

SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP

October 4, 2009

Reflection

The Gospel preached to us is always old, but the gospel realized in us is always new. Christ set before our eyes is always old, but Christ in us, the hope of glory, Christ dwelling in our hearts by faith is always new.

— *Robert Candlish*

The purpose of human relationships is not human happiness. It is the work of reconciling people to God and restoring them into the image of His Son.

— *Paul Tripp*

True friendship thrives when, before God, each one is more aware of his debts than his rights.

— *Ray Ortlund*



PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP

***In recognition of the reason and reverence of worship, please remember to turn off your cell phones. Also, if you need a drink, please bring only water into the worship service. Thank you.*

SONG OF ASCENTS

King of Saints

Jesus Christ, God's holy lamb,
We will laud thy lovely name;
We were saved by God's decree,
And all our debt was paid by thee.
Thou has washed us in thy blood,
Made us kings and priests to God;
Take this tribute of the poor;
Less we can't, we can't give more.

Chorus:

**Souls redeemed, your voices raise,
Sing your dear Redeemer's praise;
Worthy thou of love and laud,
King of saints, incarnate God.**

Righteous are thy ways and true;
Endless honors are thy due;
Grace and glory in thee shine;
Matchless mercy, love divine.
We for whom thou once was slain,
We thy ransomed sinner train,
In this one request agree,
"Spirit make us more like thee."
(Chorus twice)

WELCOMING ONE ANOTHER

ANNOUNCEMENTS

SILENT PREPARATION

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Music: Clint Wells

CALL TO WORSHIP

Colossians 2:13-14; Psalm 32:11

Grace and peace to you who were dead in your sins,
For God has made you alive with Christ and forgiven all
your sins. Rejoice in the Lord and be glad, you righ-
teous; sing, all you who are now upright in heart!

ADORING GOD IN SONG

I Will Worship

Chorus:

**I will give you all my worship
I will give you all my praise
You alone I long to worship
You alone are worthy of my praise**

I will worship (I will worship)
With all of my heart (With all of my heart)
I will praise you (I will praise you)
With all of my strength (All my strength)
I will seek you (I will seek you)
All of my days (All of my days)
And I will follow (I will follow)
All of your ways (All your ways)
(Chorus)

I will bow down (I will bow down)
Hail you as king (Hail you as king)
And I will serve you (I will serve you)
Give you everything (Give you everything)
I will lift up (I will lift up)
My eyes to your throne (My eyes to your throne)
And I will trust you (I will trust you)
I will trust you alone (Trust in you alone)
(Chorus twice)

MINISTRY OF WORD & PRAYER

*If you are able,
please stand
in honor of God's Word,
which is forever true.*

1 John 2:7-11

page 1207 in the pew Bibles

Prayer for the Kingdom of God on Earth

Mike Newkirk

LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Your name. Your kingdom come, Your 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. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Yours is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

SONG OF PREPARATION

O the Deep, Deep Love of Jesus

O the deep, deep love of Jesus,
Vast, unmeasured, boundless free.
Rolling as a mighty ocean,
In its fullness over me.
Underneath me, all around me,
Is the current of Thy love;
Leading onward, leading homeward,
To Thy glorious rest above.

O the deep, deep love of Jesus,
Spread His praise from shore to shore.
How He loveth ever loveth,
Changeth never, never more.
How He watches o'er His loved ones,
Died to call them all His own;
How for them He intercedeth,
Watcheth o'er them from the throne.

O the deep, deep love of Jesus,
Love of every love the best.
'Tis an ocean vast of blessing,
'Tis a haven sweet of rest.
O the deep, deep love of Jesus,
'Tis a heav'n of heav'ns to me;
And it lifts me up to glory,
For it lifts me up to Thee.

