

FEBRUARY 19, 2023

We murmur, breathing out murderous talk Whispering wounds we cannot mend In reality, our duality is our tragic flaw With our lips we commit the greatest sins of all THE ARCADIAN WILD, "WHISPERS"

Out of the abundance of the heart the mouth speaks. MATTHEW 12:34B

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 150

Leader: Praise the Lord! Praise God in his sanctuary; praise him in his mighty heavens!

People: Praise him for his mighty deeds; praise him according to his excellent greatness!

Leader: Let everything that has breath praise the Lord! Praise the Lord!



WELCOME TO REDEEMER!

We're glad to have you joining us in worship today. If you'd like to know more about Redeemer, including ways to get involved, please scan the QR code and let us know.



We have a hearing loop. Please switch your hearing aid to T-coil.

ADORING GOD IN SONG *A Mighty Fortress Is Our God*

TRINITY HYMNAL #92

A mighty fortress is our God, A bulwark never failing; Our helper He amid the flood Of mortal ills prevailing: For still our ancient foe Doth seek to work us woe; His craft and power are great, And armed with cruel hate, On earth is not his equal.

Did we in our own strength confide, Our striving would be losing; Were not the right Man on our side, The man of God's own choosing: Dost ask who that may be? Christ Jesus, it is He; Lord Sabaoth His name, From age to age the same, And He must win the battle. And though this world, with devils filled, Should threaten to undo us, We will not fear, for God hath willed His truth to triumph through us. The Prince of Darkness grim, We tremble not for him; His rage we can endure, For lo! his doom is sure, One little word shall fell him.

That word above all earthly powers, No thanks to them, abideth; The Spirit and the gifts are ours Through Him who with us sideth: Let goods and kindred go, This mortal life also; The body they may kill: God's truth abideth still, His kingdom is forever.



PARENTS AND NURSING MOMS:

We have a "wiggle room" in the back of the Sanctuary. While not soundproof, it does offer you a little extra room to move around. If you are a nursing mom in need of a quiet place on Sunday mornings, the "wiggle room" and infant nursery are available options. We also have a nursing mother's room, changing tables and changing supplies available on the lower level. Head downstairs and look for our nursery coordinator by the check-in area. She will be happy to answer any questions and help you get settled.

O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing

TRINITY HYMNAL #164

O for a thousand tongues to sing My great Redeemer's praise, The glories of my God and King, The triumphs of His grace.

My gracious Master and my God, Assist me to proclaim, To spread through all the earth abroad, The honors of thy Name.

Jesus, the Name that charms our fears, That bids our sorrows cease; 'Tis music in the sinner's ears, 'Tis life, and health, and peace.

He breaks the pow'r of reigning sin, He sets the pris'ner free; His blood can make the foulest clean, His blood availed for me.

He speaks and, listening to his voice, New life the dead receive; The mournful, broken hearts rejoice; The humble poor believe.

Hear Him, ye deaf; His praise, ye dumb, Your loosen'd tongues employ; Ye blind, behold your Savior come; And leap, ye lame, for joy.

CONFESSION OF SIN & ASSURANCE

Prayer of Confession

Assurance of Pardoning Grace

1 JOHN 1:8-10

If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness. If we say we have not sinned, we make him a liar, and his word is not in us.

BAPTISM

Covenant Vows Baptism of Cassandra Lynn Sherwood Baptism of Granger William Sherwood Baptism of Atlas Rudolph Sherwood Prayer of Dedication

RECOGNITION OF NEW MEMBERS

Doug and Carol Fernandez Lee and Angela Harris Knox Larsen Isaias Lima and Ligia Souza Cassandra Sherwood Steven Ramirez Kirk, Rhonda, Blake, Brett, & Lilly Shore Diane Walters

THE GIVING OF OUR TITHES & OFFERINGS

DEACON'S PRAYER

DAVID TUCKER

MISSION MOMENT

Doxology TRINITY HYMNAL #731

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise him, all creatures here below; Praise him above, ye heav'nly host: Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

MINISTRY OF WORD & PRAYER

Reading of Scripture

JAMES 3:1-12 PAGE 1290 IN THE PEW BIBLE

Prayer for the Kingdom of God on Earth

HOW CAN WE GIVE TO THE CHURCH?

