



REDEEMER REDMOND

November 7, 2021

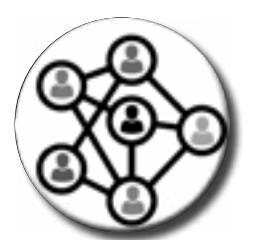
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Welcome

To all who are spiritually weary and seek rest;
to all who mourn and long for comfort;
to all who struggle and desire victory;
to all who sin and need a Savior;
to all who are strangers and want fellowship;
to all who hunger and thirst after righteousness;
and to whoever will come,
this church opens wide her doors
and offers her welcome in the name
of the Lord Jesus.

Call to Worship

From Malachi 1:11

For from the rising of the sun to its setting,
my name will be great among the nations, and
in every place incense will be offered to my name
and a pure offering. For my name will be great
among the nations, says the LORD of hosts.

Hymn: O Worship the King

words Robert Grant, 1833; from William Kethe in Genevan Psalter, 1561, Public Domain; music Nathan Partain, 2002; UBP

O worship the King, all glorious above,
O gratefully sing his wonderful love;
Our Shield and Defender, the Ancient of Days,
Pavilioned in splendor, and girded with praise.

O tell of his might, O sing of his grace,
Whose robe is the light, whose canopy space,
His chariots of wrath the deep thunderclouds form,
Dark is his path on the wings of the storm.

Thy Bountiful care, what tongue can recite,
It breathes in the air, it shines in the light,
It streams from the hills it descends to the plain,
And sweetly distills in the dew and the rain.

Frail children of dust, and feeble as frail,
In thee do we trust, nor find thee to fail;
Thy mercies how tender, how firm to the end,
Our Maker, Defender, Redeemer, and Friend.

Prayer of Adoration

Confession of Sin

From Isaiah 1

Lord God, you gave us great promises of how your gospel would reach the nations and how praise would be offered to your name.

You call us to spread the good news of King Jesus for the glory of your name and the salvation of the lost.

And we have witnessed your promises of the advance of Jesus' reign and the joy of salvation coming true before our eyes.

**Still we are discouraged in our missionary calling.
We are not zealous for the glory of your name.
We are fearful to share the good news of Jesus.
We are lazy and apathetic in bearing witness.
We do not resemble the bold witness
of the first Christians.**

Forgive us.

Revive us in your mission.

Encourage us by your grace.

Silent prayer

Receiving of Grace

Habakkuk 3:17-19

Though the fig tree should not blossom,
nor fruit be on the vines,
the produce of the olive fail
and the fields yield no food,

the flock be cut off from the fold
and there be no herd in the stalls,
yet I will rejoice in the Lord;
I will take joy in the God of my salvation.

God, the Lord, is my strength;
he makes my feet like the deer's;
he makes me tread on my high places.

Children's Sunday School

Jesus welcomes children into his church with open arms. Parents, your children are welcome to stay with you during the entire service. We also provide a Sunday School for kids (ages 1st-5th grade) and preschool (3 years to kindergarten). Children will return to their families before our last hymn to Christ (approximately 11:40am)

Hymn: 10,000 Reasons

By Jonas Myrin and Matt Redman, 2011

Chorus

Bless the Lord O my soul
O my soul worship his holy name
Sing like never before O my soul
I'll worship your holy name

The sun comes up it's a new day dawning
It's time to sing your song again
Whatever may pass and whatever lies before me
Let me be singing when the evening comes
(chorus)

You're rich in love and you're slow to anger
Your name is great and your heart is kind
For all your goodness I will keep on singing
Ten thousand reasons for my heart to find
(chorus)

And on that day when my strength is failing
The end draws near and my time has come
Still my soul will sing your praise unending
Ten thousand years and then forevermore
(chorus)

Hymn: Be Thou My Vision

Lyrics by Mary E Byrne, Modern English translation by Eleanor Hull, 1912; traditional Irish folk tune, 1919; CCLI #30639

Be thou my vision, oh Lord of my heart
Nought be all else to me, save that thou art
Thou my best thought, by day or by night
Waking or sleeping, thy presence my light

Be thou my wisdom, and thou my true Word
I ever with thee and thou with me, Lord
Thou my great Father, and I thy true son
Thou in me dwelling and I with thee one

