Redeemer Church

To the Praise of His Glory



Book of Worship | February 25, 2024

Welcome to Redeemer Church

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.

"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 9:00 am each Sunday, led by Duwane Rose in the Auditorium. We are currently studying *The Book of Jude*.

Young Adult Bible Study is at 9:00 am each Sunday, led by Grant Blackmer in Fellowship Hall. The current study is *The Book of 1 Peter*.

Children's Christian Education (K through 5th Grade) is during the 10:30 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 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/explore-membership.

Second Sunday in Lent | 10:30 a.m.

REFLECTION

We think that Paradise and Calvary,
Christ's cross, and Adam's tree, stood in one place;
Look, Lord, and find both Adams met in me;
As the first Adam's sweat surrounds my face,
May the last Adam's blood my soul embrace.

- John Donne

GATHERING PRAYER

O God, whose glory it is always to have mercy: Be gracious to all who have gone astray from your ways, and bring them again with penitent hearts and steadfast faith to embrace and hold fast the unchangeable truth of your Word, Jesus Christ your Son; who with you and the Holy Spirit lives and reigns, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen*.

CONNECT

Do you have a question for the pastor? Need more information about any aspect of Redeemer's ministry? Need to update your contact information? Would you like to be added to Redeemer's email updates? Scan the QR code to the right to connect with Pastor Paul directly.



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.

Pealm 124:8; Pealm 113:3

CALL TO WORSHIP | PSALM 22:22 - 25

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

Heavenly Father, may you grant us to comprehend your holy Word according to your divine will, that we may learn from it to put all our confidence in you alone, and withdraw it from all other creatures; moreover, that also our old man with all his lusts may be crucified more and more each day, and that we may offer ourselves to you as a living sacrifice, to the glory of your holy name and to the edification of our neighbor, through our Lord Jesus Christ. Amen. [Zacharias Ursinus]

COME, CHRISTIANS, JOIN TO SING

Words: Christian H. Bateman | Music: Traditional Alt Words: Zach White CCLI License # 11152837

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 sing of wondrous grace
Alleluia! Amen
What love that took our place
Alleluia! Amen!
Christ, God's own Lamb was slain
Bearing our sin and shame
Triumphing o'er the grave
Alleluia! Amen!

Come, lift your hearts on high Alleluia! Amen Let praises fill the sky Alleluia! Amen! Christ is our guide and friend To us he'll condescend His love shall never end Alleluia! Amen!

Praise yet to Christ our King Alleluia! Amen With all our voices ring Alleluia! Amen! On heaven's blissful shore His goodness we'll adore Singing forevermore "Alleluia! Amen!"

PRAISE THE LORD! YE HEAVENS ADORE HIM

Words: Anonymous | Music: Rowland H. Pritchard CCLI License # 11152837

Praise the Lord! ye heav'ns adore him; Praise him angels, in the height; Sun and moon, rejoice before him; Praise him, all ye stars of light. Praise the Lord! for he has spoken; Worlds his mighty voice obeyed; Laws which never shall be broken For their guidance he has made.

Praise the Lord! for he is glorious; Never shall his promise fail; God has made his saints victorious; Sin and death shall not prevail. Praise the God of our salvation! Hosts on high his pow'r proclaim; Heav'n, and earth, and all creation, Laud and magnify his name.

Worship, honor, glory, blessing, Lord, we offer unto thee; Young and old, thy praise expressing, In glad homage bend the knee. All the saints in heav'n adore thee, We would bow before thy throne; As thine angels serve before thee, So on earth thy will be done.

A READING FROM THE EPISTLES | 1 THESSALONIANS 5:14 – 23

PASTORAL PRAYER

THE WORD OF GOD

PREPARATION FOR THE WORD

HOLY SPIRIT, LIVING BREATH OF GOD

Words & Music: Keith Getty, Stuart Townend CCLL License # 11152837

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.

Holy Spirit, come abide within;
May Your joy be seen in all I do—
Love enough to cover ev'ry sin
In each thought and deed and attitude,
Kindness to the greatest and the least,
Gentleness that sows the path of peace.
Turn my striving into works of grace.
Breath of God, show Christ in all I do.

Holy Spirit, from creation's birth,
Giving life to all that God has made,
Show Your power once again on earth;
Cause Your church to hunger for Your ways.
Let the fragrance of our prayers arise.
Lead us on the road of sacrifice
That in unity the face of Christ
Will be clear for all the world to see.

THE SERMON

The Fatal Consequences of Quenching the Spirit I Samuel 19:18 – 24

BENEDICTION

DOXOLOGY (ROMANS 11)

Words & Music: Andrew Peterson CCLI License # 11152837

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.

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FEBRUARY MON

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Alistair Begg: One Door, One Shepherd, One Flock

Exodus 9; Luke 12 Job 27; 1 Corinthians 13

Exodus 10; Luke 13 Job 28; 1 Corinthians 14 Ultimate security lies not in the walls of our enclosure or in the strength of our faith but in our proximity to Jesus, the indestructible Shepherd in whom we place our trust. Believers will know His voice and enjoy abundant life.

FEBRUARY TUE

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Four Ways Jesus Fulfils Every Old Testament Promise

When Jesus fulfills the Old Testament Law and Prophets, he is actualizing what Scripture anticipated and achieving what God promised and predicted.

