



REDEEMER
ORANGE COUNTY

{ *order of worship* }



WELCOME

We are delighted to have you with us for worship!

We hope that today will be a day that you will meet with God. We want to invite you to join with us in experiencing joy, beauty, and awe as we encounter God in the reading & preaching of the Scriptures, the offering of prayers, the singing of his praises, the sacraments of baptism & the Lord's Supper, and the fellowship of the church community.

We want you to know that Redeemer is a safe place for you to be in process. You are free to explore, voice objections, be real, and find community. We have people from diverse backgrounds and recognize that everyone is in a different place in their Spiritual journey.

As you are leaving stop by our Welcome Table in the Narthex to pick up a complimentary coffee mug. There are also Connect Cards where you can leave your contact information and be included in our Friday email newsletter. We would also love to get to know you and there is box to check if you are interested in meeting for conversation over a coffee.

To our Families with Children

We want to be a good church to your family by helping your little ones learn to worship. A few things we do to serve families...

Nursery for ages 0-3 years old. Feel free to use the nursery as needed (if kids get too restless) or throughout the service.

Children's Bulletins to help young children in church. We know that this takes time and promise not be bothered by an occasional squeal, laugh, or tear.

Sermon Time Class is an age-appropriate lesson for children 3 years old to 5th grade (use at your discretion). Note: All children need to be checked in using KidCheck prior to the service or at the children's dismissal. Nursery – kindergarten children need to be checked out directly with a nursery worker or their child's teacher following the sermon.

About our Worship Service

Our liturgy (i.e. worship service) follows the logic of the gospel and the historic pattern of God's people.

The main movements are as follows:

Calling - God takes the initiative, moves towards us with grace, and invites us to know and worship him.

Cleansing - God forgives us and reminds us of his great love in Christ.

Constitution - God builds us up and nourishes us through the Scriptures.

Communion - God draws near to us and invites us to partake of his grace in the sacrament.

Commission - God sends us out into his world empowered to be his ambassadors.

We realize that the flow and content of the service may be new so we've included a few notes in the margins that offer some explanations. Feel free to participate actively or to just listen and observe.

Again, we are glad that you have joined us today. Let us worship!

To learn more about our church please check the following pages in the back of this Order of Worship

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Second Sunday of Advent : DECEMBER 5TH, 2021

Before the service, there is a time for prayer and reflection. Please remember to silence cell phones.

WELCOME

REFLECTION

Christmas is not simply about a birth but about a coming.

— *Tim Keller*

The coming of the Kingdom of God is most certainly to be looked upon as the realization of the great drama of the history of salvation in the sense of the Old Testament and of the Jewish apocalypses. This realization is not merely a matter of the future, however. It has started. The great change of the aeons has taken place. The center of history is in Christ's coming, in his victory over the demons, in his death and resurrection.

— *Herman Ridderbos*

CALENDAR

ADVENT Hopeful waiting. Expectancy. Longing. Things are not right within us nor in the world around us, so we wait. We wait for the arrival of King Jesus. The word "advent" comes from the Latin word *adventus*, meaning "coming" or "arrival." During Advent we remember the first coming of Jesus and we long for his second coming. Robert Webber explains Advent as, "a corporate spiritual journey that calls for expectant waiting and readiness for the coming of the Christ. When the Church travels this journey and treats it as a discipline of life and prayer, the joy of Christmas is immeasurably intensified."

CHRISTMAS

EPIPHANY

LENT

EASTER

PENTECOST

Calling

Please stand.

CALL TO WORSHIP - ADAPTED FROM ISAIAH 42

In the call to worship God begins the dialogue that occurs in worship and graciously invites his people to draw near to him.

Minister: Sing to the LORD a new song, his praise from the end of the earth...

People: You who go down to the sea, and all that fills it, the coastlands and their inhabitants.

Minister: Let the desert and its cities lift up their voice...

People: Let them sing for joy, let them shout from the top of the mountains.

Minister: Let them give glory to the LORD, and declare his praise in the coastlands.

People: For the LORD goes out like a mighty man, like a man of war he stirs up his zeal; he cries out, he shouts aloud, he shows himself mighty against his foes.

Bold text is read together by the congregation. Plain text is read by the leader.

