



## **REDEEMER REDMOND**

October 25, 2020

10:30 AM



### **Welcome**

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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

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## From Isaiah 2:1-4

The Word that Isaiah the son of Amoz saw concerning Judah and Jerusalem.

It shall come to pass in the latter days that the mountain of the house of the Lord shall be established as the highest of the mountains and shall be lifted above the hills; and all the nations shall flow to it, and many peoples shall come, and say:

**Come, let us go to the mountain of the Lord,  
to the house of the God of Jacob,  
that he may teach us his ways  
and that we may walk in his paths.**

## Hymn: The Solid Rock

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*words: Edward Mote, 1834; music: William Bradbury, Charlie Hall, Trent Austin and Kendell Combes, 1863*

My hope is built on nothing less  
Than Jesus' blood and righteousness  
I dare not trust the sweetest frame  
But wholly lean on Jesus' name

*Chorus*

On Christ the solid Rock I stand  
All other ground is sinking sand  
All other ground is sinking sand

When darkness veils his lovely face  
I rest on his unchanging grace  
In every rough and stormy gale  
My anchor holds within the veil

*Chorus*

His oath his covenant his blood  
Support me in the whelming flood  
When all around my soul gives way  
He then is all my hope and stay

*Chorus*

When he shall come with trumpet sound  
O may I then in him be found  
Dressed in his righteousness alone  
Faultless to stand before the throne  
*Chorus*

## **Prayer of Adoration**

### **Confession of Sin**

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**From Isaiah 24**

LORD God, Righteous One,  
you are the Judge of the whole earth.  
The earth is defiled underneath its inhabitants.

**We have transgressed your laws.  
We have violated your statutes.  
We have broken your everlasting covenant.**

Therefore a curse devours the earth.  
And its inhabitants suffer from their guilt.  
The noise of the jubilant has ceased.  
The wasted city is broken down.

**Our only hope is in the Righteous One,  
Jesus Christ our Savior,  
who lived the righteous life  
we should have lived,  
and who bore the judgment  
we should have borne.  
Help us rejoice in him  
and sing praises to his name. Amen.**

*Silent Prayer*

### **Receiving of Grace**

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**From Isaiah 25:9**

Behold, this is our God; we have waited for him;  
let us be glad and rejoice in his salvation.

# Hymn: O Worship the King

*Chris Tomlin, Johann M. Haydn, Robert Grant, ©2004 sixsteps music*

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.

*Chorus*

You alone are the matchless King,  
To you alone be all majesty  
Your glories and wonders what tongue can recite  
You breathe in the air, you shine in the light

O measureless might, ineffable love, while angels  
delight to worship above

Thy mercies how tender, how firm to the end  
Our maker, defender, redeemer and friend

*Chorus*

# Hymn: Give Me Jesus

*arrangement: Jeremy Camp, words: Public Domain, Music: 2006  
Stolen Pride Music, Thirsty Moon River Publishing; CCLI 4874344*

In the morning when I rise  
In the morning when I rise  
In the morning when I rise  
Give me Jesus

*chorus*

Give me Jesus  
Give me Jesus  
You can have all this world  
Just give me Jesus

When I am alone  
When I am alone  
Oh when I am alone  
Give me Jesus

*chorus*

When I come to die  
When I come to die  
Oh when I come to die  
Give me Jesus  
*chorus*

## Offering

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### Methods of Giving to Redeemer Redmond

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

## Doxology

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**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

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### Isaiah 24

**24** Behold, the Lord will empty the earth and make it desolate,  
and he will twist its surface and scatter its inhabitants.

<sup>2</sup> And it shall be, as with the people, so with the priest;  
as with the slave, so with his master;  
as with the maid, so with her mistress;  
as with the buyer, so with the seller;  
as with the lender, so with the borrower;  
as with the creditor, so with the debtor.

<sup>3</sup> The earth shall be utterly empty and utterly plundered;  
for the Lord has spoken this word.

<sup>4</sup> The earth mourns and withers;  
the world languishes and withers;  
the highest people of the earth languish.

<sup>5</sup> The earth lies defiled  
under its inhabitants;

for they have transgressed the laws,  
violated the statutes,  
broken the everlasting covenant.

<sup>6</sup> Therefore a curse devours the earth,  
and its inhabitants suffer for their guilt;  
therefore the inhabitants of the earth are scorched,  
and few men are left.

<sup>7</sup> The wine mourns,  
the vine languishes,  
all the merry-hearted sigh.

<sup>8</sup> The mirth of the tambourines is stilled,  
the noise of the jubilant has ceased,  
the mirth of the lyre is stilled.

<sup>9</sup> No more do they drink wine with singing;  
strong drink is bitter to those who drink it.

<sup>10</sup> The wasted city is broken down;  
every house is shut up so that none can enter.

