

## TO OUR GUESTS

We believe that the purpose for our existence as human beings is to glorify God. Therefore, it is our heartfelt desire to challenge and encourage you to find your complete satisfaction in the only One in whom it can be genuinely found, the Lord of all creation! We all spend our lives seeking to find satisfaction for the deepest longings of our hearts. The tragedy, however, is that we search in vain to find such fulfillment apart from a personal relationship with the One who brought us into being. Our prayer for you is that you will share with us in this experience of satisfaction in Christ.

We are delighted to have you join us today in the worship of life's ultimate Treasure, the Lord Jesus Christ. We pray that you would bask in the glorious riches of God's grace! May you know the One who is, indeed, the ultimate fulfillment of your heart's deepest longings. If you have questions about your relationship with God, have need of prayer, or would like more information about Redeemer Church, please feel encouraged to speak to one of our Elders, Staff, or Care Group Leaders at the conclusion of today's service near the platform area.

One request: would you please fill out a guest registration card, which is located on the table in the foyer? This will enable us to more effectively minister to you. Please leave the completed card on the table. If you would like more information, or have any questions, please feel free to contact us at the church office at (817) 367-2639, or visit our website at [www.RedeemerFortWorth.org](http://www.RedeemerFortWorth.org).

## WORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

### Sundays—

- **Discipleship Hour:** Resuming August 29
- **Corporate Worship Gathering | 10:45 a.m. – 12:15 p.m.,** in the Worship Center.
- **Table Talk College Ministry Bible Study | 7:00 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.,** Starbucks (6115 Camp Bowie Blvd. Fort Worth, TX 76116)

### Tuesdays—

- **Men's Theology Discussion on Wayne Grudem's *Systematic Theology* | 6:00 a.m. – 7:00 a.m.,** Edwards Hall
- **Singles' Bible Study:** 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesdays, 6:30-8:30 p.m. (locations posted in Singles Group on The City.)

### Thursdays—

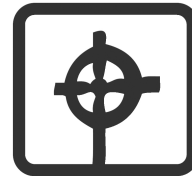
- **Transformation Student Ministry Bible Study | 7:00–9:00 p.m.,** Education Building, "Upper Room" – 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor

## REDEEMER DEACONS, ELDERS & STAFF

- **Deacons:** Chris Cronenworth, Bill Heinrich, Billy Marsh, Bret Rogers, Bryan Walker, Michael Wilkinson
- **Elders:** Mike Branch, Wayne Spray, Dale Stonecipher, Kevin Walker
- **Staff:** Gary Brumley, *Minister of Worship*; Dusty Deevers, *Minister of Administration*; Kevin Rutledge, *Minister to Students & Families (Youth & College)*

# THE WORSHIP OF OUR ALL-GLORIOUS GOD

SUNDAY, AUGUST 22, 2010



REDEEMER CHURCH

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### IN PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP

Take a moment before the service begins to pray, asking the Lord to prepare you to worship him in spirit and truth.



### TODAY'S SCRIPTURE MEMORY

*"Then he said to his disciples, 'The harvest is plentiful, but the laborers are few; therefore pray earnestly to the Lord of the harvest to send out laborers into his harvest.'"*

Matthew 9:37-38

EQUIPPING GOD'S PEOPLE  
TO DELIGHT IN HIS GLORY  
AND DECLARE THAT GLORY  
TO OUR NEIGHBORS  
AND THE NATIONS!

## GATHERING

### Welcome

### Parent-Baby Dedication

*“He established a testimony in Jacob and appointed a law in Israel, which he commanded our fathers to teach to their children, that the next generation might know them, the children yet unborn, and arise and tell them to their children, so that they should set their hope in God and not forget the works of God, but keep his commandments.”*

(Psalm 78:5-7 ESV)

### Parents' Commitment

*Leader: Parents, will you commit to trust God's promises made to you and your children in His Word?  
Will you commit to seek God, and seek gospel change in the way you live and parent your children?  
Will you commit to discipline your children and show them grace?  
Will you commit to teach God's Word to them and live out the gospel in your home?  
Will you commit to pray for them and teach them to pray?  
Will you commit to partner with this church community, seek their help and accountability, and lead your children to do the same?*

**Parents: With God's help, we will.**

### Church's Commitment

*Leader: Redeemer Church, will you commit to seek God and seek gospel change in the way you live before these children?  
Will you commit to pray for these children—that they will grow to love Jesus and trust in Him?  
Will you commit to teach them the gospel through both your words and your example?  
Will you commit to partner with these parents—holding them accountable and confronting their sin?  
Will you commit to pray for them and encourage them as they face the trials of parenting?*