FEBRUARY WED

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The Wonderful, Dangerous World of Sports

How might we compete like Christians? Believe that Jesus is worthy in every loss and worth more than every victory, and then train and cheer and play like it.

Exodus 11-12:21; Luke 14 Job 29; 1 Corinthians 15

FEBRUARY THU

If Jesus Conquered Sin, Why is There Evil in the World?

If Jesus triumphed over sin and death, why does our world still contain so much evil and suffering? If God is happy and wants us to be happy, why doesn't He bring us complete happiness now?

MARCH FRI

1

Ligon Duncan: God's Covenant Confirmed in the Wilderness

In his message on Exodus 24, Ligon Duncan emphasizes the key themes of representation, substitution, and communion in the context of worship. Duncan highlights the importance of Moses as a mediator between God and the people, the significance of Scripture in worship, and the foreshadowing of Christ's sacrifice as the ultimate substitutionary atonement for sins.

Exodus 12:22-51; Luke 15 Job 30; 1 Corinthians 16

> MARCH SAT

2

William Perkins: Killing the Desire for Revenge

Say I become angry unadvisedly or desire to revenge wrongs done to me. How may I remedy this sin?

Exodus 13; Luke 16 Job 31; 2 Corinthians 1

MARCH SUN

3

Thomas Boston: The Sanctification of the Sabbath

I come now to show you how the Sabbath is to be sanctified. What are the parts of the sanctification of the Sabbath. They are two; holy rest, and holy exercise.

Exodus 14; Luke 17 Job 32; 2 Corinthians 2 **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 <u>online at the church website</u>. 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. 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.



Recovering the Christian Mind

Our pastor has resumed his podcast the primary emphasis of which is to help us to think biblically about current events and issues. You can listen at the link above, or on the Redeemer App, the Redeemer Website, or wherever you subscribe to the podcasts you listen to.

THIS WEEK AT REDEEMER

SUNDAY

9:00 am Adult Bible Study 9:00 am Young Adult Bible Study 10:30 am Morning Worship 6:00 pm Evening Worship

SATURDAY

9:00 am Men's Bible Study

GLOBAL MISSIONS

Redeemer Church supports these faithful missionaries:

<u>Matthew & Ashley Boyd</u> with Kingdom Home in Uganda. Matt & Ashley operate three homes for children at risk of child slavery.

<u>Rick & Marilyn Perhai</u> with SEND International at Kyiv Theological Seminary and Lighthouse International Fellowship in Kyiv, Ukraine.

<u>Dave & Alex Redford</u> with Pioneers in Chad. Dave and Alex are church planters in an area where they are the only witness for the gospel of lesus Christ.

Undisclosed names of missionaries working in Turkey, Syria, and Iran.

<u>Jeff & Karla Totten</u> with SCORE Ministries in Troy, Michigan. Jeff is the Chaplain for the Detroit Tigers, responsible for the counsel and spiritual leadership of players and their families.

Ligonier Ministries in Orlando, Florida.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Redeemer Ladies Day

On **Saturday, April 13** a special day is being planned for the ladies of Redeemer Church and their friends. <u>Ann Swindell</u>, author of *The Path to Peace*. The theme of the day is **Peace in Every Season**. Ann will encourage us with talks on women from the Bible who learned to walk in God's peace through their own challenging situations.

North Oaks Men's Dinner Monday, March 18 | 7:00 pm

Pastor Steve Brown and North Oaks Community Church are inviting Redeemer's Men to join their men for dinner at North Oaks (located at 9600 Ortonville Rd in Clarkston). Pastor Paul will be speaking. Cost is \$10 (payable at the door). Please RSVP to Pastor Paul before March 15.

PRAY ONE FOR ANOTHER

- Charlie Brodeur will have surgery on March 8 to remove a benign tumor from his pituitary gland.
- Bernice Lotz passed away on January 1.

 Please pray for Marc & Roxane and Bernice's family.
- Susan Dixon's granddaughter, Amy, passed away on December 31. Please pray for Susan and her son, Jimmy (Amy's dad).
- The Schillinger Family welcomed a baby boy on January 1, Harvey Athanasius.
- Linda Bellehumeur broke her arm. She had surgery and is recovering well.
- Judy Tipton will need a full hip replacement. Please continue to pray for her recovery.
- Lucius and Sara Allen's son, Victor, had a pacemaker installed and is doing well.
- Linda Richardson has been diagnosed with Myeloma, a terminal cancer of the blood. Please pray for healing, and for peace for both Linda and her husband Patrick.
- **Cindy Engel** continues to recover from her heart surgery.
- Terry Montgomery has ongoing issues with unresolved pain.
- Rachel Anderson's sister Rhoda is being treated for Stage 3C breast cancer.
- Ed Anderson's 84-year-old mother received treatments for aggressive B-cell lymphoma, including two courses of chemotherapy and radiation, which were successful. She is in remission.
- Dan Schwartz's wife Bernie recently received a good report from her doctors. Please continue to pray for her healing.
- Pray for **Robbie and Tara Fortney** and their foster child Arya.
- Pray for Jordan Schultz.
- Cindy Engel's daughter, Heather Sykes.
- Sandy Tiefenback's mother, **Dorothy Griffith**, has non-Hodgkin's lymphoma.

SERMON NOTES FEBRUARY 25, 2024

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