*Children age 30 months through
1st grade are invited to go to
Children's Church
during this song.*

*Children's Church is an optional
activity during the sermon to
help young children prepare to sit
through the service. There is singing
and an explanation of this week's
Scripture Passage by an Elder.*

*This Month's Children's Church
Workers:
2 & 3 year old -
Boss
4 year old to 1st grade -
Simon*

*Next Month's Children's Church
Workers:
2 & 3 year old -
Morris
4 year old to 1st grade -
Seale*

*O the Deep, Deep
Love of Jesus
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SERMON

For Further Discussion & Application:

What command is John talking about in v. 7-8? How is it old and new? (See Leviticus 19:18, Matthew 22:34-40, John 13:34-35)

What is wrong with trying to obey God's commandments (such as the Ten Commandments or Matthew 5-7) without love? (See Romans 13:8-10, 1 Corinthians 13:1-3)

What is wrong with trying to love without obeying God's commandments? (See Matthew 5:17-20, John 14:15)

What is the connection between walking in the light and confessing sin? Between walking in the light and obeying God? Between walking in the light and loving your brother?

Summarize John's message in 2:3-11.

Sunday Lunch Question:

Outline John's flow of thought in 1:5-2:11. What are the main points? How do they build on one another?

How can you be sure that you know God? Test #2

1 John 2:7-11

Senior Pastor Dan Seale

WORSHIP THROUGH GIVING

Deacon's Prayer

Ken Coyer

The Giving of Our Tithes & Offerings

Please sign and pass the registers.

OFFERTORY SONG

Choir - ***Communion Hymn (Behold the Lamb)***

Behold the Lamb who bears our sins away,
slain for us - and we remember
The promise made that all who come in faith
find forgiveness at the cross.
So we share in this bread of life,
and we drink of His sacrifice
As a sign of our bonds of peace
around the table of the King.

The body of our Savior Jesus Christ,
torn for you - eat and remember;
The wounds that heal, the death that brings us life
paid the price to make us one.
So we share in this bread of life,
and we drink of His sacrifice
As a sign of our bonds of love
around the table of the King.

The blood that cleanses every stain of sin,
shed for you – drink and remember
He drained death's cup that all may enter
in to receive the life of God.
So we share in this bread of life,
and we drink of His sacrifice
As a sign of our bonds of grace
around the table of the King.

And so with thankfulness and faith
we rise to respond – and to remember
Our call to follow in the steps of Christ
as His body here on earth.
As we share in His suffering,
we proclaim Christ will come again!
And we'll join in the feast of heaven
around the table of the King.

We invite everyone to fill out the registry pad located on the end of the aisle.

If you are a visitor, we hope that you have been encouraged by the time that you have spent worshipping with us today.

Prayer requests can also be submitted online through our web site at any time. Private requests will only be seen by the church leadership.

The Lord's Supper is the family meal of Christians. Redeemer Presbyterian Church welcomes all committed followers of Jesus Christ to partake of this sacrament. If you have forsaken your sin and trusted in Jesus Christ for salvation, are a baptized member of a congregation that proclaims the gospel, and seek strength to live more faithfully for Christ, we invite you to partake in the Lord's Supper.

If you are not a Christian or are not prepared to share in this meal, we encourage you to spend this time in prayer. (see prayers on the next page) We hope this time is helpful to you as you consider your relationship with Jesus Christ and with His people, the Church.

COMMUNION

PRAYERS FOR THOSE NOT TAKING THE LORD'S SUPPER

Prayer for Those Searching for the Truth

Lord Jesus, you claim to be the way, the truth, and the life. Grant that I might be undaunted by the cost of following you as I consider the reasons for doing so. If what you claim is true, please guide me, teach me, and open to me the reality of who you are. Give me an understanding of you that is coherent, convincing, and that leads to the life that you promise. Amen.

Prayer of Belief

Lord Jesus, I admit that I am weaker and more sinful than I ever before believed, but through you I am more loved and accepted than I ever dared hope. I thank you for paying my debt, bearing my punishment on the cross, and offering forgiveness and new life. Knowing that you have been raised from the dead, I turn from my sins and receive you as Savior and Lord. Amen.

Prayer of Commitment

Lord Jesus, you have called us to follow you in baptism and in a life of committed discipleship in your church. Grant that I may take the necessary steps to be one with your people, and live in the fullness of your Spirit. Amen.

INVITATION AND FENCING OF THE TABLE

CONFESSION OF SIN

Almighty, eternal, merciful God and Father, we poor sinners confess that we have sinned in many ways against You and Your commandments:

We confess that we have not honored our parents, and have been disobedient to them and to all those to whom we owe honor and obedience.

We confess that we have not respected life, but have murdered in our hearts, venting our anger against our neighbors whom we are to love.

