

We are glad you are worshiping with us.

Please complete and tear off this card to share your contact information, update your contact information, or make a prayer request.

Simply place it in the offering plate or give it to the pastor.

WELCOME TO REDEEMER!

Coffee and other refreshments are available after the service. A time of learning with classes for all ages begins at **11:00AM** and a nursery is provided.

Also Today . . .

Christmas Choir Rehearsal **12:00-12:30PM**

Next Lord's Day . . .

Congregational Meeting **9:15AM**

There will be a congregational meeting of the members of Redeemer Presbyterian Church next Sunday, November 28 at 9:15AM for the purpose of electing one additional deacon. The session is nominating James Ferebee for this office. If elected, ordination and installation will follow in the worship service that day. A quorum for the congregational meeting consists of one-fourth of the total membership of our church.

Looking Ahead . . .

Women's Christmas Gathering..... **Saturday, December 11 • 11:00AM**

Hosted by Chenoa Vandegrift • Please bring a donation for our Mercy Ministry and a wrapped "white elephant" gift. Chenoa is providing the meal.

A Festival of Lessons and Carols **Sunday, December 19 • 6:00PM**

Please bring finger foods to share.

My Contact Information

Name _____

Address _____

Phone _____

E-mail _____

My Prayer Request

Please pray for

who lives at

AREA(S) OF NEED

- Spiritual Life
- Relationships
- Physical Health
- Finances
- Emotional Health
- Vocation

Other information:

Please keep my request confidential and do not add it to the prayer list.

November 21, 2021

Serving You

Ann Galya-Ferebee, Emily Griffin, Kaci Puckett, & Chris Vandegrift, *Vocalists*
 Juli Robertson, Patti Robertson, & Nan Traxler, *Pianists* • Tim Choate, *Guitar*
 Chris Vandegrift, *Liturgist* • Pam Spence, *Music Director*
 Rachel Rist, *Women's Ministry President* • Emily Griffin, *Youth Ministry Coordinator*
 Daniel Work, *Men's Ministry Leader*
 Donna Taylor, *Children's Ministry Director* • Dot Barnhill & Kayla Lane, *Nursery Attendants*
 Boyd Taylor, *Treasurer* • Dick Jacobson, *Finance Clerk*
 Robyn McKinney, *Redeemerlink Editor* • Betty Jacobson, *CD Ministry*
 Ann Galya-Ferebee • Jacob Puckett • Clay & Robyn McKinney • Vickie Stevens
 Nan Traxler, *Sound & Recording*

Leadership Team

Ken Litchfield • Patrick Rist • Pastor Spence, *Elders on the Session*
 Jim Berkey • Ron Robertson, *Emeritus Elders*
 Dick Jacobson • Clay McKinney • Boyd Taylor • Rick Traxler, *Deacons*



Redeemer Presbyterian Church

Meeting at **7 Valley West Drive, Dickson, Tennessee 37055**

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Service for the Lord's Day

Christ the King

November 21, 2021

Words of Greeting

Prayer for the Lord's Assistance and Blessing

Call to Worship..... Psalm 105:1-6

Oh give thanks to the LORD; call upon His name;

Make known His deeds among the peoples!

Sing to Him, sing praises to Him;

Tell of all His wondrous works!

Glory in His holy name;

Let the hearts of those who seek the LORD rejoice!

Seek the LORD and His strength;

Seek His presence continually!

Remember the wondrous works that He has done,

His miracles, and the judgments He uttered,

O offspring of Abraham, His servant,

Children of Jacob, His chosen ones!

A Season of Praise

We Gather Together (Hymn 363)

Come, Ye Thankful People, Come (Hymn 715)

The Reading of the Law of God

God spoke all these words, saying, I am the LORD your God, who brought you out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of bondage.

You shall have no other gods before Me.

**You shall not make for yourself any graven image;
you shall not bow down to them or serve them.**

You shall not take the name of the LORD your God in vain.

Remember the Sabbath day, to keep it holy.

Honor your father and your mother.

The Reading of the Law of God continues on the next page.

You shall not kill.
You shall not commit adultery.
You shall not steal.
You shall not bear false witness.
You shall not covet.

