

Redeemer Church

A Reformed Baptist Congregation

To the Praise of His Glory



Book of Worship | August 9, 2026

Welcome to Redeemer Church

Welcome to our worship service. We are glad you are with us today! 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 white drop box at the entrance to the auditorium.

AS WE BEGIN . . . We use the few minutes at the start of the service to reflect quietly, and to prepare individually to join in worship. Kindly refrain from loud conversations in the sanctuary prior to the start of the service.

This Book of Worship contains words we will say and pray together, and the words to our songs and hymns. The Sing! Hymnal is available on the Hymnal Rack at the rear of the sanctuary if you prefer to use one.

OFFERING

As a part of our worship, we collect an offering. Envelopes are provided in the seat pockets. Your offering may be placed in the white drop box at the entrance to the sanctuary. Online giving is available at our website: redeemerwaterford.com/give, on the Redeemer App, or text **Redeemer22** to 888-364-GIVE(4483).

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

TEA/COFFEE

Prior to and following our worship service, complimentary tea & coffee are available in our Gathering Room.

APP

Download the Redeemer Church app. Search "Redeemer Church Waterford" in your App Store. Please enable push notifications if you would like to stay updated on news & events at Redeemer.

TABLETALK

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 1 John*.

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.

REFLECTION

"Worship cannot be confined to a sanctuary. Worship is how we conduct our business, raise our children, care for our neighbors, create art, pursue justice, engage politics, and steward any part of creation. To exalt Christ is to live under His lordship wherever He has placed us. Faithful Christians will inevitably influence culture. When believers are deeply formed by Scripture, when Christ is exalted in every sphere of life, and when the gospel is proclaimed and embodied, everything—including communities, families, institutions, and cultures—changes."

— John Stonestreet

GATHERING PRAYER

Great are You, O Lord, and greatly to be praised; great is Your power, and of Your wisdom there is no end. And man, being a part of Your creation, desires to praise You — man, who bears about with him his mortality, the witness of his sin, even the witness that You resist the proud, — yet man, this part of Your creation, desires to praise You. You move us to delight in praising You; for You have made us for Yourself, and our hearts are restless until they rest in You. [Augustine]

Worship Service

*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

CALL TO WORSHIP | 1 CHRONICLES 16:23–35

*Sing to the Lord, all the earth!
Tell of his salvation from day to day.
Declare his glory among the nations,
his marvelous works among all the peoples!
For great is the Lord, and greatly to be praised,
and he is to be feared above all gods.*

475 | GOD OF GRACE AND GOD OF GLORY

Words: Harry Emerson Fosdick | Music: John Hughes

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God of grace and God of glory,
On thy people pour thy pow'r;
Crown thine ancient church's story,
Bring her bud to glorious flow'r.
Grant us wisdom, grant us courage
For the facing of this hour,
For the facing of this hour.

Lo! the hosts of evil round us
Scorn thy Christ, assail his ways!
From the fears that long have bound us,
Free our hearts to faith and praise.
Grant us wisdom, grant us courage
For the living of these days,
For the living of these days.

Cure the nations' warring madness,
Bend our pride to thy control;
Shame our wanton, selfish gladness,
Rich in things and poor in soul.
Grant us wisdom, grant us courage,
Lest we miss thy kingdom's goal,
Lest we miss thy kingdom's goal.

Save us from weak resignation
To the evils we deplore;
Let the gift of thy salvation
Be our glory evermore.
Grant us wisdom, grant us courage,
Serving thee whom we adore,
Serving thee whom we adore.

470 | O CHURCH, ARISE

Words & Music: Keith Getty, Stuart Townend

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O Church, arise and put your armor on;
Hear the call of Christ our Captain;
For now the weak can say that they are strong
In the strength that God has given.
With shield of faith and belt of truth
We'll stand against the devil's lies,
An army bold whose battle cry is "Love!"
Reaching out to those in darkness.

Our call to war, to love the captive soul,
But to rage against the captor;
And with the sword that makes the wounded whole,
We will fight with faith and valor.
When faced with trials on ev'ry side,
We know the outcome is secure,
And Christ will have the prize for which he died:
An inheritance of nations.

Come, see the cross where love and mercy meet,
As the Son of God is stricken;
Then see his foes lie crushed beneath his feet,
For the Conqueror has risen!
And as the stone is rolled away,
And Christ emerges from the grave,
This vict'ry march continues till the day
Ev'ry eye and heart shall see him.

So Spirit, come! Put strength in ev'ry stride,
Give grace for ev'ry hurdle,
That we may run with faith to win the prize
Of a servant good and faithful.
As saints of old still line the way,
Retelling triumphs of his grace,
We hear their calls, and hunger for the day
When with Christ we stand in glory!

