The Storms of Elegance seeks to paint a portrait of the lives and works of five composer-performers who shaped the musical landscape at the turbulent turn of the 19th century in Europe. Voices of Joseph Bologne Chevalier de Saint-Georges, François Devienne, Maddalena Lombardini-Sirmen, Friedrich Dülon, and Joseph Martin Kraus will be placed center stage and celebrated for their contributions to music in the Classical Era.

Vestry Dinner Update



We are excited to arrange Vestry dinners for Members who should have received an email today asking them to select one or more of six dates in the Spring that work for their schedules. Sign-up sheets will also be posted on the bulletin board outside the church office.

Once we determine the groupings, we will notify everyone which Vestry Dinner they will be attending.

If you are a member and did not receive an email giving you an opportunity to choose your availability for the dinners, or if have any questions, come find us at Coffee Hour on Sunday or email us.

[Cathy Marengi](#)

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CSL Fellowship Chair

[Sue Bodley](#)

CSL Fellowship Vice Chair

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The weekend of
April 27th & 28th

COMMON CATHEDRAL'S MISSION IS TO BUILD RELATIONSHIPS BETWEEN HOUSED AND UNHOUSED COMMUNITIES, SO WE NEED REDEEMER FAMILIES TO HELP IN THIS MISSION BY DONATING ITEMS, MAKING SANDWICHES, AND DELIVERING THEM TO COMMON CATHEDRAL AND PARTICIPATING IN THE COMMON CATHEDRAL LITURGY.

Please help the unhoused by purchasing lunch contributions, making sandwiches and attending a worship service with the Common Cathedral community on April 27th & 28th.

[Sign up here](#) to participate.

Seeking Redeemer Oral Histories

A small group of parishioners are currently researching the Redeemer's almost 140 years of history. We believe that knowing our past is important to understanding our present and planning for our future. We are interested in collecting oral histories, including "small stories," from parishioners. If you have stories or memories to share, please contact [Rev. Mike Dangelo](#) or [Debby Mills](#).

April Fellowship Calendar

After some great March Fellowship program, the Church Service League moves into Eastertide with several April events that we hope

will appeal to parishioners of all ages and persuasions.

April 7: Redeemer Forum: Our Church History Comes to Life. Following Sunday Evensong, our monthly Redeemer Forum will feature a presentation by the Redeemer History Team concerning their research into Redeemer's history, providing a peek at the liturgical items that adorn our beautiful worship services and the people that gifted them to us! Learn about who they were and who they loved, and ponder how we are still inspired by them.

April 17: Next Chapters: Our Favorite Things. Summer is coming and with it our hopes and plans for time away with the family. Let's share our favorite places, whether they be a quiet lake in Maine; a trout stream in Montana or the South of France. Attendees are encouraged to send 5 to 10 photos of their favorite place to michael.aylward4@gmail.com for a video montage as we share a delicious lunch in the Porter Room between 12 and 1:30 p.m.

April 21: Readeemers: In the wake of our recent consideration of David Brooks' How to Know a Person, our newly rechristened Reading Group is shifting back to fiction. Following Evensong on April 21, we will gather in the Old Parish House to discuss "Salvation" by Langston Hughes. Salvation is a 1940 autobiographical story by Hughes in which a 13 year old boy is pressured by his Pentecostal congregation to accept Jesus as his savior. What does his story tell us about our own struggle to communicate with God?

AND COMING SOON TO A CHURCH NEAR YOU!

May 5: THREE B's PARTY: BBQ, Bluegrass (and a Bishop!) Following on last January's insanely fun chili night, we will gather at 6 p.m. on Cinco de Mayo for a celebration of BBQ and homegrown flatpicking bluegrass. Oh and yes, Father Mike has invited Bishop Gates to join us to share in some excellent beef brisket and pulled pork and offer us a few thoughts as he nears the end of his term as our Bishop. Parishioners are encouraged to bring their favorite BBQ sides.

Change of Date for the April 6th Dance Party

The April 6th Christmas Market Auction Item (Dance the Night Away) at the home of Eric and Julia Woodard has been **rescheduled for May 11th**, by which time we hope that the weather will have improved. Details to follow.

Redeemer Calendar

The Parish Calendar Listings and Events can be found [here](#).

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