



Redeemer

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

If you have a child in Nursery, we ask that you keep your phone on you during the service in case we need to page you for any reason.

Children At Redeemer

To those with young children, we would especially like to welcome you! We consider it a privilege to spend time with the next generation of believers (Psalm 78:4, 6-7).

To enjoy your time with us, may we suggest the following:

- Relax! We want Redeemer to be a place where children are both seen and heard! So don't worry if your children wiggle in the chairs or make a little noise. This is God's house and all are welcome, especially the little children!
- Sit toward the front where it's easier for children to see and hear.
- Quietly explain the different parts of the service so the children understand the various elements.
- Sing the hymns, pray the prayers, and participate in the responses. Children learn how to worship by imitating you.

If you have to step outside of the sanctuary during the service, feel free to do so. But please come back. As Jesus said, "Let the little children come to me." Let's be sure to welcome the children so that they always know that the church is for them as much as it is for the rest of us! The presence of children is a gift to our church.

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**We do provide Nursery care for infants through 3 years old.
Check in begins before the service at 10:45AM and pick up following.**

Questions? Contact our Nursery Coordinator,
Erin Arnold at childcare@redeemerchs.org

Location:

Redeemer Presbyterian Church
BEN HAILEY, LEAD PASTOR

Currently meeting at:
Spring Creek Elementary School
2450 Brewster Drive
College Station, TX 77845
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Meets Sunday mornings at 11:00 am.

Redeemer PCA is a congregation of the Presbyterian Church in America. We are committed to the historic truths of the Christian faith. Our only rule for faith and practice is the Bible, which we believe to be the very Word of God. We affirm that the essential truths of Scripture are accurately expressed through historic creeds such as the Apostles' Creed and Nicene Creed and the Westminster Confession of Faith.

Redeemer Order of Worship

THE THIRD SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY - 22 JANUARY 2023

Today's worship music will be led by Mark Schinzler.

Meditation: Preparing Our Hearts for Worship

But there will be no gloom for her who was in anguish. In the former time he brought into contempt the land of Zebulun and the land of Naphtali, but in the latter time he has made glorious the way of the sea, the land beyond the Jordan, Galilee of the nations. The people who walked in darkness have seen a great light; those who dwelt in a land of deep darkness, on them has light shone. You have multiplied the nation; you have increased its joy; they rejoice before you as with joy at the harvest, as they are glad when they divide the spoil. For the yoke of his burden, and the staff for his shoulder, the rod of his oppressor, you have broken as on the day of Midian. (Isaiah 9:1-4)

Songs of Preparation: His Mercy Is More

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[Chorus]

Praise the Lord, His mercy is more
Stronger than darkness, new every morn
Our sins they are many, His mercy is more

1. What love could remember
No wrongs we have done
Omniscient, all knowing, He counts not their sum
Thrown into a sea without bottom or shore
Our sins they are many, His mercy is more
2. What patience would wait as we constantly roam
What Father so tender is calling us home
He welcomes the weakest, the vilest, the poor
Our sins they are many, His mercy is more [Chorus]

3. What riches of kindness He lavished on us
His blood was the payment, His life was the cost
We stood 'neath a debt we could never afford
Our sins they are many, His mercy is more [Chorus]

Praise the Lord, His mercy is more
Stronger than darkness, new every morn
Our sins they are many, His mercy is more
Our sins they are many, His mercy is more

Great Is Thy Faithfulness

1. Great is Thy faithfulness O God my Father
There is no shadow of turning with Thee;
Thou changest not, Thy compassions, they fail not
As Thou hast been Thou forever will be

[Chorus]

Great is Thy Faithfulness, Great is Thy Faithfulness
Morning by Morning, New mercies I see
All I have needed, Thy hand has provided
Great is Thy faithfulness, Lord, unto me

2. Summer and winter and springtime and harvest
Sun moon and stars in their courses above
Join with all nature in manifold witness
To Thy great faithfulness mercy and love [Chorus]

3. Pardon for sin and a peace that endureth
Thine own dear presence to cheer and to guide
Strength for today and bright hope for tomorrow
Blessings all mine with ten thousand beside
[Chorus]

SEATED

Welcome + Announcements: *Jami Rudinger*

STANDING

Call to Worship: God Calls Us to Worship Him

Any text in **bold** is to
be spoken aloud by the
congregation.

Oh give thanks to the Lord; call upon His name; make known His deeds among
the peoples!

Sing to Him, sing praises to Him; tell of all His wondrous works!

Glory in His holy name; let the hearts of those who seek the Lord rejoice!

Seek the Lord and His strength; seek His presence continually!

