

# *Redeemer*

Presbyterian Church

But our citizenship is in heaven,  
and from it we await a Savior,  
the Lord Jesus Christ  
—Philippians 3:20

**The Lord's Service**  
**June 5, 2016**

## Welcome!

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If you are **visiting our church** today, we welcome you to our worship service and Christian community. Please be sure to fill out the Visitor Pad with your name and contact information when it is passed to you. This will help us serve you better. Please join us in the Fellowship Hall in the lower level for coffee and refreshments after the service. Our facility is equipped with a **hearing assistance system**. Please ask one of the Deacons for a receiver.

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The order of service we use at Redeemer is both biblical and gospel orientated. Every week through our liturgy we cycle through the wonderful truths of the Gospel in what can be summarized as the 5 C's - Call, Cleansing, Consecration, Communion, Commission.

**God Calls us into His Presence:** Worship begins with God's invitation to worship. As sinners, we can only come as the result of his gracious invitation. We respond to his call by entering his presence with singing (Psalm 100)!

**God Cleanses us from our Sin:** Having entered his majestic presence, we are confronted with our own sinfulness and unworthiness. We confess our sin together, and receive God's assurance of forgiveness because of Christ.

**God Consecrates us to His Service:** God consecrates us through the reading of Scripture and the preaching of the Word. We offer prayer, offerings, and songs of praise.

**God Communes with us:** God affirms his relationship with us by inviting us to commune with him at his table.

**God Commissions us into the World:** God sends us out into the world with his blessing that we might be salt and light, living for his glory in a watching world.

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**More information about our church can be found on our website:  
“[www.redeemertraversecity.org](http://www.redeemertraversecity.org)”**

# The Lord's Service

June 5, 2016

Greeting and Announcements

Prelude

*(Silent Preparation for Worship)*

## Order of Worship

**Call to Worship** Psalm 113:1-2

Pastor Scott Korljan

Praise the LORD!

Praise, O servants of the LORD,  
praise the name of the LORD!

Blessed be the name of the LORD  
from this time forth and forevermore!

†**Opening Hymn** #100 “Holy, Holy, Holy!”

†**Invocation** Psalm 124:8

Our help is in the name of the LORD,  
**who made heaven and earth.**

Let us pray.

†**The Greeting** 2 Thessalonians 1:2; 2 Corinthians 13:14

Grace to you and peace from God the Father, and the Son,  
and the Holy Spirit.

**Amen**

†**Response** #38 “Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise” (**Verse 1 only**)

**Immortal, invisible, God only wise,  
in light inaccessible hid from our eyes,  
most blessed, most glorious, the Ancient of Days,  
almighty, victorious, thy great name we praise.**

**Confession of Sin** Matthew 5

Blessed Jesus, you offered us all your blessings when you announced,  
“Blessed are the poor in spirit”

**but we have been rich in pride.**

“Blessed are those who mourn”

**but we have not known much sorrow for our sin.**

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† = Stand, if able

**Bold Words**=Congregation

“Blessed are the meek’

**but we are a stiff-necked people.**

“Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness”

**but we are filled to the full with other things.**

“Blessed are the merciful”

**but we are harsh and impatient.**

“Blessed are the pure in heart”

**but we have impure hearts.**

“Blessed are the peacemakers”

**but we have not sought reconciliation.**

“Blessed are those who are persecuted because of righteousness”

**but our lives do not challenge the world.**

“Blessed are you when people insult you, persecute you and falsely say all kinds of evil against you because of me”

**but we have hardly made it known that we are yours.**

Your Law is holy and your benedictions are perfect,  
but they are both too great for us.

You alone are blessed.

**We plead with you to forgive our sins**

**and give us the blessing of your righteousness.**

### **Declaration of Forgiveness** Ephesians 2:4-5; Colossians 1:13-14

Hear the good news!

“But God, being rich in mercy, because of the great love with which he loved us, even when we were dead in our trespasses, made us alive together with Christ.” “He has delivered us from the domain of darkness, and transferred us to the kingdom of his beloved Son, in whom we have redemption, for the forgiveness of sins.

**†Hymn of Assurance** “How Deep”

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**Prayers of Intercession and the Lord’s Prayer**

Elder Fred Janke

**New Testament Reading** Hebrews 11:8-16

This is the Word of the Lord!

