



ORDER OF **WORSHIP**  
November 21, 2021

## **WELCOME TO REDEEMER PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

If you are spiritually weary and in search of rest, if you are mourning and you long for comfort, if you recognize that you are a sinner and need a Savior, God welcomes you here in the name of Christ.

To the stranger in need of fellowship, to those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, young and old, first-time or longtime worshipers, full of doubts or confidence, joy or sorrow, and to whoever will come, this congregation opens wide its doors and welcomes all in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ.

## **COMMUNITY GROUPS**

Redeemer Community Groups exist to be communities of faith, provoked by the Redeemer's love, to serve Sugar Land and beyond, by creating spaces in homes for friendship, growth in faith, and serving others. Learn more about our Community Groups throughout Sugar Land at [redeemersl.org](http://redeemersl.org).

## **CHILDREN**

The Nursery is located in the education building. Children will play both indoors and outdoors and have a weekly Bible lesson. For further information contact Lore Mullins at [lore@redeemersl.org](mailto:lore@redeemersl.org).

## **REDEEMER MISSIONS**

### **Gabriel Garcia -RUF University of Houston,**

As I complete my first year as an Intern with RUF at the University of Houston, I thank God through his Grace how much he has provided to me this past year especially through the relationships with students as I sat down with them on campus and told them about the beauty of the Gospel. As I head into my second year as an intern with RUF, I'm praying to the Lord that he will draw more students to campus since vaccines are being available. Thankfully, this past year there were more students on campus as I had hoped but campus overall was deserted. Likewise, to continue to do the work that I do with RUF at the University of Houston I do have to raise financial support. My fundraising goal amount that I have to raise is \$50,286 and I ask prayerfully that the Lord will allow me to remain on the University of Houston campus as I continue to raise support.

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

DECEMBER 3: Family Outdoor Movie Night

## **REFLECTIONS**

"If we are through Christ united to God, we may be assured of the immutable and unchanging kindness of God towards us." –John Calvin

"What man fails to bring into the temple of God, he is sure to set up on the outside as a rival object of worship." –Geerhardus Vos

# CALLING

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## GREETING

*LEADER:* The Lord be with you!

**PEOPLE:** And also with you!

## CALL TO WORSHIP \*

Psalm 17:1-2, 6-7

Leader:

1 Hear a just cause, O Lord; attend to my cry!  
Give ear to my prayer from lips free of deceit!

**People:**

2 From your presence let my vindication come!  
Let your eyes behold the right!

Leader:

6 I call upon you, for you will answer me, O God;  
incline your ear to me; hear my words.

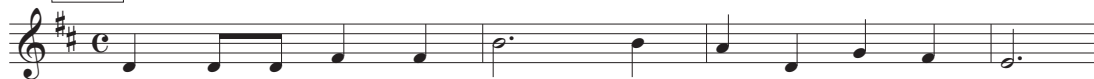
**All:**

7 Wondrously show your steadfast love,  
O Savior of those who seek refuge  
from their adversaries at your right hand.

# Crown Him With Many Crowns

Words by Matthew Bridges  
Music by George J. Elvey

## VERSE



1.Crown him with man - y crowns, The Lamb up - on his throne;  
2.Crown him the Lord of love; be - hold His hands and side,  
3.Crown him the Lord of peace; whose pow'r a scep - ter sways  
4.Crown him the Lord of years, The Po - ten - tate of time;



hark! how the heav'n - ly an - them drowns all mu - sic but its own:  
rich wounds, yet vis - i - ble a - bove, in beau - ty glor - i - fied:  
from pole to pole, that wars may cease, ab - sorbed in prayer and praise:  
Cre - a - tor of the roll - ing spheres, in - eff - a - bly sub - lime:



a - wake my soul, and sing of Him who died for thee,  
no an - gel in the sky can full - y bear that sight,  
his reign shall know no end; and round his pierc - ed feet  
all hail, Re - deem - er, hail! for thou hast died for me:



and hail him as thy match - less King through all e - ter - ni - ty.  
but down - ward bends His burn - ing eye at mys - ter - ies so bright.  
fair flow'rs of par - a - dise ex - tend their fra - grance e - ver sweet.  
thy praise shall ne - ver, ne - ver fail through - out e - tern - i - ty.

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## PRAYER OF ADORATION

# All Things New

Red Mountain Music

Words: Horatius Bonar (1779)

Music: Clint Wells (2009)

## VERSE



1. Come, Lord, and tar - ry not; \_\_\_\_\_ Bring the long looked for day; \_\_\_\_\_  
2. Come, for cre - a - tion groans, \_\_\_\_\_ Im - pa - tient of \_\_\_\_\_ Thy stay, \_\_\_\_\_



O why these years of wait - ing here, These a - ges \_\_\_\_\_ of de - cay?  
Worn out with these long years of ill, These a - ges \_\_\_\_\_ of de - lay.