PASTORAL PRAYER OF ADORATION

Prayer concludes by praying in unison:

Our Father who art in heaven, Hallowed be thy name. Thy Kingdom come. Thy will be done, on earth, as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

OPENING SONG

God Rest Ye, Merry Gentleman
WORDS AND MUSIC: TRADITIONAL ENGLISH

God rest ye merry gentlemen, let nothing you dismay
Remember Christ our Saviour was born on Christmas Day
To save us all from Satan's pow'r when we were gone astray
O tidings of comfort and joy, comfort and joy;
O tidings of comfort and joy.

In Bethlehem in Jewry, this blessed Babe was born
And laid within a manger, upon this blessed morn
The which his mother Mary did nothing take in scorn
O tidings of comfort and joy, comfort and joy;
O tidings of comfort and joy.

From God our heav'nly Father, a blessed angel came
And unto certain shepherds, brought tidings of the same
How that in Bethlehem was born the Son of God by name
O tidings of comfort and joy, comfort and joy;
O tidings of comfort and joy.

"Fear not," then said the angel; "Let nothing you affright
This day is born a Savior of a pure Virgin bright,
To free all those who trust in Him from Satan's pow'r and might."
O tidings of comfort and joy, comfort and joy;
O tidings of comfort and joy.

And when they came to Bethlehem where our dear Saviour lay
They found Him in a manger where oxen feed on hay
His mother Mary, kneeling down unto the Lord did pray
O tidings of comfort and joy, comfort and joy;
O tidings of comfort and joy.

Now to the Lord sing praises, all you within this place
And with true love and brotherhood each other now embrace
This holy tide of Christmas all others doth deface
O tidings of comfort and joy, comfort and joy;
O tidings of comfort and joy.

Cleansing

Please be seated.

CONFESSION OF SIN

In the prayer of
repentance we
speak honestly
with God about
ourselves by
confessing our
sins and
shortcomings
and seeking
forgiveness in
Christ.

Merciful God, always with us, always coming: We confess that we do not know how to prepare for your Advent. We have forgotten how to hope in miracles; we have ignored the promise of your kingdom; we get distracted by all the busyness of this season. Forgive us, God. Grant us the simple wonder of the shepherds, the intelligent courage of the Magi, and the patient faith of Mary and Joseph, that we may journey with them to Bethlehem and find the good news of a child born for us. Now, in the quiet of our hearts, we ask you to make us ready for his coming. Amen.

SILENT CONFESSION

SONG OF COMFORT

Come Thou Long Expected Jesus

WORDS: CHARLES WESLEY; MUSIC: ROWLAND PRICHARD

Come Thou long expected Jesus
Born to set Thy people free
From our fears and sins release us
Let us find our rest in Thee
Israel's strength and consolation
Hope of all the earth Thou art
Dear desire of ev'ry nation
Joy of ev'ry longing heart

Please stand.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON - ZEPHANIAH 3:15, 17

Having been
forgiven by
God, we greet
one another
with joy and
speak peace to
each other.

Minister: The LORD has taken away the judgments against you...The LORD your God is in your midst, a mighty one who will save; he will rejoice over you with gladness; he will quiet you by his love; he will exult over you with loud singing.

PASSING THE PEACE & COLLECTION

Minister: The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People: And also with you.

Collection: In response to God's grace, we worship him and seek to honor him with our lives. One way that we do so is by giving financially to Christ and the work of his Church. We invite all who are a part of this church to continue their worship in this way (Philippians 4:18-19; 2 Corinthians 8-9; 1 Corinthians 16:1-3; Malachi 3:6-12; Matthew 6:24). If you are visiting with us today please do not feel any pressure to contribute.

You may leave offerings in the collection box located on the back glass wall of the worship area. You may also take the time to give electronically. To donate through our church APP, download the APP on your smartphone and set up a Subsplash account.

To donate online, scan the QR code.



SONG OF PRAISE

Once In Royal David's City

WORDS: CECIL FRANCES ALEXANDER; MUSIC: HENRY J. GAUNTLETT

Once in royal David's city
Stood a lowly cattle shed
Where a mother laid her baby
In a manger for His bed.
Mary was that mother mild
Jesus Christ her little child

He came down to earth from heaven
Who is God and Lord of all
And His shelter was a stable
And His cradle was a stall
With the poor and mean and lowly
Lived on earth our Savior holy

And through all His wondrous childhood
He would honor and obey,
Love and watch the lowly maiden
In whose gentle arms He lay
Christian children all should be
Kind, obedient, good as He

For He is our childhood's pattern
Day by day, like us He grew
He was little, weak and helpless
Tears and smiles like us He knew
And He feels for all our sadness
And He shares in all our gladness

And our eyes at last shall see Him
Through His own redeeming love
For that child so dear and gentle
Is our Lord in heav'n above
And He leads his children on
To the place where He has gone

Constitution

Please be seated.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The lighting of Advent Candles dramatically depicts the growing expectation we have for the coming of Christ.

