



# Redeemer

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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An essential aspect of presenting our Christian faith to the world around us is seen in and through the diligence we exhibit in our work.

**TOM NELSON**

Our gospel mission really advances when we faithfully embrace our vocations, whatever and wherever that may be...As God's redeemed people we are called to live ordinary lives in ordinary places as bold and credible witnesses of the transforming power of the Gospel.

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# ANNOUNCEMENTS

## CALL TO WORSHIP

### Taken from Revelation 19

Leader: Hallelujah! Salvation and glory and power belong to our God,  
for his judgments are true and just. Praise our God,  
all you his servants, you who fear him, small and great.

**People: Hallelujah! For the Lord our God the Almighty reigns.  
Let us rejoice and exult and give him the glory.**



#### 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**  
*A Mighty Fortress Is Our God*

TRINITY HYMNAL #92

A mighty fortress is our God,  
A bulwark never failing;  
Our helper He amid the flood  
Of mortal ills prevailing:  
For still our ancient foe  
Doth seek to work us woe;  
His craft and power are great,  
And armed with cruel hate,  
On earth is not his equal.

That word above all earthly powers,  
No thanks to them, abideth;  
The Spirit and the gifts are ours  
Through Him who with us sideth:  
Let goods and kindred go,  
This mortal life also;  
The body they may kill:  
God's truth abideth still,  
His kingdom is forever.

Did we in our own strength confide,  
Our striving would be losing;  
Were not the right Man on our side,  
The man of God's own choosing:  
Dost ask who that may be?  
Christ Jesus, it is He;  
Lord Sabaoth His name,  
From age to age the same,  
And He must win the battle.

And though this world, with devils filled,  
Should threaten to undo us,  
We will not fear, for God hath willed  
His truth to triumph through us.  
The Prince of Darkness grim,  
We tremble not for him;  
His rage we can endure,  
For lo! his doom is sure,  
One little word shall fell him.

## *10,000 Reasons (Bless the Lord)*

Chorus:

Bless the Lord, O my soul

O my soul,

Worship His holy name

Sing like never before

O my soul,

I'll worship Your holy name

The sun comes up, it's a new day dawning

It's time to sing Your song again

Whatever may pass and whatever lies before me

Let me be singing when the evening comes

(Chorus)

You're rich in love, and You're slow to anger

Your name is great, and Your heart is kind

For all Your goodness I will keep on singing

Ten thousand reasons for my heart to find

(Chorus)

And on that day when my strength is failing

The end draws near and my time has come

Still my soul will sing Your praise unending

Ten thousand years and then forevermore

(Chorus twice)

Yes, I'll worship Your holy name

Yes, I'll worship Your holy name

*10,000 Reasons (Bless the Lord)*

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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, changing tables and changing supplies available on the lower level. Head downstairs and look for our nursery coordinator by the check-in area. She will be happy to answer any questions and help you get settled.

# CONFESSION OF SIN & ASSURANCE

## *Confession of Sin*

PRAYER WRITTEN BY ZACHARIAS URSINUS

I, a poor sinner, confess before you, my God and Creator, that I have sinned gravely and in various ways against you, not only with outward gross sins, but much more with internal, innate blindness, unbelief, doubts, faintheartedness, impatience, pride, evil greed, secret envy, hatred and jealousy, as well as other evil emotions. You, my Lord and God, recognize this in me very well, but sadly I cannot recognize them sufficiently. I feel sorrow and regret for them and wholeheartedly desire grace through your dear Son Jesus Christ. Amen.

## *Prayer of Confession*

## *Assurance of Pardoning Grace*

TITUS 3:4-7

But when the goodness and loving kindness of God our Savior appeared, he saved us, not because of works done by us in righteousness, but according to his own mercy, by the washing of regeneration and renewal of the Holy Spirit, whom he poured out on us richly through Jesus Christ our Savior, so that being justified by his grace we might become heirs according to the hope of eternal life.