We confess that we have not been sexually pure in our thinking, seeing, hearing, and speaking. We acknowledge all our sins of the flesh and all the excess and extravagance of our whole lives in eating, drinking, clothing, and other things.

We confess that we have stolen. We acknowledge our greed. We admit our love of the world and the things of the world. We have dishonestly gained and kept what we have, and greedily held what belongs to others.

We confess that we have borne false witness, that we have been untrue and unfaithful toward our neighbor, that we have shaded, twisted, and denied the truth.

We confess that we have coveted the possessions and spouses of others. We acknowledge in summary that our whole life is nothing else than sin and transgression of your holy commandments and an inclination toward all evil.

Therefore we beg of you, O heavenly Father, that you would graciously forgive us these and all our sins. Keep and preserve us so that we may walk only in Your ways and live according to Your will; through Jesus Christ, your dear Son, our Saviour. Amen.

RESPONSE & BLESSING

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING & CONSECRATION

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

1 Corinthians 11:23-30

DISTRIBUTION OF THE BREAD AND THE CUP

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING AND DEDICATION

SONG OF RESPONSE

More Love to Thee

More love to Thee, O Christ, more love to Thee!
Hear thou the prayer I make on bended knee
This is my earnest plea: more love, O Christ, to Thee
More love, (more love), more love, (more love), more love to Thee
More love, (more love), more love, (more love) to Thee.

Once earthly joy I craved, sought peace and rest;
Now Thee alone I seek, give what is best.
This all my prayer shall be: more love, O Christ, to Thee
More love, (more love), more love, (more love), more love to Thee
More love, (more love), more love, (more love) to Thee.

Then shall my latest breath whisper thy praise;
This be the parting cry my heart shall raise;
This still its prayer shall be: more love, O Christ to Thee
More love, (more love), more love, (more love), more love to Thee
More love, (more love), more love, (more love), more love to Thee
More love, (more love), more love (more love) to Thee.

BENEDICTION

More Love to Thee
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THIS WEEK

Today	9:15 a.m.	Sunday School
	10:30 a.m.	Worship Service
	Times vary:	Community Groups <i>(see flyer on foyer table)</i>
Monday	7:00 p.m.	Women's Bible Study <i>(meets at church, Lorilynn Spronk, 789-4282)</i>
	7:15 p.m.	Middle School Small Groups <i>(Boys - Rein's house, 905 Brookfield Road 27615)</i>
	7:30 p.m.	Middle School Small Groups <i>(Girls - Wood's house, 7704 Foxwood Drive 27615)</i>
	7:30 p.m.	High School Small Groups <i>(Girls - Borders Bookstore, Six Forks @ Strickland)</i> <i>(Boys - Brown's house, 3440 Kennebuck Court 27613)</i>
Wednesday	9:45 a.m.	Women's Bible Study <i>(meets at church, Sally Narveson, 783-7582)</i>
	6:00 p.m.	Youth Group Pancake Supper Fundraiser
	7:00 p.m.	Missions Committee Meeting
Thursday	7:30 p.m.	Choir Practice
	8:15 p.m.	Music Team Practice
Friday	7:00 a.m.	Men's Bible Study <i>(Starbucks @ Stonehenge Shopping Ctr., on Creedmoor Rd., Dan Seale, 518-2370)</i>
Saturday	8:30 a.m.	Women's Bible Study & Fellowship <i>(meets at Panera Bread, 6675 Falls of Neuse Road, Sook Cadwell, 846-7088)</i>

Birthdays & Anniversaries See the screen in the foyer or the weekly e-letter.

Next Sunday: Nurseries Team VI (Christina Dunn, Coordinator)
Greeters Cadwell

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Hear Sunday's Sermons online @ www.redeempca.net

Congregational Meeting Next Sunday

Next Sunday, October 11 following the worship service, we will have an informational congregational meeting to present the approved 2009-2010 ministry budget. Please plan to stay afterward for this meeting as we give thanks for His provision over the past year and as we look ahead to ministry in the coming year.

Women's Fall Retreat - Deposit Due TODAY!

