



# Redeemer

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## Welcome and Preparation

### Prayer of Approach

#### Call to Worship | From Psalm 89

Let the heavens praise your wonders, O LORD,  
your faithfulness in the assembly of the holy ones!  
For who in the skies above can compare with the LORD?

Who among the heavenly beings is like the LORD,  
a God greatly to be feared  
in the council of the holy ones,  
and awesome above all who are around him?

#### Who is like you, LORD God Almighty?

**You, LORD, are mighty,  
and your faithfulness surrounds you.**

Righteousness and justice  
are the foundation of your throne;  
steadfast love and faithfulness go before you.  
Happy are those who hear the joyful call to worship,  
who walk in the light of your presence, O LORD.

#### They rejoice in your name all day long.

**They celebrate your righteousness.**

#### Song of Praise | Come, Thou Fount

Come, thou fount of every blessing  
Tune my heart to sing thy grace  
Streams of mercy never ceasing  
Call for songs of loudest praise  
Teach me some melodious sonnet  
Sung by flaming tongues above  
Praise the name! I'm fixed upon it  
Name of thy redeeming love

Hitherto thy love has blessed me  
Thou hast brought me to this place  
And I know thy hand will bring me  
Safely home by thy good grace

Jesus sought me when a stranger  
Wandering from the fold of God  
He to rescue me from danger  
Bought me with his precious blood

Oh to grace how great a debtor  
Daily I'm constrained to be  
Let thy goodness, like a fetter  
Bind my wandering heart to thee  
Prone to wander, Lord, I feel it  
Prone to leave the God I love  
Here's my heart, oh take and seal it  
Seal it for thy courts above

Oh that day when freed from sinning  
I shall see thy lovely face  
Full arrayed in blood-washed linen  
How I'll sing thy sovereign grace  
Come, my Lord, no longer tarry  
Bring thy promises to pass  
For I know thy pow'r will keep me  
Till I'm home with thee at last

Words: Robert Robinson (1758), fourth verse words by Bob Kauflin  
Music: Asahel Nettleton (1825)

### Confession of Sin

**O Lord, not a day of my life has passed  
that has not proved me guilty in your sight.  
Prayers have been uttered from a prayerless heart;  
praise has often been praiseless sound;  
my best services are filthy rags.  
Lord Jesus, though my sins rise to heaven,  
your merits soar above them.  
Though unrighteousness weighs me down in judgment,  
your righteousness exalts me to your throne.  
All things in me call for my rejection,  
all things in you plead my acceptance.  
I appeal from the throne of perfect justice  
to your throne of boundless grace.  
Grant me assurance that by your wounds I am healed,  
that you have been made sin for me  
that I might be righteous in you.  
I am guilty but pardoned, lost but saved,  
wandering but found, sinning but cleansed.  
Keep me always clinging to your cross,  
and flood me every moment with descending grace,  
for your glory and in your name. Amen.**

Adapted from "The Broken Heart" in *The Valley of Vision*

### Assurance of Grace | Adapted from Ephesians 1:7

Brothers and sisters, hear the good news!

In Christ we have redemption through his blood,  
the forgiveness of our sins.  
This God has lavished upon us,  
according to the riches of his grace.

## Song of Response | His Mercy Is More

What love could remember  
No wrongs we have done  
Omniscient, all knowing  
He counts not their sum  
Thrown into a sea  
Without bottom or shore  
Our sins they are many  
His mercy is more

*Praise the Lord  
His mercy is more  
Stronger than darkness  
New every morn  
Our sins they are many  
His mercy is more*

What patience would wait  
As we constantly roam  
What Father, so tender  
Is calling us home  
He welcomes the weakest  
The vilest, the poor  
Our sins they are many  
His mercy is more

What riches of kindness  
He lavished on us  
His blood was the payment  
His life was the cost  
We stood 'neath a debt  
We could never afford  
Our sins they are many  
His mercy is more

Words and Music: Matt Boswell and Matt Papa (2016)

## Affirmation of Faith | Based on Romans 8

**We are convinced that nothing  
can ever separate us from God's love.  
Neither death nor life,  
neither angels nor demons,  
neither our fears for today  
nor our worries about tomorrow—  
not even the powers of hell  
can separate us from God's love.  
Indeed, nothing in all creation  
will ever be able to separate us  
from the love of God  
that is revealed in Christ Jesus our Lord.**

## Scripture | Romans 5 and 7

<sup>12</sup> Therefore, just as sin came into the world through one man, and death through sin, and so death spread to all men because all sinned— <sup>13</sup> for sin indeed was in the world before the law was given, but sin is not counted

where there is no law. <sup>14</sup> Yet death reigned from Adam to Moses, even over those whose sinning was not like the transgression of Adam, who was a type of the one who was to come.

<sup>15</sup> But the free gift is not like the trespass. For if many died through one man's trespass, much more have the grace of God and the free gift by the grace of that one man Jesus Christ abounded for many. <sup>16</sup> And the free gift is not like the result of that one man's sin. For the judgment following one trespass brought condemnation, but the free gift following many trespasses brought justification. <sup>17</sup> For if, because of one man's trespass, death reigned through that one man, much more will those who receive the abundance of grace and the free gift of righteousness reign in life through the one man Jesus Christ.

<sup>18</sup> Therefore, as one trespass led to condemnation for all men, so one act of righteousness leads to justification and life for all men. <sup>19</sup> For as by the one man's disobedience the many were made sinners, so by the one man's obedience the many will be made righteous. <sup>20</sup> Now the law came in to increase the trespass, but where sin increased, grace abounded all the more, <sup>21</sup> so that, as sin reigned in death, grace also might reign through righteousness leading to eternal life through Jesus Christ our Lord.

