



Redeemer

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

JANUARY 1, 2023

And I am sure of this, that he who began a
good work in you will bring it to completion
at the day of Jesus Christ.

PHILIPPIANS 1:6

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 100

Leader: Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the earth!

People: Serve the Lord with gladness!

Come into his presence with singing!

Leader: Know that the Lord, he is God!

People: It is he who made us, and we are his;

we are his people, and the sheep of his pasture.

Leader: Enter his gates with thanksgiving, and his courts with praise!

Give thanks to him; bless his name!

**People: For the Lord is good; his steadfast love endures forever,
and his faithfulness to all generations.**



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.



Hearing Loop
Switch hearing aid to T-coil

ADORING GOD IN SONG

Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing

TRINITY HYMNAL #457

Come, thou fount of every blessing
Tune my heart to sing Thy grace
Streams of mercy, never ceasing
Call for songs of loudest praise
Teach me some melodious sonnet
Sung by flaming tongues above.
Praise the mount, I'm fixed upon it
Mount of God's unchanging love.

Here I raise my Ebenezer,
Hither by Thy help I'm come
And I hope, by Thy good pleasure
Safely to arrive at home
Jesus sought me when a stranger,
Wandering from the fold of God
He, to rescue me from danger,
Interposed His precious blood.

Oh, to grace how great a debtor
Daily I'm constrained to be
Let that grace now like a fetter
Bind my wandering heart to Thee
**Prone to wander, Lord, I feel it,
Prone to leave the God I love
Here's my heart, O take and seal it
Seal it for Thy courts above.**

(Repeat bold)



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. Changing tables and changing supplies are also available on the lower level. Our nursery coordinator will be happy to answer any questions and help you get settled.

CONFESSION OF FAITH

The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty,
Maker of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
and born of the virgin Mary.
He suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried;
he descended into hell.
The third day he rose again from the dead.
He ascended into heaven
and is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty.
From there he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic* church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.

*THAT IS, THE TRUE CHRISTIAN CHURCH OF ALL TIMES AND ALL PLACES

THE GIVING OF OUR TITHES & OFFERINGS

DEACON'S PRAYER

DAVID TUCKER

OFFERTORY

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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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

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

PHILIPPIANS 1:3-11

(PAGES 1247 IN THE PEW BIBLE)

Prayer for the Kingdom of God on Earth

ROB HELMS



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.

SONG OF PREPARATION

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

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)

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COMMUNION

Invitation and Fencing of the Table

Prayer of Thanksgiving & Consecration

Words of Institution

1 CORINTHIANS 11:23-30

For I received from the Lord what I also passed on to you: The Lord Jesus, on the night he was betrayed, took bread, and when he had given thanks, he broke it and said, “This is my body, which is for you; do this in remembrance of me.” In the same way, after supper he took the cup, saying, “This cup is the new covenant in my blood; do this, whenever you drink it, in remembrance of me.” For whenever you eat this bread and drink this cup, you proclaim the Lord’s death until he comes.

Therefore, whoever eats the bread or drinks the cup of the Lord in an unworthy manner will be guilty of sinning against the body and blood of the Lord. A man ought to examine himself before he eats of the bread and drinks of the cup. For anyone who eats and drinks without recognizing the body of the Lord eats and drinks judgment on himself. That is why many among you are weak and sick, and a number of you have fallen asleep.

Distribution of the Bread and the Cup

WE SERVE GRAPE JUICE AND WINE. JUICE CUPS ARE CLEAR AND IN THE INNER RING OF THE TRAYS. WINE CUPS ARE PURPLE AND IN THE OUTER RING OF THE TRAY.

Prayer of Thanksgiving and Dedication

PRAYERS FOR THOSE NOT TAKING THE LORD'S SUPPER

Prayer for Those Searching for the Truth

Lord Jesus, you claim to be the way, the truth, and the life. Grant that I might be undaunted by the cost of following you as I consider the reasons for doing so. If what you claim is true, please guide me, teach me, and open to me the reality of who you are. Give me an understanding of you that is coherent, convincing, and that leads to the life that you promise. Amen.

Prayer of Belief

Lord Jesus, I admit that I am weaker and more sinful than I ever before believed, but through you I am more loved and accepted than I ever dared hope. I thank you for paying my debt, bearing my punishment on the cross, and offering forgiveness and new life. Knowing that you have been raised from the dead, I turn from my sins and receive you as Savior and Lord. Amen.

Prayer of Commitment

Lord Jesus, you have called us to follow you in baptism and in a life of committed discipleship in your church. Grant that I may take the necessary steps to be one with your people, and live in the fullness of your Spirit. Amen.



THE LORD'S SUPPER is the family meal of Christians. Redeemer Presbyterian Church welcomes all committed followers of Jesus Christ to partake of this sacrament. If you are trusting in Jesus Christ alone for salvation, and are a baptized member of a congregation that proclaims the gospel, we invite you to participate in the Lord's Supper with us. If you are not a Christian or are not prepared to share in this meal, we encourage you to spend this time in prayer. We hope this time is helpful to you as you consider your relationship with Jesus Christ and with His people, the Church.

RESPONSE AND BLESSING

Be Thou My Vision

TRINITY HYMNAL #642

Be Thou my vision, O Lord of my heart;
Naught be all else to me, save that Thou art,
Thou my best thought by day or by night,
Waking or sleeping, Thy presence my light.

