



# **Redeemer Church**

*To the Praise of His Glory*

Book of Worship | August 21, 2022

# Welcome to Redeemer Church

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Redeemer Church is a Reformed Baptist congregation. We adhere to the Baptist Confession of Faith of 1689, a doctrinal statement strongly grounded in the Word of God. We gather to worship the crucified and risen Lord Jesus Christ and desire in all we do to be to the praise of the glory of His grace.

If you are our guest today and would like to make yourself known to us, you can use the Guest Card in the seat pocket in front of you. After completing it, simply drop it in the drop box at the entrance to the auditorium; and if you are our guest today, please feel no obligation to give. As you leave, please take one of our Guest Packets on the bookshelf in the rear of the auditorium.

*“Come, let us worship and bow down! Let us kneel before the Lord, our maker!”*

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## TABLETALK MAGAZINE

Tabletalk is a monthly digest of daily devotional readings and in-depth theological articles produced by Ligonier Ministries. Please take one at the entrance to the auditorium.

## INFANTS/TODDLERS

**Nursery:** Parents with children ages 0 to 4 years are encouraged to use the infant/toddler nursery located on the lower level. There are comfortable chairs and audio of the service.

## CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

**Adult Bible Study** is at 9:30 am each Sunday, led by Duwane Rose in the Auditorium. We are currently studying, *The Holy Spirit*.

**Children’s Christian Education (K through 5<sup>th</sup> Grade)** is during the 10:45 am Worship Service in our Fellowship Hall, led by Cindy Rose and a team of volunteers.

## SERMONS

Sermons can be streamed and/or downloaded from our website:

[www.cometoredeemer.com](http://www.cometoredeemer.com) or on the Redeemer App, available for download from your device’s App Store (search “Redeemer Church Waterford”).

## MEMBERSHIP

Information about membership at Redeemer Church can be found on our website at:

<https://cometoredeemer.com/connect/membership>. For specific questions, please email Pastor Paul at [paul@redeemerwaterford.com](mailto:paul@redeemerwaterford.com).

## REFLECTION

"The nominal, decent man of today does not object to longer hours for his entertainment, but he demands the shortest hour possible for worship!"

— Ralph G. Turnbull, Scottish Presbyterian Minister, 1946

## GATHERING PRAYER

Grant, O merciful God, that your Church, being gathered together in unity by your Holy Spirit, may show forth your power among all peoples, to the glory of your Name; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

# Worship Service

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*Our help is in the name of the Lord, who made heaven and earth;  
from the rising of the sun to the going down of the same,  
the name of the Lord is to be praised.*

Psalm 124:8; Psalm 113:3

## THE PSALM | PSALM 103:1 – 14

### COME, CHRISTIANS, JOIN TO SING

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Come, Christians, join to sing  
Alleluia! Amen!  
Loud praise to Christ our King;  
Alleluia! Amen!  
Let all, with heart and voice,  
Before His throne rejoice;  
Praise is His gracious choice;  
Alleluia! Amen!

Come, lift your hearts on high,  
Alleluia! Amen!  
Let praises fill the sky;  
Alleluia! Amen!  
He is our Guide and Friend;  
To us He'll condescend;  
His love shall never end;  
Alleluia! Amen!

Praise yet our Christ again,  
Alleluia! Amen!  
Life shall not end the strain;  
Alleluia! Amen!  
On heaven's blissful shore,  
His goodness we'll adore,  
Singing forevermore,  
"Alleluia! Amen!"

