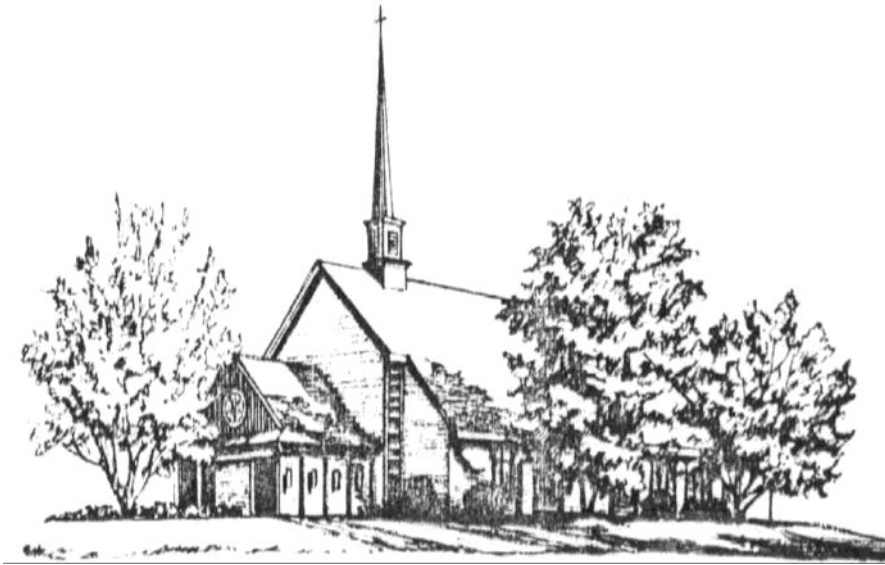


# *The Church of the Redeemer*



## **A SERVICE OF MORNING PRAYER FOR THE NINTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST August 2, 2020**

**“Drawing near to God to make and equip disciples  
and to live as faithful followers of Christ.”**

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## MORNING PRAYER SERVICE

*(All stand as able)*

Officiant: Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord  
Jesus Christ.

*All: Amen*

### Confession of Sin

Officiant: Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

*Leader and People together, all kneeling as able*

Most merciful God,  
we confess that we have sinned against you  
in thought, word, and deed,  
by what we have done,  
and by what we have left undone.  
We have not loved you with our whole heart;  
we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves.  
We are truly sorry and we humbly repent.  
For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ,  
have mercy on us and forgive us;  
that we may delight in your will,  
and walk in your ways,  
to the glory of your Name. **Amen.**

Officiant: Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins  
through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and  
by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. **Amen.**

### Invitatory and Psalter *(All stand as able)*

Officiant: Lord, open our lips.

*People: And our mouth shall proclaim your praise.*

All: Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: as it was  
in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen.

### Jubilate *(said in unison)*

O be joyful in the Lord all ye lands; \*  
serve the Lord with gladness  
and come before his presence with a song.  
Be ye sure that the Lord he is God;  
it is he that hath made us and not we ourselves; \*

we are his people and the sheep of his pasture.  
O go your way into his gates with thanksgiving  
and into his courts with praise; \*  
be thankful unto him and speak good of his Name.  
For the Lord is gracious;  
his mercy is everlasting; \*  
and his truth endureth from generation to generation.

**Psalm 17:1-7,16**(*All sit*)

- 1 Hear my plea of innocence, O LORD;  
give heed to my cry; \*  
listen to my prayer, which does not come from lying lips.
- 2 Let my vindication come forth from your presence; \*  
let your eyes be fixed on justice.
- 3 Weigh my heart, summon me by night, \*  
melt me down; you will find no impurity in me.
- 4 I give no offense with my mouth as others do; \*  
I have heeded the words of your lips.
- 5 My footsteps hold fast to the ways of your law; \*  
in your paths my feet shall not stumble.
- 6 I call upon you, O God, for you will answer me; \*  
incline your ear to me and hear my words.
- 7 Show me your marvelous loving-kindness, \*  
O Savior of those who take refuge at your right hand  
from those who rise up against them.
- 16 But at my vindication I shall see your face; \*  
when I awake, I shall be satisfied, beholding  
your likeness.

*Officiant and People*

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: \*  
as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen.

**A reading from the Book of Genesis.**

**Genesis 32:22-31**

The same night Jacob got up and took his two wives, his two maids, and his eleven children, and crossed the ford of the Jabbok. He took them and sent them across the stream, and likewise everything that he had. Jacob was left alone; and a man wrestled with him until daybreak. When the man saw that he did not prevail against Jacob, he struck him on the hip socket; and Jacob's hip was put out of joint as he wrestled with him. Then he said, "Let me go, for the day is breaking." But Jacob said, "I will not let you go, unless you bless me." So he said to him, "What is your name?" And he said, "Jacob." Then the man said,

“You shall no longer be called Jacob, but Israel, for you have striven with God and with humans, and have prevailed.” Then Jacob asked him, “Please tell me your name.” But he said, “Why is it that you ask my name?” And there he blessed him. So Jacob called the place Peniel, saying, “For I have seen God face to face, and yet my life is preserved.” The sun rose upon him as he passed Peniel, limping because of his hip.