Be Thou my wisdom, and Thou my true word;
I ever with Thee and Thou with me, Lord;
Thou my great Father, I Thy true son;
Thou in me dwelling, and I with Thee one.

Be Thou my battle shield, sword for my fight;
Be Thou my dignity, thou my delight,
Thou my soul's shelter, thou my high tow'r:
Raise Thou me heav'nward, O Pow'r of my pow'r.

Riches I heed not, nor man's empty praise,
Thou mine inheritance, now and always:
Thou and Thou only, first in my heart,
High King of heaven, my treasure thou art.

High King of heaven, my victory won,
May I reach heaven's joys, O bright heav'n's Sun!

**Heart of my own heart, whatever befall,
Still be my vision, O Ruler of all.**

(Repeat bold)

BENEDICTION

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Prayer Meetings: Thursday, January 12 and January 26

In January, 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, January 12, and Thursday, January 26, in Room 2 (Conference Room, near the church office.) Have a question? Contact Silas Rodriguez, silasr325@gmail.com, or Mike Newkirk, newkirk.mike@gmail.com.

5th & 6th Grade Gathering Friday, January 13

The next 5th & 6th Grade Gathering will be held Friday, January 13, at 7:00 p.m. at the home of Matt and Lisa Harmon (10728 Grassy Creek Place, Raleigh, 27614). Questions? Reach out to Anne Larsen, (919) 357-7961.

Christmas Gifts for Refugee Hope Partners: Due Today

This year we are collecting gifts to support programs and activities at Refugee Hope Partners (RHP) in 2023. The unwrapped gifts are due today. RHP sent a list, asking for books, toys, storage supplies and gift cards. (Walmart and Food Lion Gift Cards are given to refugee neighbors going through tough times.) We'll deliver the items to RHP in the new year. Have a question? Reach out to Brook in the church office, office@redeemerpca.net.

Family Meeting, Sunday, January 29 at 9 a.m.

On Sunday, January 29 at 9 a.m., we will have a congregational meeting for the purpose of electing additional officers. We will also reflect on God's faithfulness in 2022 and consider ways we can grow and serve together in 2023.

Discover Redeemer: February 10 and 11

If you're interested in learning more about Redeemer and church membership, this class is for you! It's a wonderful opportunity to meet with Pastor Dan and Pastor Ross and discover Redeemer. Questions? Please contact the office at office@redeemerpca.net.

New Adult Classes begin January 8

BIRDS AND BEES: EMPOWERING PARENTS TO TALK TO THEIR KIDS ABOUT SEX, LOWER LEVEL

As parents, if we don't talk to our kids about sex, then who (or what?) will teach them? By educating and empowering your kids about sex in a meaningful and biblical way, you build a foundation for future conversations, protect them from dangers on and offline, and have the power of the first impression. Join us for this 6 week course starting January 8 where we will interact with the Birds & Bees video curriculum (birds-bees.com) together. The curriculum is designed primarily for parents of children ages 1-10, but all are welcome. This class will meet in B011 on the Lower Level.

"DID GOD REALLY SAY..."

Adult Bible Class starting Sunday January 8, in the 242 Room is following up on the last class on Doubt and Deconstruction. In this class, we will examine the arguments against and for the authenticity and reliability of the New Testament scriptures.

Student Ministry Large Group: Resumes Wednesday, January 11

There is no student ministry large group meeting this week. Parents and students please join us at 6:30 p.m. on Wednesday, January 11. We will start the new year with a parent meeting and large group meeting. Both meetings start at 6:30 p.m. and are both at the church building.

Men's Breakfast, Saturday, January 14

Men are invited to the next Men's Breakfast on January 14 at 8:00 a.m. at Redeemer. Please see our website for more details and to sign up, www.redeemerpca.net.

WEEKLY CALENDAR

Sunday

- Worship, 10:00 a.m., Sanctuary

Wednesday

- Women's Wednesday Evening Bible Study, 7:00 p.m., B011, at Redeemer

Thursday

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

JANUARY

- January 11: **Student Ministry Large Group & Parent Meeting**
- January 12: **Prayer Meeting**
- January 13: **5th & 6th Grade Gathering**
- January 14: **Men's Breakfast**
- Week of January 23: **Women's Spring Bible Study** begins
- January 26: **Prayer Meeting**
- January 29: **Redeemer Family Meeting** during Sunday School

UPCOMING EVENTS

- February 10-11: **Discover Redeemer**
- March 3-4: **Marriage Conference**, Redeemer
- March 24-25: **Women's Conference**, Redeemer
- April 21-22: **Men's Retreat**, Welsh Farm
- June 19-23: **Vacation Bible School**, 9 a.m. to 12 p.m., Redeemer
- July 28-August 1: **High School RYM Conference**, Maryland

Scan this QR code
to learn more about
our upcoming
events and to RSVP:



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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 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: 6:00 P.M., CHILDCARE PROVIDED

NE Raleigh (Falls of Neuse Rd.)

Leader: Phil Rendall

TIME: 12:30 P.M.

NW Raleigh

Leader: Ken Coyer

TIME: 5:00 P.M., CHILDCARE PROVIDED

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., CHILDCARE PROVIDED

NE Raleigh (Durant Road)

Leader: Dan Kemp

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: 6:15 P.M., CHILDCARE PROVIDED



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Helping each
other know and
follow Jesus.

