



REDEEMER REDMOND

February 18, 2024







Welcome

Reflection

"The covenant of redemption is intimately concerned with God's eternal plan. It is called a covenant inasmuch as the plan involves two or more parties. This is not a covenant between God and humans. It is a covenant among the persons of the Godhead, specifically between the Father and the Son..."

"Listen to Jesus as he prays to the Father at the end of his ministry:

'Father, the hour has come. Glorify your Son, that your Son also may glorify you; And now, O Father, glorify me together with yourself, with the glory which I had with you before the world was'—John 17:1-5 NKJV

The covenant of redemption was a transaction that involved both obligation and reward. The Son entered into a sacred agreement with the Father. He submitted himself to the obligations of that covenantal agreement. An obligation was likewise assumed by the Father — to give his Son a reward for doing the work of redemption." — RC Sproul

Call to Worship

From Habakuk 2:20

The LORD is in his holy temple; let all the earth keep silence before him

Jesus of Nazareth

Chris Tomlin, Martin Smith; CCLI# 6527008

Lord you brought heaven to earth Angels sang at your birth Glory glory glory in the highest The child of a carpenter The very Son of God you are Jesus Jesus Jesus of Nazareth

chorus

I was born to follow you I was born to follow you I was born to follow you

You fill the darkness with light You opened the eyes of the blind Glory glory glory in the highest Took the stone from the pharisee Let a sinner pour oil on your feet Jesus Jesus Jesus of Nazareth

You believed in me when I was lost Surrendered your life at the cross Worthy worthy worthy is the Lamb of God And even the demons believe You are the risen King of kings Jesus Jesus Jesus of Nazareth

Prayer of Adoration

Confession of Sin

From the Anglican Book of Common Prayer

Let us confess our sins to the LORD for he is a merciful God.

Most merciful God,
we confess that we have sinned against you
in thought, word, and deed,
by what we have done,
and by what we have left undone.
We have not loved you with our whole heart;
we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves.
We are truly sorry and we humbly repent.
For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ,
have mercy on us and forgive us;
that we may delight in your will,
and walk in your ways,
to the glory of your Name.
Amen.

Continue to confess silently

Kyrie Eleison

Receiving of Grace

From 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.

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.

Jesus Paid It All

words by Elvina Mabel Hall; music by John Thomas Grape, 1865; CCLI#22331

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

Speak O Lord

Words and music, Keith Getty & Stuart Townsend, 2005; CCLI# 4615235

Speak O Lord as we come to you
To receive the food of your holy word
Take your truth plant it deep in us
Shape and fashion us in your likeness
That the light of Christ might be seen today
In our acts of love and our deeds of faith
Speak O Lord and fulfill in us
All your purposes for your glory

Teach us Lord full obedience
Holy reverence true humility
Test our thoughts and our attitudes
In the radiance of your purity
Cause our faith to rise
Cause our eyes to see
Your majestic love and authority
Words of power that can never fail
Let their truth prevail over unbelief

Speak O Lord and renew our minds
Help us grasp the heights of your plans for us
Truths unchanged from the dawn of time
That will echo down through eternity
And by grace we'll stand on your promises
And by faith we'll walk as you walk with us
Speak O Lord till your church is built
And the earth is filled with your glory

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

John 17

When Jesus had spoken these words, he lifted up his eyes to heaven, and said, "Father, the hour has come; glorify your Son that the Son may glorify you, ² since you have given him authority over all flesh, to give eternal life to all whom you have given him.

³ And this is eternal life, that they know you, the only true God, and Jesus Christ whom you have sent. ⁴ I glorified you on earth, having accomplished the work that you gave me to do. ⁵ And now, Father, glorify me in your own presence with the glory that I had with you before the world existed.

⁶ "I have manifested your name to the people whom you gave me out of the world. Yours they were, and you gave them to me, and they have kept your word. 7 Now they know that everything that you have given me is from you. 8 For I have given them the words that you gave me, and they have received them and have come to know in truth that I came from you; and they have believed that you sent me. 9 I am praying for them. I am not praying for the world but for those whom you have given me, for they are yours. 10 All mine are yours, and yours are mine, and I am glorified in them. 11 And I am no longer in the world, but they are in the world, and I am coming to you. Holy Father, keep them in your name, which you have given me, that they may be one, even as we are one. 12 While I was with them, I kept them in your name, which you have given me. I have guarded them, and not one of them has been

lost except the son of destruction, that the Scripture might be fulfilled. ¹³ But now I am coming to you, and these things I speak in the world, that they may have my joy fulfilled in themselves. ¹⁴ I have given them your word, and the world has hated them because they are not of the world, just as I am not of the world. ¹⁵ I do not ask that you take them out of the world, but that you keep them from the evil one. ¹⁶ They are not of the world, just as I am not of the world. ¹⁷ Sanctify them in the truth; your word is truth. ¹⁸ As you sent me into the world, so I have sent them into the world. ¹⁹ And for their sake I consecrate myself, that they also may be sanctified in truth.

