

We are glad you are worshipping 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 (birth through three years) is provided.

## This Week . . .

**Youth Discipleship is paused for the Summer.**

*Monthly gatherings/outings will be announced.*

**Women's Monthly Bible Study.....Saturday • 10:00AM**

*Study of Ephesians • led by Vickie Stevens • childcare provided*

## Next Lord's Day . . .

**Churchwide Fellowship Luncheon.....following Sunday School**

A fun sandwich bar with everything you need. We are asking the congregation to assist with drinks, desserts, and sides. Below is a breakdown of what to bring.

- A-H: Please bring chilled canned or bottled drinks
- I-P: Please bring any side that sounds good with a sandwich
- Q-Z: Please bring any dessert

If you have any questions, please reach out to Brooke Work or Linda Joy Choate.

## Looking Ahead . . .

**Session Meeting.....Tuesday, June 14 • 6:00PM**

**Workday at RPC.....Saturday, June 18 • 7:00AM**

Men of the Church—led by our deacons—will make needed improvements to our playground and parking lot.

## Serving You

Scarlett Evans, Ann Galya-Ferebee, Emily Griffin & Chris Vandegrift, *Vocalists*

Juli Robertson & Nan Traxler, *Pianists*

Chris Vandegrift, *Liturgist* • Pam Spence, *Music Director*

Rachel Rist, *Women's Ministry President* • Daniel Work, *Men's Ministry Leader*

Emily Griffin, *Youth Ministry & Meal Train Coordinator*

Donna Taylor, *Children's Ministry Director*

Boyd Taylor, *Treasurer* • Dick Jacobson, *Finance Clerk*

Robyn McKinney, *Redeemerlink Editor* • Betty Jacobson, *CD Ministry*

Tim Choate • Ann Galya-Ferebee • Clay & Robyn McKinney

Vickie Stevens • Nan Traxler, *Sound & Recording*

## Leadership

Patrick Rist • Chris Vandegrift • Daniel Work • Pastor Spence, *Elders on the Session*

James Ferebee • Clay McKinney • Boyd Taylor • Rick Traxler, *Deacons*



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# Service for the Lord's Day

Pentecost

June 5, 2022

Words of Greeting

Prayer for the Lord's Assistance and Blessing

Call to Worship.....Psalm 104:1-4; 33-34 ESV

Bless the LORD, O my soul!

**O LORD my God, you are very great!**

You are clothed with splendor and majesty,  
covering yourself with light as with a garment,

**stretching out the heavens like a tent.**

He lays the beams of His chambers on the waters;

**He makes the clouds His chariot;  
He rides on the wings of the wind;**

He makes His messengers winds,

**His ministers a flaming fire.**

I will sing to the LORD as long as I live;  
I will sing praise to my God while I have being.

**May my meditation be pleasing to Him,  
for I rejoice in the LORD.**

Praise the Lord!

**The Lord's name be praised!**

Hymn 2 ..... *O Worship the King*

Psalter ..... Psalm 51

Give salvation's joy again, And a willing mind sustain.  
Then Thy perfect ways I'll show That transgressors may them know;  
They converted then shall be; Sinners shall be turned to Thee.

Free me from the guilt of blood, God, of my salvation God:  
Then with joy my tongue shall raise Songs Thy righteousness to praise.  
Open Thou my lips, O Lord; Then my mouth shall praise accord.

## My Contact Information

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

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Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

## My Prayer Request

*Please pray for*

\_\_\_\_\_

*who lives at*

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### 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.

Sacrifice Thou wilt not take, Else would I the off'ring make.  
Off'rings burnt bring no delight, But a broken heart, contrite,  
God's accepted sacrifice, Thou, O God, wilt not despise.

Prosper Zion in Thy grace; Salem's broken walls replace.  
Then shall sacrifices right, Whole burnt off'rings Thee delight;  
So will men, their vows to pay, Bulls on Thine altar lay.

Psalm 51:12-19 from *Trinity Psalter*. Based on the *Book of Psalms*, 1871 & *The Psalter*, 1912.  
Tune: New City Fellowship by James Ward.

