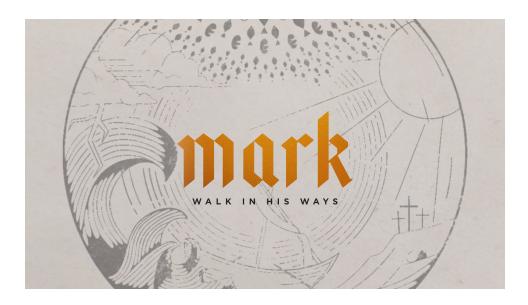


To all who are weary and desire rest, to all who mourn and long for comfort, to all who sin and need a Savior, Redeemer opens wide its doors with a welcome from King Jesus the mighty Friend of sinners, the Ally of his enemies, the Defender of the indefensible.



January 29, 2022 – Fourth 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: Psalm 118:25-29

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

Leader: Save us, we pray, O LORD! O LORD, we pray, give us success! Blessed is he who comes in the name of the LORD! We bless you from the house of the LORD. The LORD is God, and he has made his light to shine upon us. Bind the festal sacrifice with cords, up to the horns of the altar!

People: You are my God, and I will give thanks to you; you are my God; I will extol you. Oh give thanks to the LORD, for he is good; for his steadfast love endures forever!

**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.

King of Love

Reading of the Law: Luke 19:39-40

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.

And some of the Pharisees in the crowd said to him, "Teacher, rebuke your disciples." He answered, "I tell you, if these were silent, the very stones would cry out."

**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: Zechariah 9:9-10, 16

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

Rejoice greatly, O daughter of Zion! Shout aloud, O daughter of Jerusalem! Behold, your king is coming to you; righteous and having salvation is he, humble and mounted on a donkey, on a colt, the foal of a donkey. I will cut off the chariot from Ephraim and the war horse from Jerusalem; and the battle bow shall be cut off, and he shall speak peace to the nations; his rule shall be from sea to sea, and from the River to the ends of the earth... On that day the LORD their God will save them, as the flock of his people; for like the jewels of a crown they shall shine on his land.

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

O Love that Will Not Let Me Go Nothing But the Blood

## 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 11:1-11 (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 Goodness of Jesus

### **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.

1 Now when they drew near to Jerusalem, to Bethphage and Bethany, at the Mount of Olives, Jesus sent two of his disciples 2 and said to them, "Go into the village in front of you, and immediately as you enter it you will find a colt tied, on which no one has ever sat. Untie it and bring it. 3 If anyone says to you, 'Why are you doing this?' say, 'The Lord has need of it and will send it back here immediately." 4 And they went away and found a colt tied at a door outside in the street, and they untied it. 5 And some of those standing there said to them, "What are you doing, untying the colt?" 6 And they told them what Jesus had said, and they let them go. 7 And they brought the colt to Jesus and threw their cloaks on it, and he sat on it. 8 And many spread their cloaks on the road, and others spread leafy branches that they had cut from the fields. 9 And those who went before and those who followed were shouting, "Hosanna! Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord! 10 Blessed is the coming kingdom of our father David! Hosanna in the highest!"

11 And he entered Jerusalem and went into the temple. And when he had looked around at everything, as it was already late, he went out to Bethany with the twelve.

Pg. 847 (Mark 11:1-11 ESV)

# **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: Walk In His Ways **Sermon Title:** Christ, the Unexpected King **Date:** January 29, 2023

**NOTES:** 

#### **Announcements**

**Corporate Prayer:** Please join us **TONIGHT 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.

Congregational Meeting: The session has called a congregational meeting regarding the 2023 budget. The meeting will be in the sanctuary on Wednesday, February 1 at 6:30pm, immediately following the BUILD dinner (beginning at 5:30pm).

**BUILD:** We're excited to resume BUILD this week. 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)**.





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