

**Beloved Community of
Episcopal Church of the Intercession
And Redeemer Lutheran**

**Lector
8:00 Service**

Thank you for volunteering to be a Lector for our Worship Services. Listed below are the responsibilities for this position.

1. You are expected to arrive at 15 minutes before worship and go to the sacristy to check in with the Server.
2. Please review the lessons that you will be reading for the service when you receive them from the office. Check the pronunciation of any of the words that may give you difficulty.
3. Check the lectern to make sure your passages are there.
4. Go to the lectern at the end of the Collect of the Day. The pastor will usually say, *“Please be seated for the Lessons/Readings.”*
5. Speak slowly and remember to speak up. We all have a tendency to speak too softly and too quickly when we are nervous.
6. Please read the introduction to the lesson as indicated in the Lectionary Book. For example, *A Reading from the First Letter of Paul to the Corinthians.*
6. If you are unable to attend the service for which you are scheduled, please contact the office. Patricia will find a replacement for you.

Recommendations:

Remember to speak loudly and slowly. We have a tendency to talk too softly and quickly when we are nervous.

It is preferable that you sit toward the front of the sanctuary on the lectern side so that you may easily and efficiently make your way to the lectern.