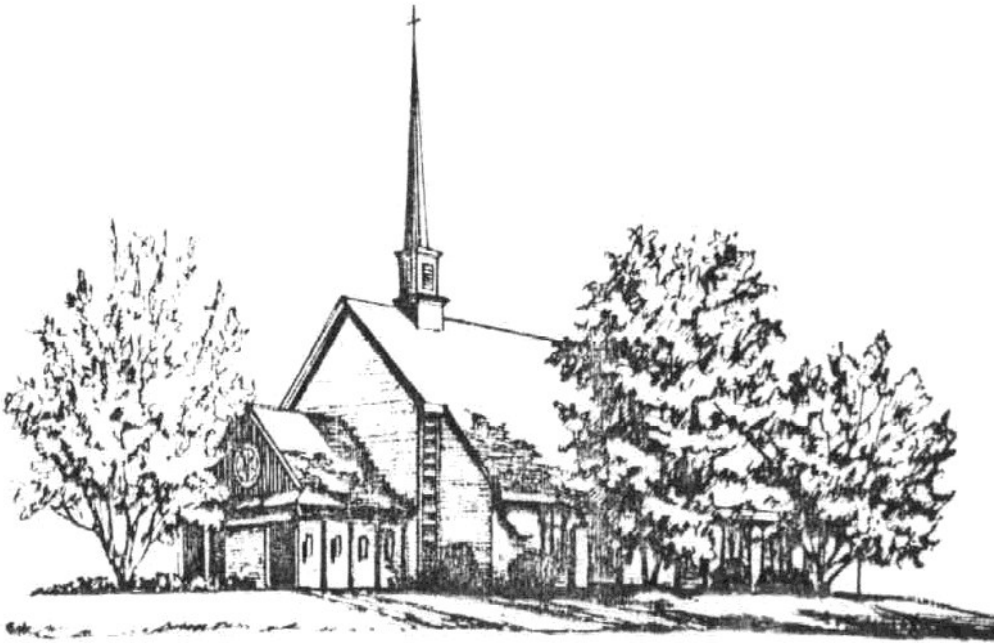


The Church of the Redeemer



**WELCOME TO WORSHIP
ON
THE SIXTEENTH SUNDAY
AFTER PENTECOST: PROPER 19
SEPTEMBER 12, 2021**

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

An Episcopal Parish in The Diocese of Upper South Carolina
The Right Rev. Andrew Waldo, Bishop
The Rev. Catherine Tatem, Rector

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Processional Hymn 522.....Glorious things of thee are spoken
Please stand (as you are able)

THE WORD OF GOD

The Service of Holy Eucharist begins on page 355 in the red Book of Common Prayer.

Opening Acclamation BCP 355

Kyrie BCP 356

Collect of the Day

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

O God, because without you we are not able to please you, mercifully grant that your Holy Spirit may in all things direct and rule our hearts; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

People: *Amen.*

You may be seated for the readings.

First Reading **Proverbs 1:20-33**

Wisdom cries out in the street; in the squares she raises her voice. At the busiest corner she cries out; at the entrance of the city gates she speaks: “How long, O simple ones, will you love being simple? How long will scoffers delight in their scoffing and fools hate knowledge? Give heed to my reproof; I will pour out my thoughts to you; I will make my words known to you. Because I have called and you refused, have stretched out my hand and no one heeded, and because you have ignored all my counsel and would have none of my reproof, I also will laugh at your calamity; I will mock when panic strikes you, when panic strikes you like a storm, and your calamity comes like a whirlwind, when distress and anguish come upon you. Then they will call upon me, but I will not answer; they will seek me diligently, but will not find me. Because they hated knowledge and did not choose the fear of the Lord, would have none of my counsel, and despised all my reproof, therefore they shall eat the fruit of their way and be sated with their own devices. For waywardness kills the simple, and the complacency of fools destroys them; but those who listen to me will be secure and will live at ease, without dread of disaster.”

