



Philippians

REDEEMER REDMOND

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Welcome

We are a community of Jesus Christ our King.
Our unity does not come from race, politics,
financial or social status, or any other identity.
We are glued together by the grace of Jesus,
bound by our love for Jesus,
and work for the cause of Jesus.

We are so thankful that you are with us.

We want you to feel the love of Jesus through us
and share in the good news of Jesus with us.

Call to Worship

Sursum Corda

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts

We lift them to the Lord

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

Hymn: Way Maker

*Arr. by Leeland; Osinachi Kalu, Okoro Egbu, 2016 Integrity Music
Europe; CCLI #7115744*

You are here, moving in our midst

I worship you, I worship you

You are here, working in this place

I worship you, I worship you

chorus

Waymaker, Miracle Worker, Promise Keeper

Light in the darkness, My God

That is who you are

Waymaker, Miracle Worker, Promise Keeper

Light in the darkness, My God

That is who you are

You are here, touching every heart

I worship you, I worship You

You are here turning lives around

I worship you, I worship You

Chorus

That is who you are
That is who you are
That is who you are
That is who you are

Even when I can't see it, you're working
Even when I don't feel it, you're working
You never stop, you never stop working
You never stop, you never stop working
Chorus

Prayer of Adoration

Confession of Sin

from Philippians

Our Lord Jesus Christ, you are the risen King
and we are your saints, set apart for your glory
and called to share your gospel.

Our King, forgive us:

**For our lackluster commitment to your community.
For the scarcity of joy in and witness to your grace.
For not walking worthy of your gospel.
For our selfish ambition and conceit.
For not shining as the light of the world we are.
For not rejoicing in the righteousness of Jesus.
For not straining to finish the race you set for us.
For not giving to the work of Jesus as we should.
For these and other sins, forgive us.**

Renew our joy in you.

Revive our commitment to you and your church.

Re-energize our work for your kingdom.

**All this we pray for the glory of your great name,
Jesus, the name that is above every name. Amen.**

Silent prayer

Receiving of Grace

Philippians 3:7-9

But whatever gain I had, I counted as loss for the sake of Christ. Indeed, I count everything as loss because of the surpassing worth of knowing Christ Jesus my Lord. For his sake I have suffered the loss of all things and count them as rubbish, in order that I may gain Christ and be found in him, not having a righteousness of my own that comes from the law, but that which comes through faith in Christ, the righteousness from God that depends on faith.

Prayer & Sending of the Children

Jesus welcomes children into his church with open arms. Parents, your children are welcome to stay with you during the entire service, but kids age 3 through 5th grade are also invited to attend Sunday School during the sermon and they will return for the final hymn.

10,000 Reasons

By Jonas Myrin and Matt Redman, 2011; CCLI# 6016351

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

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

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

My Jesus I Love Thee

Adoniram Judson Gordon, William R. Featherston; CCLI # 27817

My Jesus I love thee I know thou art mine
For thee all the follies of sin I resign
My gracious Redeemer my Savior art thou
If ever I loved thee my Jesus 'tis now

I love thee because thou hast first loved me
And purchased my pardon on Calvary's tree
I love thee for wearing the thorns on thy brow
If ever I loved thee my Jesus 'tis now

I'll love thee in life I will love thee in death
And praise thee as long as thou lendest me breath
And say when the death dew lies cold on my brow
If ever I loved thee my Jesus 'tis now

In mansions of glory and endless delight
I'll ever adore thee in heaven so bright
I'll sing with the glittering crown on my brow
If ever I loved thee my Jesus 'tis now

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

Passing of the Peace

Greet one another

Scripture Reading

Philippians 2:1-11

²⁷ Only let your manner of life be worthy of the gospel of Christ, so that whether I come and see you or am absent, I may hear of you that you are standing firm in one spirit, with one mind striving side by side for the faith of the gospel, ²⁸ and not frightened in anything by your opponents. This is a clear sign to them of their destruction, but of your salvation, and that from God. ²⁹ For it has been granted to you that for the sake of Christ you should not only believe in him but also suffer for his sake, ³⁰ engaged in the same conflict that you saw I had and now hear that I still have.

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.

Humility by Awe

Rev. Jason Dorsey

↳ One thing = As citizens of heaven live worthy of the Gospel of Jesus ► has comprehensive implications! ↴

☑ Last week = stand firm in one spirit, contending for the faith of the gospel **War**

☑ Today = walk in humility, in awe of Jesus' humility + for the Praise of Jesus' Name

Augustine, "humility, humility, humility"

① THE TEXTURE OF HUMILITY

What humility is... By what it is NOT

1. Not merely an individual characteristic
But a communal virtue, trait

☰☰ So if there is any encouragement in Christ, any comfort from love, any participation in the Spirit, any affection and sympathy, complete my joy by being of the same mind, having the same love, being in full accord and of one mind

Saying? = The Gospel's impact should move u to one response, one attitude or "mind"

➡➡➡ No Christian is exempt from humility!

