

## Welcome to Redeemer!

We're glad you've joined us for worship this morning.

We hope you feel welcomed and loved as we worship our great God together. Please use the attendance pad in the pew to tell us a little about yourself.



## What's Happening

☞ To keep up with church events and details, subscribe to Thursday's Email Blast (our weekly newsletter) on our website or Facebook page.

☞ See the back of this bulletin for upcoming ministry opportunities.

☞ Check out our Blog for pictures, stories, and news.



## Ways to Connect

☞ Community groups meet around Charleston during the week. Find a current list on page 8.

☞ Weekly Women's Bible studies, women's special events, and men's events: [redeemer-charleston.org](http://redeemer-charleston.org)

☞ Use our online directory to encourage one another during the week.

☞ Equip-Hour classes (like Sunday School) for all ages Sundays, 9:15 am

Redeemer Presbyterian exists to glorify God as a Gospel presence in downtown Charleston by being a grace-filled community that worships Christ and develops disciples who serve Him in our families, neighborhoods, and the nations.

*Order of Worship*

*October 7, 2018*

## GOD CALLS US TO WORSHIP

*from Psalm 115*

LEADER: Not to us, O LORD, not to us, but to your name give glory.

**PEOPLE: For the sake of your steadfast love and your faithfulness!**

LEADER: Why should the nations say, "Where is their God?"

**PEOPLE: Our God is in the heavens; he does all that he pleases.**

LEADER: Their idols are silver and gold, the work of human hands.

**PEOPLE: They have mouths, but do not speak; eyes, but do not see. They have ears, but do not hear; noses, but do not smell.**

LEADER: They have hands, but do not feel; feet, but do not walk; and they do not make a sound in their throat.

**PEOPLE: Those who make them become like them; so do all who trust in them.**

LEADER: O Israel, trust in the LORD!

**PEOPLE: He is their help and their shield.**

LEADER: O house of Aaron, trust in the LORD!

**PEOPLE: He is their help and their shield.**

LEADER: You who fear the LORD, trust in the LORD!

**PEOPLE: He is their help and their shield.**

LEADER: The LORD has remembered us; he will bless us; he will bless those who fear the LORD, both the small and the great.

**PEOPLE: The heavens are the LORD's heavens, but the**

earth he has given to the children of man.

LEADER: The dead do not praise the LORD, nor do any who go down into silence.

**PEOPLE: But we will bless the LORD from this time forth and forevermore. Praise the LORD!**

## WE SING PRAISES TO GOD

### O WORSHIP THE KING

O worship the King, All glorious above,  
And gratefully sing, His power and His love:  
Our Shield and Defender, The Ancient of Days,  
Pavilioned in splendor, And girded with praise.

O tell of His might, And 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.

The earth with its store of wonders untold  
Almighty Thy power hath founded of old  
Established it fast by a changeless decree  
And round it hath cast like a mantle the sea

Thy bountiful care, What tongue can recite?  
It breathes in the air; It shines in the light.  
It streams from the hills; It descends to the plain,  
And sweetly distills, In the dew and the rain.

Frail children of dust, And feeble as frail,  
In Thee do we trust, Nor find Thee to fail.  
Thy mercies how tender! How firm to the end!  
Our Maker, Defender, Redeemer, and Friend!

### HOLY IS OUR GOD

Lift up His Name within the sanctuary  
Lift up His Name among the people who are  
Gathered here to sing His praise  
Who are gathered here to sing His praise

### Wee Ones

Children are a blessing to the Redeemer family! For all nursery-related questions, find our Welcome Desk attendant in the Education Building.

☞ A nursery is provided on the first floor of the Education Building for children up to 3 years.

☞ Pick up a kids' clip case (black for ages 3-6; blue for ages 7-10) on your way into the service. Return to the baskets afterward.

☞ During the offertory, feel free to walk with and sign in your children (3K-5K) at the Welcome Desk for Children's Worship where they'll sing songs, receive age-appropriate, Gospel-centered teaching, and make crafts. Pick up your child after the service from the Redeemer Kids Room on the first floor.



### Washroom

Restrooms and water coolers are located on the first and second floors of the Education Building.



### Ways to View

Ask a greeter for LARGE PRINT edition or QR code to access electronic version on our website.