THE LIGHTING OF THE ADVENT CANDLE & ADVENT READINGS

Leader: "The light shines in the darkness, and the darkness has not overcome it." We light this candle to remember this truth: Jesus is the Light of the World and the Prince of Peace. He is the means for reconciliation between the Righteous God and His unrighteous people. He is also the means of peace between people, within families, across cultures, generations, classes, and nations.

People: Therefore, let us walk in the light of the Lord.

Prayer Requests? Let us know how we can pray for you. Fill out the Prayer Request form on our church app or website by scanning the QR Code.



OLD TESTAMENT READINGS

Malachi 3:1-4

¹ "Behold, I send my messenger, and he will prepare the way before me. And the Lord whom you seek will suddenly come to his temple; and the messenger of the covenant in whom you delight, behold, he is coming, says the LORD of hosts. ² But who can endure the day of his coming, and who can stand when he appears? For he is like a refiner's fire and like fullers' soap. ³ He will sit as a refiner and purifier of silver, and he will purify the sons of Levi and refine them like gold and silver, and they will bring offerings in righteousness to the LORD. ⁴ Then the offering of Judah and Jerusalem will be pleasing to the LORD as in the days of old and as in former years.

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God

Isaiah 40:1-11

¹ Comfort, comfort my people, says your God. ² Speak tenderly to Jerusalem, and cry to her that her warfare is ended, that her iniquity is pardoned, that she has received from the LORD's hand double for all her sins.

³ A voice cries: "In the wilderness prepare the way of the LORD; make straight in the desert a highway for our God. ⁴ Every valley shall be lifted up, and every mountain and hill be made low; the uneven ground shall become level, and the rough places a plain. ⁵ And the glory of the LORD shall be revealed, and all flesh shall see it together, for the mouth of the LORD has spoken."

⁶ A voice says, "Cry!" And I said, "What shall I cry? All flesh is grass, and all its beauty is like the flower of the field. ⁷ The grass withers, the flower fades when the breath of the LORD blows on it; surely the people are grass. ⁸ The grass withers, the flower fades, but the word of our God will stand forever.

⁹ Go on up to a high mountain, O Zion, herald of good news; lift up your voice with strength, O Jerusalem, herald of good news; lift it up, fear not; say to the cities of Judah, "Behold your God!" ¹⁰ Behold, the Lord GOD comes with might, and his arm rules for him; behold, his reward is with him, and his recompense before him. ¹¹ He will tend his flock like a shepherd; he will gather the lambs in his arms; he will carry them in his bosom, and gently lead those that are with young.

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God

CHILDREN'S DISMISSAL - DURING THE LAST STANZA OF THE SONG OF PREPARATION

(At the parents' discretion, children 2 years old to 5th grade may go to a Sermon Time class or remain in the service. Children nursery age - kindergarten need to be checked in using KidCheck prior to the service or at this dismissal and checked out directly with their child's teacher following the sermon.)

Please stand.

SONG OF PREPARATION

Be Thou My Vision

WORDS: ELEANOR HULL, MUSIC: TRADITIONAL IRISH MELODY

Be thou my vision,
O Lord of my heart;
Naught 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,
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 heav'n's Sun!
Heart of my own heart,
whatever befall,
Still be my vision,
O Ruler of all.

Please be seated.

GOSPEL READING

Luke 3:1-6

¹ In the fifteenth year of the reign of Tiberius Caesar, Pontius Pilate being governor of Judea, and Herod being tetrarch of Galilee, and his brother Philip tetrarch of the region of Ituraea and Trachonitis, and Lysanias tetrarch of Abilene, ² during the high priesthood of Annas and Caiaphas, the word of God came to John the son of Zechariah in the wilderness. ³ And he went into all the region around the Jordan, proclaiming a baptism of repentance for the forgiveness of sins. ⁴ As it is written in the book of the words of Isaiah the prophet,

“The voice of one crying in the wilderness:

‘Prepare the way of the Lord,
make his paths straight.