Lector: The Word of the Lord.
People: *Thanks be to God.*

The Psalm

Psalm 19

- 1 The heavens declare the glory of God, *
and the firmament shows his handiwork.
- 2 One day tells its tale to another, *
and one night imparts knowledge to another.
- 3 Although they have no words or language, *
and their voices are not heard,
- 4 Their sound has gone out into all lands, *
and their message to the ends of the world.
- 5 In the deep has he set a pavilion for the sun; *
it comes forth like a bridegroom out of his chamber;
it rejoices like a champion to run its course.
- 6 It goes forth from the uttermost edge of the heavens
and runs about to the end of it again; *
nothing is hidden from its burning heat.
- 7 The law of the LORD is perfect
and revives the soul; *
the testimony of the LORD is sure
and gives wisdom to the innocent.
- 8 The statutes of the LORD are just
and rejoice the heart; *
the commandment of the LORD is clear
and gives light to the eyes.
- 9 The fear of the LORD is clean
and endures for ever; *
the judgments of the LORD are true
and righteous altogether.
- 10 More to be desired are they than gold,
more than much fine gold, *
sweeter far than honey,
than honey in the comb.
- 11 By them also is your servant enlightened, *
and in keeping them there is great reward.
- 12 Who can tell how often he offends? *
cleanse me from my secret faults.

- 13 Above all, keep your servant from presumptuous sins;
let them not get dominion over me; *
then shall I be whole and sound,
and innocent of a great offense.
- 14 Let the words of my mouth and the meditation of my
heart be acceptable in your sight, *
O LORD, my strength and my redeemer.

Second Reading

James 3:1-12

Not many of you should become teachers, my brothers and sisters, for you know that we who teach will be judged with greater strictness. For all of us make many mistakes. Anyone who makes no mistakes in speaking is perfect, able to keep the whole body in check with a bridle. If we put bits into the mouths of horses to make them obey us, we guide their whole bodies. Or look at ships: though they are so large that it takes strong winds to drive them, yet they are guided by a very small rudder wherever the will of the pilot directs. So also the tongue is a small member, yet it boasts of great exploits. How great a forest is set ablaze by a small fire! And the tongue is a fire. The tongue is placed among our members as a world of iniquity; it stains the whole body, sets on fire the cycle of nature, and is itself set on fire by hell. For every species of beast and bird, of reptile and sea creature, can be tamed and has been tamed by the human species, but no one can tame the tongue-- a restless evil, full of deadly poison. With it we bless the Lord and Father, and with it we curse those who are made in the likeness of God. From the same mouth come blessing and cursing. My brothers and sisters, this ought not to be so. Does a spring pour forth from the same opening both fresh and brackish water? Can a fig tree, my brothers and sisters, yield olives, or a grapevine figs? No more can salt water yield fresh.

Lector: The Word of the Lord.
People: Thanks be to God.

Please stand

The Holy Gospel

Mark 8:27-38

Celebrant: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ According to Mark.
People: *Glory to you, Lord Christ.*

Jesus went on with his disciples to the villages of Caesarea Philippi; and on the way he asked his disciples, "Who do people say that I am?" And they answered him, "John the Baptist; and others, Elijah; and still others, one of the prophets." He asked them, "But who do you say that I am?" Peter answered him, "You are the Messiah." And he sternly ordered them not to tell anyone about him. Then he began to teach them that the Son of Man must undergo great suffering, and be

rejected by the elders, the chief priests, and the scribes, and be killed, and after three days rise again. He said all this quite openly. And Peter took him aside and began to rebuke him. But turning and looking at his disciples, he rebuked Peter and said, “Get behind me, Satan! For you are setting your mind not on divine things but on human things.” He called the crowd with his disciples, and said to them, “If any want to become my followers, let them deny themselves and take up their cross and follow me. For those who want to save their life will lose it, and those who lose their life for my sake, and for the sake of the gospel, will save it. For what will it profit them to gain the whole world and forfeit their life? Indeed, what can they give in return for their life? Those who are ashamed of me and of my words in this adulterous and sinful generation, of them the Son of Man will also be ashamed when he comes in the glory of his Father with the holy angels.”

Celebrant: The Gospel of the Lord.
People: Praise to you, Lord Christ.

Please be seated.

Sermon

The Rev. Catherine Tatem

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

BCP 358

Prayers of the People Form III

Leader: Father, we pray for your holy Catholic Church;

People: *That we all may be one.*

Leader: In the Diocesan Cycle of Prayer, we pray for _____.
Grant that every member of the Church may truly and humbly serve
you;

People: *That your Name may be glorified by all people.*

Leader: We pray for missionaries, especially Gary Powell, Redeemer’s
missionary in Ukraine.

We pray for all bishops, especially Michael, our Presiding Bishop;
Andrew, our bishop; for all priests, especially Catherine, our rector;

People: *That they may be faithful ministers of your Word and Sacraments.*

Leader: We pray for all who govern and hold authority in the nations of the
world.

People: *That there may be justice and peace on the earth.*

Leader: Give us grace to do your will in all that we undertake;

People: *That our works may find favor in your sight.*

Leader: Have compassion on those who suffer from any grief or trouble especially for ____.