Come for Thy saints still wait; \_\_\_\_\_ Dai - ly a - scends their sigh; \_\_\_\_\_  
Come, for love wax - es cold, \_\_\_\_\_ Its steps are faint and slow; \_\_\_\_\_



## CHORUS

The Spir - it and the Bride say, "Come;" Does Thou not \_\_\_\_\_ hear the cry? O come and  
Faith now is lost in un - be - lief, Hope's lamp burns dim and low.



make all things new Come and make all things new O come and make all things



new Build up this ruin - ed earth, Come and make all things



new \_\_\_\_\_ All things new \_\_\_\_\_

# CONFESSION

## CALL TO CONFESSION

Hebrews 4:15

15 For we do not have a high priest who is unable to sympathize with our weaknesses, but one who in every respect has been tempted as we are, yet without sin.

## CONFESSION OF SIN

God of mercy, you sent Jesus Christ to seek and save the lost.  
We confess that we have strayed from you  
and turned aside from your ways.  
We are misled by our pride.  
We see ourselves pure when we are stained, and great when we are small.  
We have failed to love, neglected justice, and ignored your truth.  
Have mercy on us, O God, and forgive our sin.  
Return us to paths of righteousness through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

## SILENT CONFESSION

## WORDS OF ENCOURAGEMENT \*

Hebrews 4:16

16 Let us then with confidence draw near to the throne of grace, that we may receive mercy and find grace to help in time of need.

**People: Thanks be to God!!! Amen.**

# We Will Feast in the House of Zion

Sandra McCracken & Josh Moore

## CHORUS



We will feast in the house of Zi - on. We will sing with our hearts re - stored. "He has



done great things," we will say to - ge - ther. We will feast, and weep no more.

## VERSE



1. We will not be burned by the fire; He is the Lord our  
2. In the dark of night be - fore the dawn, My soul be not a -  
3. Ev' - ry vow we've bro - ken and be - trayed, You are the Faith - ful



God. We are not con - sumed by the flood - up - held, pro - tect - ed, gath - ered up.  
fraid; For the pro - mised mor - ning, Oh how long! O God of Ja - cob, be my strength!  
One; And from the gar - den to the grave, Bind us to - ge - ther, bring sha - lom.

# COMMITMENT

## CHILDREN'S SERMON

### THE PEACE OF GOD

*LEADER:* May the peace of Christ be with you!

*PEOPLE:* And also with you!<sup>1</sup>

### DOXOLOGY

#### VERSE 4

All you who are of tender heart,  
Forgiving others, take your part.  
Sing His praises, Alleluia!  
You who long pain and sorrow bear,  
Praise God and on Him cast your care,  
O praise Him, O praise Him!  
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

#### VERSE 5

Let all things their Creator bless,  
And worship Him in humbleness.  
O praise Him, Alleluia!  
Praise, Praise the Father praise the Son,  
And praise the Spirit, three in one.  
O praise Him, O praise Him!  
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

### OFFERTORY

### PRESENTING TO GOD OUR GIFTS AND OFFERINGS

The offering is a way for Christians to support the mission and ministry of the church. Christians offer a sacrificial portion of their resources – time, talents, and possessions – as an act of faith and gratitude in response to God's grace. While many at Redeemer make their regular contributions through the mail or by automated bill pay, offerings are a part of our worship service as an opportunity for the regular, proportionate and generous giving of the resources God has given us.

If you wish to give during the service there is a wooden box you may drop your tithes and offering in to maintain little contact as we resume in-person worship.

<sup>1</sup> Take this time to remind each other that Christ brings peace to the world by saying, "May the peace of Christ be with you!" You can reply by saying, "And also with you!"



# SERMON

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## The Power of Prayer--Rev. Janas Caruncho

James 5:13-19

13 Is anyone among you suffering? Let him pray. Is anyone cheerful? Let him sing praise. 14 Is anyone among you sick? Let him call for the elders of the church, and let them pray over him, anointing him with oil in the name of the Lord. 15 And the prayer of faith will save the one who is sick, and the Lord will raise him up. And if he has committed sins, he will be forgiven. 16 Therefore, confess your sins to one another and pray for one another, that you may be healed. The prayer of a righteous person has great power as it is working. 17 Elijah was a man with a nature like ours, and he prayed fervently that it might not rain, and for three years and six months it did not rain on the earth. 18 Then he prayed again, and heaven gave rain, and the earth bore its fruit.

19 My brothers, if anyone among you wanders from the truth and someone brings him back, 20 let him know that whoever brings back a sinner from his wandering will save his soul from death and will cover a multitude of sins.

### NOTES

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**READER:** This is God's word  
**PEOPLE:** Thanks be to God!

