



REDEEMER

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HOSPITAL FOR THE BROKEN | REHAB CENTER FOR HEALING
GYM FOR STRENGTH & SERVICE

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ORDER OF WORSHIP

Silent Preparation

Scripture is the story of God's mission to rescue the world, and we are invited to be part of it.

-N.T. Wright

Prelude

Welcome & Announcements

GOD'S SUPREMACY

Call to Worship

Psalm 36:5-7, 9

Rev. Clay Wooten

Minister: Your steadfast love, O LORD, extends to the heavens, your faithfulness to the clouds.

People: Your righteousness is like the mountains of God; your judgments are like the great deep; man and beast you save, O LORD.

Minister: How precious is your steadfast love, O God! The children of mankind take refuge in the shadow of your wings.

All: For with you is the fountain of life; in your light do we see light.

Prayer of Invocation

* Hymn of Praise

Holy, Holy, Holy

1. Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty! Early in the morning our song shall rise to Thee. Holy, holy, holy! Merciful and mighty! God in three persons blessed Trinity!
2. Holy, holy, holy! All the saints adore thee, casting down their golden crowns around the glassy sea; cherubim and seraphim failing down before thee, who wert, and art, and evermore shall be.
3. Holy, holy, holy! Though the darkness hide thee, though the eye of sinful man thy glory may not see, only thou art holy; there is none beside thee perfect in pow'r, in love, and purity
4. Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty! All thy works shall praise thy name in earth and sky and sea. Holy, holy, holy! Merciful and mighty! God in three Persons, blessed Trinity.

*** Hymn of Exaltation**

Come, Christians, Join To Sing

1. Come, Christians, join to sing - Alleluia! Amen! Loud praise to Christ our King; Alleluia! Amen! Let all, with heart and voice, before His throne rejoice; praise is His gracious choice. Alleluia! Amen!
2. Come, lift your hearts on high - Alleluia! Amen! Let praises fill the sky; Alleluia! Amen! He is our Guide and Friend; to us He'll condescend; His love shall never end. Alleluia! Amen!
3. Praise yet our Christ again - Alleluia! Amen! Life shall not end the strain; Alleluia! Amen! On heaven's blissful shore, His goodness we'll adore, singing forevermore - Alleluia! Amen!

Scripture Reading

Isaiah 56:1-8

Thus says the Lord: "Keep justice, and do righteousness, for soon my salvation will come, and my righteousness be revealed. Blessed is the man who does this, and the son of man who holds it fast, who keeps the Sabbath, not profaning it, and keeps his hand from doing any evil." Let not the foreigner who has joined himself to the Lord say, "The Lord will surely separate me from his people"; and let not the eunuch say, "Behold, I am a dry tree." For thus says the Lord: "To the eunuchs who keep my Sabbaths, who choose the things that please me and hold fast my covenant, I will give in my house and within my walls a monument and a name better than sons and daughters; I will give them an everlasting name that shall not be cut off. "And the foreigners who join themselves to the Lord, to minister to him, to love the name of the Lord, and to be his servants, everyone who keeps the Sabbath and does not profane it, and holds fast my covenant— these I will bring to my holy mountain, and make them joyful in my house of prayer; their burnt offerings and their sacrifices will be accepted on my altar; for my house shall be called a house of prayer for all peoples." The Lord God, who gathers the outcasts of Israel, declares, "I will gather yet others to him besides those already gathered."

Reader: This is the word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God!

GOD'S RENEWAL

Seeing Ourselves Rightly

Proverbs 3:5-6

Trust in the LORD with all your heart, and do not lean on your own understanding. In all your ways acknowledge him, and he will make straight your paths.

Silent Confession

Assurance of Pardon

Romans 10:9-13

[I]f you confess with your mouth that Jesus is Lord and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved. For with the heart one believes and is justified, and with the mouth one confesses and is saved. For the Scripture says, "Everyone who believes in him will not be put to shame." For there is no distinction between Jew and Greek; for the same Lord is Lord of all, bestowing his riches on all who call on him. For "everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved."