**ALL: With joy and thanksgiving,  
As Christ's church,  
With God's help,  
We promise to love, encourage, and support you  
As you follow Christ and train your children in the faith.**

Adapted from *Liturgy from Baby Dedication Service*, TheOpenSourcebook.org  
Original by the elders at Sojourn Community Church. (cc by)

### Prayer of Dedication & Preparation for Worship

### ADORATION, PRAISE and THANKSGIVING

#### **“Come, People of the Risen King”**

Come, people of the Risen King,  
Who delight to bring Him praise;  
Come all and tune your hearts to sing  
To the Morning Star of grace.  
From the shifting shadows of the earth  
We will lift our eyes to Him,

Where steady arms of mercy reach  
To gather children in.

*Rejoice, Rejoice! Let every tongue rejoice!  
One heart, one voice; O Church of Christ, rejoice!*

Come, those whose joy is morning sun,  
And those weeping through the night;  
Come, those who tell of battles won,  
And those struggling in the fight.  
For His perfect love will never change,  
And His mercies never cease,  
But follow us through all our days  
With the certain hope of peace.

*Rejoice, Rejoice! Let every tongue rejoice!  
One heart, one voice; O Church of Christ, rejoice!*

Come, young and old from every land -  
Men and women of the faith;  
Come, those with full or empty hands -  
Find the riches of His grace.  
Over all the world, His people sing -  
Shore to shore we hear them call  
The Truth that cries through every age:  
“Our God is all in all”!

*Rejoice, Rejoice! Let every tongue rejoice!  
One heart, one voice; O Church of Christ, rejoice!*

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### Responsive Reading from Psalm 67

*Leader: May God be gracious to us and bless us  
and make his face to shine upon us,  
that your way may be known on earth,  
your saving power among all nations.*

**ALL: Let the peoples praise you, O God;  
let all the peoples praise you!  
Let the nations be glad and sing for joy!**

(Psalm 67:1-4 ESV)

#### **“O Worship the King—Ye Servants of God”**

O worship the King, all glorious above,  
And gratefully sing His wonderful love;  
Our Shield and Defender, the Ancient of Days,  
Pavilioned in splendor, and girded with praise.

O tell of His might, O sing of His grace,  
Whose robe is the light, whose canopy space!  
His chariots of wrath the deep thunderclouds form,  
And dark is His path on the wings of the storm.

Ye servants of God, your Master proclaim;  
And publish abroad His wonderful name;  
The name all victorious of Jesus extol;  
His kingdom is glorious, He rules over all.

Salvation to God, who sits on the throne,  
Let all cry aloud and honor the Son:  
The praises of Jesus the angels proclaim,  
Fall down on their faces and worship the Lamb.

Now let us adore and give Him His right,  
All glory and pow'r, all wisdom and might;  
All honor and blessing, with angels above,  
And thanks neverceasing, and infinite love.

Verses 1, 2 by Robert Grant. Verses 3, 4, & 5 from "Ye Servants of God"  
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### **"Salvation Belongs to Our God"**

Salvation belongs to our God  
Who sits upon the Throne.  
And unto the Lamb  
Praise and glory, wisdom and thanks,  
Honor and power and strength  
*Be to our God forever and ever,  
Be to our God forever and ever,  
Be to our God forever and ever, Amen.*

And we the redeemed shall be strong  
in purpose and unity.  
Declaring aloud  
Praise and glory, wisdom and thanks,  
Honor and power and strength  
*Be to our God forever and ever,  
Be to our God forever and ever,  
Be to our God forever and ever, Amen.*

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### **"How Sweet and Awesome Is the Place"**

How sweet and awesome\* is the place  
With Christ within the doors,  
While everlasting love displays  
The choicest of her stores.

While all our hearts and all our songs  
Join to admire the feast,  
Each of us cry, with thankful tongues,  
"Lord, why was I a guest?"

"Why was I made to hear Thy voice,  
And enter while there's room,  
When thousands make a wretched choice,  
And rather starve than come?"

'Twas the same love that spread the feast  
That sweetly drew us in;  
Else we had still refused to taste,  
And perished in our sin.

Pity the nations, O our God,  
Constrain the earth to come;  
Send Thy victorious Word abroad,  
And bring the strangers home.