People: *That they may be delivered from their distress.*

Leader: We pray especially for those who have died: ____.

Give to the departed eternal rest.

People: *Let light perpetual shine upon them.*

Leader: We praise you for your saints who have entered into joy;

People: *May we also come to share in your heavenly kingdom.*

Leader: Let us pray for our own needs and those of others, aloud or silently.

The People may add their own petitions.

Leader: We pray for college students, especially ____.

We pray for all those serving in the military ____.

Leader: We give thanksgiving for those celebrating birthdays and anniversaries this week, especially ____.

The Celebrant adds a concluding Collect.

Confession of Sin

BCP 360

The Peace *Please stand*

Celebrant: The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People: *And also with you.*

Please be seated

Announcements

HOLY COMMUNION

Offertory Music

Celebrant: Ascribe to the Lord the honor due his Name; bring offerings and come into his courts.

Please stand while the people's gifts are brought forward

The Great Thanksgiving: Eucharistic Prayer A BCP 361

Sanctus S-130

The Lord's Prayer BCP 364

The Breaking of the Bread BCP 364

The Celebrant breaks the consecrated Bread.

Celebrant: Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;

People: Therefore let us keep the feast.

Celebrant: The Gifts of God for the People of God.

Spiritual Communion Prayer

(If you are participating in this liturgy from a distance, the Church teaches that the full sacramental benefit of the Eucharist can be received by desire alone. Even in a time of physical separation from the Altar, you are loved and held by the One who created the world and gave it shape. If you wish, you may use this prayer of spiritual communion to focus your desire.)

In union, blessed Jesus, with the faithful gathered at every altar of your Church where your blessed Body and Blood are offered this day, I long to offer you praise and thanksgiving, for creation and all the blessings of this life, for the redemption won for us by your life, death, and resurrection, for the means of grace and the hope of glory. I believe that you are truly present in the Holy Sacrament, and, since I cannot at this time receive communion, I pray you to come into my heart. I unite myself with you and embrace you with all my heart, my soul, and my mind. Let nothing separate me from you; let me serve you in this life until, by your grace, I come to your glorious kingdom and unending peace. Amen.

Communion Music

Postcommunion Prayer BCP 365

Blessing

Please stand

Recessional Hymn 410Praise my soul

Dismissal

Celebrant: Let us go forth into the world, rejoicing in the power of the Spirit.

People: *Thanks be to God.*



WELCOME VISITORS!

PLEASE STOP BY THE VISITOR TABLE

We ask that you sign the Guest Book and take a Welcome Bag as our gift to you.

See you again soon!

The picnic has been postponed awaiting cooler weather. Look for details regarding our church celebration of Oktoberfest on October 24.



Christian Education classes for both adults and children will resume on **September 19.**

Classes begin following the service. At this time the children will meet as a group of all ages. We will discuss heroes in the Bible and begin Bible journaling.

Making a Joyful Noise to the Lord

The Redeemer choir has begun for the 2021-2022 season. The choir practices on Wednesday evenings from 6:30pm to 7:30pm in the choir room. We welcome anyone who would like to join. Currently we are in need of altos and basses.

Please talk to Bob or Stephany if you would like to join, or just show up for practice.



Bob will be on vacation from September 11 through Sept. 27. In his place Stephany Austell will DJ using the electronic organ and recordings of hymns.

THE CHURCH OF THE REDEEMER

Announcements for September 12, 2021

THIS WEEK AT REDEEMER!

September 12 to September 18, 2021

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| Sunday | 8:30AM | Online Morning Prayer |
| | 9:30 AM | In person Worship with Holy Eucharist (also live stream) |
| | 2:00 PM | Hispanic Service |
| Monday | 6:00 PM | Finance Committee Meeting |
| | 7:00 PM | ACOA ALANON |
| Tuesday | | |
| Wednesday | 9:30 AM | Worship with Holy Eucharist |
| | 12:00 PM | AA Meeting |
| | 6:30 PM | Choir Rehearsal |
| Thursday | | |
| Friday | | Church Office Closed |
| Saturday | 11:00AM | AA Meeting |



12 Jack Jackson
13 Malain Houston
15 John Warren
16 Sue Skardon
17 Hooper Skardon
18 Michael Reardon

Altar Flower Dedication

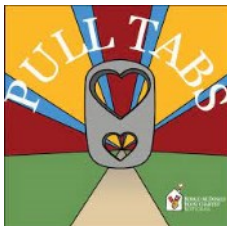
*To the Glory of God
and In Celebration of*
Wayne & Ed Roberts
65th Wedding Anniversary on
September 1, 2021
Given By
Ed & Wayne Roberts

Readings for Sunday, September 19, 2021

First: Proverbs 31:10-31
Psalm: Psalm 1
Second: James 3:13-4:3, 7-8a
Gospel: Mark 9:30-37

EYC Starts on September 26

5pm to 7pm
Look for more information to
come via email!



