



REDEEMER REDMOND August 23, 2020

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If joining the service on Facebook, recording will begin at 10:30 AM, with sermon at 11:00 AM.

Welcome

God welcomes us into his family not because we are worthy but because of his grace. We welcome others with the welcome God gives us.

From ancient times, God's people worshipped him in their homes, as families and as singles. Today we revive this worship. Though we are scattered, we come together in Jesus' name.

Call to Worship

God calls us and all creation to worship him. We are made for God and our hearts are restless until they find their rest in him.

From Psalm 100:

Shout for joy to the Lord, all the earth.

Worship the Lord with gladness; come before him with joyful songs.

Know that the Lord is God.

It is he who made us, and we are his; we are his people, the sheep of his pasture.

Enter his gates with thanksgiving and his courts with praise;

Give thanks to him and praise his name.

For the Lord is good and his love endures forever;

His faithfulness continues through all generations.

Hymn: Crown Him with Many Crowns

words, Matthew Bridges & Godfrey Thring, 1851; music, Sir George Job Elvey (1816-1893)

Crown him with many crowns The Lamb upon his throne Hark how the heavenly anthem drowns All music but its own Awake my soul and sing Of him who died for thee And hail him as thy matchless King Through all eternity

Crown him the Lord of life Who triumphed o'er the grave And rose victorious in the strife For those he came to save

His glories now we sing Who died and rose on high Who died eternal life to bring And lives that death may die

Crown him the Lord of love Behold his hands and side Rich wounds yet visible above In beauty glorified No angel in the sky Can fully bear that sight But downward bends each burning eye At mysteries so bright

Crown Him the Lord of years The Potentate of time Creator of the rolling spheres Ineffably sublime All hail Redeemer hail For thou hast died for me Thy praise shall never never fail Throughout eternity

Prayer of Adoration

Confession of Sin

We confess our sin to remember that we are broken sinners who need a Savior. We can be vulnerable and confess with boldness because we know that God our Father loves and forgives us.

Father, your Word commands us,

as much as possible, to be at peace with all.

We confess that in our sinful pride, arrogance, woundedness, and pain, we have sewn division rather than helping people reconcile. We've distanced ourselves from those you've called us to pursue.

Instead of using our words to edify others, we've used them to make ourselves look or feel better. In our insecurity and fear we've manipulated or withheld truth and used flattering language to please others and protect ourselves rather than to please and trust you completely.

Almighty God, we repent of our fear and insecurities and division. Help us become people who pursue peace and long for reconciliation in truth. We ask you to renew our minds, cleanse our lips, and fill us with the power of your Spirit so that our faith and ministry may become effective for your glory.

Silent Prayer

Receiving of Grace

We kneel to confess our sin. We stand to receive and rejoice in the love and grace of Jesus. Our identity is secure. We belong to him. We are loved by him.

Adapted from 2 Corinthians 5:15, 17

He died for all, that those who live might no longer live for themselves but for him who for their sake died and was raised.

Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new Creation. The old has passed away; behold, the new has come.

Hymn: Jesus Paid It All

words by Elvina Hall; music by John Grape, 1865

I hear the savior say Thy strength indeed is small Child of weakness, watch and pray Find in me thine all in all

Chorus:

Jesus paid it all, all to him I owe Sin had left a crimson stain He washed it white as snow

Lord, now indeed I find Thy power and thine alone Can change the leper's spots And melt the heart of stone Chorus

And when before the throne I stand in him complete Jesus died my soul to save My lips shall still repeat Chorus

Oh, praise the one who paid my debt And raised this life up from the dead

Offering

We encourage our congregation to continue to give tithes and offerings to Redeemer to sustain us during this unsettled time. Thanks for your generosity.

- Write a check and mail it to PO Box 1482, Woodinville, WA 98072
- Install our mobile app: 🕜 🛱



 Go to redeemerredmond.org and click Online Giving

Offering Prayer

Lord Jesus Christ, you alone are worthy of our devotion. You have given us all things. What do we have that we have not been given?

Jesus, as we give back out of the riches you have given us, cheerfully and with faith, we profane money, putting it in its place. You alone are LORD and worthy of our hearts.

Doxology

Praise God from whom all blessings flow Praise him all creatures here below Praise him above ye heavenly hosts Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost, Amen

Scripture Reading

God's Word is the final authority, the rule and guide for our life. We stand to listen to the Word to show our honor for God's Word and that we gladly receive it as sons and daughters of God.

Philemon

¹ Paul, a prisoner for Christ Jesus, and Timothy our brother,

To Philemon our beloved fellow worker ² and Apphia our sister and Archippus our fellow soldier, and the church in your house:

³ Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ.

⁴ I thank my God always when I remember you in my prayers, ⁵ because I hear of your love and of the faith that you have toward the Lord Jesus and for all the saints, ⁶ and I pray that the sharing of your faith may become effective for the full knowledge of every good thing that is in us for the sake of Christ. ⁷ For I have derived much joy and comfort from your love, my brother, because the hearts of the saints have been refreshed through you.

⁸ Accordingly, though I am bold enough in Christ to command you to do what is required, ⁹ yet for love's sake I prefer to appeal to you—I, Paul, an old man and now a prisoner also for Christ Jesus— ¹⁰ I appeal to you for my child, Onesimus, whose father I became in my imprisonment. ¹¹ (Formerly he was useless to you, but now he is indeed useful to you and to me.) ¹² I am sending him back to you, sending my very heart. ¹³ I would have been glad to keep him with me, in order that he might serve me on your behalf during my imprisonment for the gospel, ¹⁴ but I preferred to do nothing without your consent in order that your goodness might not be by compulsion but of your own accord. ¹⁵ For this perhaps is why he was parted from you for a while, that you might have him back forever, ¹⁶ no longer as a bondservant but more than a bondservant, as a beloved brother—especially to me, but how much more to you, both in the flesh and in the Lord.