# BAPTISM and PROFESSION OF FAITH

Of the number of those who were baptized in infancy as members of the church of God and as heirs of the covenant promises, the Session has examined and approved

## Owen Luke Richey

who comes now to assume for himself the full privileges and responsibilities of his inheritance in the household of faith.

As an applicant for admission into the Church of God by Baptism, which is a sign and seal of our engrafting into Christ, and of our engagement to be the Lord's, the Session has examined and approved

## Jenna Lynn Dreyer

who is cordially welcomed into the fellowship of the household of faith.

As you make a public profession of faith, you are agreeing to the following declarations and promises, by which you enter into a solemn covenant with God and His Church


1. Do you acknowledge yourself to be a sinner in the sight of God, justly deserving His displeasure, and without hope save in His sovereign mercy?
2. Do you believe in the Lord Jesus Christ as the Son of God, and Savior of sinners, and do you receive and rest upon Him alone for salvation as He is offered in the Gospel?
3. Do you now resolve and promise, in humble reliance upon the grace of the Holy Spirit, that you will endeavor to live as becomes the followers of Christ?
4. Do you promise to support the Church in its worship and work to the best of your ability?
5. Do you submit yourself to the government and discipline of the Church, and promise to study its purity and peace?"

## Barocha (The Blessing)


Numbers 6:24-26

Michael Card


**VERSE**



1. The Lord \_\_\_\_\_ bless you and keep \_\_\_\_\_ you. The Lord make his  
2. The Lord be gra - cious to \_\_\_\_\_ you. The Lord turn his



face shine up - on \_\_\_\_\_ you And give you peace, and give you peace,  
face \_\_\_\_\_ to - wards \_\_\_\_\_ you And give you peace, and give you peace,



And give you peace \_\_\_\_\_ for - e - ver. \_\_\_\_\_  
And give you peace \_\_\_\_\_ for - e - ver. \_\_\_\_\_

# COMMUNION

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## GUIDELINES FOR THE RECEPTION OF COMMUNION

Communion, also called The Lord's Supper or the Eucharist, is the family meal of Christians. We invite all committed followers of Jesus Christ to partake of this sacrament: those who are baptized members of a congregation that proclaims the gospel, who are at peace with God and with their neighbor, and who seek strength to live more faithfully for Christ. If you are not a Christian, or if you are not prepared to share in this meal, we encourage you to spend this time in prayer. We hope that this time is helpful to you as you consider your relationship with Jesus Christ and with His people, the church.

## INTERCESSORY PRAYERS

*Those who would like to be prayed for are invited to meet in the back of the gym immediately following the service with our prayer ministry members.*

## WORDS OF INSTITUTION

*MINISTER:* The Lord be with you.

**PEOPLE:** **And also with you.**

*MINISTER:* Lift up your hearts!

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

**ALL:** **Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,  
heaven and earth are full of your glory.**

*MINISTER:* Therefore we proclaim the mystery of the faith:

**ALL:** **Christ has died, Christ is risen, Christ will come again.**

*MINISTER:* Christ our Passover has been sacrificed for us;

**PEOPLE:** **Therefore let us keep the feast.**

*MINISTER:* The gifts of God for the people of God.

# God Moves In A Mysterious Way

William Cowper & Lowell Mason



1. God moves in a mys - te - rious way His won - ders to — per - form;  
2. Deep in un - fath - om - a - ble mines Of nev - er - fail - ing skill  
3. Ye fear - ful saints fresh cour - age take; The clouds ye so — much dread  
4. Judge not the Lord by fee - ble sense, But trust Him for — His grace;  
5. His pur - pos - es will rip - en fast, Un - fold - ing ev - 'ry hour;  
6. Blind un - be - lief is sure to err, And scan His work — in vain;



He plants His foot - steps in the sea, And rides up - on the storm.  
He treas - ures up His bright de - signs, And works His sov - ereign will.  
Are big with mer - cy, and shall break In bless - ings on your head.  
Be - hind a frown - ing prov - i - dence He hides a smil - ing face.  
The bud may have a bit - ter taste, But sweet will be the flow'r.  
God is His own in - ter - pre - ter, And He will make it plain. A - MEN.

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# Now Blessed Be The Lord Our God

Scottish Psalter  
DUNDEE C.M.



1. Now bless - ed be the Lord our God, The God of Is - ra - el,  
2. And bless - ed be his glo - rious Name To all e - ter - ni - ty:



For he a - lone doth won - drous works In glo - ry that ex - cel. A - men.  
The whole earth let his glo - ry fill. A - men, so let it be.

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# COMMISSION

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## BENEDICTION & COMMISSION

2 Corinthians 13:14

*LEADER:* May the grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

**PEOPLE:** Thanks be to God!

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