



Redeemer

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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The way to Christ is first through humility,
second through humility,
third through humility.

ST. AUGUSTINE

Has Jesus' humiliation for our sake led us to
the logical conclusion that our knee should
bow to him here and now?

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WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRESBYTERY COMMISSION

DAN SEALE, ROSS JELGERHUIS, MIKE NEWKIRK, DAN KEMP, SEAN SCOTT

CALL TO WORSHIP

From Psalm 34 and Psalm 67

Leader: Oh, magnify the Lord with me,
and let us exalt His name together!

**People: Those who look to Him are radiant,
and their faces shall never be ashamed**

Leader: Let the peoples praise You, O God;
let all the peoples praise You!
Let the nations be glad and sing for joy,
for You judge the peoples with equity
and guide the nations upon the earth.

**People: Yes, let the peoples praise You, O God;
Let all the peoples praise You!**

PRAYER OF ADORATION

A NOTE ABOUT TODAY'S SERVICE

During this morning's service we have the privilege of ordaining several men to the offices of deacon (Mark Baden, Isaías Lima, Cliff Vogelsberg, Scott Newkirk), elder (Ken Coyer), and Assistant Pastor (Garrett Black). One of the primary ways Christ rules his church is through chosen and ordained deacons and elders who oversee the work of the church. A few weeks ago, we voted as a congregation to elect additional deacons and elders, and then last week Garrett was approved by our local presbytery to receive the title of pastor at our church. One of the practices we see in scripture when men are appointed to positions of deacon or elder is the laying on of hands and ordaining them for their role; something we continue to practice in our church as well. So this morning's service will look very similar to our regular worship, only it will include a time of vows by the officers and the church for their new appointments, as well as the laying on of hands in prayer. This service will also be an official meeting both of our church's session and of our local presbytery in order to record the ordination of our officers for each respective court. We are excited about how God is answering our prayer for raising up leaders in our midst and cannot wait to celebrate our new officers together this morning.

ADORING GOD IN SONG

Psalm 150 (Praise the Lord)

You made the starry hosts,
You traced the mountain peaks;
You paint the evening sky with wonders.
The earth, it is Your throne,
From desert to the sea;
All nature testifies Your splendor,

Chorus:

Praise the Lord, praise the Lord;
Sing His greatness all creation.
Praise the Lord, raise your voice;
You heights and all you depths,
From furthest east to west,
Let ev'rything that has breath
Praise the Lord.

You reached into the dust;
In love, Your Spirit breathed.
You formed us in Your very likeness.
To know Your wondrous works,
To tell Your mighty deeds;
To join the everlasting chorus:

(Repeat Chorus)

Let symphonies resound,
Let drums and choirs ring out,
All heaven hear the sound of worship
Let ev'ry nation bring
Its honors to the King;
A roar of harmonies eternal.

Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord!
Sing His greatness all creation.
Praise the Lord, raise your voice!
You heights and all you depths,
From furthest east to west,
You distant burning stars,
All creatures near and far,
From sky to sea to shore,
Sing out forevermore;
Let ev'rything that has breath
Praise the Lord!

Psalm 150 (Praise the Lord)
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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.

We have a "wiggle room" in the back of the Sanctuary. We also have a nursing mother's room, changing tables and changing supplies available on the lower level.



CONFESSION OF SIN & ASSURANCE

Prayer of Confession

Assurance of Pardoning Grace

GALATIANS 3:13-14

Christ redeemed us from the curse of the law by becoming a curse for us—for it is written, “Cursed is everyone who is hanged on a tree”— so that in Christ Jesus the blessing of Abraham might come to the Gentiles, so that we might receive the promised Spirit through faith.

THE GIVING OF OUR TITHES & OFFERINGS

DEACON'S PRAYER

STEVE BROWN

Jesus Paid It All

I hear the Savior say,
“Your strength indeed is small,
Child of weakness, watch and pray,
Find in Me your all in all.”

Chorus:

Jesus paid it all,
All to Him I owe;
Sin had left a crimson stain,
He washed it white as snow.

Lord, now indeed I find
Your pow’r, and Yours alone,
Can change the leper’s spots
And melt the heart of stone.
(Chorus)

For nothing good have I
Whereby Your grace to claim—
I’ll wash my garments white
In the blood of Calvary’s lamb.
(Chorus)

And when, before the throne,
I stand in Him complete,
“Jesus died my soul to save,”
My lips shall still repeat.
(Chorus 2x)

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.

GREETING

CHILDREN'S CHURCH:

Children ages 4 through Kindergarten are invited to attend Children's Church during the greeting. 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.

MINISTRY OF WORD

Reading of Scripture

PHILIPPIANS 2:1-11

PAGE 1248 IN THE PEW BIBLE

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

RESPONSE

The Church's One Foundation

TRINITY HYMNAL #347

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.

Though with a scornful wonder
Men see her sore oppressed,
By schisms rent asunder,
By heresies distressed,
Yet saints their watch are keeping,
Their cry goes up, "How long?"
And soon the night of weeping
Shall be the morn of song.