Riches I heed not, nor man's empty praise
Thou mine inheritance, now and always
Thou and thou only first in my heart
High King of heaven, my treasure thou art

High King of heaven, my victory won
May I reach heaven's joys, O bright heaven's sun
Heart of my own heart, whatever befall
Still be my vision, O ruler of all

My comfort, my counselor
My shelter, my Savior

Doxology

Praise God from whom all blessings flow
Praise Him, all creatures here below
Praise Him above the Heavenly host
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost
Amen

Scripture Reading

Habakkuk 2

2 I will take my stand at my watchpost
and station myself on the tower,
and look out to see what he will say to me,
and what I will answer concerning my complaint.

² And the Lord answered me:

“Write the vision;
make it plain on tablets,
so he may run who reads it.

³ For still the vision awaits its appointed time;
it hastens to the end—it will not lie.

If it seems slow, wait for it;
it will surely come; it will not delay.

⁴ “Behold, his soul is puffed up; it is not upright within him,
but the righteous shall live by his faith.

⁵ “Moreover, wine is a traitor,
an arrogant man who is never at rest.
His greed is as wide as Sheol;
like death he has never enough.
He gathers for himself all nations
and collects as his own all peoples.”

⁶ Shall not all these take up their taunt against him,
with scoffing and riddles for him, and say,

“Woe to him who heaps up what is not his own—
for how long?—
and loads himself with pledges!”

⁷ Will not your debtors suddenly arise,
and those awake who will make you tremble?
Then you will be spoil for them.

⁸ Because you have plundered many nations,
all the remnant of the peoples shall plunder you,
for the blood of man and violence to the earth,
to cities and all who dwell in them.

⁹ “Woe to him who gets evil gain for his house,
to set his nest on high,
to be safe from the reach of harm!

¹⁰ You have devised shame for your house
by cutting off many peoples;
you have forfeited your life.

¹¹ For the stone will cry out from the wall,
and the beam from the woodwork respond.

¹² “Woe to him who builds a town with blood
and founds a city on iniquity!

¹³ Behold, is it not from the Lord of hosts
that peoples labor merely for fire,
and nations weary themselves for nothing?

¹⁴ For the earth will be filled
with the knowledge of the glory of the Lord
as the waters cover the sea.

¹⁵ “Woe to him who makes his neighbors drink—
you pour out your wrath and make them drunk,
in order to gaze at their nakedness!

¹⁶ You will have your fill of shame instead of glory.
Drink, yourself, and show your uncircumcision!

The cup in the Lord’s right hand
will come around to you,
and utter shame will come upon your glory!

¹⁷ The violence done to Lebanon will overwhelm you,
as will the destruction of the beasts that terrified
them,

for the blood of man and violence to the earth,
to cities and all who dwell in them.

¹⁸ “What profit is an idol
when its maker has shaped it,
a metal image, a teacher of lies?

For its maker trusts in his own creation
when he makes speechless idols!

¹⁹ Woe to him who says to a wooden thing, Awake;
to a silent stone, Arise!

Can this teach?

Behold, it is overlaid with gold and silver,
and there is no breath at all in it.

²⁰ But the Lord is in his holy temple;
let all the earth keep silence before him.”

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God!

Sermon

The Second Helvetic Confession states: "preaching of the Word of God is the Word of God." Through God's Word preached, God your Father speaks by his Spirit to his sons and daughters.

Encouragement for God's Mission

Rev. Jason Dorsey

3 Discouragement in the Mission of Θ
is pervasive Talking w. Pastors

You?

☞ You + I need the prophet Habakkuk
Through Discouragement \rightarrow Rejoicing in Θ

① Reasons for Discouragement

☞ Habakkuk's Complaint #1 = Where are you Θ ? Your people are a disaster 1:2-4

☞ Θ 's Answer = I am sending Chaldeans 1:5-11

Habakkuk's Complaint #2 = How can you let the unrighteous swallow up the righteous? 1:2-17

☞ Habakkuk waiting for Θ 's Answer 2:1

Reasons?

1. Spiritual Declension / Fruitless
2. National Calamity
3. Waiting for Θ 's Purposes

Rev. Jack Miller

There are reasons for discouragement!