## RECOGNITION OF NEW MEMBERS

Josh & Abby Dixon

Phillip Eskridge

Louis & Petrea Lodder

Jon & Robin Murphy

Gideon & Julia O'Daniel

Ellen Yacovelli

# THE GIVING OF OUR TITHES & OFFERINGS

## DEACON'S PRAYER

CISCO OJEDA

## MISSION MOMENT

REDEEMER STUDENT MINISTRY

### *Doxology*

TRINITY HYMNAL #731

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.

## GREET ONE ANOTHER

## MINISTRY OF WORD & PRAYER

### *Reading of Scripture*

1 THESSALONIANS 4:9-12

PAGE 1257 IN THE PEW BIBLE

### *Prayer for the Kingdom of God on Earth*

IVAN SPRONK

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#### HOW CAN WE GIVE TO THE CHURCH?

There are several ways to give to the church. You can drop a check or cash in the offering plate as it is passed. You can mail a check, bring it by the church office, or leave it in our outside mailbox. You can also give online through your Breeze account or on our website. Online you can give by credit card or Bank ACH. Questions? Contact the church office, [office@redeemerpca.net](mailto:office@redeemerpca.net)

# SONG OF PREPARATION

*See How Good It Is (Psalm 133)*

See how good it is  
Gathering with friends  
Welcoming the stranger in  
See how good it is

*See How Good It Is*  
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Chorus:

When God's children live as one  
By the Spirit we become  
The open arms of God  
To a world in need of love

Sad divisions cease  
We're ordained as priests  
Spreading out God's joyful feast  
See how good it is  
(Repeat Chorus)

See the earth renewed  
By the morning dew  
All creation sings the truth:  
"See how good it is!"  
(Repeat Chorus 2x)

To a world in need of love  
To a world in need of love



## **CHILDREN'S CHURCH:**

Children ages 4 through Kindergarten are invited to attend Children's Church during the song of preparation. This is a great opportunity for them to prepare for participation in the full worship service as well as practice the different elements of worship.





## RESPONSE AND BLESSING

### *Yet Not I but Through Christ in Me*

What gift of grace is Jesus, my redeemer  
There is no more for heaven now to give  
He is my joy, my righteousness, and freedom  
My steadfast love, my deep and boundless peace  
To this I hold, my hope is only Jesus  
For my life is wholly bound to His  
Oh, how strange and divine, I can sing: All is mine!  
Yet not I, but through Christ in me

*Yet Not I But Through Christ in Me*  
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Music: Jonny Robinson, Michael Farren  
and Rich Thompson

The night is dark but I am not forsaken  
For by my side, the Saviour He will stay  
I labor on in weakness and rejoicing  
For in my need, His power is displayed  
To this I hold, my Savior will defend me  
Through the deepest valley, He will lead  
Oh, the night has been won, and I shall overcome  
Yet not I, but through Christ in me

No fate I dread, I know I am forgiven  
The future sure, the price it has been paid  
For Jesus bled and suffered for my pardon  
And He was raised to overthrow the grave  
To this I hold, my sin has been defeated  
Jesus now and ever is my plea  
Oh, the chains are released, I can sing: I am free!  
Yet not I, but through Christ in me

With every breath, I long to follow Jesus  
For He has said that He will bring me home  
And day by day I know He will renew me  
Until I stand with joy before the throne  
**To this I hold, my hope is only Jesus**  
**All the glory evermore to Him**  
***When the race is complete, still my lips shall repeat:***  
***Yet not I, but through Christ in me!***

(Repeat Bold)

(Repeat Italics)

## BENEDICTION

### **5th & 6th Grade Picnic, Today, after worship**

5th and 6th graders are invited to bring their lunch and stay after church until 1:30 p.m. We will enjoy time to eat, fellowship, and play games outside. Lunch must be nut-free. Questions? Reach out to Anne Larsen, [spencer\\_anne@yahoo.com](mailto:spencer_anne@yahoo.com), or Claire Anderson, [clairefarthing@gmail.com](mailto:clairefarthing@gmail.com).

### **Men's Breakfast, Saturday, November 4**

The next men's breakfast will be on Saturday, November 4, at 8 a.m. at Redeemer. Pastor Ross will be speaking about what Genesis 2 teaches us on God's design for men. Come enjoy good food and fellowship! The suggested donation will be \$5. Visit our website to register, [www.redeempca.com/upcoming-events](http://www.redeempca.com/upcoming-events).