Prayer of Invocation + Adoration

First Reading

MATTHEW 4:12-23

¹² Now when he heard that John had been arrested, he withdrew into Galilee. ¹³ And leaving Nazareth he went and lived in Capernaum by the sea, in the territory of Zebulun and Naphtali, ¹⁴ so that what was spoken by the prophet Isaiah might be fulfilled:

¹⁵ "The land of Zebulun and the land of Naphtali,
the way of the sea, beyond the Jordan, Galilee of the Gentiles—
¹⁶ the people dwelling in darkness
have seen a great light,
and for those dwelling in the region and shadow of death,
on them a light has dawned."

¹⁷ From that time Jesus began to preach, saying, "Repent, for the kingdom of heaven is at hand." ¹⁸ While walking by the Sea of Galilee, he saw two brothers, Simon (who is called Peter) and Andrew his brother, casting a net into the sea, for they were fishermen. ¹⁹ And he said to them, "Follow me, and I will make you fishers of men." ²⁰ Immediately they left their nets and followed him. ²¹ And going on from there he saw two other brothers, James the son of Zebedee and John his brother, in the boat with Zebedee their father, mending their nets, and he called them. ²² Immediately they left the boat and their father and followed him. ²³ And he went throughout all Galilee, teaching in their synagogues and proclaiming the gospel of the kingdom and healing every disease and every affliction among the people.

Reader: This is the word of the Lord. **People: Thanks be to God.**

Songs of Praise: I'll Not Be Shaken

1. For God alone, I wait in silence;
My soul is still before the Lord
He is my rock and my salvation,
My fortress strong; I trust in Him.

[Chorus]

I'll not be shaken! I'll not be shaken, For all my hope is in His love.
From God a-lone comes my salvation. I'll wait and trust His steadfast love!

2. Put not your hope in gain of riches;
Seek not your rest in empty wealth.
The rich are weak; the poor are mighty,
Who turn to God a-lone for help. [Chorus]

3. Pour out your heart to God our refuge
And trust in Him to hear you cry.
No other hope will never fail you;
No other love will not run dry. [Chorus]

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STANDING

I'll wait and trust His steadfast love!

O Love That Will Not Let Me Go

1. O Love that will not let me go,
I rest my weary soul in thee;
I give thee back the life I owe,
That in thine ocean depths its flow
May richer, fuller be.

2. O light that followest all my way,
I yield my flickering torch to thee;
My heart restores its borrowed ray,
That in thy sunshine's blaze its day
May brighter, fairer be.

3. O Joy that seekest me through pain,
I cannot close my heart to thee;
I trace the rainbow through the rain,
And feel the promise is not vain,
That morn shall tearless be.

4. O Cross that liftest up my head,
I dare not ask to fly from thee;
I lay in dust life's glory dead,
And from the ground there blossoms red
Life that shall endless be.

O Come To The Altar

1. Are you hurting and broken within?
Overwhelmed by the weight of your sin?
Jesus is calling
Have you come to the end of yourself
Do you thirst for a drink from the well?
Jesus is calling

[Chorus]

O come to the altar
The Father's arms are open wide
Forgiveness was bought with
The precious blood of Jesus Christ

2. Leave behind your regrets and mistakes
Come today, there's no reason to wait

Jesus is calling
Bring your sorrows and trade them for joy
From the ashes, a new life is born
Jesus is calling

[Chorus]

[Bridge]

Oh what a Savior
Isn't He wonderful?
Sing Hallelujah, Christ is risen
Bow down before Him
For He is Lord of all
Sing Hallelujah, Christ is risen
Oh what a Savior
Isn't He wonderful?
Sing Hallelujah, Christ is risen
Bow down before Him
For He is Lord of all
Sing Hallelujah, Christ is risen

[Chorus]

Bear your cross as you wait for the crown
Tell the world of the treasure you found

Confession of Sin: God Graciously Renews Us in Christ

The Prophet proclaimed: The heart is deceitful above all things and beyond cure. Who can understand it? 'I the Lord search the heart and examine the mind, to reward a man according to his conduct, according to what his deeds deserve.' (Jeremiah 17:9-10). Let us then confess our sins saying...

Almighty God, we believe that You are coming again in power to judge the earth. But we confess that we have not lived as those who daily expect Your kingdom. We have spoken harsh words, thought impure thoughts, and lived casual lives. We have ignored Your promised judgment by not loving You with our whole hearts or our neighbors as ourselves. Have mercy on us and forgive us for all our offenses. In Your tender kindness, embrace us with Your fatherly love, and fill our hearts with the joyful expectation of seeing You soon, face to face. Through Jesus Christ our Lord, we pray ...