Prophets and Pastors struggle w. it

But you must not stay there!

On What Basis? Rev. Jack Miller

② Basis for Encouragement

 Woes + Promises Habakkuk 2

Woes = Unwavering Judgment of Θ 5x
vs. 6, 9, 12, 15, 19 pronounces
doom to those who rise up vs. Θ .
Spiritual Law = You reap what you sow

➡ See accurately the doom of ungodly

Promises = Amazing Promise(s) of Θ 2:14

1. World-Embracing Promises

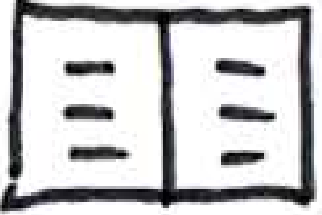
2. Now-Character of Promises

➡ For you now to live by

Rev. Jack Miller



How? God's Answer ▶ 2:2 "Faith"

③ Discouragement ► Encouragement by faith

 Habakkuk 2:2-4 "The righteous shall live by his faith."

Faith sees ... "vision" ↘

1. God in Judgment + Salvation Chp. 3


Christian sees Jesus Christ   

2. God's Missionary Character + Promises

"For the earth will be filled with the knowledge of the glory of the LORD as the waters cover the sea."

Jack Miller

Questions

1. Are you taking responsibility for your discouragement in His Mission and applying His promises to your  by faith?
2. Are you boldly praying for your web of relationships + working your disciple making plan?

Ministry Spotlight



Deacon's Offering

Deacon Christopher Maffucci

Offering

From Isaiah 52

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- Write a check and mail it to PO Box 1482, Woodinville, WA 98072
- Go to redeemerredmond.org and click [Online Giving](#)
- Install our mobile app:  

How beautiful are the feet of those who bring good news.

Lord God, may these gifts be used to proclaim the good news of Jesus in word and deed. May many in Redmond and the east side hear of your salvation and be touched by the love and care of your people.

The LORD has bared his holy arm before the eyes of all the nations, and all the ends of the earth shall see the salvation of our God.

Lord God, use these gifts to build bridges, friendship and community with our neighbors and colleagues who have come from around the world to this place. May we share Christ our Savior boldly and graciously as we should.

Communion

Prayer of Belief

Lord Jesus Christ,
I have been discouraged by my situation.
I have let my circumstances be what plays
on the big screen of my mind.
I have not seen you in your glory and salvation
on the big screen of my life.
So I have been in despair.
Forgive me of my lack of faith.
Open my eyes so that I can see your salvation.
I pray this for the glory of your name.
Amen.

Hymn: The Lord Is My Joy

Nathan Partain, 2008

The Lord is my Joy, the Lord is my Joy
When all that I have is lost, I find
The Lord is my Joy

The Lord is my strength, the Lord is my strength
When I am too weak to go on I find
The Lord is my strength

My all in all is he, My healing King
My Master tends to me
For him my soul shall sing

The Lord is my rock, the Lord is my rock
When all I have faith in fails
The Lord is my rock

The Lord is my delight, the Lord is my delight
Above all the joys of life, I find
The Lord is my delight

My all in all is he, my breath, my song
In him I have everything
To him my soul belongs

My all in all is he, my dearest Friend
I put my trust in him
On him my soul depends

Hymn: Look There! The Christ!

words: John Bennett, 1920; music, Nathan Partain, 2003

Look there! The Christ, our brother comes
Resplendent from the cursed tree
And what he brings in his hurt hands
Is life on life for you and me.

refrain

Joy! Joy! Joy to the world and all therein
Joy! Joy! Joy to the world and all in
this good day's dawning

Good Jesus Christ, inside his pain
Looked down Golgatha's stony slope

And let the blood flow from his flesh
To fill the springs of living hope.