### I WILL PRAISE HIM STILL

Words & Music: Fernando Ortego  
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When the morning falls on the farthest hill  
I will sing His name I will praise Him still  
When dark trials come and my heart is filled  
With the weight of doubt I will praise Him still

For the Lord our God He is strong to save  
From the arms of death from the deepest grave  
And He gave us life in His perfect will  
And by His good grace I will praise Him still

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## AFFIRMATION

Pastor: *Does Christ's death mean all our sins can be forgiven?*

People: **Yes, because Christ's death on the cross fully paid the penalty for our sin, God graciously imputes Christ's righteousness to us as if it were our own and will remember our sins no more.**

### JESUS, STRONG AND KIND

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Jesus said  
That if I thirst  
I should come to him  
No one else can satisfy  
I should come to him

Jesus said  
If I am weak  
I should come to him  
No one else can be my strength  
I should come to him

*For the Lord is good and faithful  
He will keep us day and night  
We can always run to Jesus  
Jesus, strong and kind*

Jesus said  
That if I fear  
I should come to him  
No one else can be my shield  
I should come to him

*For the Lord is good and faithful  
He will keep us day and night  
We can always run to Jesus  
Jesus, strong and kind*

Jesus said  
If I am lost  
He will come to me  
And he showed me on that cross  
He will come to me

*For the Lord is good and faithful  
He will keep us day and night  
We can always run to Jesus  
Jesus, strong and kind*

A READING FROM THE OLD TESTAMENT | 1 SAMUEL 4:1 – 22

PASTORAL PRAYER

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## THE WORD OF GOD

### PREPARATION FOR THE WORD

#### **HOLY SPIRIT, LIVING BREATH OF GOD**

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Holy Spirit, living Breath of God,  
Breathe new life into my willing soul.  
Bring the presence of the risen Lord  
To renew my heart and make me whole.  
Cause Your Word to come alive in me;  
Give me faith for what I cannot see;  
Give me passion for Your purity.  
Holy Spirit, breathe new life in me.

### THE SERMON

#### **When God Withdraws His Presence**

Psalm 78:55 - 66

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## BENEDICTION

### **DOXOLOGY (ROMANS 11)**

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Oh, the depth of the riches  
And the wisdom and knowledge of God  
How unsearchable His judgments  
How untraceable His paths  
Who knows the mind of our God  
Who could bring counsel to Him  
Who has given to God  
That God should repay

For from Him, through Him, to Him is everything

To God be the glory forever and ever

To God be the glory forever. Amen

*We close the Lord's Day together this evening at 6:00 pm.*

<b>AUGUST MON</b>	<b>22</b>	Begin your week resting in Jesus. Meditate on this hymn by Jordan Kauflin and Matt Merker.  <b><u><a href="#">Come to Jesus (Rest in Him)</a></u></b>
1 Samuel 14; Romans 12 Jeremiah 51; Psalm 30		
<b>AUGUST TUE</b>	<b>23</b>	Mediate on the assurance that the Lord Jesus Christ has secured our souls for eternity.  <b><u><a href="#">Christ is Mine Forevermore</a></u></b>
1 Samuel 15; Romans 13 Jeremiah 52; Psalm 31		
<b>AUGUST WED</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>Spurgeon: “<u><a href="#">The Breaker has come up before them</a></u>”</b> God has taken away in the person of Christ all the power that anything can have to hurt us. Well then, the army may safely march on, and you may go joyously along your journey, for all your enemies are conquered beforehand.
1 Samuel 16; Romans 14 Lamentations 1; Psalm 32		
<b>AUGUST THU</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>History of Hymns: <u><a href="#">Great is Thy Faithfulness</a></u></b> Read the history behind this familiar hymn by Thomas O. Chisholm.
1 Samuel 17; Romans 15 Lamentations 2; Psalm 33		
<b>AUGUST FRI</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>Alistair Begg: <u><a href="#">Understand This</a></u></b> The Keswick Convention began in 1875 in Keswick, England and continues to gather for three weeks every summer for Bible teaching and other Bible-centered activities. Week One’s speaker this year was Alistair Begg. Click the link above to watch the fourth of his five sermons on 2 Timothy.
1 Samuel 18; Romans 16 Lamentations 3; Psalm 34		
<b>AUGUST SAT</b>	<b>27</b>	Preparation for Sunday worship begins on Saturday evening. Before retiring for the evening, spend an hour focusing your mind on the things of God by reading a devotional and praying.
1 Samuel 19; 1 Corinthians 1 Lamentations 4; Psalm 35		
<b>AUGUST SUN</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>R. C. Sproul: <u><a href="#">Sabbath Rest</a></u></b> In this lesson, Dr. Sproul takes us to the creation account of Genesis and God’s establishment of the Sabbath day. We will consider how the seventh day of creation sets before us ultimate meaning for all of human existence.
1 Samuel 20; 1 Corinthians 2 Lamentations 5; Psalm 36		

**WELCOME!** If you are new to our church, please complete the Guest Registration Card near you in the seat pocket and place it in the drop box at the rear of the auditorium. We're glad you're here!