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<sup>1</sup> Or do you not know, brothers—for I am speaking to those who know the law—that the law is binding on a person only as long as he lives? <sup>2</sup> For a married woman is bound by law to her husband while he lives, but if her husband dies she is released from the law of marriage. <sup>3</sup> Accordingly, she will be called an adulteress if she lives with another man while her husband is alive. But if her husband dies, she is free from that law, and if she marries another man she is not an adulteress.

<sup>4</sup> Likewise, my brothers, you also have died to the law through the body of Christ, so that you may belong to another, to him who has been raised from the dead, in order that we may bear fruit for God. <sup>5</sup> For while we were living in the flesh, our sinful passions, aroused by the law, were at work in our members to bear fruit for death. <sup>6</sup> But now we are released from the law, having died to that which held us captive, so that we serve in the new way of the Spirit and not in the old way of the written code.

## Sermon | The Gospel of Grace

## The Lord's Supper

### Welcome to the Table

From east and west, north and south, people will come and take their places at the feast in the kingdom of God. He who did not spare his own Son but gave him up for us all, how will he not also with him graciously give us all things? Come then to the joyful feast of the Lord and be transformed.

Leader: Let us proclaim the mystery of the faith:

**All: Christ has died!  
Christ is risen!  
Christ will come again!**

Leader: Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us.

**All: Therefore let us keep the feast.**

Leader: These are the gifts of God  
for the people of God.  
Feed on them in your hearts  
by faith and with thanksgiving.

### Distribution of the Bread and Cup

#### Song of Communion | My Worth Is Not In What I Own

My worth is not in what I own  
Not in the strength of flesh and bone  
But in the costly wounds of love  
At the cross

My worth is not in skill or name  
In win or lose, in pride or shame  
But in the blood of Christ that flowed  
At the cross

*I rejoice in my Redeemer  
Greatest Treasure  
Wellspring of my soul  
I will trust in him, no other  
My soul is satisfied in him alone*

As summer flowers we fade and die  
Fame, youth and beauty hurry by  
But life eternal calls to us  
At the cross

I will not boast in wealth or might  
Or human wisdom's fleeting light  
But I will boast in knowing Christ  
At the cross

Two wonders here that I confess  
My worth and my unworthiness  
My value fixed; my ransom paid  
At the cross

Words and Music: Keith and Kristyn Getty (2014)

## Song of Sending | In Christ Alone

In Christ alone my hope is found  
He is my light, my strength, my song  
This cornerstone, this solid ground  
Firm through the fiercest drought and storm  
What heights of love, what depths of peace  
When fears are stilled, when strivings cease  
My comforter, my all in all—  
Here in the love of Christ I stand

In Christ alone, who took on flesh  
Fullness of God in helpless babe  
This gift of love and righteousness  
Scorned by the ones he came to save  
'Til on that cross as Jesus died  
The wrath of God was satisfied  
For every sin on him was laid—  
Here in the death of Christ I live

There in the ground his body lay  
Light of the world by darkness slain  
Then bursting forth in glorious day  
Up from the grave he rose again!  
And as he stands in victory  
Sin's curse has lost its grip on me  
For I am his and he is mine—  
Bought with the precious blood of Christ

No guilt in life, no fear in death—  
This is the power of Christ in me  
From life's first cry to final breath  
Jesus commands my destiny  
No power of hell, no scheme of man  
Can ever pluck me from his hand  
'Til he returns or calls me home—  
Here in the power of Christ I'll stand

Words and Music: Keith Getty and Stuart Townend (2001)

### Benediction | Ephesians 3:17-19

May Christ dwell in your hearts through faith—that you, being rooted and grounded in love, may have strength to comprehend with all the saints what is the breadth and length and height and depth of the love of Christ, and to know this love that surpasses knowledge—that you may be filled with all the fullness of God.

Let us go forth to serve the world as those who love our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ.

### Thanks be to God!

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To listen to the service over your car radio, please tune in to 530AM.

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## City Kids Festival

City Kids Festival will be on Saturday, August 7, at The Bridge Church. We will be collecting 300 Index Tab Dividers for the backpacks for 6<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> graders. We also need volunteers for preparation, set-up and take-down of booths, running the booths, and photographers for the photo booth. If you are interested in volunteering, please contact Candy Hall at 707-528-1382 or cshall4@sonic.net

## Hospitality Volunteers Needed

We are in need of a few more people to help make coffee and prepare the refreshment tables on Sunday mornings. The time commitment is minimal as volunteers are scheduled only once a month. If you are interested or would like more information, contact Tosca Schauer at 707-235-8041.

## Weekly Prayer

Please join us online for prayer each Wednesday from 12:00PM–12:30PM. If you do not receive the Zoom link that is emailed out weekly, please contact Mike Awtry.

## Weekly Update

If you would like to receive our weekly email update, please contact the church office at office@redeemersr.org.

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## Affiliation

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## Our Logo

Our logo summarizes our values by combining two images. The first is the image of a table set for dinner. Tables are places where celebration is held, fellowship is shared, and invitation is offered. It also reminds us that God extends all these to us when we come around his table each week. This brings us to the second image: that of a cross. The cross of Jesus alone opens our way into welcome and fellowship with God at his table. The grace that was shown to us at the cross is the same grace that calls us together and gives us every reason to celebrate.