¹⁷ So if you consider me your partner, receive him as you would receive me. ¹⁸ If he has wronged you at all, or owes you anything, charge that to my account. ¹⁹ I, Paul, write this with my own hand: I will repay it—to say nothing of your owing me even your own self. ²⁰ Yes, brother, I want some benefit from you in the Lord. Refresh my heart in Christ.

²¹ Confident of your obedience, I write to you, knowing that you will do even more than I say. ²² At the same time, prepare a guest room for me, for I am hoping that through your prayers I will be graciously given to you.

²³ Epaphras, my fellow prisoner in Christ Jesus, sends greetings to you, ²⁴ and so do Mark, Aristarchus, Demas, and Luke, my fellow workers.

²⁵ The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with your spirit.

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God!

Sermon

The Second Helvitic 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.

Reconciliation

Elder David Noor

Responding to God's Word

Hymn: How Great Thou Art By Carl Boberg, 1886

O Lord my God, When I in awesome wonder, Consider all the worlds Thy Hands have made; I see the stars, I hear the rolling thunder, Thy power throughout the universe displayed.

Chorus:

Then sings my soul, My Saviour God, to Thee, How great Thou art, How great Thou art. Then sings my soul, My Saviour God, to Thee, How great Thou art, How great Thou art!

When through the woods, and forest glades I wander, And hear the birds sing sweetly in the trees. When I look down, from lofty mountain grandeur And see the brook, and feel the gentle breeze. *Chorus*

And when I think, that God, His Son not sparing; Sent Him to die, I scarce can take it in; That on a Cross, my burdens gladly bearing, He bled and died to take away my sin. *Chorus*

When Christ shall come, with shout of acclamation, And take me home, what joy shall fill my heart. Then I shall bow, in humble adoration, And then proclaim: "My God, how great Thou art!"

Chorus

Hymn: Grace Alone

Dustin Kensrue, 2012

I was an orphan lost at the fall Running away when I'd hear your call But Father, you worked your will I had no righteousness of my own I had no right to draw near your throne But Father, you loved me still

And in love before you laid the world's foundation You predestined to adopt me as your own You have raised me up so high above my station I'm a child of God by grace and grace alone

You left your home to seek out the lost

You knew the great and terrible cost But Jesus, your face was set I worked my fingers down to the bone But nothing I did could ever atone But Jesus, you paid my debt

By your blood I have redemption and salvation Lord, you died that I might reap what you have sown And you rose that I might be a new creation I am born again by grace and grace alone I was in darkness all of my life I never knew the day from the night But Spirit, you made me see

I swore I knew the way on my own Head full of rocks, a heart made of stone

But Spirit, you moved in me

At your touch my sleeping spirit was awakened On my darkened heart the light of Christ has shone Called into a kingdom that cannot be shaken Heaven's citizen by grace and grace alone

So I'll stand in faith by grace and grace alone I will run the race by grace and grace alone I will slay my sin by grace and grace alone I will reach the end by grace and grace alone

Benediction

Adapted from 2 Corinthians 13:11, 14 (ESV)

Finally, brothers, rejoice. Aim for restoration, comfort one another, agree with one another, live in peace; and the God of love and peace will be with you. The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ and the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all.



Announcements

Gather for Worship

Youth Group

Sundays at 9:00 am via Zoom See <u>Jordon</u> for details

Church Without Walls

Worship Service and Live Broadcast at 10:30 To receive an invitation to live services, please email **Pastor Jason**.

Install our **Mobile App** for ease of finding the Worship Guide & Facebook link. *(search your app store for Redeemer Redmond)*. Click MEDIA, then find the latest sermon at the top of the list of media items.

Grow in Community

Summer Church Hike, Aug 29th

Join us for a time of community and fellowship while enjoying God's Creation. The distance and difficulty will be adjusted for the participants. We will meet at the Redmond Middle School parking lot at 8:00 AM, Saturday Aug 29th. If you have questions contact **Scott** or **John**.

Walk & Talk, Sep 5th

Get caught up with friends and make new friends at a walk and talk event on Saturday, September 5th. We will be leaving from Pastor Jason & Jenny's home, and walking north on the Sammamish River Trail, having lunch together, then you can (1) walk back or (2) get picked up. This will be a fun way to catch up on what we did this summer and enjoy the beauty of God's creation and spiritual friendship.

Newsy Newsletter

Submit prayer requests and news items for the Newsy Newsletter to **commo@redeemerredmond.org**.

Men's Prayer

Men's prayer is gathering virtually on Wednesday

morning at 6:30 using Zoom (ID: 266 395 515). All Redeemer men welcome. Contact: **Jim Gibons**.

Women's Group

Thur, 8-9 pm - Women's Bible Study on Ephesians Check Facebook Women's group (by invitation only) for zoom log in info or email **Jenny**.

Community Groups

We encourage our Community Groups to use Zoom, Google Hangouts, or another platform to stay connected, encourage, and pray for each other.

Fellowship via Zoom

We have purchased a license for Zoom to host virtual meetings in our community. Contact **John Sanford** for more information.

Go in Mission

Ministries Redeemer Supports

Remember in your prayers our partners in ministry:

- •Jay Stoms' mission in South Africa
- •RUF Western Washington and UW
- Northlake Young Life
- •Youth for Christ
- •Redmond Middle School
- •Redmond School Break Food Lunch Program
- •Congregant ministries and outreach efforts

Counseling and Deaconal Support

If you have a need for counseling or other support, please contact **Frank Huston** or one of the deacons.