⁵ Every valley shall be filled,
and every mountain and hill shall be made low,
and the crooked shall become straight,

and the rough places shall become level ways,
⁶ and all flesh shall see the salvation of God.”

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God

The Spirit uses
the reading and
preaching of
God's Word
to impart new
Spiritual life as
well as to nourish
and comfort
God's people in
their faith.

SERMON

REV. JOSH HAHNE

The Advent

Please stand.

SONG OF RESPONSE

O Come, O Come Emmanuel

WORDS: JOHN NEALE & HENRY COFFIN; MUSIC: THOMAS HELMORE

O come, O come Emmanuel
And ransom captive Israel
That mourns in lonely exile here
Until the Son of God appear

*Rejoice! Rejoice! Emmanuel
Shall come to thee O Israel!*

O come, O Come Thou Lord of might
Who to thy tribes on Sinai's height
In ancient times didst give the law
In cloud and majesty ad awe.

*Rejoice! Rejoice! Emmanuel
Shall come to thee O Israel!*

O come Thou Rod of Jesse
free thine own from Satan's tyranny
from depths of hell thy people save
And give them victory o'er the grave

*Rejoice! Rejoice! Emmanuel
Shall come to thee O Israel!*

O come, thou Dayspring from on high
And cheer us by thy drawing nigh
disperse the gloomy clouds of night
and death's dark shadows put to flight

*Rejoice! Rejoice! Emmanuel
Shall come to thee O Israel!*

O come thou key of David
come and open wide our heav'nly home
make safe the way that leads on high
and close the path to misery

*Rejoice! Rejoice! Emmanuel
Shall come to thee O Israel!*

Communion

Our communion liturgy is adapted from Scripture as well as the earliest traditions of the church. The liturgy begins with *The Sursum Corda* which is Latin for “lift up your hearts,” and calls us to be heavenly minded in the Lord’s presence (cf. Psalm 25:1; 2 Thessalonians 3:16).

The Sanctus is a prayer that has been used by the church since the first century to respond to the mystery of Christ’s presence in the sacrament (cf. Psalm 118:26; Isaiah 6:3; Revelation 4:8).

The Memorial Acclamation is a triumphant declaration of the gospel of Christ as portrayed in this holy meal (cf. 1 Corinthians 5:7, 11:26; 1 Timothy 3:16).

INTRODUCTION TO THE SACRAMENT

Minister: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Minister: Lift up your hearts.

People: We lift them up to the Lord.

Minister: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: It is right to give him thanks and praise.

Minister: It is right, our duty and privilege, to at all times, and in all places, give thanks to you, O Lord God almighty. Therefore, with angels and archangels, and with all the company of heaven, we praise and magnify your glorious name; saying together:

ALL: Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the Name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest!

PRAYER & WORDS OF INSTITUTION

Minister: Therefore, let us proclaim the mystery of faith:

ALL: Christ has died! Christ is risen! Christ will come again!

Minister: Christ our Passover has been sacrificed for us.

People: Therefore, let us keep the feast.

Minister: These are the Gifts of God, for the People of God. Feed on him in your hearts by faith, and with thanksgiving.

DISTRIBUTION OF THE BREAD AND THE CUP

Communion (i.e. the Lord’s Supper or Eucharist) is a holy meal in which we remember Jesus’ life, death, and resurrection. In the sacrament, God comes near to his church and we experience his grace anew.

Who should participate? We invite everyone who has been made a part of a Christian church by baptism, professes faith in Christ, and endeavors to live for him to join with us in this sacred meal. If this does not describe you, we encourage you not to partake, but instead to use this time to consider the things you have seen and heard, including God’s love for humanity as portrayed in this meal. You may come forward to receive prayer (simply cross your arms over your chest as you pass the servers) or, if you prefer, simply remain in your seat.

How should I participate? Starting with the front rows, come forward. As you are served, partake of the bread and wine then return to your seat. Note: We use bread and red wine, but gluten free wafers (containing organic brown and white rice flour only) and white grape juice are also available.

Parents: If your children are too young to understand the meaning of this meal please instruct them to cross their arms over their chest. As soon as they are able to appreciate these things in an age appropriate way our leaders would love to meet with them, hear of their faith, and admit them to the table.

COMMUNION SONG

Here, O my Lord, I see Thee face to face

WORDS: HORATIUS BONAR (1855); MUSIC: FREDERICK C. ATKINSON (1870)

Here, O my Lord, I see thee face to face;
here would I touch and handle things unseen,
here grasp with firmer hand th'eternal grace,
and all my weariness upon thee lean.