Silent Confession

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The Words of the Gospel for Those Who Repent + Believe

I declare this sure promise: The name of the LORD is a strong tower; the righteous run to it and are safe. (Proverbs 18:10). **Amen!**

Tithes + Offerings: God Calls Us to Make Offerings

The Offering of the Prayers of the People

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth, as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen!

The Collection of Our Tithes + Offerings

While there are many ways to contribute financially to God's Kingdom, the church is the primary means by which that kingdom is established on earth. Thus, God calls us first and foremost to be faithful in the regular, ongoing support of one's local church body through tithes and offerings. If you haven't made tithing a practice, please consider adopting tithing or generous giving as a spiritual practice—that you might grow in faith and that together we might increase Redeemer's capacity to be the body of Christ in College Station for the world.

The Presenting of Our Tithes + Offerings

Prayer of Dedication

Scripture Reading

GENESIS 4:1-16

¹⁹ "Do not lay up for yourselves treasures on earth, where moth and rust destroy and where thieves break in and steal, ²⁰ but lay up for yourselves treasures in heaven, where neither moth nor rust destroys and where thieves do not break in and steal. ²¹ For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also. ²² "The eye is the lamp of the body. So, if your eye is healthy, your whole body will be full of light, ²³ but if your eye is bad, your whole body will be full of darkness. If then the light in you is darkness, how great is the darkness! ²⁴ "No one can serve two masters, for either he will hate the one and love the other, or he will be devoted to the one and despise the other. You cannot serve God and money.

Leader: This is the word of the Lord. **People: Thanks be to God.**

Morning Lesson: Seven Deadly Sins - Greed

REV. BEN HAILEY, LEAD PASTOR

The Lord's Supper: God Feeds Us His Covenant Meal

Preparation for Communion

WE COME TO HIS TABLE

Redeemer welcomes all baptized Christians to participate in the Eucharistic meal. This includes all Christians, whether members at Redeemer or another church. Children who have been baptized and admitted to the table by the elders of this church or the leadership of another church are also welcome to the table. If you're still investigating Christianity, not sure what you believe, or simply choose not to participate, you may let the elements pass.

Holy Communion

Prayers for Those Not Communing

PRAYER OF SEARCHING FOR TRUTH

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

PRAYER OF BELIEVING ON JESUS

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 to 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 my savior. Amen.

PRAYER OF STRUGGLING AGAINST SIN

Lord Jesus, grant that I may see in You the fulfillment of all my needs and may turn from every false satisfaction to feed on You, the true and living bread. Enable me to lay aside the sin that clings so closely to me and run with perseverance the race that You have set before me, looking only to You, the pioneer and champion of my faith. Amen.

Invitation + Words of Institution

THE APOSTLES CREED

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, the Creator of heaven and earth, And in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord, who was conceived of the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended into hell. The third day He arose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty, from whence He shall come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy



1. WAIT TO TAKE TOGETHER

The Leader will ask us to "Take Eat" or "Take Drink" corporately, so please wait until instructed.



2. GLUTEN FREE

Gluten free bread is available upon request, please raise your hand as the elements are distributed to indicate you would like the gluten free option.



3. WINE + JUICE

Grape juice is the white liquid, and Wine is the red. Please take accordingly.



4. CHILDREN

Children who have been interviewed at Redeemer or by the leadership of another church are welcome to partake of communion.

Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting. Amen.

WORDS OF INSTITUTION: MATTHEW 26:26-29

Distribution of the Elements

Song of Communion: He Will Hold Me Fast

1. When I fear my faith will fail, Christ will hold me fast
When the tempter would prevail, He will hold me fast
I could never keep my hold, Through life's fearful path
For my love is often cold, He must hold me fast

[Chorus]

He will hold me fast, He will hold me fast
For my Savior loves me so
He will hold me fast

2. Those He saves are His delight, Christ will hold me fast
Precious in His holy sight, He will hold me fast
He'll not let my soul be lost, His Promises shall last
Bought by Him at such a cost, He will hold me fast

[Chorus]

3. For my life He bled and died, Christ will hold me fast
Justice has been satisfied, He will hold me fast
Raised with Him to endless life, He will hold me fast
Till our faith is turned to sight, When He comes at last

[Chorus x2]

STANDING

Benediction

TAKEN FROM GRACE BE WITH YOU BY DALE RALPH DAVIS

The Lord answer you in the day of trouble. The name of the God of Jacob protect you.
May He send you help from the sanctuary and give you support from Zion. **Amen.**

Doxology

Praise God from whom all blessings flow! Praise Him all creatures here below!
Praise Him above, ye heav'nly hosts! Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost! Amen.

