



Redeemer Church

To the Praise of His Glory

Book of Worship | September 18, 2022

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. 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 5th Grade) is during the 11:00 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/connect/membership>. For specific questions, please email Pastor Paul at paul@redeemerwaterford.com.

REFLECTION

The LORD upholds all who are falling and raises up all who are bowed down. The eyes of all look to you, and you give them their food in due season. You open your hand; you satisfy the desire of every living thing. The LORD is righteous in all his ways and kind in all his works. [Psalm 145:14–17]

GATHERING PRAYER

Grant us, Lord, not to be anxious about earthly things, but to love things heavenly; and even now, while we are placed among things that are passing away, to hold fast to those that shall endure; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

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

PSALTER DECLARATION | PSALM 89:1 – 7

LET US LOVE AND SING AND WONDER

Words: John Newton

Music: *Darmstadt Gesangbuch*, 1698

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Let us *love* and *sing* and *wonder*,
Let us praise the Savior's name!
He has hushed the law's loud thunder,
He has quenched Mount Sinai's flame:
He has washed us with his blood,
He has brought us nigh to God.

Let us *love* the Lord who bought us,
Pitied us when enemies,
Called us by his grace and taught us,
Gave us ears and gave us eyes:
He has washed us with his blood,
He presents our souls to God.

Let us *sing*, though fierce temptation
Threaten hard to bear us down!
For the Lord, our strong salvation,
Holds in view the conqu'ror's crown:
He who washed us with his blood
Soon will bring us home to God.

Let us *wonder*; grace and justice
Join and point to mercy's store;
When thro' grace in Christ our trust is,
Justice smiles and asks no more:
He who washed us with his blood
Has secured our way to God.

Let us *praise*, and join the chorus
Of the saints enthroned on high;
Here they trusted him before us,
Now their praises fill the sky:
"You have washed us with your blood;
You are worthy, Lamb of God!"

AFFIRMATION

The LORD upholds all who are falling and raises up all who are bowed down.

The eyes of all look to you, and you give them their food in due season.

You open your hand; you satisfy the desire of every living thing.

The LORD is righteous in all his ways and kind in all his works.

[Psalm 145:14–17]

HIS MERCY IS MORE

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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.

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

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.

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.

SCRIPTURE READING | 1 SAMUEL 1:1 – 18

PASTORAL PRAYER

THE WORD OF GOD

PREPARATION FOR THE WORD

FOREVER JESUS

Words & Music: Matt Papa and Stuart Townend

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My hymn of praise shall be “forever Jesus”
My firm foundation in shifting sands
My strength and hope through many fears and failures
The disappointments of the past
His constant love has held me fast

*So for all my days I will sing my praise
To the King, “forever Jesus”
Though the storms may rage He is strong to save
He’s the King forever Jesus*

My song of joy shall be “forever Jesus”
Who bore the suffering, who made a way
His life a gift, His death a precious ransom
That wipes the sinner’s guilt away
And turns our night to glorious day

My final breath shall be “forever Jesus”
When shadows lengthen before my eyes
My Lord and Friend, Companion through the valley
When dearest ones are left behind,
His hand will lead me to the light

*So for all my days I will sing my praise
To the King, “forever Jesus”
Though the storms may rage He is strong to save
He’s the King forever Jesus*

*When I meet His gaze I will sing my praise
To the King, “forever Jesus”
All my sorrows past, I am home at last
With my King, “forever Jesus!”*

THE SERMON

Studies in 1 Samuel: Behold, the King!

Hannah Had No Children

1 Samuel 1:1 – 18

BENEDICTION

DOXOLOGY (ROMANS 11)

Words & Music: Andrew Peterson

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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

Our Annual Congregational Meeting is this evening at 6:00 pm.

SEPTEMBER MON	19	<u>Awake, and Sing the Song</u> Learn an old hymn from Westminster Chapel, London 2 Samuel 15; 2 Cor 8 Ezekiel 22; Psalm 69
SEPTEMBER TUE	20	<u>In the Valley (Bless the Lord)</u> A new song from City Alight written to accompany the release of the book <i>Seasons of Sorrow</i> by Tim Challies which tells his story of grief in the year following the sudden death of his son. 2 Samuel 16; 2 Cor 9 Ezekiel 23; Psalms 70,71
SEPTEMBER WED	21	<u>Seasons of Sorrow: A Conversation with Tim Challies, Alistair Begg, and Bob Lepine</u> Recorded at <i>Sing!22</i> , Alistair Begg and Tim Challies have a candid conversation about dealing with grief. 2 Samuel 17; 2 Cor 10 Ezekiel 24; Psalm 72
SEPTEMBER THU	22	History of Hymns: <u>Come Behold the Wondrous Mystery</u> A modern hymn written in a popular/contemporary worship style, was a collaborative effort between Matt Boswell, Michael Bleecker, and Matt Papa. 2 Samuel 18; 2 Cor 11 Ezekiel 25; Psalm 73
SEPTEMBER FRI	23	Burk Parsons: <u>All My Fears Relieved</u> It's only when we trust God and daily recognize and surrender to His sovereign control that we know we are rightly fearing God as the sovereign God He is. 2 Samuel 19; 2 Cor 12 Ezekiel 26; Psalm 74
SEPTEMBER SAT	24	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. 2 Samuel 20; 2 Cor 13 Ezekiel 27; Psalms 75,76
SEPTEMBER SUN	25	<u>The Blessing of Evening Worship</u> "Our current cultural idols of convenience, low commitment, and busyness have helped to push worship from the center of life to its margins." 2 Samuel 21; Galatians 1 Ezekiel 28; Psalm 77

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**. 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.

THIS WEEK AT REDEEMER

SUNDAY

- 9:30 am Adult Bible Study
- 11:00 am Morning Worship
- 6:00 pm Annual Congregational Meeting

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

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.

Midweek Prayer & Devotion

Wednesdays | 7:00 pm

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

The Annual Congregational Meeting will be held TONIGHT at 6:00 pm. This is a members-only meeting.

Romans Bible Study

Saturday, September 24 | 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.

PRAY ONE FOR ANOTHER

- **Judy Tipton** is at home recovering from a recent hospital stay.
- **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.
- **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**.
- **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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