Here would I feed upon the bread of God,
here drink with thee the royal wine of heav'n;
here would I lay aside each earthly load,
here taste afresh the calm of sin forgiv'n.

This is the hour of banquet and of song;
this is the heav'nly table spread for me:
here let me feast, and feasting, still prolong
the brief, bright hour of fellowship with thee.

I have no help but thine, nor do I need
another arm save thine to lean upon:
it is enough, my Lord, enough indeed;
my strength is in thy might, thy might alone.

Mine is the sin, but thine the righteousness;
mine is the guilt, but thine the cleansing blood;
here is my robe, my refuge, and my peace:
thy blood, thy righteousness, O Lord my God

Please stand

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

We thank you, O God, that through Word and sacrament you have given us your Son, who is the true bread from heaven and food of eternal life. Strengthen us in your service that our daily living may show our thanks, through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

Commission

SONG OF DEPARTURE

Good Christian Men Rejoice

WORDS: JOHN MASON NEALE; MUSIC: IN DULCI JUBILO

Good Christian men rejoice
With heart and soul and voice!
Give ye heed to what we say: News! News!
Jesus Christ is born today!
Ox and ass before Him bow
And He is in the manger now
Christ is born today! Christ is born today!

Good Christian men, rejoice
With heart and soul and voice
Now ye hear of endless bliss: Joy! Joy!
Jesus Christ was born for this!
He has opened the heaven's door
And man is blessed evermore
Christ was born for this! Christ was born for this!

Good Christian men rejoice
With heart and soul and voice!
Now ye need not fear the grave: Peace! Peace!
Jesus Christ was born to save!
Calls you one and calls you all
To gain His everlasting hall
Christ was born to save! Christ was born to save!

Just as we
begin with
God's gracious
invitation, so
we end with
God's promise
to always be
with us.

BLESSING - ROMANS 15:13

May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace in believing, so that by the power of the Holy Spirit you may abound in hope.

THE DISMISSAL

Minister: As we await our coming Savior, go in the peace of Christ.

People: Thanks be to God.

FOLLOWING THE SERVICE

Sermons can be streamed and downloaded by scanning the QR code.



Redeemer at a Glance

Our rhythm of our life together follows this pattern:

- WORSHIP } is the primary activity of our church. It is the rationale for creation and the goal of redemption. We believe that a day is coming when our present fallen world will be engulfed by the New Heavens and the New Earth, where shalom will abound, where all things will be to the praise of God's glory.
 - FORMATION } occurs as people are transformed by the gospel. It begins as we first believe and continues throughout our life of faith as we seek to love God with heart, soul, mind & strength as well as our neighbors as ourselves. Spiritual formation takes place in community where God is present and active through Scripture, prayer, sacraments, and fellowship of the church.
 - MISSION } is the story of Scripture in which God is at work to redeem the world. This story culminates in Jesus Christ, who was lovingly sent by God the Father to seek and to save the lost. In his life, death, and resurrection, God has been victorious. And now, the church is sent into the world—into Orange County & beyond—with the Spirit, to continue the work of redemption.
 - CULTURE } takes place as individual Christians are sent into the world to be faithful and present in their communities. Through their families, friendships, and ordinary vocations Christians love their neighbors by contributing to and celebrating truth, goodness, and beauty.
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Get involved in our regular ministries:



SMALL GROUPS – Prayer Groups, Study Groups, Community Groups and Interest Groups



MEN'S AND WOMEN'S MINISTRY – Regular gatherings and yearly retreats to deepen our relationships and support each other.



CHILDREN & YOUTH MINISTRIES – Whether it's a new baby or a house full of teenagers, Redeemer is a place for your family.



RUF - Reformed University Fellowship is our Ministry to the college campus.



LOCAL SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES - Love and serve Orange County.

Advent & Christmas

Mark your calendars for the following dates to celebrate Advent and Christmas at Redeemer

WORSHIP SERVICES

Advent Sundays | November 28, December 5, 12, 19 at 10:00AM

Lessons & Carols Christmas Eve Service | December 24 at 5:00PM

Join us for our annual Christmas Eve service. We will sing the great Christmas songs interspersed with readings from Scripture, and a short Christmas message.