The Women's Fall Retreat will be held on Friday, October 16, 7:00 p.m. - Saturday, October 17, 5:00 p.m. Join us for a weekend of fellowship on Lake Gaston. Cost: \$45 for overnight stay (\$20.00 deposit due by October 4 to reserve your spot), \$25 for Saturday only. Go to the online events calendar to register or pick up a flyer on the foyer table. Questions? Contact Becky Chapman at 878-5675 or becky_chapman@bellsouth.net.

Youth Group Pancake Supper Fundraiser

In lieu of our normal Fellowship Supper, the Youth Group will be hosting a special Pancake Supper at the church on Wednesday, October 7 at 6:00 p.m. The Youth Group will provide all the food and prepare the meal, so don't worry about bringing a dish to pass. Donations will be accepted — all monies raised will make it possible for all of our students to participate in conferences and events.

Youth Fall Retreat - Sign-up Deadline October 11!

All youth, grades 6th - 12th, are invited to join us for a Youth Fall Retreat to be held Friday night, November 13 to Sunday afternoon, November 15 at the Welsh farm in Virginia. Cost is \$15 per person. More details are posted on the web site.

Concert and Cookout

Come and bring your friends and neighbors to a Concert and Cookout on Saturday October 24 from 5:00 - 8:00 p.m. in the back parking lot of the church. Featuring performances by the Will McBride Group (member Tarik Ghiradella on drums) and the Phillips Girls, this cookout will be a great opportunity to eat great food, listen to some fantastic musicians, and meet new folks at the church. We are planning this event to provide a fun and relaxing way for you to bring friends and introduce them to the Redeemer family. All the food is provided. Please start thinking now about who you will invite!

Photo Directory - Still Time to Be Included

If you were unable to make it to an appointment to get your photo taken for the new directory, you still have time to be included. Please contact Theresa in the church office to find out about October make-up dates and locations or how to submit your own photo. You may also call RE:Member Church Directories directly at 866-724-3907.

Need to contact Dan?
Call anytime—
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Save the Date
for these upcoming events that you won't want to miss!

- October 4: Deposit Due for Women's Fall Retreat
- October 7: Youth Group Pancake Supper Fundraiser
- October 11: Sign-up Deadline for Youth Fall Retreat
- October 16-17: Women's Fall Retreat
- October 20: Saints Alive Breakfast
- October 21: Ladies' Fellowship Night
- October 24: Concert and Cookout
- November 13-15: Youth Fall Retreat

For more information on all upcoming events, please check out the online events calendar or the weekly e-letter.



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Dan Seale

ASSOCIATE

PASTOR:
Andy Wood

COMMUNITY GROUPS

Outside of Sunday Morning Worship, Community Groups are the main way to get plugged in here at Redeemer. As we continue to grow, these groups become more and more important in helping people connect and feel a part of our community. Groups of individuals and families meet in someone's home on the first and third Sundays of the month. It's in these smaller settings, also called shepherding groups, that we can be cared for and learn, serve, grow and pray together as a family.

North Raleigh (Creedmoor/I-540)

Leader: Ivan Spronk 789-4282
Time & Place: 5:00 - 6:30 p.m.
3108 Cranesbill Drive, 27613

North Raleigh (Baileywick)

Leader: Dave Larsen 345-3996
Time & Place: 5:00 - 7:00 p.m.
816 Berwyn Way, 27615

Northwest Raleigh

Leader: Rob Helms 518-1271
Time & Place: 5:00 - 7:00 p.m.
3405 1st Place, 27613

Northeast Raleigh (Durant Road)

Leader: Dan Kemp 848-9945
Time & Place: 5:00 - 7:00 p.m.
9944 Koupela Drive, 27614

Lake Lynn Area

Leader: Mike Newkirk 412-0621
Time & Place: 6:00 - 8:00 p.m.
4208 Omni Place, 27613

Southwest Raleigh/Cary

Leader: Jeff Smith 949-9710
Time & Place: 5:00 - 7:30 p.m.
108 Wilander Drive, 27511

Crabtree Area

Leader: Anthony Dunn 881-0478
Time & Place: 5:45 - 7:30 p.m.
1804 Kenwyck Manor Way, 27612

North Raleigh (Creedmoor/I-540)

Leader: Steve Welsh 676-1944
Time & Place: 6:00 - 8:00 p.m.
5217 Antherton Bridge Road, 27613