**Thanks be to God!**

**Giving God Our Offerings**

*If you are seated on the center aisle, please pass the red Visitor Pad for all visitors to sign.*

## †Doxology

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

## †Sermon Text Reading Philippians 3:17-4:1

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This is the Word of the Lord!

**Thanks be to God!**

**Sermon** “Our Citizenship is in Heaven”

Pastor Scott Korljan

## Prayer of Application

## †Sermon Hymn #481 “Turn Your Eyes upon Jesus!” (Vs. 1 only)

*Please be seated after singing the hymn*

# Holy Communion

## Invitation to the Lord’s Table

We warmly welcome to the table all who trust in Jesus Christ for their salvation, have been baptized and have publicly professed their faith as members of any evangelical Christian church. We encourage families to come forward together, but ask that young children not partake of the elements until they have met with their Elders to make a profession of their faith. We encourage those not participating to spend this time reflecting on the prayers printed on Page 9. We hope these prayers will be helpful to you as you consider your relationship to Jesus Christ and His people, the church. ***Please note that the inner rings of cups in each communion tray contains non-alcoholic wine; the outer rings contain wine.***

## Affirmation of Faith The Apostles’ Creed

**I believe in God, the Father Almighty,  
Maker of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord.**

**who was conceived by the Holy Spirit  
and born of the virgin Mary.**

**He suffered under Pontius Pilate,  
was crucified, died, and was buried;  
he descended into hell.**

**The third day he rose again from the dead.**

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**He ascended into heaven  
and is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty.  
From there he will come to judge the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit,  
the holy catholic\* church, (\*universal)  
the communion of saints,  
the forgiveness of sins,  
the resurrection of the body,  
and the life everlasting. Amen.**

**Prayer of Thanksgiving and Consecration**

The Lord be with you. Ruth 2:4

**And also with you.**

Lift up your hearts! Lamentations 3:41

**We lift them up to the Lord!**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. Psalm 118:1

**It is right to give him thanks and praise.**

It is truly right to glorify you, Father, and to give you thanks, for you alone are God, living and true, dwelling in light inaccessible from before time and forever. As we set apart these common elements of bread and wine for holy use, we ask you to bless them and use them to strengthen and edify your people. Your wisdom is seen in all your works; your grace and truth are revealed in Jesus Christ, your Son; your power and presence are given to us through your Holy Spirit. Therefore, with angels and all the company of heaven, and with the church on earth, we magnify your glorious Name, evermore praising you and singing:

**Sanctus**



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly is the Lord of hosts.

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly is the Lord of hosts. The

whole earth is full of his glo - ry, the whole earth is full of his glo - ry, the

whole earth is full of his glo - ry. Ho - ly is the Lord.

## Words of Institution & Breaking of the Bread

### Communion Hymns

- #674 “I Need Thee Every Hour” (Vs. 1, 3 & 5 only)  
“Be Unto Your Name” Bulletin Pg. 12
- #460 “Amazing Grace” (Vs. 1-2; 5-6 only)  
“Power of the Cross” Bulletin Pg. 14

### Prayer after Communion

We give thanks to you almighty God, that you have refreshed us at your table by granting us the presence of your Son, Jesus Christ. Strengthen our faith, increase our love for one another, and send us forth into the world in courage and peace, rejoicing in the power of the Holy Spirit, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

†Dismissal #263 “Lift High the Cross” (Verse 5 only)

*Refrain*

Lift high the cross, the love of Christ proclaim,  
till all the world adore his sacred name.

For thy blest cross which doth for us atone,  
creation’s praises rise before they throne.

*(Refrain)*

†Benediction

†Benediction Response “Three-fold Amen”

Postlude



**Sermon Text**  
**Philippians 3:17-4:1**

<sup>17</sup> Brothers, join in imitating me, and keep your eyes on those who walk according to the example you have in us. <sup>18</sup> For many, of whom I have often told you and now tell you even with tears, walk as enemies of the cross of Christ. <sup>19</sup> Their end is destruction, their god is their belly, and they glory in their shame, with minds set on earthly things. <sup>20</sup> But our citizenship is in heaven, and from it we await a Savior, the Lord Jesus Christ, <sup>21</sup> who will transform our lowly body to be like his glorious body, by the power that enables him even to subject all things to himself.