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**Who's Who**

**Senior Pastor**

Craig Bailey

**Relationship Ministry**

Chris Yates Jarvis

**Music, Sound**

Fred Hudson

**Office Admin**

Chris Bennett

**Project Coordinator**

Rosie Riddle

**Communications**

Gray Morgan

**Nursery Ministry**

Amanda Dolinski

**Children's Ministry**

Kaitlin Nichols

**Elders**

Kurt Brewer

Todd Christian

Chris Yates Jarvis

**Deacons**

Phillip Anderson

William Burk

Jordan Busch

Vince Dammai

Kent Lowry

Tyler Martin

Kent McKerihan



**Welcome Home**

If you'd like more information about church membership, attend one of our inquirers' classes. Our list of scheduled class dates is available on our website.

*Holy is our God*

*Holy is Your Name*

*Mighty are Your works and deeds*

*And wondrous are Your ways*

*All that You have made*

*Shall return and give You glory (Lord)*

The earth the sky the sea and all within them

This universe beyond the sight of mortal men

All subject to His reign

All creation subject to His reign (*chorus*)

The great I Am; no end and no beginning

You were and are and evermore you shall be

All my days are in Your hands

All my days are in Your hands (*chorus*)

**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 (3x),*

*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 (*chorus*)

Praise and glory, wisdom and thanks,

Honor and power and strength (*chorus*)

**GOD REVEALS HIS WILL FOR OUR LIVES**

*from John 18:33-36*

So Pilate entered his headquarters again and called Jesus and said to him, "Are you the King of the Jews?" Jesus answered,

“Do you say this of your own accord, or did others say it to you about me?” Pilate answered, “Am I a Jew? Your own nation and the chief priests have delivered you over to me. What have you done?” Jesus answered, “My kingdom is not of this world. If my kingdom were of this world, my servants would have been fighting, that I might not be delivered over to the Jews. But my kingdom is not from the world.”

## WE CONFESS OUR SINS TO GOD

### GOD ASSURES US OF OUR FORGIVENESS

*from John 18:37*

Then Pilate said to him, “So you are a king?” Jesus answered, “You say that I am a king. For this purpose I was born and for this purpose I have come into the world—to bear witness to the truth.”

### ON JORDAN’S STORMY BANKS

On Jordan’s stormy banks I stand, And cast a wishful eye  
To Canaan’s fair and happy land,  
Where my possessions lie.

*I am bound; I am bound; I am bound for the Promised Land,  
I am bound; I am bound; I am bound for the Promised Land*

All o’er those wide extended plains, Shines one eternal day;  
There God the Son forever reigns,  
And scatters night away. (*chorus*)

No chilling winds nor pois’nous breath, Can reach that  
healthful shore; Sickness, sorrow, pain and death,  
Are felt and feared no more. (*chorus*)

When shall I reach that happy place, And be forever blest?  
When shall I see my Father’s face,  
And in His bosom rest? (*chorus*)

### Within Community

Community Groups are the main ministry of Redeemer outside of Sunday morning worship. Connect with a community group during the week for great fellowship and Bible study.

However, community groups at Redeemer Presbyterian Church in Charleston, SC, are much more than just Bible studies. These groups are like “house churches” where we want to live in community with each other like Luke writes about in Acts 2:42-47 because we’re a *family on mission together*.

Community groups are where we can learn together as disciples, take care of one another as neighbors, and reach out to our communities in love.

Within our community groups we also organize weekly women’s Bible studies meeting in neighborhoods around Charleston.

☞ See page 8 for a list of community groups and contacts who can tell you what’s offered in your area, or visit our website: [redeemer-charleston.org/  
community-groups](http://redeemer-charleston.org/community-groups).

**Where in the World**

**WE LEARN GOD'S TRUTH**

**Catechism Question 34**

*Since we are redeemed by grace alone, through Christ alone, must we still do good works and obey God's Word?*

**Adults' Answer 34**

*Yes, because Christ, having redeemed us by his blood, also renews us by his Spirit; so that our lives may show love and gratitude to God; so that we may be assured of our faith by the fruits; and so that by our godly behavior others may be won to Christ.*

**Children's Answer 34**

*Yes, so that our lives may show love and gratitude to God; and so that by our godly behavior others may be won to Christ.*

*\*find The New City Catechism link in our weekly Email Blast*

**WE GIVE TO THE LORD (OFFERING)**

*Parents, if you'd like for your children (3K-5K) to participate in Children's Worship during the sermon, please walk with them to the Welcome Desk in the Education Building to sign them in. Find more information about Children's Worship printed in the sidebar on page 3.*

**WE PRAY FOR GOD'S PEOPLE, WORK, AND WORLD**

*See left sidebar for information about this week's world region of focus, including three Redeemer-supported missionary families.*

**WE HEAR GOD'S WORD (SERMON) Rev. Craig Bailey**

*from **Matthew 5:1-10***

## INTERLUDE

*As we wait for the children to join us from Children's Worship, please use this musical interlude to prepare your hearts for Communion.*

## THE LORD'S SUPPER

### DOXOLOGY

Praise God from whom all blessings flow  
Praise Him all creatures here below  
Praise Him above ye heavenly hosts  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

## BENEDICTION

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### **We Accommodate**

If you or someone with you is unable to come up front for any reason to take communion, let Craig know during the greeting time, so an elder can bring communion to your pew.