Christmastide Sundays | December 26 and January 2 at 10:00AM

EVENTS & PARTIES

Children's Christmas Party

Today, Sunday December 5 - Directly after the worship service

All children ages 2 years - 5th grade are invited to celebrate with Christmas carols, stories, cookie decorating and crafts to prepare their hearts for the Christmas season. See our Children's Ministry Director, Nem Malabuyo for more details.

Youth Ugly Sweater Christmas Parties

High School December 10th & Junior High December 11th

Youth are invited to come celebrate Christmas at our annual Ugly Sweater & White Elephant Gift Exchange. The High School Party will be held at the Maxwell's home and the Jr. High Party will be held at the Moore's home. Contact Danny Morgan, dannym@redeemeroc.org for more information.

RUF Spotlight Presentation

December 12th - Directly after the worship service

All are invited to hear ministry updates from Rev. Derek Rishmawy (RUF UCI), Rev. Chad Brewer (RUF International and Global), and Jenelle Eggleston (RUF in Bogota, Columbia).

Ethiopia ACT / Jason Polk Spotlight Presentation

December 19th - Directly after the worship service

All are invited to learn more about our global partnership with Ethiopia ACT/Rev. Jason Polk.

12 Days of Christmas Presentation & Kids Craft Activity

December 26th - Directly after the worship service

Join us for a presentation from Pastor Adam Feichtmann on the 12 Days of Christmas. You will learn more about 12 days and some suggestions to observe them. Our kids will enjoy a kids craft activity during the presentation!

Announcements & Events

(To see additional announcements & events please visit the Redeemer website, calendar and app)

Last Call for Pictures for our New Church Directory

Today, Sunday December 5th, following the worship service

We are setting up a new Church Directory and would like to include a picture of you and your family. David Meye will be taking pictures after the service today. If you have any questions please contact Danielle Smith, danielles@redeemeroc.org

Angel Tree

Sunday, November 28th - Sunday, December 12th

Share the love of Christ with children of prisoners this Christmas by sponsoring a child from our Angel Tree. Let's make sure no child is forgotten. This year we will be having a virtual online event. Sponsors will be able to pick a child online and purchase a gift card. Prison Fellowship Angel Tree staff will mail the gift with a message from the incarcerated parent to the child. Online purchases should be completed by Sunday, December 12th. Please sign-up at the Prison Ministry table.

Contact Lauri Fusco, laurifusco@cox.net, with questions.

Amazon Smile for Redeemer

If you are planning to buy Christmas gifts via Amazon, would you consider designating Redeemer as the charity of your choice? .5% of your purchases will be donated directly to Redeemer! Click on the QR code to sign up for Amazon Smile and designate Redeemer Presbyterian Church, Newport Beach as your selected charitable organization.



Small Groups

SMALL GROUPS

Get involved in the life of our congregation beyond Sunday by joining a small group, where we cultivate our communion with God and friendships with others. If you would like to host and/or lead a group, please contact Pastor Adam, adamf@redeemeroc.org

COMMUNITY GROUPS

Join one of our Community Groups for common life, common tables, and common prayer and reading of scripture.

Newport Mesa Community Group

When: Sundays, 4:30 - 6:00PM
Regularity: Every other week, Starting 9/19
Location: Feichtmann House in Costa Mesa
Host/Contact: Adam Feichtmann
adamf@redeemeroc.org

Irvine Community Group

When: Sundays, 4:00 – 6:00PM
Regularity: Weekly, Starting 9/12
Location: Johnson Home in Irvine (UCI)
Contact: Beckie White
rewhite@westmont.edu

Costa Mesa Community Group

When: Wednesdays, 7:30 - 9:00PM
Regularity: Every other week, Starting 9/15
Location: McCaslin home in Costa Mesa
Host/Contact: Remy Lamons
remy.lamons@lw.com

North County Community Group

When: Sunday Afternoons
Regularity: Weekly, Starting 8/29
Location: Rotation of homes in and around Fullerton
Contact: Andrew Evans
andrewmadisonevans@gmail.com

BOOK STUDY GROUPS

Join one of our Book Study Groups as they discuss a book and cultivate community

Praying with Paul Book Study Group

When: Wednesdays, 7:00 – 9:00PM
Format: Praying with Paul by D.A Carson
Regularity: Weekly, Starting September 22
Location: Sebourm Home in Irvine
Contact: Jeremy Sebourm
jsebourm@gmail.com