We long to see Thy churches full,  
That all the chosen race  
May, with one voice and heart and soul,  
Sing Thy redeeming grace.

Text: Isaac Watts, 1770. Music: ST. COLUMBA (Old Irish hymn melody)  
\*Originally "How Sweet and Awful is the Place"  
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### **Extended Session**

*As instrumental music is played, children ages 12 weeks - 3 years  
may be taken to the nursery to be ministered to during the remainder  
of the worship service. If you would like to keep your children with you,  
however, you are encouraged to do so.*

### **PROCLAMATION of the WORD**

**Sermon:** "Faith and Spreading the Gospel"  
(Matthew 9:27-34)

Jason Lee

### **COMMITMENT and COMMISSION**

#### **"The Earth Will Be Filled"**

Lord, send out Your Spirit, Your people, Your gospel  
To gather the nations You purchased with Your blood.  
Their tributes all bringing, their voices all blending,  
The ransomed, all singing the glories of your Son.  
From all lands, lifting hands, hear their "Amen!"

*And the earth will be filled  
With the knowledge of the glory of the Lord  
As the waters of the sea.  
(Repeat)  
Lord, let this be.*

You've promised to do this, Your Word has foretold it,  
We'll go now with confidence Your purpose cannot fail.  
With great expectations, we'll go to the nations  
With joy as our strength and the presence of Your Son.  
Let this be, Lord use me in this mission.

*And the earth will be filled  
With the knowledge of the glory of the Lord  
As the waters of the sea.  
(Repeat)  
Lord, let this be.*

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### **Offering**

### **Announcements**

### **Congregational Welcome of New Members**

By the love of Jesus Christ, who drew you to faith,  
we welcome you into this church body,  
joyfully embracing you as brothers and sisters who with us  
believe.  
May the Lord keep us close together by His Spirit,  
breaking bread in faith and love,  
one with Jesus Christ our Lord and Master.

### **Blessing**

*Following this morning's worship service, elders will be available at the front  
of the Worship Center to pray with you, or to speak with you regarding  
your spiritual condition and the truths of the gospel of Jesus Christ.*



“Faith and Spreading the Gospel”  
(Matthew 9:27-34)

Series of horizontal lines for taking notes.

Questions for Application & Discussion

- 1. In what ways have you noticed the mercy of the Lord recently?
2. Do you have ongoing areas of disobedience to God’s commands for your life?
3. What aspects of God’s nature or work amaze you?
4. In what ways are you currently working in the Lord’s field?

INFORMATION & HAPPENINGS

Turning 2 Women’s Fellowship: Saturday, August 28, 7:00 - 9:00 p.m., in Edwards Hall. This celebration of Christ turning us to Himself will consist of reflecting on the gospel through devotional times, corporate prayer, and the sweet gift of birthday cake.

Singles Bible Study: Tuesday, August 24, 6:30-8:30 p.m., in Edwards Hall. Join us as we complete our study of the book of Jude.

Redeemer Church Membership Class begins Sunday, August 29, at 9:30 a.m. Sign up in the Membership Matters Group on The City or sign-up in the foyer.

Baby Shower for Dawn Isbell, Sharla Hays, and Meg Arbour: Sunday, August 29, 1:00 pm, in Edwards Hall. The South 6 Care Group would like to invite the ladies of Redeemer to a Diapers, Wipes, and Giftcard Shower.

End of Summer All-Church Picnic: Sunday, September 5, following the worship service at Central Park. Bring your own sack lunch. Consider bringing a dessert to share.

Labor Day Run: The Redeemer Runners group invites you to join them Monday, September 6 to participate in this family event hosted by the Fort Worth Runners Club.

Biblical Counseling Conference | Pursuing Faithful Parenting: Friday, September 10 & Saturday, September 11, at Birchman Baptist Church. Conference is FREE but registration is required.

Sign up for The City: Not yet on The City? Leave your email address on the sign-up sheet in the foyer to get started.

Scripture Memory: Week of August 23-29
“Whoever confesses that Jesus is the Son of God, God abides in him, and he in God.” (1 John 4:15)
Next Week’s Sermon: “The Proper Response to The Proper Confession” (Matthew 14:22-33), Wes Mills
Featured Book of the Week: The Gospel and Personal Evangelism by Mark Dever (\$8)
(In an effort to encourage the spiritual growth of all, the Redeemer Book Nook operates on a “pay what you can” policy. Soli Deo Gloria!)