Passing of the Peace

The peace of Christ be with you.

And also with you.

Greet one another with a sign of friendship such as: "The peace of Christ be with you." +
"And also with you!"

Announcements:

TODAY FOLLOWING WORSHIP @ THE HAILEYS

College Lunch! Students--come have lunch following worship at the Hailey's (2803 Arroyo Ct. N, College Station) and get to know Redeemer!

JANUARY 28, 2023 AT 9:30AM @ TINY HOPE VILLAGE

Tiny Hope Village Work Day If you'd like to volunteer to help Matt Hood and Rob Rahm on the construction of tiny homes at Tiny Hope Village next Saturday, 1/28, let either of them know and they will get you the details and address, or arrange a carpool.

FEBRUARY 3, 2023 AT 6:00PM @ THE ARNOLDS

Men's Fellowship Night Join the guys for a Men's Fellowship Night at the Arnold's House (16008 Woodlake Drive, College Station, TX) we will have burgers, please bring a side or dessert. First deal for poker is at 7:00PM--Hope everyone can make it!

FEBRUARY 10-11, 2023 @ CAMP BLESSING

Women's Retreat Registration is Open! Register and find all the details on the website at www.redeemerchs.org/womens-retreat-2023 We hope everyone will be able to join us for a fun and relaxing weekend that will be filled with encouragement!

FEBRUARY 17 + 18, 2022

Who is Redeemer? Join us to learn more about Redeemer! The class will meet at the Hailey's House (2803 Arroyo Ct. N, College Station, TX) on Friday evening at 6:00PM and then again on Saturday from 8:30AM-12:30PM. Dinner provided Friday night and breakfast Saturday morning--If you have childcare needs in order to attend, let Ben know! Sign up online by clicking the "Who is Redeemer?" button on the website homepage!

FEBRUARY 26, 2022

Veritas Forum Talk "Is Anything Worth Dying For? Inside the Minds of Martyrs" Dr. McDowell (Biola) & Dr. Vess (TAMU) will be in dialogue about martyrdom and if anything is really worth dying for. Sunday February 26, 2023 at 7:00pm. On-Campus at Texas A&M University in Rudder Theatre. Free tickets available at tx.ag/VERITAS23

YEAR-END GIVING REPORTS will be sent out mid January—look out for an email with a link to download your statement. If we don't have an email address for you, a paper statement will be mailed to your physical address.

FINANCIAL REPORT: DECEMBER 2022

Actual Giving and Outside Support	Actual Ahead (Behind)
\$270,025	\$9,479
Budgeted Expenses (YTD)	General Fund Cash Balance
\$262,458	\$92,886
Actual Expenses (YTD)	
\$260,546	

*Includes WPC support prepaid for 2022 of \$25,000

VISITING?



Weekly:

TUES. AT 7:00PM
Women's Evening Study at the Redeemer Office (3800 Texas 6 Frontage Rd, Suite 108N).

WED. AT 9:00AM
Women's Morning Study at the Tilsen's House (1306 Skyline Ct). Childcare is provided from 9:00AM-11:00AM.

WED. AT 7:30AM
Men's Morning Study at Coco Loco (1804 Welsh Ave).

WED. AT 8:00PM
Men's Evening Study at the Redeemer Office (3800 Texas 6 Frontage Rd, Suite 108N).

EVERY OTHER SUN. AT 4:30-6:30PM
Rudinger/John Neighbor. Group
2178 Chestnut Oak Cir, College Station, TX

EVERY OTHER SUN. AT 5:00-7:00PM
Arnold House Neighbor. Group
16008 Woodlake Drive, College Station, TX

EVERY OTHER MON. AT 6:00-8:00PM
Rahm/Lawson Neighbor. Group
3002 Normand Drive, College Station, TX

EVERY OTHER THUR. AT 5:30-7:30PM
Tilsen/Hood Neighbor. Group
1306 Skyline Ct, College Station, TX

CHECK OUR SOCIAL MEDIA FOR MORE INFORMATION ABOUT UPCOMING EVENTS:

FACEBOOK.COM/REDEEMERCOLLEGESTATION | @REDEEMERCS

Neighborhood Group Questions: Week of 1/22-1/27

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS FOR GROUPS THIS WEEK

1. We are all rich. Evaluate.
2. Jesus assumes we have resources. What does investment in the kingdom look like?
3. How do your eyes play a part in how you think about money?
4. Why is giving a life-giving practice?
5. What are the effects of greed?
6. Where do you feel tension considering money? How does money represent security for you?
7. How does Jesus' giving himself to us free us in this area?