



REDEEMER

SOUTHWEST CHURCH



Sunday, June 9, 2019
"Mercy for Murderers"

Song of Gathering

And Can It Be?

Call to Worship: Based on Ps. 105, Rom. 5 & Rev. 4

Leader: The love of God has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit who has been given to us;

ALL: We dwell in him and he in us.

Leader: Give thanks to the Lord and call upon his name;

ALL: Make known his deeds among the peoples.

Leader: Sing to him, sing praises to him,

ALL: And speak of all his marvelous works.

Leader: Holy, holy, holy is the Lord God Almighty,

ALL: Who was and is and is to come!

Sovereign Over Us

Praising God & Confessing Our Sins

The Good News: Ephesians 4:31-5:2

31 Let all bitterness and wrath and anger and clamor and slander be put away from you, along with all malice. 32 Be kind to one another, tenderhearted, forgiving one another, as God in Christ forgave you... 1 Therefore be imitators of God, as beloved children. 2 And walk in love, as Christ loved us and gave himself up for us, a fragrant offering and sacrifice to God.

Greeting

Songs of Praise

Hallelujah! What A Savior
I Want to Know You

Thanking God & Praying for Others

Scripture Reading & Sermon

Exodus 20; Genesis 9; Matthew 5 (*see insert*)

Songs of Response & Sending

Jerusalem
Jesus Paid It All

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. 61, 6 & 810 in Pew Bible

And God spoke all these words, saying, 2 "I am the Lord your God, who brought you out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of slavery. 13 "You shall not murder."

Exodus 20:1-2, 13 (ESV)

5 And for your lifeblood I will require a reckoning: from every beast I will require it and from man. From his fellow man I will require a reckoning for the life of man. 6 "Whoever sheds the blood of man, by man shall his blood be shed, for God made man in his own image. 7 And you, be fruitful and multiply, increase greatly on the earth and multiply in it."

Genesis 9:5-7 (ESV)

21 "You have heard that it was said to those of old, 'You shall not murder; and whoever murders will be liable to judgment.' 22 But I say to you that everyone who is angry with his brother will be liable to judgment; whoever insults his brother will be liable to the council; and whoever says, 'You fool!' will be liable to the hell of fire. 23 So if you are offering your gift at the altar and there remember that your brother has something against you, 24 leave your gift there before the altar and go. First be reconciled to your brother, and then come and offer your gift. 25 Come to terms quickly with your accuser while you are going with him to court, lest your accuser hand you over to the judge, and the judge to the guard, and you be put in prison. 26 Truly, I say to you, you will never get out until you have paid the last penny.

Matthew 5:21-26 (ESV)

Sermon Series: The Ten Commandments

Sermon Title: Mercy For Murderers

Date: June 9, 2019

I. The Commandment

What does the heart of the sixth commandment and its penalty for breaking it (Gen.9) teach us about the sanctity of human life?

II. The Deeper Commandment

What did Jesus teach about this commandment? What is the DNA of murder? How and why do we continually break it? How is this ultimately a worship problem?

III. Keeping the Commandment

There is mercy for murderers in the cross of Christ, which saves and transforms us into agents of life. Each commandment covers both inward attitudes and outward actions; they not only prohibit a negative action, but imply a positive. What does it look like for us as Christians to fully keep this commandment?

Announcements

Marriage Conference: Join us for two nights away on a marriage retreat with video teachings by Pastor, Marriage Counselor, and Author Dr. Paul Tripp. There will be four group sessions, a night out together for dinner and fun, and also a date night. Save the date and begin to secure childcare if needed. The conference will be **October 4-6 in downtown Lakeland at the Terrace Hotel**. The price to attend is **\$250 per couple**, this does not include food costs. Space is limited, you can reserve your spot with a \$50 deposit. **The deadline to register is June 30**. Visit: redeemerwh.org/rsw-marriage for registration and a conference trailer.

Men's Breakfast: Guys, Save the date for a Men's Breakfast on **Saturday, July 13, 8am at Barry Scarborough's lake house (5942 Crystal Beach Rd)**.

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

Worship Playlists: Follow our weekly set list on Spotify & 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/RSWmusic.

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.

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