Good Jesus Christ, our brother died
In darkest hurt upon the tree
To offer us the worlds of light
That live inside the Trinity

Benediction



Announcements

Gather for Worship

Sunday Worship Services

Worship Service and Live Broadcast at 10:30
Chat and fellowship begins at 10:20

Children's Sunday School, age 3 to 5th grade

In the fireplace room during the sermon

Connect

Get on our [mailing list](#) for latest news in your inbox.
Install our [mobile app](#) for easy access to resources
(search your app store for "Redeemer Redmond")

Grow in Community

Discover Redeemer Seminar, Nov 19-20th

Loneliness is prevalent on the east side. But through Jesus we enter into communion with God and each other. As Dietrich Bonhoeffer famously said, "Christianity is community in Jesus Christ and through Jesus Christ." In the Discover Redeemer seminar you will learn about Redeemer's mission, vision and strategy, our theological beliefs and ministry model. You will get to know other newcomers and how you can be woven into Christ's community at Redeemer. This seminar is a hybrid: you can join us in person at Pastor and Jenny Dorsey's home or via Zoom:
Fri, Nov 19th, dinner @ 6 PM, Zoom 7:00-8:30 PM
Sat, Nov 20th, breakfast @ 8:30 AM, Zoom 9-10:30AM
RSVP with [Pastor Jason](#)

Pie Social, Nov 21st

This year's pie social will begin right after the church service on November 21st! This is a chance for the amazing bakers at Redeemer to showcase their delicacies. Bring a pie to share (and serving utensil). Contact [Andrew Wilder](#) for more details.

[Sign up to bring a pie here](#)

Identity Mapping Discipleship Course, Jan - Apr '22

Want to know who God crafted you to be? Desire to step into your calling with more joy and boldness? Do you need to work through wounds in your past? Do you want clarity on your focus, priorities and goals in your future? Pastor Dorsey is leading two virtual cohorts through his Identity Mapping discipleship curriculum. The cohorts will meet via Zoom on Tuesday evenings, beginning Jan 4th, 2022 through end of April. Each cohort will meet 16 times, 1.5 hrs per session. Curriculum cost: \$125. Scholarships available for Redeemerites. Learn more [HERE](#). Reserve a spot on the cohort [HERE](#).

Children's Sunday School, Fall 2021

The curriculum for Sunday School is following the new cycle of The Gospel Project, a 3 year curriculum covering the entire Bible, which helps kids dive deep into the big story of the Bible—God's plan to rescue his people through his Son, Jesus Christ. Register below.

Upcoming schedule:

Nov 7 – God Spared Noah (Gen 6-10)

Nov 14 – People Rebel Against God (Gen 10:32-11:9)

Nov 21 – God Made a Covenant with Abraham (Gen 12-20)

Volunteers:

We need a kids (1st-5th grade) teacher once a month! You would be working with the kids for about 20 minutes. Training and curriculum provided. Please pray if God wants you to fill this last position! Please register as a volunteer at the same link below.

[Registration Link](#)

Men's Prayer

Men's prayer is gathering virtually on Wednesday morning at 6:30 using Zoom. All Redeemer men welcome. Contact: [John Sanford](#)

Community Groups

Our Community Groups have begun meeting this fall. See our [information sheet](#) or contact [John Sanford](#) to find out how you can get involved .

Go in Mission

Northlake Young Life Fall Fundraise, Nov 7th

Young Life has looked different, but it has not stopped over the last two years! You are invited to attend a banquet to honor this ministry for young people in our area. The banquet date is November 7th at either 2-4 PM or 6-8 PM at the historic McMenamin's Anderson School in Bothell. You can register directly at: [Young Life Banquet](#). Contact [Gerald Sakuda](#) or one of the other Deacons for more information.

Deacon Offering, Nov 28th

We will have an opportunity to share our blessings with others in need through a special Deacon Fund offering. The Deacon Fund is used for helping our Church body and neighbors both near and far for a variety of human needs: food, furnishings, housing, counseling, campus ministries, and missions. Please use the Church Subsplash account where “Deacon’s Fund” is designated to make your donation, or mark cash or check donations with “Deacon Fund”.

Angel Tree Ministry

We are participating in this ministry as a church body to support children of parents who are incarcerated by providing their children with gifts for the holiday season. Stay tuned for more details next Sunday on how you can help with this ministry.

Counseling and Deaconal Support

If you have a need for counseling or other support, please contact [Frank Huston](#) or one of the deacons.

Remember to pray for those we support:

- Jay Stoms’ Family mission in South Africa
- RUF Western Washington and UW
- Northlake Young Life
- Youth for Christ
- Redmond Food Box Program
- Congregant ministries and outreach efforts

