

A Sermon Outline

“A Gentle Gospel Ministry”

2 Timothy 2:24-26

I. Gentle in Disposition (2:24)

II. Gentle in Declaration (2:25-26)

Order for the Covenant Renewal of God

The Lord's Day – January 27, 2019

Scripture for Prayer and Meditation

1 Timothy 3:1-13; Titus 1:5-9; 1 Peter 5:1-5

Introit “Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me”

Children's Choir

*** Passing of the Peace**

MINISTER: May the peace of Christ be with you!

PEOPLE: **And also with you.**

*** Chiming of the Bells**

The Lord Calls Us to Worship

*** Call to Worship**

Psalm 134

“Come, bless the Lord, all you servants of the Lord, who stand by night in the house of the Lord! Lift up your hands to the holy place and bless the Lord! May the Lord bless you from Zion, he who made heaven and earth!”

*** Hymn of Adoration** “Psalm 108:1-6”

Trinity Psalter (pg. 94)

*** Prayer of Adoration**

The Lord Cleanses Us from Sin

Reading from the Law of God

1 Timothy 6:11-12

“As for you, O man of God, flee these things. Pursue righteousness, godliness, faith, love, steadfastness, gentleness. Fight the good fight of the faith.”

MINISTER: This is the word of the Lord.

PEOPLE: **Thanks be to God.**

Corporate Confession of Sin

God of grace, we confess that against you, and you alone, we have sinned. We have been quick to rush to judgment, and not been slow to anger. We have let words of division, complaint, and frustration fill our mouths. We confess that we have not been patient under affliction; we have not endured hardship with humble submission. For these things, O Lord, we repent. Forgive us of our sin that we might walk with a clean conscience. We ask this in Jesus' name. Amen.

Silent and Private Confession of Sin

Assurance of God's Pardoning Grace

Ephesians 1:7

"In Him we have redemption through His blood, the forgiveness of sins, according to the riches of His grace."

*** The Great Thanksgiving**

MINISTER: Lift up your hearts!

PEOPLE: We lift them up to the Lord!

MINISTER: Let us give thanks to our Lord God.

PEOPLE: It is right to give him thanks and praise.

MINISTER: It is right and good and a joyful thing, always and everywhere, to give thanks unto You, O Lord, Holy Father, Almighty, Everlasting God. Therefore, with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven, we laud and magnify Your glorious Name; evermore praising You, and saying:

PEOPLE: Holy, holy, holy, Lord God of hosts: Heaven and earth are full of Your glory. Glory be to Thee, O Lord Most High.

*** Hymn of Praise: "Speak O Lord"**

Speak, O Lord, as we come to You To receive the food of Your Holy Word. Take Your truth, plant it deep in us; Shape and fashion us in Your likeness, That the light of Christ might be seen today In our acts of love and our deeds of faith. Speak, O Lord, and fulfill in us All Your purposes for Your glory.

Teach us, Lord, full obedience, Holy reverence, true humility; Test our thoughts and our attitudes In the radiance of Your purity. Cause our faith to rise; cause our eyes to see Your majestic love and authority. Words of pow'r that can never fail— Let their truth prevail over unbelief.

Speak, O Lord, and renew our minds; Help us grasp the heights of Your plans for us—Truths unchanged from the dawn of time That will echo down through eternity. And by grace we'll stand on Your promises, And by faith we'll walk as You walk with us. Speak, O Lord, till Your church is built And the earth is filled with Your glory.

FINAL FINANCIAL SUMMARY 2018			
Budgeted Expense	\$794,110	LAST WEEK'S ATTENDANCE	
Actual Expense	\$620,274	Worship	356
Residual	\$173,836	Sunday School	202
Budgeted Donations	\$794,110	Visitors (5 or less visits)	3
Actual Donations	\$851,560		
Balance	\$57,450	\$231,286	2018 NET

Volunteer Schedule

Next Week's Volunteer Reminder: February 3, 2018

Children's Worship

Mark & Lisa Trigsted

9:00 am Sunday School

Jennifer Nessel, Kim Wheeler

10:30 am Worship Service- Nursery

Infants

Brittany, Lucy, & Isabelle Lewis

Toddlers

Matthew & Melissa Linnenburger

2's

Ranz Nelson, Mike Sudac

3's

Jared & Benjamin Page

Floater

Shawn Arthur

Greeter

Bob & Carolyn Kincaid, Matt & Marisela Linebarger

Open/Close

Jared Page

Monitor

Ryan McNalley, Gregg Wright

Sanctuary Helper

5th/6th graders

Elders

Deacons

David Ray (Clerk)

Jared Page (Chairman)

Lee Hall

Mark Dickson

Mike Lovelace

Richie Floyd

David Bell

Curtis Blagburn

Ian Grey

Hearing impaired devices are available at the sound booth at the back of the sanctuary.