2. Not a self-focused view of oneself as "lowly" or as a "miserable sinner" But rather a counting of others more significant than yourselves... Other focused

C.S. Lewis

Does that mean that I don't care about my own interests? A form of communism?

No! "Let each of you look not only to his own interests [that's assumed] but also to the interests of others"

Do others feel significant, seen, weighty around you? Do you feel any weight of their interests?

3. Not in awe of self Do nothing from selfish ambition or vain conceit (vs 3) but in awe of Jesus

Erik's comment

Doesn't this make sense? Universe... Mountain makes small

② THE PATH TO HUMILITY



Hike to Mount Ranier
Viewpoint

☐☐ Gaze in wonder + awe at JESUS kenosis
"Have this mind in you which is yours in Christ Jesus"

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- who was in the form of Θ
 - did not count equality w. Θ a thing to grasp
 - but emptied himself, by taking the form of a servant
 - being born in the likeness of men Bethlehem
... human form incarnation
 - he humbled himself by becoming obedient to the point of death, even death on a cross ▶ depth of humility giving up "rightness," falsely accused, spit on, shame of nakedness, seen as cursed by Θ ...
 - Therefore Θ exalted Him + bestowed on Him THE NAME above all names!
The greatest of Men/Women live for JESUS Name

Path?

To be regularly + deeply moved by Jesus' humility AWE
To regularly + purposely live for Jesus' Name!

Responding to God's Word

I Will Glory In My Redeemer

Steve Cook, Vikki Cook CCLI Song # 3337435



I will glory in my Redeemer
Whose priceless blood has ransomed me
Mine was the sin that drove the bitter nails
And hung Him on that judgment tree
I will glory in my Redeemer
Who crushed the power of sin and death
My only Savior before the holy Judge
The Lamb Who is my righteousness
The Lamb Who is my righteousness

I will glory in my Redeemer
My life He bought my love He owns
I have no longings for another
I'm satisfied in Him alone
I will glory in my Redeemer
His faithfulness my standing place
Though foes are mighty and rush up on me
My feet are firm held by His grace
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I will glory in my Redeemer
Who carries me on eagle's wings
He crowns my life with loving kindness
His triumph song I'll ever sing
I will glory in my Redeemer
Who waits for me at gates of gold
And when He calls me it will be paradise
His face forever to behold
His face forever to behold

Offering

Methods of Giving to Redeemer Redmond

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

The Apostle's Creed

**I believe in God the Father Almighty,
Maker of heaven and earth.**

**And in Jesus Christ,
His only begotten Son, our Lord.
Who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
Born of the Virgin Mary,
Suffered under Pontius Pilate,
Was crucified, dead and buried.
He descended into hell.
The third day he rose again from the dead.
He ascended into heaven, and sits at the right hand
Of God the Father Almighty.
From thence he shall come
To judge the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit,
The holy catholic church,
The communion of saints,
The forgiveness of sins,
The resurrection of the body
And the life everlasting.
Amen.**

Communion

Be Still My Soul (In You I Rest)

*Kari Jobe, Jason Ingram, Jean Sibelius, Kathrina Amalia von Schlegel,
translated by Jane Laurie Borthwick; CCLI# 6534077*

Be still my soul, the Lord is on thy side
Bear patiently the cross of grief or pain
Leave to thy God to order and provide
In every change he faithful will remain
Be still my soul, thy best, thy heavenly friend
Through thorny ways leads to a joyful end

Be still my soul, thy God doth undertake
To guide the future as he has the past
Thy hope thy confidence let nothing shake
All now mysterious shall be bright at last
Be still my soul the waves and winds still know
His voice who ruled them while he dwelt below

chorus

In you I rest, in you I found my hope
In you I trust, you never let me go

Be still my soul, the hour is hastening on
When we shall be forever with the Lord
When disappointment grief and fear are gone
Sorrow forgot, love's purest joys restored
Be still my soul, when change and tears are past
All safe and blessed we shall meet at last

Blessed Be Your Name

Beth Redman and Matt Redman, 2002; CCLI # 3798438

Blessed be your name
In the land that is plentiful
Where your streams of abundance flow
Blessed be your name
Blessed be your name

When I'm found in the desert place
Though I walk through the wilderness
Blessed be your name

chorus

Every blessing you pour out
I'll turn back to praise
When the darkness closes in Lord
Still I will say

Blessed be the name of the Lord
Blessed be your name
Blessed be the name of the Lord
Blessed be your glorious name

Blessed be your name
When the sun's shining down on me
When the world's 'all as it should be'
Blessed be your name
Blessed be your name

On the road marked with suffering
Though there's pain in the offering
Blessed be your name

You give and take away
You give and take away
My heart will choose to say
Lord, blessed be your name

Benediction



Announcements

Gather for Worship

Sunday Worship Services

Worship Service and Live Broadcast at 10:30

Sunday School

Ages 3 through 5th grade - 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

Meal Train for Tellez Family

Help us welcome the littlest member of our Redeemer church family, baby Adrian Tellez, with some good eats! The Tellez family welcomed sweet baby Adrian on April 14th and we are hoping to take care of a handful of meals over the next few weeks as they acclimate to their new little one. [Click here](#) to sign up to bring a meal.