There are several ways to give to the church. You can drop a check or cash in the offering plate as it is passed. You can mail a check, bring it by the church office, or leave it in our outside mailbox. You can also give online through your Breeze account or on our website. Online you can give by credit card or Bank ACH. Questions? Contact the church office, office@redeemerpca.net

SONG OF PREPARATION Speak, O Lord

Speak, O Lord © 2005 Thankyou Music Words & Music: Keith Getty & Stuart Townend

Speak, O Lord, as we come to You To receive the food of Your holy word. Take Your truth, plant it deep in us; Shape and fashion us in Your likeness, That the light of Christ might be seen today In our acts of love and our deeds of faith. Speak, O Lord, and fulfill in us All your purposes, for Your glory.

Teach us, Lord, full obedience, Holy reverence, true humility; Test our thoughts and our attitudes In the radiance of Your purity. Cause our faith to rise; cause our eyes to see Your majestic love and authority. Words of power that can never fail— Let their truth prevail over unbelief.

Speak, O Lord, and renew our minds; Help us grasp the heights of Your plans for us— Truths unchanged from the dawn of time That will echo down through eternity. And by grace we'll stand on Your promises, And by faith we'll walk as You walk with us. Speak, O Lord, till Your church is built And the earth is filled with Your glory.

CHILDREN'S CHURCH:

Children ages 3 through K are invited to go to Children's Church during the Song of Preparation. Children's Church consists of a lesson, singing, and they will meet the Elder of the Week. This is an optional activity that will help to prepare your child for participating in the full worship service.

SERMON Don't Play with Fire James 3:1-12 garrett black, student ministry director



RESPONSE AND BLESSING

Lord, I Need You

Lord, I come, I confess Bowing here I find my rest Without You I fall apart You're the One that guides my heart

Chorus: Lord, I need You, oh, I need You Every hour I need You My one defense, my righteousness Oh God, how I need You

Where sin runs deep Your grace is more Where grace is found is where You are Where You are, Lord, I am free Holiness is Christ in me (Repeat Chorus)

Bridge: Teach my song to rise to You When temptation comes my way When I cannot stand I'll fall on You Jesus, You're my hope and stay

(Repeat Chorus)

You're my one defense, my righteousness Oh God, how I need You

BENEDICTION

Lord, I need You Matt Maher, Christy Nockels, Daniel Carson, Jesse Reeves, Kristian Stanfill, Essential Records 2013

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Missionary Update with Matt Newkirk, Wednesday, February 22, 7:30 p.m. Matt Newkirk will be sharing an update on his work and ministry in Japan on Wednesday, February 22, 7:30 p.m., in the 242 Room. Matt is an ordained teaching elder in the PCA. The Newkirks serve with Christ Bible Seminary in Nagoya, Japan. The Newkirks feel a great burden to see God's glorious kingship recognized and adored by the Japanese, the second largest unreached people group in the world.

Prayer Meeting, Thursday, February 23

In February, we will offer a set time of prayer to pray for each other, the church, and the world. We will gather from 7 p.m. to 8 p.m. on Thursday, February 23, in Room 8 (beside the church office). Have a question? Contact Silas Rodriguez, silasr325@ gmail.com, or Mike Newkirk, newkirk.mike@gmail.com.

New Adult Sunday School Classes:

- **Christianity and the Arts (242 Room), beginning February 26.** We will explore God's design for the arts and how art can actually help us grow more like Jesus.
- **How Then Should We Live? (B011), beginning February 26.** In this 12-part video series, Dr. Sinclair Ferguson carefully explains the basics of the Christian life and helps us know what it means to be a Christian and how to live abundantly to the glory of God.

Communicant Sunday School Class begins Sunday, March 5

This class will explore the 5 membership vows and what it means to be a member of Redeemer Church. The class will be taught by Pastor Dan and several of Redeemer's Elders. The material is geared for children ages 10 and up and a parent must attend with their child. E-mail the church office for more information about this class, office@redeemerpca.net.

Called as One Marriage Conference: March 3 and 4

Marriage is not static. Without some intentionality, it can become stagnant. Every day you are either moving closer together, toward oneness, or drifting apart. This is true if you have been married 1 week or 50 years. Join us March 3 from 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. and from 9:00 a.m. to noon on Saturday, March 4. The cost is \$60 per couple. Childcare is available for an additional fee.