<sup>11</sup> There is an outcry in the streets for lack of wine;  
all joy has grown dark;  
the gladness of the earth is banished.

<sup>12</sup> Desolation is left in the city;  
the gates are battered into ruins.

<sup>13</sup> For thus it shall be in the midst of the earth  
among the nations,  
as when an olive tree is beaten,  
as at the gleaning when the grape harvest is done.

<sup>14</sup> They lift up their voices, they sing for joy;  
over the majesty of the Lord they shout from the  
west.

<sup>15</sup> Therefore in the east give glory to the Lord;  
in the coastlands of the sea, give glory to the name  
of the Lord, the God of Israel.

<sup>16</sup> From the ends of the earth we hear songs of praise,  
of glory to the Righteous One.

But I say, "I waste away,  
I waste away. Woe is me!  
For the traitors have betrayed,  
with betrayal the traitors have betrayed."

<sup>17</sup> Terror and the pit and the snare  
are upon you, O inhabitant of the earth!

<sup>18</sup> He who flees at the sound of the terror  
shall fall into the pit,  
and he who climbs out of the pit  
shall be caught in the snare.

For the windows of heaven are opened,  
and the foundations of the earth tremble.

<sup>19</sup> The earth is utterly broken,  
the earth is split apart,  
the earth is violently shaken.

<sup>20</sup> The earth staggers like a drunken man;  
it sways like a hut;  
its transgression lies heavy upon it,  
and it falls, and will not rise again.

<sup>21</sup> On that day the Lord will punish  
the host of heaven, in heaven,  
and the kings of the earth, on the earth.

<sup>22</sup> They will be gathered together  
as prisoners in a pit;  
they will be shut up in a prison,  
and after many days they will be punished.

<sup>23</sup> Then the moon will be confounded  
and the sun ashamed,  
for the Lord of hosts reigns  
on Mount Zion and in Jerusalem,  
and his glory will be before his elders.

*This is the Word of the Lord.*

**Thanks be to God!**

## **Sermon**

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*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 and gives birth to new sons and daughters.*

## **Behold Your God: The Righteous God**

Rev. Jason Dorsey

# Behold, the LORD... The Righteous One (24:1, 16)

## ☞☞ Isaiah 24 = Universal Judgment

1. Sums up Chapters 13-23 = God's judgment on the nations/city of man
2. Links to Noah's flood = "floodgates of heaven" (18, Gen 7:11), "everlasting covenant" (5, Gen 9:16)  
"curse" in context of wine (6-7, Gen 9:20ff)

OH No! So much bad, hard, depressing news + messages in global pandemic + national judgment. I can't stomach a sermon on God's Judgment!

♥ The heart of this passage is a song 24:14-16  
Will you let me ask you 7 Questions?

**Q#1** Is there a Righteous One who holds all nations to account and who will judge all people?

## ☞☞ Isaiah 24:1-3

If not, what is your moral accounting and judgment based on?

**Q#2** Are there objective LAWS this Righteous One has commanded, unchanging statutes he has set, and an everlasting covenant he has provided?

## ☞☞ Isaiah 24:4-5

If so, have you kept them?

**Q#3** Does this Righteous One judge nations and people in real history?

 **Isaiah 24:6-13**

If so, could this pandemic w. the stilling of the alcohol infused song of the city of man be  $\Theta$ 's judgment?

**Q#4** Is it possible that in the midst of universal judgment, a global remnant, will sing praise to  $\Theta$  and glory in the Righteous One?

 **Isaiah 24:14-13**

How? When?

**Q#5** Is there any escape for those who refuse to sing to and glory in and center their life on the Righteous One?

 **Isaiah 24:17-22**

Why not consider making the Righteous One your  $\Theta$ ?

**Q#6** How does Jesus fulfill this Promise?

 **Isaiah 24:23**

1. Jesus is the Righteous One in the flesh
2. Jesus kept  $\Theta$ 's Law, Statutes + Covenant
3. Jesus bore  $\Theta$ 's Judgment in Real History
4. Jesus reigns on throne + gives his righteousness + so we sing to Him
5. There is no escape if you reject the King who died to deliver you

**Q#7** Will you receive + live by the Revelation of the Righteous One, or will you wait to experience the judgment of the Righteous One in history, or have you found some other option?

## Communion

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Redeemer welcomes all Christians who are willing to forsake their sin and trust in Jesus Christ for salvation, who are baptized members of congregations which proclaim the gospel, to receive Communion with us.