A READING FROM THE EPISTLES | EPHESIANS 1:15 – 23

PASTORAL PRAYER

A PRAYER BEFORE GIVING

Heavenly Father, you are my generous master. Make me your faithful trustee, teaching me to live as a wiser conduit of this liberal grace, learning to hold loosely the things of this world, never hoarding that which is yours, never seeking the mean preservation of my own comforts. Rather, let me love well in my giving, even as you, O Father, have loved me so well by giving me all things in Christ. Amen.

OFFERTORY [Children are dismissed for RedeemerKids in the Fellowship Hall]

- Place your offering in the box at the entrance to the auditorium
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THE WORD OF GOD

PREPARATION

TO THE LAMB

Words & Music: Shannon Adducci
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To the Lamb upon the throne
Be the praise forevermore,
Be the power and the glory,
Be the strength and majesty.

*We worship You, O Lamb of God
The Living Word
We lift up Your name and worship You
Ancient of Days, we give You praise
O Lamb upon the throne*

Son of God, Son of Man
You became the spotless Lamb.
Suff'ring for me, You showed me mercy
Now You reign in majesty.

THE SERMON

Speak, O Church
Psalm 145:4 – 7

BENEDICTION

GRACE ALONE

Words & Music: Jeff Nelson, Scott Wesley Brown
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Every promise we can make
Every prayer and step of faith
Every difference we will make
Is only by His grace
Every mountain we will climb
Every ray of hope we shine
Every blessing left behind
Is only by His grace

*Grace alone which God supplies
Strength unknown He will provide
Christ in us our Cornerstone
We will go forth in grace alone*

Every soul we long to reach
Every heart we hope to teach
Everywhere we share His peace
Is only by His grace
Every loving word we say
Every tear we wipe away
Every sorrow turned to praise
Is only by His grace

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

MY DAILY TIME WITH GOD

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**AUGUST
MON**

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Every Type of Psalm Belongs to Jesus

When we see how the psalms are used in the New Testament, we gain confidence that every type of psalm belongs to Jesus.

Ruth 3,4; Acts 28
Jeremiah 38; Psalms 11,12

**AUGUST
TUE**

11

Spurgeon on Christian Conversation

"I consider that one of the great lacks of the Church, nowadays, is not so much Christian preaching as Christian talking, — not so much Christian prayer in the prayer-meeting, as Christian conversation in the parlour. How little do we hear concerning Christ!"

1 Samuel 1; Romans 1
Jeremiah 39; Psalms 13,14

**AUGUST
WED**

12

Learning to Love the Psalms

Throughout history, Christians have turned to the book of Psalms to inform their worship, prayers, and understanding of Christ. Dr. Robert Godfrey looks at the significance of the biblical psalms and why we should turn to them in worship and in private study.

1 Samuel 2; Romans 2
Jeremiah 40; Psalms 15,16

**AUGUST
THU**

13

Sinclair Ferguson: Developing Holy Affections

It is possible for people to be correctly instructed without being well-nourished and that holy affection is a key to effective pastoral ministry. As Jesus loves and yearns for us, so a pastor ought to live as an example and expresser of Christ's love.

1 Samuel 3; Romans 3
Jeremiah 41; Psalm 17

**AUGUST
FRI**

14

Infographic: A Prayer Life Worthy of the Lord

The flow of Paul's prayer in Colossians 1:9-14 presents us with what we should truly pray for and how the answers to our prayers are provided by God's grace in His Son and all that He has done for us in Christ.

1 Samuel 4; Romans 4
Jeremiah 42; Psalm 18

**AUGUST
SAT**

15

The Gospel We Forgot

In many churches, Christianity has been reduced, not necessarily to something false or heretical, but to something much smaller than it is.

1 Samuel 5,6; Romans 5
Jeremiah 43; Psalm 19

**AUGUST
SUN**

16

Nehemiah Knew When to Rest

Many Christians are overtired, and they don't realize it. They're too busy to observe their own exhaustion. Their judgment is impaired, their efficiency is diminished, and they've bought into a way of thinking that says we're only effective when we're running around from one task to another. They haven't found their security in God alone.

1 Samuel 7,8; Romans 6
Jeremiah 44; Psalms 20,21

FELLOWSHIP GATHERINGS

Adult Bible Fellowship

Each **Sunday morning at 9:00 am** led by Duwane Rose We are currently studying *The Book of 1 John*. We meet in the auditorium.

Ladies Fellowship Lunch

Our ladies meet on **the second Friday of every month** at Noon at Fino's Restaurant located at 5115 Dixie Hwy in Waterford. No need to RSVP! Just come!