²⁰ "I do not ask for these only, but also for those who will believe in me through their word, 21 that they may all be one, just as you, Father, are in me, and I in you, that they also may be in us, so that the world may believe that you have sent me. ²² The glory that you have given me I have given to them, that they may be one even as we are one, ²³ I in them and you in me, that they may become perfectly one, so that the world may know that you sent me and loved them even as you loved me. ²⁴ Father, I desire that they also, whom you have given me, may be with me where I am, to see my glory that you have given me because you loved me before the foundation of the world. ²⁵ O righteous Father, even though the world does not know you, I know you, and these know that you have sent me. 26 I made known to them your name, and I will continue to make it known, that the love with which you have loved me may be in them, and I in them."

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.

Doctrine of the Church: God's Covenants

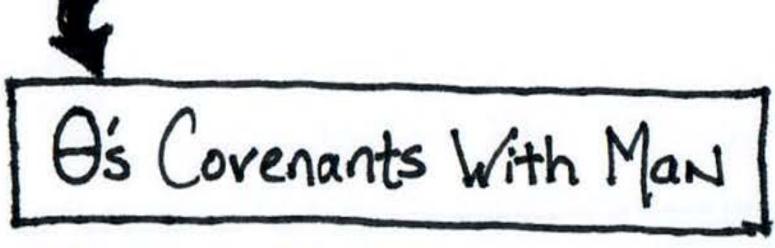
Rev. Jason Dorsey

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>>> Your doctrine matters! Like bones they hold you up

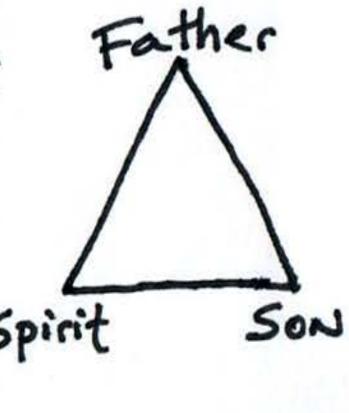
Ask you a question: Do you want security?

Christian doctrine of SALVATION gives Christians ETERNAL SECURITY ... wouldn't you like this?



Covenant? Dry, boring theology... eyes glaze over

- 1) WHY YOU NEED THEM
 - 1. Triune O is the Fountain of Life, Love, Beauty, Joy, Holiness > Glory, Kabad Spirit John 17:1-5



2. As an image bearer you were made for communion w. 0 17:3



3. But you are a Sinner. Your Sinseperate you from the Holy & Covenant w. Death Holy & Holy &



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2) WHAT THEY ARE

1. Covenant of Redemption = made between the three persons of the Trinity before creation to redeem a vast people for B's Glory See John 17:6, 20-24

- 2. Covenant with Noah "creation covenant"
 Genesis 8-9
- 3. Covenant with Abraham Genesis 12, 15, 17
- 4. Covenant with David 2 Samuel 7
- 5. New Covenant Thru Jesus Matthew 26:26-29

 [=] High Priestly Prayer

MAbraham > 12 Tribes > 12 Apostles

Et Israel > Global People of O... Jew + Gentile

Definition of Covenant of Redemption R.C. Sproul

3 HOW THEY HELP = Eternal Security

1. Jesus Keeps/Accomplishes/Consummates
The Covenants For You

"I glorified you on earth, having accomplished the work you gave me to do."

Charles Hodge!

2. Jesus Prays For You [=] John 17:9-19, 20-23 What an amazing thing! Jesus prays for You, intercedes with the Father ON Your behalf! Grandma Praying

3. Jesus Keeps You

"My sheep hear my voice, and I know them, and they follow me. I give them eternal life, and they will never perish, and wo one will snatch them out of my hand." John 10:27-28

Be Thou My Vision

Craig Duncan, Eleanor Henrietta Hull, Mary Elizabeth Byrne, Michael Card; Public Domain; CCLI #2774972

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 Son Heart of my own heart, whatever befall Still be my Vision, O Ruler of all

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:





Heidelberg Catechism

Question #1

What is your only comfort in life and in death?

Answer

That I am not my own,

but belong—body and soul, in life and in death to my faithful Savior, Jesus Christ.

He has fully paid for all my sins with his precious blood,

and has set me free from the tyranny of the devil. He also watches over me in such a way

that not a hair can fall from my head without the will of my Father in heaven; in fact, all things must work together

for my salvation.