<sup>1</sup> Therefore, my brothers, whom I love and long for, my joy and crown, stand firm thus in the Lord, my beloved.

## Individual Prayers for Communion

### Prayer for Those Searching for the Truth

Lord Jesus, you claim to be the way, the truth and the life. If what you claim is true, please guide me, teach me, and open to me the reality of who you are. Grant that I might be undaunted by the cost of following you as I consider the reasons for doing so. Give me an understanding of you that is coherent, convincing, and that leads to the life that you promise. Amen.

### Prayer of Belief

Lord Jesus, I admit that I am weaker and more sinful than I ever before believed, but through you, I am more loved and accepted than I ever dared to hope. I repent of my sins of self-ruling and self-saving. I thank you for paying my debt, bearing my punishment on the cross and offering forgiveness and new life. Thank you that my sin and rebellion are Yours, and Your righteous, perfect, and obedient life is mine through faith in You. Knowing that you died on the cross and have been raised from the dead, I turn from my sins and receive and rest upon you alone as my Savior and Lord. I now resolve in humble reliance on the Holy Spirit and through the power of the gospel graciously working in my life to walk in manner pleasing to You. Amen.

### Prayer for those struggling with Sin

Lord Jesus, grant that I may see in You the fulfillment of all my need, and may turn from every false satisfaction to feed on You, the true and living bread. Enable me to lay aside the sin that clings so closely, and run with perseverance the race set before me, looking to You, the pioneer and perfecter of my faith. Amen.

# Hymn of Assurance

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## HOW DEEP

Based on *The Valley of Vision* prayer "Love Lustres at Calvary"

Music and words by  
Stephen Altrogge

♩ = 72

D G2/B A D G2/B Bm A

The first system of music features a vocal line with a whole rest and a piano accompaniment. The piano part consists of a right-hand melody and a left-hand bass line. The key signature is one sharp (F#) and the time signature is 4/4.

### VERSE

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D G2 Bm A D G2

The second system of music begins the verse with a vocal line and piano accompaniment. The piano part continues with a right-hand melody and a left-hand bass line.

1. You were bro - ken that I might be healed. You were cast off that  
2. You knew dark - ness that I might know light, wept great tears that

The piano accompaniment for the first two lines of the verse, showing the right-hand melody and left-hand bass line.

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Bm A D G2 Bm A

The third system of music continues the verse with a vocal line and piano accompaniment. The piano part continues with a right-hand melody and a left-hand bass line.

I might draw near... You were thirst - y that I might come drink...  
mine might be dried... Stripped of glo - ry that I might be clothed,

The piano accompaniment for the last two lines of the verse, showing the right-hand melody and left-hand bass line.

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11 D/F# G2 Bm7 Asus4 A

cried out in an - guish that I might sing: How  
crushed by Your Fa - ther to call me Your own.

14 CHORUS Em7 G2 D A/C# Em7 G2

deep is Your love, how high and how wide is Your mer -

17 D A Em7 G2 D A/C#

- cy. How deep is Your grace, our

20 1. Em7 Bm Asus4 D G2/B Bm A

hearts o - ver - flow with praise to You. Oh. (Repeat chorus after 2nd verse)

# Communion Hymn

## “Be Unto your Name”

Words and Music by  
Lynn DeShazo and Gary Sadler

♩ = 109

### VERSE

C G Dm Am F



1. We are a mo - ment, \_ You are for - ev - er, \_ Lord of the a -  
2. We are the bro - ken, \_ You are the heal - er, \_ Je - sus, Re-deem-

6 C B $\flat$  G<sup>SUS</sup> G C G



- ges, \_ God be - fore \_ time; \_ We are a va - por, \_  
- er, \_ might - y to \_ save; \_ You are the love \_ song \_

11 Dm Am F C/E B $\flat$  G<sup>SUS</sup>



You are e - ter - nal, \_ Love ev - er - last - ing, \_ reign - ing on high. \_  
we'll sing for - ev - er, \_ bow - ing be - fore \_ You, \_ bless - ing Your name. \_

