

A Sermon Outline

"How Long, O Lord?"

Habakkuk 1:1-11

I. Judah's Prophet (1:1)

II. Habakkuk's Problem (1:2-4)

III. God's Plan (1:5-11)

Order for the Covenant Renewal of God

The Lord's Day – May 12, 2019

Scripture for Prayer and Meditation

Jeremiah 22; Acts 13:36-41

*** 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**

Psalms 9:7, 11

"The Lord sits enthroned forever; he has established his throne for justice, and he judges the world with righteousness; he judges the peoples with uprightness. Sing praises to the Lord, who sits enthroned in Zion! Tell among the peoples his deeds!"

*** Hymn of Adoration** "Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise"

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*** Prayer of Adoration**

The Lord Cleanses Us from Sin

Reading from the Law of God

Jeremiah 22:3

"Thus says the Lord: Do justice and righteousness, and deliver from the hand of the oppressor him who has been robbed. And do no wrong or violence to the resident alien, the fatherless, and the widow, nor shed innocent blood in this place."

MINISTER: This is the word of the Lord.

PEOPLE: **Thanks be to God.**

Corporate Confession of Sin

Holy Father and righteous God, you have promised to hear us as we humbly confess our sins and seek Your compassion. We admit that we continue to sin, even while we profess to love you. We have not cherished mercy, done justice, or walked humbly with you. We have been slow to bring our problems to you in prayer. We have more often complained and grumbled to others, thinking that we know better than you. Be gracious to us, O God, and forgive our sins. Free us from guilt and cleanse our souls of shame through Jesus Christ, in whose name we pray. Amen.

Silent and Private Confession of Sin

Assurance of God's Pardoning Grace

1 Peter 2:24

"He himself bore our sins in his body on the tree, that we might die to sin and live to righteousness. By his wounds you have been healed."

* 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.

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

* Hymn of Praise: "Psalm 13"

Trinity Psalter (pg.8)

FINANCIAL SUMMARY 1Q 2019			
Budgeted Expense	\$225,077	LAST WEEK'S ATTENDANCE	
Actual Expense	\$180,326	Worship	437
Residual	\$44,751	Sunday School	133
Budgeted Donations	\$197,576	Visitors (5 or less visits)	15
Actual Donations	\$201,342		
Balance	\$3,766	\$48,517	YTD NET

Volunteer Schedule

Next Week's Volunteer Reminder: May 19, 2019

Children's Worship

Shawn & Corryn Arthur

9:00 a.m. Sunday School

Jennifer Nessel, Lynda Teasley

10:30 a.m. Worship Service: Nursery

Infants

Darla & Machaela Page, Marilyn Van Pelt

Toddlers

Kay Bokmeyer, Jennifer Herrmann

2's

Dian Stepanic, Alissa & Drew Lenhard

3's

Jared & Ben Page

Floater

Hannah Page

Greeter

Bob & Gaye Ledford, Don & Mary Ellen Thoes

Open/Close

Greg Lewis

Monitor

Brian Bell, Curtis Blagburn

Sanctuary Helper

4th / 5th graders

Elders

Deacons

David Ray (Clerk)

Curtis Blagburn (Chairman)

Jensen Hall

David Bell

Bob Burgess

Norm Heersink

Charles Broom

Mark Dickson

Greg Lewis

Steve Lytle

Richie Floyd

Ryan McNalley

Tim Yates

Ian Grey

Jared Page

Announcements

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

1. **YOUTH MINISTRY WORK DAY:** The Youth Ministry is having a Work Day on Saturday, May 18th. They're looking to help Redeemer families or individuals who might need any service or assistance around the home. Email jensenhall11@gmail.com if you have ideas for any such service projects.
2. **MONTHLY PRAYER:** Join us May 19 from 5:00-6:15 p.m. for an evening of corporate prayer. Childcare is provided through age three.
3. **INTRO TO REDEEMER CLASS:** If you are interested in learning more about the PCA and the ministry of RPC, or if you'd like to join RPC, there will be an Intro to Redeemer class on Sunday, June 2. We will begin with lunch at noon and finish the class by 3:00. Childcare will be provided. Register for the class online at www.redeermckinney.com/how-to-join.
4. **REDEEMER VBS 2019:** Registration is now open for this year's Vacation Bible School! VBS will happen July 8-12 from 9:00 a.m. — 12:00 p.m. each day. Spots are limited, so please register soon. Visit www.redeermckinney.com/vbs to register your children.
5. **SERVE IN THE ESL MINISTRY:** Our ESL Ministry is looking to add a few more volunteers on Friday mornings. Pray about serving as a teacher, or in the ministry's administration, hospitality, communications, and cross-cultural outreach endeavors. You don't have to be multilingual to share the love of Christ with the faithful students who attend our classes. Email Derek@redeermckinney.com for more information.
6. **NURSERY VOLUNTEERS NEEDED:** God has blessed us with growing numbers in the Kids' Ministry! Please prayerfully consider joining our nursery rotation (serving once every seven to eight weeks), and get acquainted with our youngest covenant family members. Email Carol@redeermckinney.com for more information, or grab a Volunteer Form from the bulletin board in the Kids Ministry area.

NEXT SUNDAY'S SERMON: Dr. Jordan Stone is preaching on Habakkuk 1:12-2:5.

* Reading from the Gospel

Romans 8:28-29

PEOPLE: "We know that for those who love God all things work together for good, for those who are called according to his purpose. For those whom he foreknew he also predestined to be conformed to the image of his Son."

MINISTER: This is the gospel of the Lord.

PEOPLE: Praise be to you, O Christ

Offertory

Response of Praise "Grace Alone"

Adult Choir

Ev'ry promise we can make, ev'ry prayer and step of faith ev'ry diff'rence we will make is only by Holy grace. Ev'ry mountain we will climb, ev'ry ray of hope we shine; ev'ry blessing left behind is only left behind is only by His grace. Grace alone which God supplies; strength unknown He will provide, Christ in us, our Cornerstone, we will go forth in grace alone. Ev'ry soul we long to reach, ev'ry heart we hope to teach; ev'rywhere we share His peace is only by his grace. Ev'ry loving word we say, ev'ry tear we wipe away; ev'ry sorrow turned to praise is only by His grace. Grace alone which God alone supplies; strength unknown He will provide, Christ in us, our Cornerstone, we will go forth in grace alone. We will go forth, we will go forth, we will go forth in grace alone. Amazing grace, God's grace.

*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

Habakkuk 1:1-11 (pg. 785)

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 "How Long, O Lord?"

Dr. Jordan Stone

* Hymn of Response "Commit Now All Your Grievs"

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*** Affirming our Common Faith**

WCF 19.6

MINISTER: How is God's law useful for God's people?

PEOPLE: Although true believers are not under the law as a covenant of works by which they are justified or condemned, nevertheless the law is of great use to them as well as to others. By informing them—as a rule of life—both of the will of God and of their duty, it directs and binds them to walk accordingly. It also reveals to them the sinful pollutions of their nature, hearts, and lives. Therefore, when they examine themselves in the light of the law, they may come to further conviction of, humiliation for, and hatred of their sin, together with a clearer view of their need of Christ and the perfection of his obedience.

Pastoral Prayer

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

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: We praise you, Father in heaven, for feeding us with your Son, who is the true bread from heaven. Give us peace and patience as we strive to serve you in holiness. Amen.

The Lord Commissions Us to Serve

***Hymn of Thanksgiving** "Like a River Glorious"

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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.

We would appreciate your help in gathering any nearby communion cups and bulletins and disposing of them in the receptacles outside the double doors as you leave.

** The congregation stands, if able.*

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