



# REDEEMER

CITY CHURCH

*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 City Church 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.*

BY  
FAITH  
HEBREWS 11

*February 14, 2021 – Sixth Sunday after the Epiphany*

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## **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: Matthew 11:28-30

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

Leader: Jesus says, "Come to me, all who labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest..."

**ALL: Take my yoke upon you, and learn from me, for I am gentle and lowly in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. For my yoke is easy, and my burden is light."**

## Songs of Adoration

*We respond to God's invitation with songs of praise. These songs are designed to draw our attention to the wonder and glory of God.*

Come Ye Sinners

## Reading of the Law: Jeremiah 1:16-19

*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 I will declare my judgments against them, for all their evil in forsaking me. They have made offerings to other gods and worshiped the works of their own hands. But you, dress yourself for work; arise, and say to them everything that I command you. Do not be dismayed by them, lest I dismay you before them. And I, behold, I make you this day a fortified city, an iron pillar, and bronze walls, against the whole land, against the kings of Judah, its officials, its priests, and the people of the land. They will fight against you, but they shall not prevail against you, for I am with you, declares the LORD, to deliver you."

## 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).*

## Assurance of Pardon: 1 Thessalonians 5:6-11

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

So then let us not sleep, as others do, but let us keep awake and be sober. For those who sleep, sleep at night, and those who get drunk, are drunk at night. But since we belong to the day, let us be sober, having put on the breastplate of faith and love, and for a helmet the hope of salvation. For God has not destined us for wrath, but to obtain salvation through our Lord Jesus Christ, who died for us so that whether we are awake or asleep we might live with him. Therefore encourage one another and build one another up, just as you are doing.

## 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.*

## **Song 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*

A Mighty Fortress  
God Is For Us

## **Worship Through Giving:** Give Online at [redeemerwh.org/give](https://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.*

## **Announcements & Kids' Worship Dismissal:** 9am

*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.*

Hebrews 11:7 *(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.*

I Have A Shelter

## **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.*

7 By faith Noah, being warned by God concerning events as yet unseen, in reverent fear constructed an ark for the saving of his household. By this he condemned the world and became an heir of the righteousness that comes by faith.

Pg. 1007 (Hebrews 11:7 ESV)

**Sermon Series:** By Faith  
**Sermon Title:** Contra Mundum  
**Date:** February 14, 2021

## **I. BELIEVING GOD**

*Faith is getting into the wheelbarrow.*

## **II. CONDEMNING THE WORLD**

*Reminding the world that it is the world.*

## **III. HIDING IN THE ARK**

*Jesus saves us from the wrath to come!*

## Announcements

**Corporate Prayer:** If you are able, please join us **Sunday, February 21 at 5pm** for a time of corporate prayer. We meet downtown at Central Park and will walk around downtown praying for our city government, businesses, non-profits, and churches.

**Session Meeting:** The February Session meeting will take place on **Sunday, February 21** in the classroom in the educational building immediately following the 10:30 worship service. If you need prayer, have any concerns that you would like the elders to know about, etc. - all are welcome to join us at the beginning of our meeting.

**Men's Bible Study:** Guys, we'd love for you to join us for a weekly Men's Bible Study on **Tuesday mornings at 6:30am** in Covenant Hall. No RSVP or prep work necessary.

**Men's Hangout:** Our next men's hangout will be **Saturday, February 27, 4pm at the Idols Aside Ranch in Lake Wales**. As always, bring your appetite and some friends.

**Mask Only Service:** We are now offering a **mask only service at 8am** on Communion Sundays. *The next service will be March 7.*

**Through Stained Glass:** Check out our new podcast **Through Stained Glass**. The first season is called **How to Disagree Well**. Visit [redeemerwh.org/podcast](https://redeemerwh.org/podcast) to find the podcast in your favorite podcasting apps or on the RedeemerWH app.

**Get Connected:** The best way to stay up-to-date with what's happening at Redeemer is through our online newsletter ([redeemerwh.org/newsletter](https://redeemerwh.org/newsletter)) and our mobile app ([redeemerwh.org/app](https://redeemerwh.org/app)).

**Online Directory:** Redeemer City Church's 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](https://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/RCCmusic](https://redeemerwh.org/RCCmusic).



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