



REDEEMER

WINTER HAVEN

To all who are weary and desire rest, to all who mourn and long for comfort, to all who sin and need a Savior, Redeemer opens wide its doors with a welcome from King Jesus the mighty Friend of sinners, the Ally of his enemies, the Defender of the indefensible.



January 22, 2022 – Third Sunday after Epiphany

Season of the Cross: Green for Ordinary Time

Ordinary time runs between Epiphany and Lent. Ordinary Time has traditionally been devoted to seeking our Lord in the simple, ordinary day-in and day-out rhythms of life. It is a time in which we are all invited to order our lives around Christ's life and teaching.

Call to Worship: Matthew 11:18-20

We read God's Word, the Bible, together. It reminds us of who God is and what He expects from us.

Leader: Come to me, all who labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you, and learn for me, for I am gentle and lowly in heart, and you will find rest for your souls.

People: Your yoke is easy. Your burden is light.

Song of Ascent

The first song we sing together guides us as we "go up" or approach the presence of God to worship Him. This song is meant to rouse us to worship and awaken our hearts.

Isaiah 43 (Do Not Fear)

Reading of the Law: Jeremiah 45:4-5

While the law cannot justify us or make us righteous; it is a teacher given to lead us to Christ, the fulfiller of the law.

...Thus says the LORD: Behold, what I have built I am breaking down, and what I have planted I am plucking up—that is, the whole land. And do you seek great things for yourself? Seek them not...

Prayer of Adoration and Confession

We pray together, praising God for who He really is (Adoration) and admitting our inability to live up to what He expects of us (Confession).

Song of Repentance

We respond to the good news of God's mercy and grace by singing again of His goodness and greatness.

O Come to the Altar

Assurance of Pardon: 1 Timothy 2:1-6

We read God's Word together and are reminded that grace and mercy are freely given to all who have faith in Jesus Christ.

First of all, then, I urge that supplications, prayers, intercessions, and thanksgivings be made for all people, for kings and all who are in high positions, that we may lead a peaceful and quiet life, godly and dignified in every way. This is good, and it is pleasing in the sight of God our Savior, who desires all people to be saved and to come to the knowledge of the truth. For there is one God, and there is one mediator between God and men, the man Christ Jesus, who gave himself as a ransom for all, which is the testimony given at the proper time.

Greeting

In Jesus, we have not only been reconciled to God, we have also been reconciled to one another. Therefore, we greet one another as brothers and sisters.

Songs of Praise and Celebration

Our response to God's free grace is celebratory worship. We express our praise to God for who He is and what He has done to save us

Heal Us
Shepherd

Worship Through Giving: Give Online at redeemerwh.org/give

We respond to the good news of God's mercy and grace for us in Jesus by giving generously to the work of this church and the kingdom of God.

Kids' Worship Dismissal

*Children **through fifth grade** are dismissed for kids' worship.*

Prayer of Thanksgiving & Intercession

We again express in prayer our gratitude to God for what he has done and ask him to continue to act for our good and the good of others in our community and the world.

Proclamation of God's Word

A small portion of God's Word is explained to us and applied to our own lives.

Mark 10:32-45 (see insert)

Song of Response & Sending

We respond to the good news of God's mercy and grace by singing again of His goodness and greatness.

The Lord Is My Salvation

Benediction

Because the hand of God's wrath was raised against Jesus, we now receive the hand of God's blessing as we are sent out to live our lives to the glory of God.

May the LORD bless you and keep you;
May the LORD make His face to shine upon you and be gracious to you;
May the LORD turn His face toward you and give you His peace,
Both now and forevermore. Amen.

Proclamation of God's Word

A small portion of God's Word is explained to us and applied to our own lives.

32 And they were on the road, going up to Jerusalem, and Jesus was walking ahead of them. And they were amazed, and those who followed were afraid. And taking the twelve again, he began to tell them what was to happen to him, 33 saying, "See, we are going up to Jerusalem, and the Son of Man will be delivered over to the chief priests and the scribes, and they will condemn him to death and deliver him over to the Gentiles. 34 And they will mock him and spit on him, and flog him and kill him. And after three days he will rise."

