

REDEEMER

SOUTHWEST CHURCH



Sunday, September 1, 2019
"Jesus, Our Great Treasure"

Song of Gathering

Come Behold the Wondrous Mystery

Call to Worship: Isaiah 55:1 & Psalm 73:25-26

Leader: Come, everyone who thirsts, come to the waters; and he who has no money, come, buy and eat! Come, buy wine and milk without money and without price.

ALL: Whom have I in heaven but you? And there is nothing on earth that I desire besides you. My flesh and my heart may fail, but God is the strength of my heart and my portion forever.

Be Thou My Vision

Praising God & Confessing Our Sins

The Good News: Philippians 3:7-12

7 But whatever gain I had, I counted as loss for the sake of Christ. 8 Indeed, I count everything as loss because of the surpassing worth of knowing Christ Jesus my Lord. For his sake I have suffered the loss of all things and count them as rubbish, in order that I may gain Christ 9 and be found in him, not having a righteousness of my own that comes from the law, but that which comes through faith in Christ, the righteousness from God that depends on faith— 10 that I may know him and the power of his resurrection, and may share his sufferings, becoming like him in his death, 11 that by any means possible I may attain the resurrection from the dead. 12 Not that I have already obtained this or am already perfect, but I press on to make it my own, because Christ Jesus has made me his own.

Greeting

Songs of Praise

Christ is Mine Forevermore All I Have is Christ

Thanking God & Praying for Others

Scripture Reading & Sermon

Matthew 13:44-46 (see insert)

Confession of Faith: The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, and born of the virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead and buried; he descended into hell. The third day he rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From there he will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, one holy church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

Sacrament of Communion

Rock of Ages

Songs of Response & Sending

Jesus, I My Cross Have Taken

Benediction

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: Pg 819 in Pew Bible

44 "The kingdom of heaven is like treasure hidden in a field, which a man found and covered up. Then in his joy he goes and sells all that he has and buys that field. 45 "Again, the kingdom of heaven is like a merchant in search of fine pearls, 46 who, on finding one pearl of great value, went and sold all that he had and bought it.

Matthew 13:44-46 (ESV)

Sermon Series: Parables of the Kingdom Sermon Title: Jesus, Our Great Treasure Date: September 1, 2019

I. The Value of the Kingdom

II. The Discovery of the Kingdom

III. The Cost of the Kingdom

Announcements

Women's Brunch: Ladies, join us THIS Saturday, September 7 from 10am-12:30pm at Redeemer City. It will be a wonderful time of fellowship, friendship, & of course, delicious food. Please invite a family member, friend, or neighbor to join you. We would love a full house! Visit redeemerwh.org/brunch to signup for food and register for childcare.

Men's Breakfast: Guys, mark your calendars for our Men's Breakfast on Saturday, September 28, 8am location TBD.

Vision Dinner/Congregational Meeting: Join us Wednesday, September 11, at **5:30p, at Redeemer City** for our next Vision Dinner. During our meeting we will vote to elect the nominees for elders and deacons. Childcare and dinner will be provided. Please RSVP at redeemerwh.org/vd.

Renew Polk Gathering: We're happy to announce the upcoming Vision & Prayer Gathering of Renew Polk churches on Sunday, September 8, 5pm at Trinity Presbyterian in Lakeland. There are now 10 churches in our network and we meet jointly twice a year to worship and pray together. We hope you will join us for this special night. Childcare will be available through pre-k, help us plan by emailing krissa@trinitylakeland.org. Consider making this a Community Group outing.

Gospel Lens Workshop: Ladies, if you are not going to the Marriage Conference, consider attending the Gospel Lens Workshop on Saturday, October 5 from 8:30am-3pm at Redeemer Lakeland. The cost to attend is \$20. If you'd like to attend, contact Lucia Campbell at luciastr@aol.com or 863-397-5786.

Get Connected: You can keep up with sermons, worship, events & our Bible reading plan by downloading our church app, redeemerwh.org/app.

Student Ministry

Our youth group meets Wednesday nights from 6:30 - 8:00pm at Redeemer City Church (1410 Dundee Road) for grades 6th to 12th. Contact Michelle Gilmore if you have any questions: michellemariegilmore@gmail.com.

Community Groups

Sunday mornings are great, but there's not much time to really get to know anyone or build relationships. Community groups are our way of doing that. They are bi-monthly informal small groups that meet in homes and are the primary way of "connecting" with others at Redeemer Southwest Church. Please contact Rodney Barton (rodney@redeemerwinterhaven.org) for more info.

Blasio Group 2nd/4th Sundays, 4pm Blasio99@aol.com

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