**MEMBERSHIP** To become a member of Redeemer Church, please complete the *Life Together Application* available at the Information table in the back of the auditorium **or online at the church website**. The pastor will contact you with the dates and times of the next Membership Orientation.

**OFFERING** Please use the offering envelope provided in the seat pocket near you and place your offering in the drop box at the entrance to the auditorium. You may also give securely online at our website: **[www.redeemerwaterford.com](http://www.redeemerwaterford.com)**. Giving is our act of worship and the responsibility of those who belong to Redeemer Church. Text **Redeemer22** to 206-859-9405 to give securely online.

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## THIS WEEK AT REDEEMER

### SUNDAY

- 9:30 am Adult Bible Study
- 11:00 am Morning Worship
- 6:00 pm Evening Worship

### WEDNESDAY

- 7:00 pm Midweek Prayer & Devotion

### SATURDAY

- 9:00 am Romans Bible Study

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## GLOBAL MISSIONS

Our missionaries are supported by your designated gifts to "Missions" in your offering. Over and above our regular giving to the operating fund of Redeemer Church through our tithing, each of us should contribute consistently to our Missions Fund for the support of our missionaries.

Our annual missions budget is \$11,000.00 and supports missionaries in Turkey, Chad, Taiwan, and Asia.

## UPCOMING EVENTS

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### Schedule Changes

Our Adult Bible Study now begins at 9:30 am. Our Morning Worship begins at 11:00 am. Evening Worship remains at 6:00 pm.

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### Midweek Prayer & Devotion

#### Wednesdays | 7:00 pm

We gather in the auditorium for hymns, devotion and prayer each Wednesday evening at 7:00 pm.

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**The Annual Congregational Meeting** will be held on Sunday Evening, September 18<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 pm. This is a members-only meeting.

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### Romans Bible Study

#### Saturday, August 27 | 9:00 am

Men are invited to join us in-person in the Fellowship Hall. Anyone can join the livestream on the church website or our YouTube and Facebook pages.

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### Membership Orientation

#### August 21 and 28 | 4:30 pm

Pastor Paul leads this two-session overview of Redeemer Church's history, doctrine, mission & purpose, and governing documents. Attending these sessions do not require anyone to join the church but are required for those wishing to do so. Please email Pastor Paul if you plan to attend (email address on the back of the Book of Worship).

## PRAY ONE FOR ANOTHER

- **Laurie Brodeur's son Josh Schultz** is having health issues which require some medical test to find answers.
- Pray for **Robbie and Tara Fortney** and their foster child Arya.
- **Marc Friedrich's mother** is home recovering after a short hospital stay.
- **Bernice Lotz** is home after having been hospitalized with continuing issues with pain in her hips/pelvis.
- **Ruth Craig's 28-year-old grandson Hunter** had surgery to place a stent in his leg to treat a blood clot. He is slowly improving.
- Pray for **Jordan Schultz**.
- Cindy Engel's daughter, **Heather Sykes**.
- **Linda Bellehumeur** has completed her radiation treatments but continues to experience insomnia as a result.
- **Stephanie Hughes** has been diagnosed with Erythromelalgia and Undifferentiated Connective Tissue Disease and is having more tests.
- Sandy Tiefenback's mother, **Dorothy Griffith**, has non-Hodgkin's lymphoma.
- **Ed Anderson's 82-year-old mother** has been diagnosed with a high grade or aggressive Diffuse Large B-cell Lymphoma which is in remission.
- **Dan Schwartz's wife Bernie** needs our prayers as she continues to struggle with health issues.





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