



REDEEMER

CITY CHURCH



July 22, 2018 – Ninth Sunday after Pentecost

Season of the Cross: Green for Ordinary Time

Ordinary Time is the long season that takes up three quarters of the church year. This portion of Ordinary Time runs between Pentecost and Advent. Ordinary Time has traditionally been devoted to seeking our Lord in the simple, ordinary day-in and day-out rhythms of life. It is a time in which we are all invited to order our lives around Christ's life and teaching.

Song of Gathering and Preparation

We prepare our hearts, and bodies for worship by singing about the God we serve.

My Worth is Not in What I Own

Call to Worship: Job 36:26 / Jeremiah 10:6

We read God's Word, the Bible, together. It reminds us of who God is and what He expects from us.

Leader: Behold, God is great, and we know him not; the number of his years is unsearchable.

Congregation: There is none like you, O LORD; you are great, and your name is great in might.

Songs of Adoration

We respond to God's invitation with songs of praise. These songs are designed to draw our attention to the wonder and glory of God.

Great Are You Lord
What A Beautiful Name
Jesus Thank You

Prayer of Adoration and Confession

We pray together, praising God for who He really is (Adoration) and admitting our inability to live up to what He expects of us (Confession).

Assurance of Pardon: Revelation 1:4-8

We read God's Word together and are reminded that grace and mercy are freely given to all who have faith in Jesus Christ.

Grace to you and peace from him who is and who was and who is to come, and from the seven spirits who are before his throne, and from Jesus Christ the faithful witness, the firstborn of the dead, and the ruler of kings on earth. To him who loves us and has freed us from our sins by his blood and made us a kingdom, priests to his God and Father, to him be glory and dominion forever and ever. Amen. Behold, he is coming with the clouds, and every eye will see him, even those who pierced him, and all tribes of the earth will wail on account of him. Even so. Amen. "I am the Alpha and the Omega," says the Lord God, "who is and who was and who is to come, the Almighty."

Song of Praise and Celebration

Our response to God's free grace is celebratory worship. We express our praise to God for who He is and what He has done to save us

Great is Thy Faithfulness

Greeting

In Jesus, we have not only been reconciled to God, we have also been reconciled to one another. Therefore, we greet one another as brothers and sisters.

Announcements & Kids' Worship Dismissal

Children through fifth grade are dismissed for kids' worship.

Prayer of Thanksgiving & Intercession

We again express in prayer our gratitude to God for what he has done and ask him to continue to act for our good and the good of others in our community and the world.

Proclamation of God's Word

A small portion of God's Word is explained to us and applied to our own lives.

Ecclesiastics 3:1, 11-15; Psalm 90:1-6 12, 14, 17 (see insert)

Song of Response & Sending

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Reckless Love

Benediction

Because the hand of God's wrath was raised against Jesus, we now receive the hand of God's blessing as we are sent out to live our lives to the glory of God.

May the LORD bless you and keep you;
May the LORD make His face to shine upon you and be gracious to you;
May the LORD turn His face toward you and give you His peace,
Both now and forevermore. Amen.

Announcements

Greeting this morning is the **Beatty** Community Group.

Women's Summer Gatherings: We are gathering for lunch at the Barn in Lake Alfred on **Saturday, August 4, at 11:30am**. Contact Tammy Henderson if you have any questions, tammyhenderson@me.com.

Renew Polk Sunday: Sunday, September 16 will be "Renew Polk" Sunday in all of our network churches. We will be taking a special offering to help support the work of Renew Polk. That evening at **5pm at Trinity Presbyterian Church** we will hold a vision and prayer gathering. We will sing together, hear updates from the plants, and pray for the ongoing work in our network. Paul Hahn, Coordinator of Mission to North America (MNA), will address us that evening. Please get that on your calendar and plan to attend.

Get Connected: The best way to stay up-to-date with what's happening at Redeemer is through our online newsletter (redeemerwh.org/newsletter) and our mobile app (redeemerwh.org/app).

Worship Set List: Follow our weekly set list on Spotify so that you can become familiar with the songs that we'll be singing on Sundays. You can find the playlist on the "RedeemerWH" app (above) or at: redeemerwh.org/RCCmusic.

Our Mission

Our mission is to make Jesus' invisible kingdom visible in Winter Haven, Polk County, and the world.

Church Planting

One of the ways we hope to accomplish our mission is by planting new churches throughout Polk County. We proudly partner with Renew Polk (renewpolk.org), a missional partnership of churches, that exists to catalyze funds and resources for PCA church planting in Polk County. The aim of Renew Polk is to see 20 new churches planted in Polk County over the next 20 years.

Community Groups

We also meet during the week in homes for what we call Community Groups. If you are interested in visiting a community group, contact Jonathan Winfree, jonathan@redeemerwinterhaven.org or visit our website.

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