### Invitation to Confession of Sin

### Prayer of Confession

Eternal God, in Whom we live and move and have our being,  
Your face is hidden from us by our sins,  
and we forget Your mercy in the blindness of our hearts.  
Cleanse us from all our offences,  
and deliver us from proud thoughts and vain desires.  
With lowliness and meekness may we draw near to You,  
confessing our faults,  
confiding in Your grace,  
and finding in You our refuge and strength;  
through Jesus Christ Your Son. Amen.

### Assurance of Pardon

May Almighty God,  
who caused light to shine out of darkness,  
shine in our hearts, cleansing us from all our sins,  
and restoring us to the light of the knowledge of His glory,  
in the face of Jesus Christ, our Savior. Amen.  
Know that you are forgiven, and be at peace.

**Thanks be to God.**

—based on 2Corinthians 4:6 NIV

Scripture Reading..... Matthew 13:24-30, 36-43

Sermon..... *The Parable of the Weeds*  
by Pastor Neil Spence

### Celebration of the Lord's Supper

Hymn..... *Holy Spirit*

### 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.

Hymn..... *Give Me Jesus*

Take the world, but give me Jesus  
All its joys are but a name  
But His love abides forever  
Through eternal years the same

Take the world, but give me Jesus  
Sweetest comfort of my soul  
With my Savior watching o'er me  
I can sing though billows roll

*Oh, the height and depth of mercy*  
*Oh, the length and breadth of love*  
*Oh, the fullness of redemption*  
*Pledge of endless life above*  
*Take this world, my God's enough!*

Take the world, but give me Jesus  
In His cross my trust shall be  
Till with clearer, brighter vision  
Face to face my Lord I see

*Take this world and give me Jesus*  
*In His cross my trust shall be*  
*Take this world and give me Jesus*  
*Till that day my Lord I see*

Adapted from "Take the World, But Give Me Jesus" by Fanny Crosby (1879). Music and additional words by David  
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### The Blessing

**Tim Choate**—son of Linda Joy Choate and a beloved son of our congregation—has  
enrolled at Covenant Theological Seminary (St. Louis) as a candidate for the Mas-  
ter of Divinity Degree. He plans to pursue ordination as a minister. **A fund has  
been established for anyone who would like to contribute through the church to  
help underwrite the cost of Tim's seminary education and thus share in his minis-  
try.** Simply mark your gift for "Tim" and we'll deposit it in his account at seminary.  
*Thanks so much!*

### Psalm Notes

**Psalm 51** is the first in a collection of eighteen  
psalms all said to be "of David" (51-70).

Its prominent position as the *first* in the series is  
suggestive of its great significance. David was a  
sinner saved by grace alone through faith alone  
because of Christ alone. King David was saved  
from sin and death by the King of kings. In the  
psalm, the sinless One stands in our place and  
speaks while bearing our sin.

Michael Lefebvre puts it very plainly,

The Psalms that lead us in repentance are  
among the most rewarding Psalms to sing  
with Jesus. They are the hymns which show  
how closely Christ identifies with us in our  
deepest need. And they give us songs  
whereby we can confess our own sins before  
the Father, and do so knowing without a  
doubt that Jesus truly does stand with us to  
intercede even in our repentance. (*Singing the  
Songs of Jesus*, p. 83).

**"Bulls on the altar"** represent the largest  
and most costly sacrifices—our very best and  
our grateful and exuberant response of praise.

**Singing** the psalms keeps before us the unity of  
the Bible and the oneness of the people of God.  
We **sing** this sweet song of God's protection and  
peace **because its promises are ours in Christ**.  
We **sing** the Psalms because we cannot do  
better in praise or prayer than the words God  
Himself has given us in the psalms.

### Tithes and Offerings

Tithing has been the practice of the covenant  
people of God since ancient times. Our giving—  
as an act of worship and consecration—gives  
expression to the love and faith of the grateful  
people of God. An offering plate is positioned at  
each entrance to the sanctuary. Thank you for  
your faithfulness!

### 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.