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Statement of Faith

Redeemer Lutheran Church, School and Child Care is a member congregation of the Lutheran Church – Missouri Synod (LCMS). We teach and respond to the love of the Triune God; the Father, Creator of all that exists, Jesus Christ, the Son, who became human to suffer and die for the sins of all human beings and to rise to life again in the ultimate victory over death and Satan; and the Holy Spirit, who created faith through God's Word and the Sacraments. The three persons of the Trinity are coequal and coeternal, one God.

Being "Lutheran," Redeemer Lutheran Church, School and Child Care accepts and teaches the Bible-based teachings of Martin Luther that inspired the reformation of the Christian Church in the 16th century. The teaching of Dr. Luther and the reformers can be summarized in three short phrases: Grace alone. Faith alone. Scripture alone.

- **Grace Alone:** God loves the people of the world, even though they are sinful, rebel against Him, and do not deserve His love. He sent Jesus, His Son, to love the unlovable and save the ungodly.
- **Faith Alone:** By Jesus' suffering and death as the substitute for all the people of all time, He purchased and won forgiveness and eternal life for them. Those who hear this Good News and believe it has the eternal life that it offers. God creates faith in Christ and give people forgiveness through Him.
- **Scripture Alone:** The Bible is God's inerrant and infallible Word in which He reveals His Law and His Gospel of salvation in Jesus Christ. It is the sole rule and norm for Christian doctrine.

I have read and I understand this Statement of Faith to be what is believed, taught, and confessed at Redeemer Lutheran Church and School.

Signature of Parent/Guardian	Date