

HAPPENING THIS WEEK

SUNDAY • MARCH 22

8:15am **Worship Service** | Nursery
 9:15am Bible Study - Meeting Room
9:30am **Worship Service** | **Livestream** | Nursery
 9:30am Kids Club - Kids Wing
 9:30am Radiate Middle School - Gym
 9:30am Engage High School - High School Room
11:00am **Worship Service** | Nursery
 11:00am **Confirmation Sunday**
 11:00am Kids Club - Kids Wing
 11:00am Bible Study - Meeting Room
 6:30-8:00pm Engage HS Group Movie Night - Gym - Door 6*

MONDAY • MARCH 23

6:30pm #BTC Evening Outreach - Gym - Door 5*
 6:30pm Finance Meeting - Multipurpose Room - Door 3*

TUESDAY • MARCH 24

10:00am-2:00pm Food Pantry Open
 5:30pm-7:00pm Food Pantry Open
 6:00-7:30pm **Financial Peace University** - HS Room - Door 4*
 6:00-7:30pm Radiate MS Group Game Night - Gym - Door 6*

WEDNESDAY • MARCH 25

10:00am Senior Bible Study - Meeting Room - Door 4*
 7:00pm Worship Team Practice

THURSDAY • MARCH 26

FRIDAY • MARCH 27 - Office Closed

SATURDAY • MARCH 28

SUNDAY • MARCH 29

Palm Sunday

(No Kids/Youth Classes today due to Spring Break)

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*Door numbers refer to the large white numbers on the building's exterior, above each outside door.



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Office Hours:

Mon-Thurs: 8:30am - 4:30pm

Sunday Services:

8:15, 9:30, & 11 am

Online: 9:30 am (FB & YouTube)

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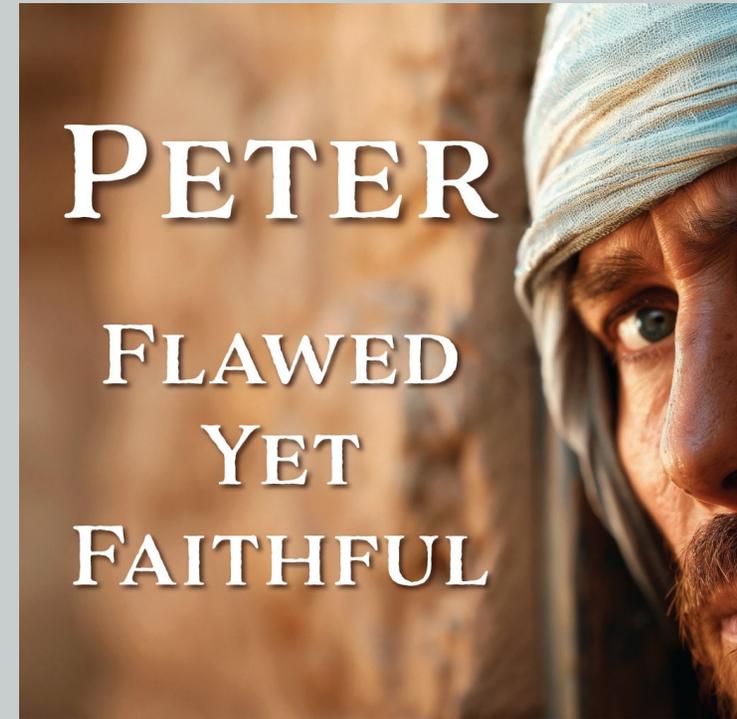
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PETER FLAWED YET FAITHFUL

Episodes from Peter's life reveal a deeply flawed but deeply loved disciple whose story is a powerful testament to God's grace, forgiveness, and ability to use imperfect people for His purposes, encouraging us as believers to keep running to Jesus, not from him.

MESSAGE: RIGHT PLACE, WRONG TOOLS

March 22, 2026

Text: Luke 22:47-53

Pew Bible: 877

Welcome to Redeemer!

CHECK IN

Whether you're online, new, or here all the time, be sure to sign in on a connection card, on the Redeemer app, online, or use the QR code! You can also share prayer requests, ask questions, & more.



NEXT SUNDAY: No Kids/Youth classes due to Spring Break.

CONFIRMATION CLASS

Congratulations to our 2026 Confirmation Students!

- Gavin Andersen*
- Landen Andersen*
- John Barber
- Sofia Barber
- Carly Dennis
- John Dukes
- Anabelle Kahl
- Kalvyn McKean
- Mallory Paisley
- Brooklyn Takagishi
- Maddy Takagishi
- Kinley Tatroe

*Congratulations to the Andersen family on the baptism of their sons, Gavin and Landen.



