



Redeemer

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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Destructive to marriage is the self-fulfillment ethic that assumes marriage and the family are primary institutions of personal fulfillment, necessary for us to become whole and happy.

STANLEY HAUERWAS

If our views of marriage are too romantic and idealistic, we underestimate the influence of sin on human life. If they are too pessimistic and cynical, we misunderstand marriage's divine origin.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP

Revelation 4:11

Leader: Worthy are you, our Lord and God,
to receive glory and honor and power,

**People: for you created all things,
and by your will they existed and were created.**



WELCOME TO REDEEMER!

We're glad to have you joining us in worship today. If you'd like to know more about Redeemer, including ways to get involved, please scan the QR code and let us know.

We have a hearing loop. Please switch your hearing aid to T-coil.



ADORING GOD IN SONG

In Christ Alone

In Christ alone my hope is found,
He is my light, my strength, my song;
This Cornerstone, this solid Ground,
Firm through the fiercest drought and storm.
What heights of love, what depths of peace,
When fears are stilled, when strivings cease!
My comforter, my All in All—
Here in the love of Christ I stand.

In Christ alone! Who took on flesh,
Fullness of God in helpless babe!
This gift of love and righteousness,
Scorned by the ones He came to save.
Till on that cross as Jesus died,
The wrath of God was satisfied;
For ev'ry sin on Him was laid—
Here in the death of Christ I live.

There in the ground His body lay,
Light of the world by darkness slain;
Then bursting forth in glorious Day,
Up from the grave He rose again!
And as He stands in victory,
Sin's curse has lost its grip on me;
For I am His and He is mine—
Bought with the precious blood of Christ.

No guilt in life, no fear in death—
This is the power of Christ in me;
From life's first cry to final breath,
Jesus commands my destiny.

**No power of hell, no scheme of man,
Can ever pluck me from His hand;
Till He returns or calls me home—
Here in the power of Christ I'll stand.**
(Repeat bold)

Till He returns or calls me home—
Here in the power of Christ I'll stand.

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PARENTS AND NURSING MOMS:

We have a "wiggle room" in the back of the Sanctuary. While not soundproof, it does offer you a little extra room to move around. If you are a nursing mom in need of a quiet place on Sunday mornings, the "wiggle room" and infant nursery are available options. We also have a nursing mother's room available on the lower level. Our nursery coordinator will be happy to answer any questions and help you get settled.

The Church's One Foundation

The church's one foundation
Is Jesus Christ her Lord,
She is His new creation
By water and the Word.
From heaven He came and sought her
To be His holy bride;
With His own blood He bought her,
And for her life He died.

Elect from every nation,
Yet one over all the earth;
Her charter of salvation,
One Lord, one faith, one birth;
One holy Name she blesses,
Partakes one holy food,
And to one hope she presses,
With every grace endued.

The church shall never perish,
Her dear Lord to defend
To guide, sustain and cherish,
Is with her to the end
Though there be those that hate her,
And false sons in her pale
Against a foe or traitor,
She ever shall prevail

Mid toil and tribulation,
And tumult of her war,
She waits the consummation
Of peace forevermore;
'Til, with the vision glorious,
Her longing eyes are blessed,
And the great church victorious
Shall be the church at rest.

Yet she on earth hath union
With God the Three in One,
And mystic sweet communion
With those whose rest is won.
O happy ones and holy!
Lord, give us grace that we
Like them, the meek and lowly,
On high may dwell
On high may dwell
On high may dwell with Thee.

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CONFESSION OF SIN & ASSURANCE

Prayer of Confession

Assurance of Pardoning Grace

1 JOHN 2:1-3

My little children, I am writing these things to you so that you may not sin. But if anyone does sin, we have an advocate with the Father, Jesus Christ the righteous. He is the propitiation for our sins, and not for ours only but also for the sins of the whole world. And by this we know that we have come to know him, if we keep his commandments.

DEACON'S PRAYER

JOHN ARCHER

Doxology

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Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise him, all creatures here below;
Praise him above, ye heav'nly host:
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

HOW CAN WE CONTINUE TO GIVE TO THE CHURCH?

You can drop a check or cash in the giving box on the table in the foyer. You can mail or drop a check by the church office during the week. If you stop by the office, you can leave your check in the outside mailbox. You can also give online either through your Breeze account or on the website. Online you can give by credit card or bank ACH.

MINISTRY OF WORD & PRAYER

EPHESIANS 5:22-33

22 Wives, submit to your own husbands, as to the Lord. 23 For the husband is the head of the wife even as Christ is the head of the church, his body, and is himself its Savior. 24 Now as the church submits to Christ, so also wives should submit in everything to their husbands.