Our Lord Jesus said:
You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your mind. This is the great and first commandment. And a second is like it, you shall love your neighbor as yourself. On these two commandments depend all the law and the prophets.

Prayer of Confession

Righteous God, You have crowned Jesus Christ as Lord of all. We confess that we have not bowed before Him and are slow to acknowledge His rule. We give allegiance to the powers of this world and fail to be governed by justice and love.
In Your mercy, forgive us. Raise us to acclaim Him as ruler of all, that we may be loyal ambassadors, obeying the commands of our Lord Jesus Christ. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

Hear the good news!
Do not weep!
See, the Lion of the tribe of Judah, the Root of David, has triumphed.
With His blood He has purchased people for God
from every tribe and language and people and nation.
He has made them to be a kingdom and priests to serve our God,
and they will reign on the earth.

Know that you are forgiven, and be at peace.

Thanks be to God. —based on Revelation 5:5, 9-10, NIV

Scripture Reading.....Matthew 8:18-22

Sermon*Opportunities and Priorities*
by Pastor Neil Spence

Celebration of the Lord's Supper

Hymn.....*For the Gifts of Heaven*

The Morning Prayer and Our Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven; Hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

Psalter.....Psalm 146

Hallelujah! praise Jehovah!
O my soul, Jehovah praise!
I will sing the glorious praises
Of my God through all my days.
Put no confidence in princes,
Nor for help on man depend;
He shall die, to dust returning,
And his purposes shall end.

Food He daily gives the hungry,
Sets the mourning prisoner free,
Raises those bowed down with anguish,
Makes the sightless eyes to see,
Well Jehovah loves the righteous,
And the stranger He befriends,
Helps the fatherless and widow,
Judgment on the wicked sends.

Happy is the man that chooses
Israel's God to be his aid;
He is blessed whose hope of blessing
On the LORD his God is stayed.
Heaven and earth the LORD created,
Seas, and all that they contain;
He delivers from oppression,
Righteousness He will maintain.

Hallelujah! Praise Jehovah!
O my soul, Jehovah praise;
I will sing the glorious praises
Of my God through all my days.
Over all God reigns forever,
Through all ages He is King;
Unto Him, thy God, O Zion,
Joyful hallelujahs sing.

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The Blessing

SOLA SCRIPTURA/**Scripture alone** • SOLA GRATIA/**grace alone**
SOLUS CHRISTUS/**Christ alone** • SOLA FIDE/**faith alone**
SOLI DEO GLORIA/**to God's Glory alone**

Psalm Notes

The last five psalms (146-150) are psalms of praise and adoration. Each one opens and closes with the call to praise the Lord.

Psalm 146 emphasizes the sufficiency of God's provision and the blessedness of those who place their trust in the Lord. **Psalm 147** leads us to praise God for His works of providence and His sovereignty over the whole earth. **Psalm 148** calls upon every level of creation—from highest heaven to lowest earth—to praise the Lord. **Psalm 149** leads the church in exuberant praise. **Psalm 150** calls for the praise of God by every being in every way—with instruments and especially with the voice. It is the grand concluding doxology of the Psalter. Through this psalm, the church is called upon to praise her God, worshipping in spirit and in truth. *“Everything that has breath”* is invited to praise the Lord. The triune God deserves our heartfelt praise.

These psalms show us the *purpose* of the Psalter in general—to guide and help us in our praise. These psalms provide the *content* of our praise. It is by looking steadfastly into them and through the practice of *singing* them that we improve our praise.

How to Become a Member

Christ's Great Commission (Matthew 28:19-20) is fulfilled in Christians who commit themselves to Christ and to one another in covenant relationship. Through **church membership** we acknowledge that Jesus Christ alone is the Head and Lord of the Church and we commit ourselves to do our part to build up the body of Christ for mission. Those who desire to be members are invited to fill out a **Membership Enrollment Form** and discuss membership with the pastor.

What About the Offering?

Giving is still part of our worship, but at this time we are not passing the offering plate during the service. An offering plate is positioned at each entrance to the sanctuary.

Thank you!