We also offer a gluten-free alternative at each station.



### **Wentworth Parking**

☞ Show your bulletin on Sunday mornings for free parking in the garage at 69 Wentworth St.

☞ Parking stickers are available in the church office for use on Sunday in any of our parking lots, including the lot across Wentworth Street, the bank lot, and the lot on the corner of Meeting and Hasell streets.



### **Ways to Contact**

Phone | 843-724-1164

Address | 43 Wentworth St.  
Charleston, SC 29401

Email | [info@redeemer-charleston.org](mailto:info@redeemer-charleston.org)

Web | [redeemer-charleston.org](http://redeemer-charleston.org)

Facebook | [facebook.com/redeemer.charleston](https://facebook.com/redeemer.charleston)

Twitter | [@RedeemerChas](https://twitter.com/RedeemerChas)

## MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

**VOLUNTEER ROUNDUP IN OCTOBER:** At Redeemer we believe the Lord has created each person “for good works, which God prepared beforehand...” Ephesians 2:10. We offer many opportunities—through ministries, committees, teams, and more—to serve at Redeemer and throughout our community. If you would like to hear more about a Redeemer ministry, then please *fill out the form inserted in your bulletin* and drop in the offering bag. The leader of that team will contact you to discuss how you can best serve within the body of Christ. Get more information about each ministry online, and find the electronic form to make submitting your responses easy: [redeemer-charleston.org/serve](http://redeemer-charleston.org/serve).

**UGANDA INTEREST MEETING:** If you’re interested in hearing more about being part of Redeemer’s trip to Uganda next summer, then join the meeting TODAY after the service in the Fellowship Hall.

**FREE BOOKS:** We’re sorting through a newly donated pile of books for our church library, and we can’t keep them all! So we’re offering them to our congregation. Check out the tables of books in the Fellowship Hall on Sunday mornings to find some great titles you’d like to take home for free.

*Our weekly email newsletter “The Blast” is the number one way we communicate announcements, information about church life, and details about upcoming events. Our current edition is always available at [redeemer-charleston.org/email-blast](http://redeemer-charleston.org/email-blast).*

### CURRENT LIST OF COMMUNITY GROUPS:

[redeemer-charleston.org/community-groups](http://redeemer-charleston.org/community-groups)

#### DOWNTOWN

Tuesdays, 6:45 pm | Laura B. 314-306-4496

#### JAMES/JOHNS ISLANDS

Tuesdays, 6:30 pm | Beth Plante 843-270-7542  
Sundays, 5 pm | Kara Wilson 402-578-2744

#### MOUNT PLEASANT

Sundays, 5 pm | Liz Jarvis 703-999-9424

#### NORTH AREA

Tuesdays, 6 pm | Gray Morgan 843-478-7127  
Saturdays, 5:30 pm | Tiffany Koch 843-607-4518

#### WEST ASHLEY

Tuesdays, 6:30 pm | Amanda Dolinski 616-638-5389  
Wednesdays, 6 pm | Lisa Christian 843-224-6631  
Thursdays, 6 pm | Debbie Philips 843-607-5532

### CURRENT SCHEDULES FOR SERVING

Nursery Coordinator: Amanda Dolinski, 616-638-5389, [amanda@redeemer-charleston.org](mailto:amanda@redeemer-charleston.org)

#### **October 7**

Welcome Desk - Megan Busch  
Equip Hour - Hanlon M., Luke & Rosie Riddle  
Baby - Grant & Amanda Tucker, Anna Bailey  
Toddler - Hannah Wierenga, Kristi Becks  
Floater - Evangelin Dolinski  
Children’s Worship - Lauren Martin, A. Lowry  
Security - Jordan Busch  
Sound Engineer - Andrew Tsafos

#### **October 14**

Welcome Desk - Michelle Farmer  
Equip Hour - Mary Beth Anderson, Anna Bailey  
Baby - Justin & Jenny Burk  
Toddler - Claire Morgan, Juniper Dolinski  
Floater - Tiffany Koch  
Children’s Worship - Dana Meadows, Becky Adler  
Security - Antoine Thibault  
Sound Engineer - TBD