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY GROUPS

Join one of our Women's Bible Study Groups as they study scripture and cultivate community

Women's Morning Bible Study Group

When: Wednesdays 9:30 – 11:30am
Curriculum: 1 & 2 Timothy. Book purchase required.
Regularity: Weekly, Starting 10/13
Location: Hahne Home in Newport Beach
Contact: Sarah Stratton
gracekey@mac.com
**Childcare: Provided, but limited.*
*Please register with Sara Stratton**

Women's Evening Bible Study Group

When: Mondays, 7:00PM
Curriculum: Hebrews using Better, a Study of Hebrews by Jen Wilkin
Regularity: Twice a month. 1st and 3rd Mondays, Starting 9/20
Location: Online Over Zoom
Contact: Kem Erskine
kemerskine@yahoo.com
Childcare: Not available

Small Groups

MEN'S MORNING PRAYER GROUPS

Join one of our Prayer Groups as they pray and read scripture through Redeemer's Daily Morning Prayer

Wednesday Men's Morning Prayer Group via Zoom

When: Wednesdays, 6:40 - 7:00AM

Regularity: Weekly

Location: Online over Zoom

Host/Contact: Guy Erskine
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Thursday Men's Morning Prayer Group via Zoom

When: Thursdays, 7:00 - 7:45AM

Regularity: Every other week, Starting 9/16

Location: Online over Zoom

Host/Contact: Adam Feichtmann
adamf@redeemeroc.org

SUPPORT GROUPS

Join one of our Support Groups as they read scripture, discuss a topic, pray together and cultivate community

Emotional Wellness Small Group

When: Sundays, 1:30 – 3:00pm

Regularity: Monthly, Starting 9/19

Fall Topics: Anxiety, Depression, Forgiveness

Format: Intros, Bible study, Open share, & Prayer

Locations: Outdoor Locations across Newport Beach

Contact: Rachel Shapiro
rachelshapirotv@gmail.com

INTEREST GROUPS

Join one of our Interest Groups as they gather together around a specific interest.

Men's Surfing Group

A group of men who regularly surf together

When: When the surf is good/decent

Regularity: Several times a week, normally early mornings

Location: Mainly across Newport Beach

Contact: Kyle Pringle (714-606-4215) to be added to the text thread

Pickleball League

When: Sundays, 12:30PM

Regularity: Every other week on Sunday, starting November 21st

Location: Bonita Canyon Pickleball Courts in Newport Beach. Please bring your own Pickleball racquet

Contact: Ricky Reitler (714-316-3231), rreitler1994@gmail.com

YOUTH GROUPS

Check out Redeemer's online youth calendar to find out details about our annual Fall Campout, Fall Studies, Photo Scavenger Hunt, Service Event & Christmas Party.

Daily Scripture Readings

Please use your Order of Worship as a personal, family or group worship resource for prayers, hymns and readings this week. The scripture readings below are part of a two-year cycle that will take you through the Old Testament once, the New Testament twice and the Psalms frequently.

Advent Week 2

Sunday

Evening: Psalms 114, 115 / Luke 1:57-68

Monday

Morning: Psalm 25 / Amos 7:1-9 / Revelation 1:1-8

Evening: Psalms 9, 15 / Matthew 22:23-33

Tuesday

Morning: Psalms 26, 28 / Amos 7:10-17 / Revelation 1:9-16

Evening: Psalms 36, 39 / Matthew 22:34-46

Wednesday

Morning: Psalm 38 / Amos 8 / Revelation 1:17-2:7

Evening: Psalm 119:25-48 / Matthew 23:1-12

Thursday

Morning: Psalm 37:1-18 / Amos 9:1-10 / Revelation 2:8-17

Evening: Psalm 37:19-40 / Matthew 23:13-26

Friday

Morning: Psalm 31 / Haggai 1 / Revelation 2:18-29

Evening: Psalm 35 / Matthew 23:27-39

Saturday:

Morning: Psalms 30, 32 / Haggai 2:1-9 / Revelation 3:1-6

Evening: Psalms 42, 43 / Matthew 24:1-14

Sunday

Morning: Psalms 63, 98 / Amos 9:11-15 / 2 Thessalonians 2:1-3; 2:13-17

To sign up for our daily morning and evening prayer emails with these scripture readings along with prayers and liturgy from the Order of Worship, go to redeemeroc.org/daily/ or scan the QR code.



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