Because I belong to him,

Christ, by his Holy Spirit, assures me of eternal life and makes me wholeheartedly willing and ready from now on to live for him.

*that is, the true Christian church of all times and all places

Communion

Man Of Sorrows

Brooke Ligertwood, Matt Crocker, 2012; CCLI#6476063

Man of sorrows Lamb of God By his own betrayed The sin of man and wrath of God Has been on Jesus laid

Silent as he stood accused Beaten mocked and scorned Bowing to the Father's will He took a crown of thorns

chorus

Oh that rugged cross my salvation Where your love poured out over me Now my soul cries out hallelujah Praise and honor unto thee

Sent of heaven God's own Son To purchase and redeem And reconcile the very ones Who nailed him to that tree

Praise to the Lord the Almighty

Catherine Winkworth, Joachim Neander, PD; CCLI# 2648022

Praise to the Lord the Almighty, the King of creation O my soul praise him for he is your health and salvation Come all who hear now to his temple draw near Join me in glad adoration

Praise to the Lord above all things so wondrously reigning Sheltering you under his wings and so gently sustaining Have you not seen all that is needful has been Sent by his gracious ordaining

Praise to the Lord who will prosper your work and defend you Surely his goodness and mercy shall daily attend you. Ponder anew what the Almighty can do, If with his love he befriends you.

Praise to the Lord, O let all that is in me adore him All that has life and breath come now with praises before him Let the Amen sound from his people again Gladly forever adore him

Benediction



Announcements

Financial Update

Our year-end financials for 2023:

Total Offering: \$ 272,347.69

Total Expenses: \$ 313,761.79

Difference: - \$ 41,414.10

Grow in Community

Church Hike, Feb 24

Our next church hike will be Sat, Feb. 24th. Since this is an El Nino year, it could be a snowshoe or a walk or get rained out like last month. This is a good opportunity to enjoy creation, and fellowship. Invite your friends to join us. We will meet at Redmond Middle School at 8am. If you have any questions, contact **John**. You are also invited to join our WhatsApp group (Cascade Mountain Hikes).

2023 Giving Statements

2023 Giving Statements have all been sent out. If you have not received yours or see a discrepancy, contact **John**.

2024 Redeemer Men's Retreat, Jun 7-8

Save the date for this year's Men's Retreat! You won't want to miss it! It will again be at Mountain Springs Lodge in Plain. Details will follow.

Global Missions Lunch & Prayer, Mar 3

Pastor Jason and Jenny will host our monthly prayer time for our international neighbors and the world on Sunday, March 3rd. Join us at 12:30pm for lunch and prayer following the worship service, at the Dorsey apartment at 9943 160th Street NE (corner apartment), Redmond, WA.

Old Testament Party, Mar 10

Children's Sunday School has been learning about the Old Testament for 2.5 years, and will finish on March 3rd. Please join us for an Old Testament Party on March 10th during Sunday School time. Contact Linda Huston to help with the party.

Community Groups

Community Groups are small groups of Christians and seekers that meet in homes and apartments during the week. Through Bible Study, prayer, and mutual support people are encouraged and empowered for God's mission.

Current Community Groups:

North Community Group (contact <u>Sam</u>)
Redmond community group (contact <u>Jim</u>)
Online community group (contact <u>Jason</u>)
Young Adults group (contact <u>Emily</u>)

Community Group Questions

- 1. Why do we need God's covenants to bridge gap between a holy God and sinful man?
- 2. What is the Covenant of Redemption? Where do you see it in John 17?
- 3. How would believing in your eternal security through God's Covenant of Redemption give your courage and strength?
- 4. How do you want to apply the Covenant of Redemption to your life this week?

Go in Mission

Sunday School Training, Feb 25

Sunday School teachers, please come to our next training after church on Sunday, February 25th. We will plan the Old Testament party and talk about how to teach the New Testament to our students.

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 any 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

Gather for Worship

Sunday Worship Services

Worship Service and Live Broadcast at 10:30

Children's Sunday School

Calling all children ages 3 through 5th grade to learn more about Jesus! We are using the Gospel Project Curriculum. We are almost finished studying the Old Testament, and will start the New Testament on March 17th. Invite your friends to join us! See Linda Huston with questions! Participants and Volunteers alike, Register Here!

Upcoming Sunday School Schedule

2/18 - Ezra Read the Law (Ezra 7-10; Nehemiah 8) 2/25 - The People Promised to Be Faithful (Neh. 9-10) 3/3 - (Big Truth) We Should Be Sorry for Sin (Rom 8)

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