Lector: The Word of the Lord

People: *Thanks be to God*

### **Canticle: The First Song of Isaiah** *(All stand as able)*

Surely, it is God who saves me; \*  
I will trust in him and not be afraid.  
For the Lord is my stronghold and my sure defense, \*  
and he will be my Savior.  
Therefore you shall draw water with rejoicing \*  
from the springs of salvation.  
And on that day you shall say, \*  
Give thanks to the Lord and call upon his Name;  
Make his deeds known among the peoples; \*  
see that they remember that his Name is exalted.  
Sing the praises of the Lord, for he has done great things, \*  
and this is known in all the world.  
Cry aloud, inhabitants of Zion, ring out your joy, \*  
for the great one in the midst of you is the Holy One of Israel.  
Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: \*  
as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen.

### **A reading from Paul's letter to the Romans.** *(All sit)* *Romans 9:1-5*

I am speaking the truth in Christ-- I am not lying; my conscience confirms it by the Holy Spirit-- I have great sorrow and unceasing anguish in my heart. For I could wish that I myself were accursed and cut off from Christ for the sake of my own people, my kindred according to the flesh. They are Israelites, and to them belong the adoption, the glory, the covenants, the giving of the law, the worship, and the promises; to them belong the patriarchs, and from them, according to the flesh, comes the Messiah, who is over all, God blessed forever. Amen.

Lector: The Word of the Lord

People: *Thanks be to God*

## **Canticle: A Song to the Lamb** *(All stand as able)*

Splendor and honor and kingly power \*  
are yours by right, O Lord our God,  
For you created everything that is, \*  
and by your will they were created and have their being;  
And yours by right, O Lamb that was slain, \*  
for with your blood you have redeemed for God,  
From every family, language, people, and nation, \*  
a kingdom of priests to serve our God.  
And so, to him who sits upon the throne, \*  
and to Christ the Lamb,  
Be worship and praise, dominion and splendor, \*  
for ever and for evermore.  
Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: \*  
as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen.

## **A reading from the Gospel according to Matthew**

*Matthew 14:13-21*

Jesus withdrew in a boat to a deserted place by himself. But when the crowds heard it, they followed him on foot from the towns. When he went ashore, he saw a great crowd; and he had compassion for them and cured their sick. When it was evening, the disciples came to him and said, "This is a deserted place, and the hour is now late; send the crowds away so that they may go into the villages and buy food for themselves." Jesus said to them, "They need not go away; you give them something to eat." They replied, "We have nothing here but five loaves and two fish." And he said, "Bring them here to me." Then he ordered the crowds to sit down on the grass. Taking the five loaves and the two fish, he looked up to heaven, and blessed and broke the loaves, and gave them to the disciples, and the disciples gave them to the crowds. And all ate and were filled; and they took up what was left over of the broken pieces, twelve baskets full. And those who ate were about five thousand men, besides women and children.

Lector: The Word of the Lord

People: *Thanks be to God*

**Sermon** *(All Sit)*

Rev. Catherine Tatem

## **The Apostles Creed** *(Officiant and People together, all standing as able)*

I believe in God, the Father almighty,  
creator of heaven and earth.  
I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord.  
He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit  
and born of the Virgin Mary.  
He suffered under Pontius Pilate,  
was crucified, died, and was buried.  
He descended to the dead.  
On the third day he rose again.  
He ascended into heaven,  
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.  
He will come again to judge the living and the dead.  
I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church,  
the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins,  
the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

## **The Prayers** *(The people stand or kneel)*

Officiant: The Lord be with you.  
People: And also with you.  
Officiant: Let us pray.

## **The Lord's Prayer**

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 trespasses,  
as we forgive those who trespass against us.  
And lead us not into temptation,  
but deliver us from evil.  
For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory,  
forever and ever. Amen.

## **Suffrages**

Officiant: Show us your mercy, O Lord;  
People: And grant us your salvation.  
Officiant: Clothe your ministers with righteousness;  
People: Let your people sing with joy.