Church Hike, May 27

Now that we are into nicer weather, it is time to get out and enjoy it in the mountains! Our next hike will be May 27th. What better way to celebrate Memorial Day weekend? Some are hoping for another snowshoe trip, but it might be a tad late for that... Meet at Redmond Middle School at 8 am for a fun day.

Volunteer & Graduate Appreciation, June 11

Save the date and watch for more details to come! We will be hosting a celebration meal after service on Sunday, June 11th. This marks the end of our Volunteer year and the start of the new year. If you have been thinking about joining the Production (Audiovisuals), Logistics (setup/teardown), Greeting, Hospitality, or Children's ministry, this is your chance to get involved! We ask for a one-year commitment. See [John Sanford](#) for more details.

Vacation Bible School, June 26-30

Please join us for VBS hosted by Redeemer Redmond and Meadowbrook Church! Invite your friends and neighbors to join us! See [printable flyer](#).

Dates: June 26-30, 2023

Time: 9 am to noon

Location: Meadowbrook Church, 17944 NE 65th St, Redmond, WA 98052

Ages: 4 years old (as of January 1, 2023) through entering 5th grade in the fall

Theme: Twists and Turns: Following Jesus Changes the Game

Cost: Free

Please [register here](#) or scan here:



Volunteers Needed for VBS!

Come join the fun at VBS! There is a volunteer opportunity for everyone! Positions include Prayer Team, Decorating Team, Registration Table, Station Leaders and Helpers, Game Masters (lead children to stations), Photography and Video Editing.

Both youth (incoming 6th graders - 12th grade) and adults are needed as volunteers! While volunteering for all 5 days is preferred, there are a few opportunities for people who can just volunteer 1-2 days.

VBS Training and Decorating Dates

All volunteers are encouraged to come to 1 of the training sessions. Everyone is invited to help create decorations! We will provide supplies and instructions! Both events will be held at Meadowbrook Church.

Saturday, June 3 9-10 VBS Training
 9-12 Decorations Work Party

Tuesday, June 13 5:30 Dinner
(new date) 6:00 VBS Training
 6-9 Decorations Work Party

Sunday, June 25 2-4 Set up Decorations

Please [register here](#) to volunteer or scan 



Current VBS Needs

- Please pray for more volunteers & children to register.
- Please invite your friends, neighbors, grandchildren and people in the neighborhood!

Contact [Linda Huston](#) with questions.

Children's Sunday School

The last day of Sunday School will be on May 21st. Sunday School will begin again in September. Thank you to all the teachers and helpers for teaching!

Thank you to all the children for coming! It's been a fantastic year! Direct any questions to [Linda Huston](#).

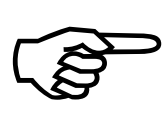
Upcoming Schedule:

5/14 - Elisha Performed Miracles (2 Kings 4-6)

5/21 - (Big Truth) We Are to Worship God Alone (Isaiah 44)

Go in Mission

Global Missions Plan Approved

God has brought people from the nations and cultures of the world to the east side and He planted Redeemer in this vibrant mission field. We are excited to share that Redeemer's Global Missions Plan drafted by a sub-hoc committee has been approved by Redeemer's elders. Its focus is reaching our neighbors with the good news of Jesus. You can read more about the plan here (click or scan) 



Walk and Talk with Pastor Jason, Weds @ 12pm

We are reviving our church's "walk and talk" with a twist, Wednesdays from 12 - 1pm. Pastor Jason is inviting his friends and neighbors to join him, and us, for this time of walking and talking on the Sammamish River Trail. This is a great time to get to know other congregation members as well as East-side neighbors as we seek to "end loneliness on the Eastside." Meet at the Dorseys' apartment at [9943 160th Ave NE, Redmond, WA](#) (corner apartment). Parking is plentiful along 160th Ave.

Monthly Global Missions Lunch and Prayer, June 4

On the first Sunday of the month, Pastor Jason and Jenny will host a lunch and time of prayer for our international neighbors and the world. Our first prayer time will be on Sunday, June 4th, 12:30pm, following the worship service. The Dorseys live at [9943 160th Ave NE, Redmond, WA](#) (corner apartment). You can park on 160th Ave.

Sacred Road Trip, July 1-8

Our 2023 Sacred Road team is set! Please pray for the team as they start the planning process and team bonding activities over the next few months and as God prepares their hearts for mission. Please see either [Emily Huston](#) or [Jim Gibons](#) with questions.

Counseling and Deaconal Support

Counseling scholarships from the Deacon Fund are available. If you have need of counseling or other deaconal support, please contact [Frank Huston](#) or one of the deacons.

Pray for Ministries and Neighbors We Support

- Jay Stoms' Family mission in South Africa
- RUF WWU and UW
- Northlake Young Life and Youth for Christ
- Redmond School Break Food Lunch Program
- Congregant ministries and outreach efforts
- [Mission Eurasia](#)
- Ministry to Tibetan Buddhists in the Diaspora