### **CPR Class, Saturday, November 4**

The Security Team will be hosting a CPR Training Class on Saturday, November 4, from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. at Redeemer. The cost is \$45 per person. If you'd like to register for the class, e-mail the church office, [office@redeempca.net](mailto:office@redeempca.net)

### **Women's Paint Class, Wednesday, November 8**

Join us for a fun evening at Tamera Clay's Studio on Wednesday, November 8 from 6 p.m. to 8:15 p.m. Tamera will provide all the supplies, aprons, and a lesson. You will leave with your own canvas. You are welcome to bring snacks, beverages, and dessert to share. The cost for this event is \$25 per person, space is limited to 20 women. Visit our website to register, [www.redeempca.com/upcoming-events](http://www.redeempca.com/upcoming-events).

### **Letters to Missionaries, now through November 12**

Consider taking the time to write a quick note to one or more of our foreign missionaries. It can be short or long and can include Bible verses or encouraging thoughts. Children can draw pictures. Please place your letters in the basket on the foyer table by Sunday, November 13. (There are blank Christmas cards available on the table.) If you have any questions, please call Geneva Britt at 919-345-0430.

### **Interested in serving with our Children's Ministry?**

We have several openings including Children's Church Helpers, Substitute Sunday School Teachers, and Nursery Volunteers. If you want to learn more, reach out to Anna Baughman, [childrensministry@redeempca.net](mailto:childrensministry@redeempca.net), or Claire Anderson, [childrensministry2@redeempca.net](mailto:childrensministry2@redeempca.net)

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## WEEKLY CALENDAR

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### **Sunday**

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

### **Monday**

- Moms in Prayer, 9:15 a.m., 242 Room, at Redeemer
- Women's Bible Study, 7:00 p.m., virtual and 242 Room, at Redeemer
- Men's Bible Study, 7:30 p.m., Lower Level, B011, at Redeemer

### **Wednesday**

- Women's Bible Study, 9:45 a.m., 242 Room, at Redeemer
- Student Ministry Large Group, 6:45 p.m., 242 Room, at Redeemer
- Men's Wednesday Evening Bible Study, 7:00 p.m., Room 6, at Redeemer

### **Thursday**

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

### **Friday**

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

### **Saturday**

- Men's Breakfast, 8 a.m., 242 Room, Redeemer
- CPR Training, 9 a.m., 242 Room, at Redeemer

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## UPCOMING EVENTS

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- November 8: **Women's Painting Class**
- November 9: **Prayer Meeting**
- November 10: **5th & 6th Grade Gathering**
- November 11: **Men's Hike**
- November 15: **Student Ministry Friendsgiving**
- November 23: **Men's Turkey Bowl**
- December 16: **Christmas Dinner**
- December 17: **Lessons & Carols Service**
- February 2: **Matt Papa Concert** at Redeemer

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## OUR MISSIONARIES & MINISTRY PARTNERS

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We desire to see the life-changing power of the Gospel of Jesus Christ declared and displayed locally and globally. Therefore, we partner with like-minded people committed to the same mission supporting them personally, prayerfully and financially. We consider them part of our Redeemer family.

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### GLOBAL MISSIONS

**Cartee & Colleen**

MTW - Senior Director of Field Operations

**Jonathan & Beka,**

MTW

**Isaac & Gloria,** India**Jim & Carin F.,** International Ministry, NYC

MTW

**The Basaran Family**

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MTW

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AIM

### REFORMED UNIVERSITY FELLOWSHIP (RUF)

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### LOCAL MINISTRIES

**Justine Bowser**

Refugee Hope Partners - Raleigh

**Safe Families for Children (SFFC)  
of Greater Raleigh/Durham****Redeemer Presbyterian Church Mercy Team****CLI Prison Alliance****Reformed Youth Ministries (RYM)****Lamp Seminary - RDU**

### CHURCH PLANTS

**Tim & Angela Inman,**

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**Russell & Latoya McCutcheon**

Reconciliation Church, Knightdale, NC

**Jay & Bet Denton,** Downtown Presbyterian  
Church, Wilmington, NC