Officiant: Give peace, O Lord, in all the world;  
People: *For only in you can we live in safety.*

Officiant: Lord, keep this nation under your care;  
People: *And guide us in the way of justice and truth.*

Officiant: Let your way be known upon earth;  
People: *Your saving health among all nations.*

Officiant: Let not the needy, O Lord, be forgotten;  
People: *Nor the hope of the poor be taken away.*

Officiant: Create in us clean hearts, O God;  
People: *And sustain us with your Holy Spirit.*

*The Officiant then prays the Collects*

## **The Collect of the Day**

Let your continual mercy, O Lord, cleanse and defend your Church; and, because it cannot continue in safety without your help, protect and govern it always by your goodness; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

## **A Collect for Sundays**

O God, you have taught us to keep all your commandments by loving you and our neighbor: Grant us the grace of your Holy Spirit, that we may be devoted to you with our whole heart, and united to one another with pure affection; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

## **A Prayer for Mission**

Almighty and everlasting God, by whose Spirit the whole body of your faithful people is governed and sanctified: Receive our supplications and prayers which we offer before you for all members of your holy Church, that in their vocation and ministry they may truly and devoutly serve you; through our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. **Amen.**

## Prayers of the People

*I invite your prayers of intercession and thanksgiving, aloud or silently ...*

Officiant: Lord in your mercy  
People: *Hear our Prayer*

## Offertory

Officiant: All things come of thee Oh Lord, and of thine own have we given thee.

## The General Thanksgiving *(Officiant and People)*

Almighty God, Father of all mercies,  
we your unworthy servants give you humble thanks  
for all your goodness and loving-kindness  
to us and to all whom you have made.  
We bless you for our creation, preservation,  
and all the blessings of this life;  
but above all for your immeasurable love  
in the redemption of the world by our Lord Jesus Christ;  
for the means of grace, and for the hope of glory.

And, we pray, give us such an awareness of your mercies,  
that with truly thankful hearts we may show forth your praise,  
not only with our lips, but in our lives,  
by giving up our selves to your service,  
and by walking before you  
in holiness and righteousness all our days;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord,  
to whom, with you and the Holy Spirit,  
be honor and glory throughout all ages. Amen.

## A Prayer of St. Chrysostom

Almighty God, you have given us grace at this time with one accord to make our common supplication to you; and you have promised through your well-beloved Son that when two or three are gathered together in his Name you will be in the midst of them: Fulfill now, O Lord, our desires and petitions as may be best for us; granting us in this world knowledge of your truth, and in the age to come life everlasting. **Amen.**

*(All stand as able)*

Officiant: Let us bless the Lord.  
People: *Thanks be to God.*



Officiant: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit, be with us all evermore.

People: *Amen.*

Thank you for joining us for in person worship today. If you are seated in a pew, please take the cleaner and towels from the back pew and spray down and wipe your area. Don't forget to include the handrail in front of you as well as your seat.

We appreciate your help in cleaning before the next service begins.



**IT IS WONDERFUL TO BE WITH YOU IN SMALL  
WORSHIP GROUPS AT THIS TIME.**



## Intergenerational Summer Series

Redeemer is offering a creative and fun way to help bring the Bible to life at home this summer!

Join us as we walk through the readings each week with a special series of devotions and artwork from our friends at Illustrated Ministry.

The series is from June 28-August 30. It's okay if you miss a week just jump in when you can. Each week there is a devotion to read, a bulletin with activities, and a beautiful coloring page. This is a great resource for families and adults. No one is ever too old to color, right?!

There are hard copies of the entire series available for pick up in the office.

If you prefer to print them at home email Lori Hawkins.

## ZOOM BIBLE STUDY

Its not to late to join us for Summer Bible Study at 6:30pm on Wednesday nights.

**6:30 pm Evening Prayer**

**7-8:00 pm Apocrypha Books of the Bible**

A Zoom link has been created for you to join as we study the Apocryphal books of the Bible. You may purchase the book "Invitation to the Apocrypha" by Daniel J. Harrington, S.J., but it is not necessary for the study. Send [Catherine](#) your email with your "yes" to study together!



## Samaritan House

We are collecting **Macaroni & Cheese** for Samaritan House this month.

Your generosity in providing food for others is greatly appreciated!!!

Thank you!

The bulletins, videos, announcements, sermons, Echoes and MORE!

Can be found on

**[www.corgsc.org](http://www.corgsc.org)**

## Have you considered automating your pledge payments to Redeemer?

Many banks and credit unions will set up a scheduled payment directly to the church.

You may already have other bills set up this way.

You will write fewer checks, always be up to date on your pledge, and Redeemer will have a consistent budget with which to pay our ongoing bills. Be sure that your bank includes your envelope number or last name on the check in the memo line so it can be properly accounted for by our book keeper.

Set your payment up through online banking or contact your bank for more information.

