



# The Reedville Presbyterian Church

## Weekly E-Update

For the week beginning with worship  
in person/virtually on Sunday, August 25, 2024

**August 25, 2024, 14th Sunday after Pentecost**

Liturgical Color:  
Green

**Sunday's Worship Text:** Romans 5:12-21 and Genesis 2:4b-7, 15-17; 3:1-8  
(Visit BibleGateway.com for texts.)

**Invitation to Discipleship (ITD) Schedule:** 1st Sunday-Deacons, 2nd- B&G, 3rd-Worship Committee,  
4th-Faith Formation, 5th-WFWA.

**To Volunteer for Liturgists or Flower donations** - visit Sign-Up Genius and create your account. You can  
contact Valerie at 503-649-1282 to sign you up as well. <https://www.signupgenius.com/>

### **Eight Days at Reedville, August 25, 2024 – September 1, 2024**

- Sun. Aug. 25:           9:30 am – Sunday Worship (*In-person and Virtual*)  
                              10:45 am -- Fellowship Time  
                              11:00 am – Crafternoon (Hall)  
                              2:00 pm -- Iglesia de Cristo (Hall, 6 hrs)
- Mon. Aug. 26:           7:00 pm – Session In Person!
- Tues. Aug. 27:           6:30 pm – Boy Scouts (3 hrs)  
                              7:00 pm – Iglesia De Cristo Prayers
- Wed. Aug. 28:           10:00 am – Men's Coffee and Conversation  
                              7:30 pm – AA Big Book (Hall, 2 hrs)
- Thur. Aug. 29:           7:00 pm – Boy Scout Leader Meeting (Hall, 1 hr)
- Fri. Aug 30:             6:00 pm – Iglesia de Cristo (Hall, 5 hrs)
- Sun. Sept. 1:            9:30 am – Sunday Worship (*In-person and Virtual*)  
                              10:45 am – Fellowship Time  
                              2:00 pm -- Iglesia de Cristo (Hall, 6 hrs)

**Bible Trivia...**Who led the Israelites into the Promised Land?  
Moses, Joshua, Josiah, Caleb

# News and Updates

## We need liturgists ASAP!

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### Worship Committee

Sharing music is one of the gifts we get to share every week. Faith Formation extended an invitation several weeks ago to share some of your favorite hymns and since then, Pastor Leonard has been weaving them into our worship services as they lend their messages to the themes each week. A few recent appearances include: "There is a Longing in Our Hearts", "Great is Thy Faithfulness", "Alleluia, Alleluia! Give Thanks", and just this week "As a Fire is Meant for Burning". Please keep the suggestions coming!

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### August Mission of the Month: Second Home--a project of Ecumenical Ministries of Oregon.

Second Home connects volunteer host homes with unaccompanied high school students experiencing homelessness. As students have the assurance of stable housing and ongoing support, they can focus on completing their secondary education and realize their full potential. Support for the participants comes from both the Second Home staff and the community.

Last school year, Second Home assisted 56 students, providing 3,827 nights of housing & 11,481 meals.

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### WFWA

WFWA has the following events coming up. Please call 503-681-9399 to volunteer.

August 24 - Legal Assistance- note-takers are needed.

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### The Reedville Presbyterian Church Block Party is on August 22, 2024. 5:30 pm to 8:30 pm!

Free FUN and Free FOOD!! Bouncy Castle. Fire truck. Information booths from various organizations.

Meet your neighbors and have some fun!!! Don't forget to write it on your calendars!

Val has flyers made if you want to give some to friends!

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### Kroger Rewards!

Thank you to the 12 households who have attached their Fred Meyer rewards card to Reedville! This last quarter we received \$37.44 in rewards. Kroger's (Fred's) reward program is a passive fundraiser—all you have to do is attach the church to your card and use it when you shop! Last year we received \$75.81 from the program. So far this year we have received \$75.85. We have several households that are not yet signed up, and it would be great if we could get everyone on board. Even if you don't regularly shop at Fred's, almost everyone stops there occasionally, and even tiny amounts add up! Not sure if your card is attached? Check the bottom of a receipt, it will tell you if you have designated a rewards partner. Not sure how to attach your card to Reedville? If you'd like, we'd be happy to help you set it up!

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### Zoom link for Worship!

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84009463348>

Meeting ID: 840 0946 3348

Please see Kathy Stevens if you have any questions.

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**Information for the E-Update, Facebook page, or Website is welcomed and needs to be received by the office no later than Wednesday.** Answer: Joshua ...Moses defied God and was not allowed to cross into the Promised Land

## To Keep in Mind...

The Reedville Food Pantry is focusing on the five core items: **Sugar** (4 lbs bags), **Masa** (4-6 lbs), **White rice** (2 lbs), **Pinto beans, dry** (2 lbs), and **Cooking oil** (32-oz bottle). The Pantry is open the first Tuesday of the month, 10:00-11:30 am, staffed by volunteers with appropriate safety protocols in place. **Food Pantry donations may be dropped off at church** while a staff member is present, M-F, 9:00-12:00. Place bags on the blue bench on the north side breezeway and they'll be brought in, employing appropriate safety measures. For more information contact Mark at [hutchisfishin@gmail.com](mailto:hutchisfishin@gmail.com).

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**The Prayer Chain** is one way the Reedville Church holds its members, household and their loved ones, and the community in prayer. Anyone is welcome to serve on the Prayer Chain by emailing Amy ([amywestcott@gmail.com](mailto:amywestcott@gmail.com)) who will add you to the list. Anyone may make a prayer request by emailing Amy. We are also receiving prayers in the Community Prayer Mailbox. If you have questions or comments please contact Mark Hutchinson ([hutchisfishin@gmail.com](mailto:hutchisfishin@gmail.com)), who currently serves as Moderator of Deacons.

### Regular Meetings and Events

In-Person and by Zoom

- Every Sunday:** 9:30 am: Lord's Day Worship
- First Tuesday:** 10:00 am: Deacon Food Pantry open  
**First Tuesday:** 2:00 pm: Mission Matters Committee Monthly Meeting  
**First Tuesday:** 7:00 pm: Deacons Monthly Meeting
- First Wednesday:** 7:00 pm: Worship Ministry Group (WMG) Monthly Meeting
- Second Monday:** 10:00 am: Building and Grounds Committee (B&G) Monthly Meeting  
**Second Monday:** 2:00 pm: Personnel Committee Monthly Meeting
- Second Tuesday:** 10:00 am: Finance Committee Monthly Meeting  
**Second Tuesday:** 1:15 pm: Faith Formation Ministry Group (FFMG) Monthly Meeting
- Third Tuesday:** 7:00 pm: Session Monthly Meeting
- Fourth Sunday:** 11:00 am: CrafterNoon crafting (after Worship)
- Second and Fourth Wednesday:**  
9:30 am: Circle of Grace Women's Bible Study (On Hold)
- Quarterly:** Presbyterian Women (PW) Meeting
- Second Tuesday of Odd Months:**  
7:00 pm: Grace Endowment Executive Committee  
(Jan. 10, March 12, May 14, July 9, Sept. 10 & Nov. 12)

**The Reedville Presbyterian Church: *Hope Here***  
Mission Statement - January 2018

We believe that God loves the world, that Jesus embodies that love, and that, in the power of the Holy Spirit, we follow Jesus by sharing this love the best we can. Reedville is a landing place. Whether staying for decades, visiting a few times, or dropping in when times are tough for sanctuary and rest, we want people to feel welcomed and loved.

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