25 Husbands, love your wives, as Christ loved the church and gave himself up for her, 26 that he might sanctify her, having cleansed her by the washing of water with the word, 27 so that he might present the church to himself in splendor, without spot or wrinkle or any such thing, that she might be holy and without blemish.[a] 28 In the same way husbands should love their wives as their own bodies. He who loves his wife loves himself. 29 For no one ever hated his own flesh, but nourishes and cherishes it, just as Christ does the church, 30 because we are members of his body. 31 “Therefore a man shall leave his father and mother and hold fast to his wife, and the two shall become one flesh.” 32 This mystery is profound, and I am saying that it refers to Christ and the church. 33 However, let each one of you love his wife as himself, and let the wife see that she respects her husband.

Prayer for the Kingdom of God on Earth

ROB HELMS

SONG OF PREPARATION

Christ Is Mine Forevermore

Mine are days that God has numbered
I was made to walk with Him
Yet I look for worldly treasure
And forsake the King of kings
But mine is hope in my Redeemer
Though I fall, His love is sure
For Christ has paid for every failing
I am His forevermore

Mine are tears in times of sorrow
Darkness not yet understood
Through the valley I must travel
Where I see no earthly good
But mine is peace that flows from heaven
And the strength in times of need
I know my pain will not be wasted
Christ completes His work in me

Mine are days here as a stranger
Pilgrim on a narrow way
One with Christ I will encounter
Harm and hatred for His name
But mine is armour for this battle
Strong enough to last the war
And He has said He will deliver
Safely to the golden shore

And mine are keys to Zion city
Where beside the King I walk
For there my heart has found its treasure
Christ is mine forevermore

Come rejoice now O my soul
For His love is my reward
Fear is gone and hope is sure
Christ is mine forevermore
(Repeat 3x)

And mine are keys to Zion city
Where beside the King I walk
For there my heart has found its treasure
Christ is mine forevermore
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Christ Is Mine Forevermore
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CHILDREN'S CHURCH:

Children ages 3 through K are invited to go to Children's Church during the Song of Preparation. Children's Church consists of a lesson, singing, and they will meet the Elder of the Week. This is an optional activity that will help to prepare your child for participating in the full worship service.

RESPONSE AND BLESSING

This Is Amazing Grace

Who breaks the power of sin and darkness
Whose love is mighty and so much stronger
The King of Glory, the King above all kings
Who shakes the whole earth with holy thunder
Who leaves us breathless in awe and wonder
The King of Glory, the King above all kings

Chorus:

This is amazing grace
This is unfailing love
That you would take my place
That you would bear my cross
You would lay down your life
That I would be set free
Jesus, I sing for
All that You've done for me

Who brings our chaos back into order
Who makes the orphan a son and daughter
The King of Glory, the King above all kings
Who rules the nations with truth and justice
Shines like the sun in all of its brilliance
The King of Glory, the King above all kings (Chorus)

Worthy is the Lamb who was slain
Worthy is the King who conquered the grave (3x)
(Chorus)

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BENEDICTION

Nursery Volunteers Needed

With our new Children's Ministry space, we're able to open up additional classrooms for Children's Church and our toddler nursery. To fully staff our nurseries for Sunday School and Worship, we need 18 additional volunteers. Volunteers must be at least 12 years old. Contact Morgan Slate, nurserydirector@redeemerpca.net.

Women's Virtual Book Study: March 25, April 22 and May 20

Join us for a book discussion of C.S. Lewis's *The Screwtape Letters*. Our discussion will be held on Zoom divided into 3 sessions - March 25, April 22, and May 20 from 10 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. If you're interested in participating, please contact Sook Cadwell, sookcadwell@gmail.com.

Save the Date & Spread the Word: 25th Anniversary Celebration

With the completion of our new worship and education space, it's time to celebrate! Join us May 21 and May 22 as we celebrate all that God has done at Redeemer. We will have a time of fellowship and fun Saturday from 4 p.m. to 7 p.m. On Sunday morning we will dedicate our new building space during Sunday School.

Men's Retreat: April 22-23

Save the date for the men's retreat on April 22-23. All men are invited to a retreat at the Welsh family farm near Oxford, NC. The retreat is a great time of fun, relaxation, building friendships, and a steak dinner! Visit www.redeemerpca.com to sign up.