MISSIONARIES & OUTREACH

Redeemer Church requires \$277.00 per week to maintain our support of our missionary families. Designate your weekly gift to "Missions" using an Offering envelope in the seat pocket or online. Support for each family/organization is \$2,400.00 annually or \$46.00/week.

Kingdom Home | Uganda

Kingdom Home's mission is to end child exploitation through prevention. We do this by identifying and caring for children in Uganda who are currently living in or are at risk of being exploited. Kingdom Home is a place of hope, where all the children's needs are met. Learn more at kingdomhome.org.

Glenn & Alexandra Harris | Life in Messiah

We are believers in Jesus, both Jewish and Gentile, who desire to share the gospel with Jewish people and educate the church about the importance of God's heart for the Jewish people. Learn more at lifeinmessiah.org.

Ligonier Ministries | Orlando, FL

Proclaiming, teaching, and defending the holiness of God in all its fullness to as many people as possible. Learn more at ligonier.org.

Rick & Marilyn Perhai | Kiev, Ukraine

Rick is Professor of Bible and Theology and Academic Dean at Kyiv Theological Seminary. Marilyn's ministry has touched the educational lives of hundreds of children. She started a Russian-language preschool and serves in various roles at Kyiv Christian Academy, an international school. Learn more at send.org.

Jeff & Karla Totten | SCORE Ministries

Jeff serves as Chapel Leader for the Detroit Tigers, leading chapels and Bible studies for players and ministering to players and their families. Learn more at homeplatedetroit.org.

Church Planting/Ministry Training in Syria, Iraq, & Iran

Due to security concerns, the names of our supported missionaries in highly sensitive areas are withheld. Learn more at cicmission.org.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Ladies Fellowship Lunch

Our ladies meet **this coming Friday, August 14th** at Noon at Fino's Restaurant located at 5115 Dixie Hwy in Waterford. No need to RSVP! Just come!

Fifth Sunday Fellowship

Please plan to join us for lunch following the morning worship service on Sunday, August 30th. There is a signup sheet on the table in the back of the auditorium. Please indicate the dish you plan to bring to share.

Men's Bible Study

The Men's Bible Study will resume on **Saturday, September 19th at 9:00 am** in the Fellowship Hall. We will be working through Joel Beeke's new book *The Redeemed Man*. You will receive a copy of the book at our first study.

Nursery Workers Needed

We are in need of at least three volunteers to serve on Sunday mornings in the nursery on a rotating basis. If you can serve, **please call or text Mary Bellehumeur: 248-701-9003**. THANK YOU!

Save the Date: October 24 & 25

Pastor Paul & Terri will mark 25 years of pastoring in Waterford this coming October. We plan to celebrate as a church family on **Saturday, October 24th with a dinner at Fountains Banquet Center** in Clarkston. On **Sunday, October 25th Alistair Begg will be our guest preacher** in the morning worship service.

PRAY ONE FOR ANOTHER

- We congratulate **Kate & Ross Lipari** on the birth of their son, Hudson, on July 9th. Proud Grandparents are Dan & Debbie Willson and Sam Lipari.
- **Arnie Luallen's** latest cancer screening shows no cancer. He will have another screen in November.
- Sandy Tiefenback's mother, **Dorothy Griffith**, is recovering from aortic valve replacement and has had some issues. Please continue to pray for her.
- Terri Edwards' sister, **Kim Jordan**, has been diagnosed with breast cancer. Her radiation treatments have begun. Terri's mother, **Mary Ball**, was hospitalized with heart issues. Terri's aunt, **Kathy Watson**, broke her femur and had surgery on April 5th and is now in rehab.
- **Charlie Brodeur** will have back surgery on August 12th.
- Cindy Engel's sister, **Sarah**, has had a recurrence of cancer.
- **Erik Kusk** had throat surgery which has affected his vocal cords and speech. Pray that his vocal cords heal and his voice returns.
- Tara Fortney's father, **Robert Fischer**, has been diagnosed with Stage 4 Metastatic renal cell carcinoma.
- **Earl Miller's** mother is undergoing chemotherapy.
- **Rachel Anderson's** sister **Rhoda** is being treated for Stage 3C breast cancer. Pray for ongoing surgeries related to her treatment.
- Cindy Engel's daughter, **Heather Sykes**.

Homebound:

- **Linda Bellehumeur**
- **Judy Tipton**
- **Linda Richardson**

Summer Psalms

Speak, O Church | Psalm 145:4 – 7

Budget Update
Giving through August 2, 2026

Budget: \$ 224,488.00

Actual: \$ 223,804.00

Deficit: \$ 684.00



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