1. **CONGREGATIONAL MEETING:** We will have our annual congregational meeting following gathered worship today. We will appoint corporation officers, elect ruling elders and deacons, and present the church budget for 2019.
2. **FAMILY PROMISE:** Our next opportunity to serve as a Host Church for the families currently in Family Promise begins today and goes through February 3. As a host church, we will use our building and resources to house and feed two to four Collin County homeless families, as they work towards independence through the Family Promise of Collin County organization.
3. **WOMEN'S EVENING FELLOWSHIP:** Please join the ladies of RPC for a casual evening of fellowship at the home of Gaye Ledford on Tuesday, January 29th at 6:30pm. 5918 Mockingbird Lane, McKinney 75072. We will have a variety of snacks and beverages. If you are new to Redeemer or just visiting this is a great way to get to know the ladies of Redeemer. If you have any questions you can contact Keisha Holland at lucycon97@aol.com. Hope to see you there!
4. **GRIEF SUPPORT MINISTRY:** *GriefShare* is a ministry for those who have experienced the loss of a loved one. This Christ-centered and Biblically-based program addresses your struggles, offers direction from experts on grief and recovery and others who have experienced grief, and provides a safe place for you to share each week. Weekly meetings will happen on Tuesdays from 6:30–8:30 p.m., February 5–April 23, 2019. Visit redeermckinney.com/griefshare for more information and registration. Email Bob or Gaye Ledford at ledfordrjr@gmail.com if you have any additional questions.
5. **CHILDCARE WORKERS:** We are seeking responsible childcare workers for our Friday morning ESL and Bible study classes held here at Redeemer! This is a paid position and you must be over 13. Please contact Carol McCullough at carol@redeemer-mckinney.org or call 405-802-2818 for more information.

NEXT SUNDAY'S SERMON: Dr. Jordan Stone is preaching on Luke 19:28-48.

*All children ages 4 through 1st grade will be dismissed for Children's Worship during the first stanza.
If you are visiting for the first time today, please accompany your child to the back where you will meet their teacher.*

* Reading from the Gospel

Matthew 11:28-29

PEOPLE: "Come to me, all who labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you, and learn from me, for I am gentle and lowly in heart, and you will find rest for your souls."

MINISTER: This is the gospel of the Lord.

PEOPLE: Praise be to you, O Christ.

Offertory

Response of Praise "Consecration"

Adult Choir

Text by: Frances R. Havergal

Music by: John Ness Beck

Take my life, and let it be consecrated, Lord, to Thee; Take my moments and my days, Let them flow in ceaseless praise. Take my hands, and let them move At the impulse Take my feet, and let them be Swift and beautiful for Thee. Take my voice, and let it sing, Always, only, for my King. Take my lips, and let them be filled with messages from Thee. Take my silver and my gold; Not a mite would I withhold. Take my intellect, and use Ev'ry power as Thou shalt choose. Take my will, and make it Thine; It shall be no longer mine. Take my heart, it is Thine own; It shall be Thy royal throne. Take my love, my Lord, I pour At Thy feet its treasure store. Take my self, and I will be, I will be Ever, only, all for Thee.

*Please pass the registration pad down your row so that we have a record of your attendance today.
To receive weekly email updates about events and ministries please include your email address.*

The Lord Consecrates Us by His Word

* Scripture Reading

2 Timothy 2:24-26 (pg. 996)

MINISTER: What do we know about God's Word?

PEOPLE: The grass withers and the flowers fall, but the Word of the Lord stands forever.

* Prayer for the Ministry of the Word

Sermon "A Gentle Gospel Ministry"

Dr. Jordan Stone

* Hymn of Response "Shine Thou upon Us, Lord"

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*** Affirming our Common Faith**

Westminster Larger Catechism #155

MINISTER: How is the word made effectual to salvation?

PEOPLE: The Spirit of God makes the reading, but especially the preaching of the word, an effectual means of enlightening, convincing, and humbling sinners; of driving them out of themselves, and drawing them unto Christ; of conforming them to his image, and subduing them to his will; of strengthening them against temptations and corruptions; of building them up in grace, and establishing their hearts in holiness and comfort through faith unto salvation.

Commissioning Prayer

Nathan & Taryn Sailors

The Lord's Prayer

PEOPLE: Our Father, who art in heaven, Hallowed be thy name; thy kingdom come, thy 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 thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

The Lord Communes with Us at His Table

Words of Institution

Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

The elders will be serving the people of God today, so please remain seated and hold the elements until all have been served. Grape juice is light in color and wine is dark. All those who trust in Christ alone for their salvation, are baptized, and belong to a Bible believing church are invited to partake of the Lord's Supper together, feeding on the grace of God by faith. If you have not put your trust in Christ alone, please allow the elements to pass you by and take this opportunity to meditate on the meaning of the Gospel.

A Word to Parents: Baptized children are invited to the table after they have made a profession of faith and have been received as communing members by the Session of the church to which their parents belong.

Prayer of Thanksgiving

PEOPLE: God of compassion, we thank you for feeding us with your Son, Jesus Christ. We have tasted and seen that He is good. Let us live by your truth that we might walk in the Spirit. Amen.

The Lord Commissions Us to Serve

***Hymn of Thanksgiving "Soldiers of Christ, Arise"**

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*** Benediction**

We invite you to lift your hands during the benediction as a symbol of receiving God's blessing (Psa. 63:4; 1 Tim. 2:8).

*** Congregational Response: "Amen, Amen, Amen"**

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An elder will be standing at the front of the sanctuary following the service if you would like to speak to someone about the gospel or share a prayer request.

** The congregation stands, if able.*

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