Women's Garden Tea: April 30

Join us for a garden tea party on Saturday, April 30, at 2:00 p.m. at the Hatcher's residence (4114 Carpenter Pond Road, Durham, 27703). Visit www.redeemerpca.com to learn more and sign up.

Wednesday Night Men's Bible Study: New 12-Week Study

The Wednesday Night Men's Bible Study will begin a new 12 week study on 1-2 Peter and Jude, three little but powerful books that speak much into our lives today. The group meets at 7:30 p.m. Contact Bob Hatcher, bob@blhatcher.com, or Mike Newkirk, newkirk.mike@gmail.com, for more information.

Communicant Class: Beginning in May

Our next Communicant Class will be held May 1 through June 5 during Sunday School. This class is geared for children in 4th-7th grade who are interested in joining Redeemer as communing members. We will explore the five membership vows and what it means to be a member of Redeemer Church. Questions? Contact Anna Baughman, childrensministry@redeemerpca.net.

Sunday

- Sunday School, 9 a.m.
- Worship, 10:00 a.m., Sanctuary

Monday

- Moms in Prayer, 9 a.m., at Redeemer and virtual
- Women's Monday Evening Bible Study, 7:00 p.m., at Redeemer and virtual
- Men's Monday Evening Bible Study, 7:30 p.m., at Redeemer

Wednesday

- Women's Wednesday Morning Bible Study, Coffee 9:30 a.m., Study 10:00 a.m., at Redeemer, virtual, & offsite
- Student Ministry Large Group & Small Groups, 6:45 p.m., at Redeemer
- Men's Wednesday Evening Bible Study, 7:30 p.m., offsite
- Women's Wednesday Evening Bible Study, 7:00 p.m., at Redeemer

Thursday

- Music Team Practice, 7:30 p.m., at Redeemer

Friday

- Men's Friday Morning Bible Study, 7:00 a.m., at Redeemer & virtual

UPCOMING EVENTS

- March 25, April 22, May 20: Women's Virtual Book Club
- April 23: Men's Retreat, Welsh Farm
- April 30: Middle School Retreat, Welsh Farm
- April 30: Women's Garden Tea Party 2:00 p.m., Hatcher's Farm
- May 14: Men's Golf Outing, Wakefield Sports Club
- May 21 & 22: 25th Anniversary & Building Dedication
- June 10-11: Discover Redeemer
- July 9: Youth Surf Trip
- July 11-15: Vacation Bible School, Redeemer
- July 29-Aug. 2: RYM High School Summer Conference

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COMMUNITY GROUPS

In a world that has become increasingly marked by isolation and individualism, God reminds us through his Word that he has designed life to be lived in dynamic relationships of trust and love. For this reason, Redeemer also meets in homes (some changes apply during Covid-19 pandemic) throughout the city for encouragement, Bible study and prayer as a family. Outside of Sunday Morning Worship, Community Groups are the main way to get plugged in here at Redeemer.

You may join these groups at any time during the year and jump right into one, or you can visit a few groups before settling down. Some are meeting in person; others are meeting virtually. If you would like more information, please contact the church office to find out more. We would love to have you join us.

**NOTE: COMMUNITY GROUP SCHEDULES ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE.
CHECK WITH YOUR GROUP LEADER FOR MORE DETAILS.**

1ST & 3RD SUNDAY COMMUNITY GROUPS

North Hills

Leader: Brandon Baughman

TIME: 5:00 P.M.

NE Raleigh (Falls of Neuse Rd.)

Leader: Phil Rendall

TIME: 7:00 P.M.

NW Raleigh

Leader: Ken Coyer

TIME: 6:30 P.M.

North Raleigh (Strickland Road)

Leaders: Cisco Ojeda, Bruce Narveson, Rob Helms

TIME: 5:45 P.M.

North Raleigh (Baileywick)

Leader: Dave Larsen and Ray Rein

TIME: 5:00 P.M.

NE Raleigh (Falls River)

Leader: Matt Harmon & Randy Buckwalter

TIME: 5:00 P.M.

NE Raleigh (Durant Road)

Leader: Dan Kemp & Jeff Forrey

TIME: 5:00 P.M.

Lake Lynn Area

Leader: Mike Newkirk

TIME: 5:00 P.M.

WEEKLY COMMUNITY GROUPS

Thursdays:

NE Raleigh (Durant Trace)

Leader: Ross Jelgerhuis & Steve Edwards

TIME: 6:00 P.M.

CHILDCARE PROVIDED

Fridays:

NW Raleigh (Norwood/Victory Ch.)

Leader: Ryan Slate & Sean Scott

TIME: 6:00 P.M.



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