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 with Thee.

ORDINATION AND INSTALLATION

OF CHURCH OFFICERS AND ASSISTANT PASTOR

Brief Introduction of the Candidates

ASSISTANT PASTOR: GARRETT BLACK

ELDER: KEN COYER

DEACONS: MARK BADEN, ISAIAS LIMA, SCOTT NEWKIRK, CLIFF VOGELSBERG

Constitutional Questions to the Ruling Elder & Deacon Candidates

Constitutional Question to the Congregation

Do you, the members of this church, acknowledge and receive these brothers as ruling elders or deacons as the case may be, and do you promise to yield to them all that honor, encouragement and obedience in the Lord to which the office, according to the Word of God and the Constitution of this Church, entitles them?

Constitutional Questions to Garrett

Constitutional Questions to the Session

Ordination of Ken, Mark, Isaias, Scott, Cliff, and Garrett

Prayer of Installation

Declaration of Ordination

Hand of Fellowship

Charge to the Officers and Assistant Pastor

Charge to the Congregation & Session

CLOSING HYMN

All Glory Be to Christ

Should nothing of our efforts stand, No legacy survive,
Unless the Lord does raise the house, In vain its builders strive.
To you who boast tomorrow's gain, Tell me, what is your life?
A mist, it vanishes at dawn, All glory be to Christ.

Chorus

All glory be to Christ our King,
All glory be to Christ.
His rule and reign we'll ever sing,
All glory be to Christ.

His will be done, His kingdom come, On earth as is above.
Who is Himself our daily bread, Praise Him the Lord of love.
Let living waters satisfy the thirsty without price.
We'll take a cup of kindness yet, all glory be to Christ!

Chorus

When on the day, the great I Am, the faithful and the true,
The Lamb who was for sinner's slain, Is making all things new.
Behold our God shall live with us, And be our steadfast Light,
And we shall e'er his people be, All glory be to Christ.

Chorus (x2)

All Glory Be to Christ
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BENEDICTION

Friday Morning Men's Bible Study

Friday morning men's Bible study is starting a new study on Isaiah starting May 3. The group meets at 7 a.m. on Friday mornings in person and on Zoom. If you're interested in participating, reach out to Bert Dreifuss for more information, isbert@gmail.com.

Men's Golf Outing: Saturday, May 4

The Men's Captain's Choice Golf outing will be held on Saturday, May 4, at 9 a.m. at the Country Club of Wakefield Plantation Sports Club (3350 Canes Way Raleigh, 27614). Learn more and register on our website, www.redeemerpca.com/upcoming-events.

5th & 6th Grade Gathering, Friday, May 10

The End-of-Year 5th & 6th Grade Gathering Party will be held Friday, May 10, from 6:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m., at Honeycutt Park. Dessert will be served, please eat dinner before you come. (RSVP link: <https://bit.ly/4bb9GQm>) We need volunteers to make this event happen! Any church member may host. Please reach out to Anne Larsen, spencer_anne@yahoo.com, if interested in hosting.

Prayer Meeting, Thursday, May 9

In April, we will offer a set time of prayer to pray for each other, the church, and the world. We will gather from 7 p.m. to 8 p.m. on Thursday, May 9, in Room 8 (beside the church office). Have a question? Contact Silas Rodriguez, silasr325@gmail.com, or Mike Newkirk, newkirk.mike@gmail.com.

Saints Alive Movie, Wednesday, May 15

Redeemer Church Saints Alive! invites everyone to come for an airing of a recent Virtual Event produced by The Voice of the Martyrs. This is a 2-hour special, streamed live in March, and Redeemer Church has the rights to re-show the program. On May 15, from 1-3:00 p.m., we will show this program in its entirety. Come for all or as much time as you wish to hear about these incredible true-life stories of Christians persecuted for their faith in Jesus.

WEEKLY CALENDAR

Sunday

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

Monday

- Moms in Prayer, 9:15 a.m., 242 Room, at Redeemer
- Men's Bible Study, 7:30 p.m., at Redeemer

Wednesday

- Student Ministry Large Group, 6:45 p.m., 242 Room, at Redeemer
- Men's Wednesday Evening Bible Study, 7:00 p.m., Lower Level, B011 & B010, 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 Golf Event, 9 a.m., Country Club of Wakefield Plantation Sports Club

UPCOMING EVENTS

- May 9: **Prayer Meeting**
- May 10: **5th & 6th Grade Gathering**
- May 15: **Saints Alive Movie Event**
- May 19: **Sabbatical Send-off Party**
- May 30: **Women's Mentoring Information Session**
- June 1: **Men's Breakfast**
- June 17-21, **Vacation Bible School**
- June 24-28: **Middle School Summer Conference**, Ridgehaven
- July 8-13: **High School RYM Summer Conference**, Florida

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OUR MISSIONARIES & MINISTRY PARTNERS

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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