35 And James and John, the sons of Zebedee, came up to him and said to him, "Teacher, we want you to do for us whatever we ask of you." 36 And he said to them, "What do you want me to do for you?" 37 And they said to him, "Grant us to sit, one at your right hand and one at your left, in your glory." 38 Jesus said to them, "You do not know what you are asking. Are you able to drink the cup that I drink, or to be baptized with the baptism with which I am baptized?" 39 And they said to him, "We are able." And Jesus said to them, "The cup that I drink you will drink, and with the baptism with which I am baptized, you will be baptized, 40 but to sit at my right hand or at my left is not mine to grant, but it is for those for whom it has been prepared." 41 And when the ten heard it, they began to be indignant at James and John. 42 And Jesus called them to him and said to them, "You know that those who are considered rulers of the Gentiles lord it over them, and their great ones exercise authority over them. 43 But it shall not be so among you. But whoever would be great among you must be your servant, 44 and whoever would be first among you must be slave of all. 45 For even the Son of Man came not to be served but to serve, and to give his life as a ransom for many."

Pg. 846 (Mark 10:32-45 ESV)

Resources

Hannah Anderson, *Humble Roots*

Chris Hutchinson, *Rediscovering Humility*

Andrew Murray, *Humility*

Dane Ortlund, *Gentle and Lowly*

Gavin Ortlund, *Humility*

Family Worship/Group Discussion Questions

1. Prayerfully reflect on your heart, circumstances, relationships, etc. How did you "come" into worship today?
2. Where did the gospel "dwell in you richly" in the service today? In the prayers? In the singing? In the sermon?
3. Specifically, how were you led to turn from sin and trust in Jesus?
4. What is the one thing from the sermon this morning that you would most want to pass on to someone else?

Sermon Series: Mark

Sermon Title: Seek Great Things, But Not For Yourself

Date: January 22, 2023

I. PRIDEFUL AMBITIONS

"How much larger your life would be in your self could become smaller in it." - G.K. Chesterton

II. THE SUFFERING SAVIOR

"Christ is eternal love humbling itself, clothing itself in the garb of meekness and gentleness, to win, serve and save us." - Andrew Murray

III. HUMBLE LEADERS

"Humility is more than simply one more virtue to aim at - it is to be the atmosphere and quality in which we experience all of life. Humility is not just another thing to do: it is the way we should do everything." - Gavin Ortland

Announcements

Seeing Jesus Together Lab: Jonathan will be leading a workshop from the new Seeing Jesus Together (formerly CBR) Journal on **Wednesday, January 25, at 6:30pm**. No RSVP required. This is a great opportunity for parents of teenagers.

Women's Brunch: Ladies, please plan to join us for brunch on **Saturday, January 28, from 10am-12pm at Leslee Diaz's home (867 Twin Oaks Lane)**. Bring a friend and your favorite brunch item and we'll provide the beverages.

Corporate Prayer: Please join us **Sunday, January 29 at 5pm** for a time of corporate prayer. We'll meet downtown in Central Park and walk throughout the downtown area praying for our city government, businesses, non-profits, and churches.

BUILD: We're excited to resume BUILD this Spring. We'll meet weekly on **Wednesday nights from 6:30-7:30pm for a 6-week stretch between February 1 and March 8**. We will begin our first and last meetings of the spring with dinner at 5:30pm.

Men's Retreat: Guys, registration is now open for our men's retreat: **February 17-18 at Dark Hammock Ranch**. The \$40 registration fee covers all of your meals. There are 4 lodging options: on-site camping, on-site lodging (limited), nearby hotel (must book yourself), & commuting. Visit redeemerwh.org/rsvp to register.

Get Connected: The best way to stay up-to-date with what's happening at Redeemer is through our online newsletter (redeemerwh.org/newsletter) and our mobile app (redeemerwh.org/app).

Online Directory: Our online directory is provided for Regular Attendees and Members. The great thing about this platform is that you can upload your own photo or edit your profile's information and it automatically syncs with our database. Visit redeemerwh.org/directory to access your profile.

Worship Playlists: Follow our weekly set list on Spotify and Apple Music so that you can become familiar with the songs that we'll be singing on Sundays. You can find the playlist on the "RedeemerWH" app (above) or at: (redeemerwh.org/worship).



**MISSION
FUND**

**GOAL: \$50,000
RECEIVED: \$570**

redeemerwinterhaven.org | (863) 298-9849
Mobile App: redeemerwh.org/app | facebook.com/redeemerwhc