## Hymn: All the Way to Calvary

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*Dave Irish, Mike Doran; CCLI #7163575*

Did you think of me all the way to Calvary  
With an everlasting love  
Did you think of me in the pain and suffering  
When you drank that bitter cup

Was I in your heart when the night surrounded you  
And you hung upon that tree  
Was I in your heart did you think of me  
All the way to Calvary

*chorus*

And when all my sin pierced your side  
And the blood flowed rich and free.  
You knew me then and you loved me still  
All the way to Calvary

Did you think of me all the way to Calvary  
when you cried and breathed your last  
Did you think of me when you gained the victory  
and the sting of death had passed

*chorus*

## Prayer of Belief

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Lord God, you alone are Righteous. I am not. Forgive me for rationalizing my actions, defending my record, and justifying my sin. Help me to see that I stand under your righteous judgement. And help me to

see that Jesus Christ lived the life of obedience that I should have lived and died the death that I should have died, so that I could stand before you holy and blameless. Help me to rejoice in his righteousness alone and to repent of my self-righteousness. Amen.

## **Hymn: I Saw the Light / I'll Fly Away**

*Albert E. Brumley, Hank Williams, Zackery T. Shelton, CCLI #7146891*

I've wandered so aimless, my life filled with sin  
I wouldn't let my dear Savior in  
Then Jesus came like a stranger in the night  
Praise the Lord, I saw the light

*Chorus1*

I saw the light, I saw the light,  
No more darkness, no more night  
Now I'm so happy, no sorrow in sight,  
Praise the Lord I saw the light

Just like a blind man, I wandered alone  
Worried and fear I claimed for my own  
Then like a blind man, God gave me back my sight  
Praise the Lord, I saw the light

*Chorus1*

Some bright morning when this life is over, I'll fly away  
To that home on God's celestial shore, I'll fly away

*Chorus2*

I'll fly away, O Glory, I'll fly away  
When I die Hallelujah by and by, I'll fly away

Just a few more weary days and then, I'll fly away  
To a land where joys will never end, I'll fly away

*Chorus2*

## **Announcements**

## **Benediction**



# Announcements

## Gather for Worship

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### Youth Group

Sundays at 9:00 am live and via Zoom | [Learn More](#)

### Sunday Worship Services

Worship Service and Live Broadcast at 10:30

[RSVP to attend live](#) at Hilton Garden Inn, Redmond.

Get on our [mailing list](#) to receive SignUp Genius links, announcements, and Worship Guide in your inbox.

Install our [Mobile App](#) for ease of finding the Worship Guide & Facebook link. (*search your app store for Redeemer Redmond*). Find the latest sermon at the top of the Home page.

### Hilton Garden Inn Logistics:

#### ►Parking

Suggested Arrival: 10:10am - 10:15am. Park in the underground garage and take the elevator to the second floor. Exit the elevator to the left and follow wayfinding signs to the Auditorium. Plan for time to park, take the elevator and grab a cup of complimentary coffee at the back of the auditorium. If you arrive early, enjoy conversation on the outdoor terrace or invite someone to sit by the fireplace in the 2nd floor lounge, both of which are adjacent to the auditorium.

#### ►RSVP for Online and In-Person Worship

To RSVP for the service, check out the signup genius link found on our website under Sunday Morning. Please reserve your spot to let us know you will be worshipping with us so that we can keep total attendance under 50 people (25% capacity) per service. This will also help us with contact tracing if need be.

Let us know how many will be attending. Only one registration per household - count yourself and anyone else coming with you. If your plans change, please use the same link to update your status and free up space for others.

### ►Nursery

The Nursery will not be staffed but you can reserve a family room (if you need one). See the Signup Genius link for details.

## Grow in Community

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### Men's Prayer

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

### Women's Group

Ladies, mark your calendar! November 18th we are gathering for an online Game Night! If you are not already a member of the Facebook Women's group (by invitation only), 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

Contact [John Sanford](#) to reserve a Zoom meeting.

## Go in Mission

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### Redmond Food Program Update – Kristin Muscott

In response to the pandemic, the Redmond Food Box program is continuing to deliver food at least monthly to families in need. We recently received an email from Peder Brakke that they could use delivery driver help. If you can assist in making deliveries, please email [Jim Gibons](#). Pray for this ministry and the families they serve. To prevent potential spread of germs, they are not taking food donations at this time,

but if you would like to donate towards the purchase of food, Kristin started a [GoFundMe campaign](#).

Upcoming delivery dates: Saturdays, Nov. 21, and Dec. 19th. Drivers arrive at Redmond Presbyterian Church anytime between 10am – 3pm. Each driver will deliver to 3-5 families, usually within close proximity of one another, and will probably take about 2 hours. All deliveries are left on the doorsteps. We ask volunteers to text the families to let them know their box has arrived. Each food “box” is typically four pieces: two bankers boxes and 2 grocery bags, so cars with plenty of space work best.

### **Ministries Redeemer Supports**

Remember in prayer ministries we support:

- Jay Stoms’ family mission in South Africa
- RUF Western Washington and UW
- Northlake Young Life
- Youth for Christ
- Redmond School Break Food Lunch Program
- Sacred Road Ministry
- 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.