GOOD FRIDAY & EASTER

Good Friday

- Friday, April 3 | 7 pm **Livestream + Nursery care**
- Join us for a special time to remember the sacrifice that Jesus made for us on the cross.

Easter Sunday

- Sunday, April 5 | 8:15 | 9:30 | 11
- Looking for the truth this Easter? Join us for an inspiring service of worship as we celebrate the resurrection of Jesus and why it is important for our lives today.



VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL | SIGN UP

- June 15 - 18 | 9-11:30 am
- Volunteer registration is now **OPEN!**
- Pre K - Grade 5 registration opens after Easter on **April 6!**
- Learn more and sign up to volunteer online under [EVENTS](#)



MEMBERSHIP CLASS | SIGN UP

- Sundays: April 12 & 26 | 12:15-1:30 pm
- Joining Sunday: May 3
- Learn more about Redeemer and our vision and core values
- Everyone is welcome; no obligation to join the church
- Light lunch provided
- Learn more online under [EVENTS](#)



SLEEP IN HEAVENLY PEACE | SIGN UP

- Saturday, April 25 | 8:30 am - 12:00 pm
- Location: SHP Warehouse in Lansing
- Ages 12 + with an adult
- REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED to attend
- Need drink and snack donations
- Learn more and sign up to volunteer online under [EVENTS](#)



#BETHECHURCH EVENT CALENDAR

Find sign-ups & learn more online under [Outreach](#) or on the Redeemer mobile app under sign ups.

- Mar 23** - #BTC Evening Outreach Event
- Apr 2** - Ronald McDonald House - deliver dinner
- Apr 2** - Private #BTC Event with MomCo
- Apr 8** - Helping Hands
- Apr 10** - Women's Shelter - Serve dinner

Follow Redeemer Outreach on Facebook to see all the ways your donations and volunteer efforts are sharing the love of Jesus and supporting those facing tough times.



#BTC EVENING OUTREACH | NO SIGN UP

- **TOMORROW!** Monday, March 23
- 6:30 pm in the Gym
- Mark your calendar to join us tomorrow on Monday evening, March 23, at 6:30pm as we work on #BeTheChurch projects to bless those in need and spread the love of Jesus. There will be something for everyone, with both sitting and standing jobs.
- Learn more online under [EVENTS](#)



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BIG IDEA | IN THE MIDST OF CHAOS, JESUS IS STILL IN COMPLETE CONTROL

“But even as Jesus said this, a crowd approached, led by Judas, one of the twelve disciples. Judas walked over to Jesus to greet him with a kiss. But Jesus said, ‘Judas, would you betray the Son of Man with a kiss?’ When the other disciples saw what was about to happen, they exclaimed, ‘Lord, should we fight? We brought the swords!’ And one of them struck at the high priest’s slave, slashing off his right ear. But Jesus said, ‘No more of this.’ And he touched the man’s ear and healed him.”
Luke 22:47-51

MY NOTES:

GETTING STARTED

How would you react if you watched one of your friends being arrested?

REFLECTION/DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

1. How do you think Jesus felt when he saw Judas and an armed mob coming toward him?
2. Why did the disciples desert Jesus? How do you think you would have reacted if you had been one of the disciples in this scene?
3. Why was the crowd so large and armed (v.52)? What did they fear? Why are their fears unfounded?
4. Seeing how Jesus deals with Judas, the soldiers, and Peter in this scene, what surprises you the most?
5. When Jesus healed the servant’s ear, it was the last miracle before the cross. What does this say about Jesus’ focus in this chaotic moment?
6. When have you, perhaps, brought the “wrong tools” to a confrontation? Where might Jesus ask you to bring love and forgiveness instead?
7. What are the prayer requests on your mind and heart today?

PRAYER: Lord Jesus, you are the Mighty and Holy One. Thank you, that in the midst of utter chaos in the Garden, you were still in complete control. When our lives feel chaotic, we can rest in your hands that hold us forever. Give us the courage and strength to love our enemies in the same way that you did. In the name of Christ, we pray, Amen.

GOING DEEPER: Read Matthew 26:47-56, Mark 14:43-52, Luke 22:47-53, and John 18:1-11. What similarities and differences do you see? Like Peter, have you ever tried to be over-zealous and end up hurting someone? What happened? How do deal with being let down, disappointed, or betrayed? What can you learn from Jesus here?