Hymn of Response

Laden With Guilt and Full of Fear

1. Laden with guilt and full of fears, I fly to Thee, my Lord, and not a glimpse of hope appears, but in Thy written word. The volumes of my Father's grace, does all my griefs assuage. Here I behold my Savior's face in every page.
2. This is the field where hidden lies, the pearl of price unknown. That merchant is divinely wise who makes the pearl his own. Here consecrated water flows to quench my thirst of sin. Here the fair tree of knowledge grows, no danger dwells within.
3. This is the judge that ends the strife, where wit and reason fail. My guide to everlasting life, through all this gloomy vale. Oh may Thy counsels, mighty God, my roving feet command, nor I forsake the happy road that leads to Thy right hand.

Minister: People of God, receive the goodness and mercy of your Savior.

People: We receive His mercies with thanksgiving!

Minister: Now, lift up your hearts!

People: We lift them up to the Lord!

The Greeting of Peace

Minister: The peace of Christ be with you.

People: And also with you.

GOD'S GRACE

Pastoral Prayer

Sermon

Rev. Clay Wooten

Good News in the Desert (Acts 8:26-40)

Celebration of Holy Communion

Redeemer welcomes to the table all those who have trusted in Jesus Christ as Savior and who acknowledge Him as Lord. And yet, because communion is a sacrament of the Church, all are welcome to partake who are baptized members in an evangelical church (a church where the Gospel is loved and proclaimed). It is our request that children not participate in the Lord's Supper until they themselves have become communing members of such a church. *However, children are encouraged to come up with their families, even though they may not be taking communion.*

The Communion

We will go row by row and walk down the center forming a line in the front. You will receive both elements. Take them back to your seat by way of the outer aisle. The elements are taken together as a unified body following recitation of the Words of Institution noted below. *We use wine to represent the bitterness of Christ's death. Grape juice is available in the center. Gluten-free crackers are available in the center as well.*

The Words of Institution

Minister: Let us proclaim the mystery of faith.

People: Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.

Minister: Christ our Passover has been sacrificed for us.

People: Therefore let us keep the feast.

Minister: The gifts of God are for the people of God. Come, eat and drink with thanksgiving.

People: Hallelujah!

GOD'S BLESSING

Offertory Prayer & Offering

Hymn of Reflection

When I Survey the Wondrous Cross

1. When I survey the wondrous cross on which the Prince of glory died, my richest gain I count but loss, and pour contempt on all my pride.
2. Forbid it, Lord, that I should boast, save in the death of Christ my God! All the vain things that charm me most, I sacrifice them to His blood.
3. See from His head, His hands, His feet, sorrow and love flow mingled down! Did e'er such love and sorrow meet, or thorns compose so rich a crown?
4. *Were the whole realm of nature mine, that were a present far too small; Love so amazing, so divine, demands my soul, my life, my all.

***Benediction**

2 Thessalonians 2:16-17

Minister: Now may our Lord Jesus Christ himself, and God our Father, who loved us and gave us eternal comfort and good hope through grace, comfort your hearts and establish them in every good work and word.

ALL: Amen!

**Congregation Stands*

Kids Questions

Listen for the Story:

1. What was the Ethiopian man reading?
2. What is the first question that Phillip asks the man?
3. Phillip shares good news with the man-who is the good news about?

Think About What It Means:

4. What does this story teach us about telling others about Jesus?

Your Turn to ask Questions:

5. Both Phillip and the Ethiopian man asks questions in the story. Do you have any questions? Write down and talk about it with your parents later.

Draw It:

Draw Phillip and the Ethiopian man in the water.

SERMON NOTES

Financial Summary YTD (as of March 31, 2026)

Tithes and Offerings *actual \$74,819.30 (budgeted \$80,000.00)*
Expenses *actual \$73,337.71 (budgeted \$73,746.37)*

Visitors

Thank you for joining us! We would love to hear more about you, and give you the opportunity to learn more about us. If you are interested, please scan the QR code to be taken to the New Visitor form on our website.



Giving

Redeemer Presbyterian Church operates on tithes and offerings from our members and friends. Please consider giving to support our efforts to spread the Gospel in Edmond and beyond! You may drop your gift in the offering plate at the end of the service or scan the QR code to give online.



Children & Youth Ministries

Nursery (birth - 3Y) available during sermon only
Children's Church (PreK-Kinder).....available during sermon only
Children's Sunday School (1st-5th)...before the service, 9:15am-10am
Youthbefore the service, 9:15am-10am
Adults before the service, 9:15-10am