A Night of Songs, Hymns & Odes with The Noëls, Saturday, March 11

The Noëls (featuring Jonathan & Amanda Noël) are hosting a concert in the Sanctuary on Saturday, March 11, at 7:00 p.m. Admission is free, donations will be accepted. Visit their website, https://www.jonathanandamandanoel.com/ to learn more about their music and RSVP for the concert.

WEEKLY CALENDAR

Sunday

- Sunday School, 9 a.m.
- Worship, 10:00 a.m., Sanctuary

Monday

- Bailey Beekeeping Class, 6:30 p.m., 242 Room, at Redeemer
- Men's Monday Evening Bible Study, 7:30 p.m., at Redeemer
- Women's Monday Evening Bible Study, 7:00 p.m., at Redeemer and virtual

Wednesday

- Women's Wednesday Morning Bible Study, 9:30 a.m., 242 Room, at Redeemer
- Student Ministry Large Group, 6:30 p.m., 242 Room, at Redeemer
- Missionary Update with Matt Newkirk, 7:30 p.m., 242 Room, at Redeemer

Thursday

- Prayer Meeting, 7:00 p.m., Room 8, at Redeemer
- Music Team Practice, 7:30 p.m., at Redeemer

Friday

• Men's Friday Morning Bible Study, 7:00 a.m., virtual and at Redeemer

UPCOMING EVENTS

- March 3-4: Marriage Conference, Redeemer
- March 10: 5th & 6th Grade Gathering
- March 11: Noël Concert, 7:00 p.m., Redeemer
- March 17-19: **High School Retreat**, Welsh Farm
- March 18: Men's Breakfast, 8:00 a.m.
- March 24-25: Women's Conference, Redeemer
- April 7: Good Friday Service, 6:30 p.m.
- April 15: Men's Retreat, Welsh Farm
- May 6: **Women's Tea**, Hatcher's Residence
- June 19-23: Vacation Bible School,

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COMMUNITY GROUPS

In a world that has become increasingly marked by isolation and individualism, God reminds us through his Word that he has designed life to be lived in dynamic relationships of trust and love. For this reason, Redeemer also meets in homes throughout the city for encouragement, Bible study and prayer as a family. Outside of Sunday Morning Worship, Community Groups are the main way to get plugged in here at Redeemer.

You may join these groups at any time during the year and jump right into one, or you can visit a few groups before settling down. If you would like more information, please contact the church office to find out more. We would love to have you join us.

NOTE: COMMUNITY GROUP SCHEDULES ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE. CHECK WITH YOUR GROUP LEADER FOR MORE DETAILS.

1ST & 3RD SUNDAY COMMUNITY GROUPS

North Hills

Leaders: Tim Phillips and Brandon Baughman (brndnbghmn@gmail.com) TIME: 6:00 P.M., CHILDCARE PROVIDED

NE Raleigh (Falls of Neuse Rd.)

Leader: Phil Rendall (psrendall@hotmail.com) TIME: 12:30 P.M.

NW Raleigh

Leader: Ken Coyer (thecoyers@gmail.com) TIME: 5:00 P.M., CHILDCARE PROVIDED

North Raleigh (Strickland Road) Leaders: Bruce Narveson, Rob Helms, and Cisco Ojeda (ojedamailnc@gmail.com) TIME: 5:45 P.M.

North Raleigh (Baileywick) Leader: Dave Larsen (larsen1517@yahoo.com) and Ray Rein TIME: 5:00 P.M.

NE Raleigh (Falls River) Leader: Randy Buckwalter and Matt Harmon (matthewdharmon@gmail.com) TIME: 5:00 P.M., CHILDCARE PROVIDED

NE Raleigh (Durant Road) Leader: Dan Kemp (djkemp1@aol.com) TIME: 5:00 P.M. Lake Lynn Area Leader: Mike Newkirk (newkirk.mike@gmail.com) TIME: 5:00 P.M.

WEEKLY COMMUNITY GROUPS

Thursdays:

NE Raleigh Leader: Ross Jelgerhuis & Steve Edwards (steve.edwards16.9@gmail.com) TIME: 6:00 P.M., CHILDCARE PROVIDED

Fridays:

NW Raleigh (Norwood/Victory Ch.) Leader: Sean Scott & Ryan Slate (rdslate@ gmail.com) TIME: 6:15 P.M., CHILDCARE PROVIDED



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