### CHORUS

17 G Am F C/E G Am



\_ Ho - ly, ho - ly Lord God Al - might - y, \_ wor - thy

23 F C G<sup>SUS</sup> G Am F C/E



is the Lamb Who was slain; High - est prais - es hon - or and glo -

29 G Dm Am G<sup>SUS</sup> G Dm Am



- ry \_ be un - to Your name, \_ be un - to Your

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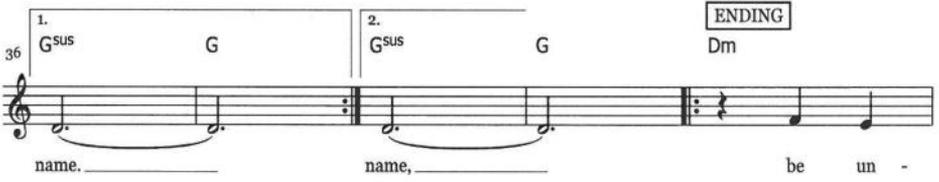
Be Unto Your Name - 2

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1. G<sup>sus</sup> G

2. G<sup>sus</sup> G

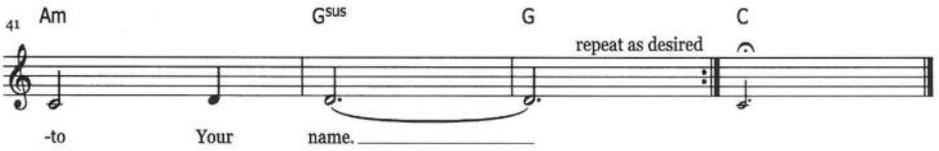
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Dm



name. \_\_\_\_\_ name, \_\_\_\_\_ be un -

41 Am G<sup>sus</sup> G C

repeat as desired



-to Your name. \_\_\_\_\_

# Communion Hymn

## “Power of the Cross”

*Unison*

1. Oh, to see the dawn of the dark-est day; Christ on the road to  
 2. Oh, to see the pain writ-ten on Your face, Bear - ing the awe - some  
 3. Now the day-light flees; now the ground be - neath Quakes as its Mak - er  
 4. Oh, to see my name writ-ten in the wounds, For thro' Your suf - f'ring

Cal - va - ry; Tried by sin - ful men, torn and beat-en, then  
 weight of sin; Ev - 'ry bit - ter tho't, ev - 'ry e - vil deed  
 bows His head. Cur - tain torn in two, dead are raised to life;  
 I am free. Death is crushed to death, life is mine to live,

*Chorus*  
 Nailed to a cross of wood. 1-3. This the power of the  
 Crown - ing Your blood-stained brow. 4. This the power of the  
 "Fin - ished!" the vic - t'ry cry!  
 Won thro' Your self - less love!

cross: Christ be - came sin for us; Took the  
 cross; Son of God slain for us. What a

(segue)  
 blame, bore the wrath; We stand for - giv - en at the cross!  
 love, what a cost! We stand for - giv - en at the cross!

## **Announcements**

**Staffed Nursery Available** - for infant to 4 years old. Please see a Deacon or Greeters for directions to the Nursery.

**Next Sunday** Pastor Scott will preach from Philippians 4:2-3

**Detroit Project Offering** - Next Sunday

**Service Opportunity** - Save the dates of Saturday June 18<sup>th</sup> and Monday June 20<sup>th</sup> for a service project with Freedom builders and Christ Church Grand Rapids. More information to follow.

**Summer Picnics** - Will be the last Sunday of June, July and August at the Harbor Park Pavilion located next to the Elmwood Township marina in Greilickville. Maps will be provided the Sunday before each picnic.

### ***This week at Redeemer:***

2nd Wednesday Work Group - Wednesday 9 AM – Noon

Men's Study - Thursday, 7:30 AM

Catechism - Thursday, 11 to 11:30 AM

### **Serving Today:**

Communion Set Up: Barb Weber / Kate Empie

Elder: Fred Janke

Greeter: Les & Mary Leone

Nursery Volunteer: Sarah Palmer

Music Ministry: Pianist, Rick Harkert

Refreshments: Monica Scott

Sound Board: Ralph Kott

### **Serving Next Sunday, June 12, 2016:**

Communion Set Up: Chris & Nikki Millward

Elder: Bill Morrison

Greeter: John & Kathy Van Til

Music Ministry: Pianist, Connie Van Til

Refreshments: Kathy Van Til

Sound Board: David Smith

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Worship Service: 10:15 AM

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