

# REDEEMER



November 11, 2018 - Twenty-fifth Sunday after Pentecost

# Season of the Cross: Green for Ordinary Time

Ordinary Time is the long season that takes up three quarters of the church year. This portion of Ordinary Time runs between Pentecost and Advent. 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.

# Song of Gathering and Preparation

We prepare our hearts, and bodies for worship by singing about the God we serve.

# Come Away from Rush and Hurry

### Call to Worship: Psalm 145:13-20

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

Leader: Your kingdom is an everlasting kingdom, and your dominion endures throughout all generations.

Congregation: The LORD is faithful in all his words and kind in all his works. The LORD upholds all who are falling and raises up all who are bowed down.

Leader: The eyes of all look to you, and you give them their food in due season. You open your hand; you satisfy the desire of every living thing.

Congregation: The LORD is righteous in all his ways and kind in all his works. The LORD is near to all who call on him, to all who call on him in truth.

Leader: He fulfills the desire of those who fear him; he also hears their cry and saves them.

Congregation: The LORD preserves all who love him, but all the wicked he will destroy.

# **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.

My Worth is Not in What I Own Living Hope I Will Follow

### **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: Hebrews 8:10-12

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

For this is the covenant that I will make with the house of Israel after those days, declares the Lord: I will put my laws into their minds, and write them on their hearts, and I will be their God, and they shall be my people. And they shall not teach, each one his neighbor and each one his brother, saying, 'Know the Lord,' for they shall all know me, from the least of them to the greatest. For I will be merciful toward their iniquities, and I will remember their sins no more."

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

### Great is Thy Faithfulness

Receiving New Members: 10:30am Service

As was the case for believers in the Old and New Testaments, we are called to publicly confess our faith in the grace of God, to participate in the rituals of entrance into the people of God.

> Matt & Whitney Railey (communing) Sam Railey (communing) Piper Railey (non-communing)

**Sacrament of Baptism:** 10:30am Service
The ritual of baptism is a sign and seal of the grace we have in Jesus. That is, it symbolizes the cleansing all people need before they are acceptable to God (sign), and it marks, tangibly to our senses, how real God's promise is for all who will trust in Him (seal).

Piper Elizabeth Railey

# Grace Abounding Spotlight: Jon Eagin, Church Planting

# **Announcements & 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.

Luke 21:15-23; 30-34 (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 areatness.

Jesus Paid it All

## 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.

### **Announcements**

Greeting this morning is the **Sirrine & White** Community Groups.

**TEDtalks:** Our final CBR Workshop will be **THIS Thursday, November 15, (6pm dinner & 6:30-8:30pm workshop)**. Childcare will be available. The theme for this workshop is Thanksgiving.

**Thanksgiving Service:** Mark your calendars for **Wednesday, November 21, at 6:30pm**. This will be a brief service as we give thanks to God for who He is and all that He has done. Childcare will be available through kindergarten.

Men's Breakfast: Guys, mark your calendars for Saturday, December 1, at 8am. We'll gather in Covenant Hall for a nice breakfast, and spend some time looking over the day's CBR passage, and give details about the Men's Retreat next Spring.

**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**).

**Worship Set List:** 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**.



Grace makes us generous as it abounds to us. God himself is generous. It is his nature as Trinity to be overflowing in self-giving love towards others. We see this most clearly in Jesus. Grace powerfully secures us in God's love in the gift of His Son to meet our every need.

Grace makes us generous as it abounds *in* us. Grace powerfully produces love, joy, peace, and hope in us in ALL things at ALL times for EVERY good work.

Grace makes us generous as it abounds *through* us. Every good gift God gives comes to us on its way to someone else. He blesses to make us a blessing, not for our own sake. Grace powerfully opens our hearts and hands to the needs of the world

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