# THE CHURCH OF THE REDEEMER

Announcements for August 2, 2020

## THIS WEEK AT REDEEMER!

August 2 to August 8, 2020

<b>Sunday</b>	9:00 AM	Outside Worship with Holy Eucharist
<b>Monday</b>		
<b>Tuesday</b>		
<b>Wednesday</b>	9:30 AM 12:00 PM 6:30 PM	Morning Prayer (10 people) AA Meeting On-line Bible Study
<b>Thursday</b>		
<b>Friday</b>		Church Office Closed
<b>Saturday</b>	11:00AM	AA Meeting

### Readings for Sunday, August 9, 2020

First: Genesis 37:1-4, 12-28  
Psalm: Psalm 105, 1-6, 16-22, 45b  
Second: Romans 10:5-15  
Gospel: Matthew 14:22-33

### Financial Statements

Quarter 2 financial statements were mailed to your home last week. If you have not received one, or have any questions please contact Sue in the parish office or our treasurer Rebekah Webb.

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY!**

**August**

- 2 Andrea Helm
- 3 Leslie Entwistle
- 3 Jacob Hayes
- 4 Jennifer Thompson
- 6 Ray Campbell

*Happy Anniversary*

7 Phyllis & Steve Webb

**In accordance with Diocesan guidelines we will continue to meet outdoors at this time.**

**Join us for in person worship outside on Sunday Morning!**

**No sign up required.**

**Social Distancing and masks required.**

On Wednesdays we have a 9:30am service of Morning Prayer in the church for up to 10 people. No signup required. Masks and Social Distancing required.

## Prayers of the People

The Church of the Redeemer has a faithful and strong prayer ministry. If you would like to add someone's name to the prayer list, please fill out a form in the pew rack and place it in the offering plate or contact the parish office. Please let the parish office know when a name can be removed from our prayers.

Thank you for your help in keeping our prayer list up to date!

### **Please Pray for:**

Claire Allen	Gowell Coker	Daulton Johnson	Robert Powell	Alison White
Chris Arnold	Larry Coker	Olivia Johnson	Ruth Power	Alice Williams
Louis Ashley	Harriet Cox	Hank Johnson	Don Sanders, Jr.	Shirley Williams
Betty Boesch	Melody Daniel	Bill Lee	Trey Skardon	Tony Wilson
Betty Brandt	Judy Dominick	Betty Lupo	Jackie Smith	Janet Wolf
Micki Brown	Bev Hardin	Hugh McCarren	Steve Smith	Elizabeth
Ray Campbell	Christine Hodge	Ken Nall	Marguerite Watson	Hamlin
Paulette Carpenter	Erin Johnson	Jean Ohmsen	Bob Weinstein	Mark

**For the Homebound:** Lynne Massengill, Earlene Nall, Mary Vaughn

**For the Repose of the Soul of:** All who died this past week of COVID-19 in our world;  
Brian Hatcher (friend of Lori & Josh Hawkins)

**For Our Missionary in the Ukraine:** Gary Powell

**Diocesan Cycle of Prayer:** The Ministry of the Episcopal Church Women of the Diocese

**For the Men and Women serving in our Military, especially:**

Fred Aldrich	Elijah Johnson	Chris McDowell	Elizabeth Skardon
Nick Henderson	Andrew Lupo	Michael Reardon	Christopher Tyminiski

**For those Studying in Undergraduate and Graduate Programs in College:**

Matthew Derrick	Bennett Helm	Thomas Jennings	George Poleski
Jacob Hayes	Matthew Howard	Kaitlyn Massengill	

If you know anyone in the hospital, or in need of prayers,  
please call the Church Office: 277-4562 or send prayer requests to [parishadmin@corpsc.org](mailto:parishadmin@corpsc.org).

### **VESTRY**

<i>Rector</i>	<b>Rev. Catherine Tatem</b>	<i>Christian Ed</i>	<b>Katie Broderick (2021)</b>	<i>Membership</i>	<b>Greg Brown (2022)</b>
<i>Sr. Warden</i>	<b>Bill Heizer (2021)</b>	<i>Communications</i>	<b>Daniel McCullough (2022)</b>	<i>Outreach</i>	<b>Robin Mill (2022)</b>
<i>Jr.. Warden</i>	<b>Jason Houston (2020)</b>	<i>Fellowship</i>	<b>Bill Heizer (2021)</b>	<i>Pastoral Care</i>	<b>Dinah Johnson (2021)</b>
<i>Building &amp; Grounds</i>	<b>Jason Houston (2020)</b>	<i>Worship</i>	<b>Annette Burdette (2022)</b>	<i>Stewardship</i>	<b>Debbie Bauer (2020)</b>
	<b>Judy Planck (2020)</b>	<i>Finance</i>	<b>Rebekah Webb (2021)</b>		