PULL TABS

Redeemer is collecting Aluminum can tabs for the Ronald McDonald house. Please bring your tabs to Redeemer on Sunday and place in collection bin.

REDEEMER T-SHIRTS for SALE!

Buy a Beautiful royal blue Redeemer T-shirt for you and your family!
The shirts are from a local area business and are made to last.
T-shirts are \$15 each, which allows us to provide a free t-shirt
to all youth ages 17 and under. See Lori with questions.
Please fill out an order form with your payment and place
it in the offering plate, or return to Sue in the office.

The Church of the Redeemer T-shirt Order Form

Name: _____ Date: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Quantity: _____ X \$15.00 = _____ Total

Circle Sizes: ___ Small ___ Medium ___ Large ___ XL ___ XXL

Office Use

T-shirts Received: _____

Form of Payment: Cash Check# _____ Received By: _____ Date: _____

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:

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| Claire Allen | Allison Espinosa | Gynnis Kelly | Don Sanders Jr. | Melanie Tinnelly |
| Chris Arnold | Tom Gange | Elizabeth Koontz | Derek Shankar | Bob Weinstein |
| Debbie Bauer | Jessie Hazel | Betty Lupo | Lucas Shankar | Alice Williams |
| Pat Blackburn | Harriet Hodge | Lynne Massengill | Ellen Shelton | Shirley Williams |
| Jean Bowe | Larry Hodge | Jean Ohmsen | Jackie Smith | Janet Wolf |
| Linda Box | Aislinn Johnson | Cindy Pace | Steve Smith | Margaret Wyatt |
| Betty Brandt | Hank Johnson | Ruth Power | Bob Taylor | |
| Melody Daniel | Breanna Kelly | Ed Roberts | Elyette Taylor | |

For the repose of the soul of: All who died this past week

For our missionary in Ukraine: Gary Powell

Diocesan Cycle of Prayer: Church of the Cross, Columbia; Holy Cross, Simpsonville

For the Men and Women serving in the military, especially:

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| Fred Aldrich | Matthew Howard | Andrew Lupo | Michael Reardon |
| Nick Henderson | Elijah Johnson | Chris McDowell | Christopher Tyminiski |

For those studying in undergraduate and graduate programs:

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| Jacob Hayes | Morgan Helm | John Phillips |
| Riley Hawkins | Thomas Jennings | George Poleski |
| Bennett Helm | Kaitlyn Massengill | Andrew Reardon |

If you know anyone in the hospital, please call the Church Office: 277-4562
or send bulletin prayer requests to parishadmin@corpsc.org

2021 VESTRY

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|--------------------|-------------------------|----------------|--------------------------|-------------|---------------------|
| Rector | Rev. Catherine Tatem | Christian Ed | Margie Hankinson (2021) | Membership | Greg Brown (2022) |
| Sr. Warden | Bill Heizer (2021) | Communications | Daniel McCullough (2022) | Outreach | Robin Mill (2022) |
| Jr. Warden | Stephany Austell (2023) | Fellowship | Annette Burdette (2022) | Stewardship | (open) |
| Building & Grounds | Stephany Austell (2023) | Pastoral Care | Betty Herrin (2021) | Worship | Betty Boesch (2023) |
| | | Finance | Rebekah Webb (2021) | | |

| | This Week | Next Week |
|---------------------|--|--------------------------------------|
| Verger | Betty Boesch | Greg Brown |
| Ushers | Bill Lee | Wallace Lightsey |
| Crucifer | Sadie Butchko | Robin Mill |
| Lector 1 | Betty Boesch | Rick Hankinson |
| Lector 2 | Wallace Lightsey | Katie Houston |
| Altar Guild | Betsy Walt, Susan Butler, Judy Derrick | Debbie Price, Ann Meade, Sarah Meade |
| Flower Guild | Lauren McCullough | Robin Mill, Terry Landreth |
| Counters | Jane Bouton, Meg Coffey | Bill Lee, Joe Butchko |
| Video | Rick Hankinson | Bill Heizer |

An opportunity to share your gifts of ministry contact:

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| Counters (Jane Bouton) | Ushers (Steve Webb) |
| Acolytes (Wallace Lightsey) | Lectors (Katie Houston) |
| Altar Guild (Margie Hankinson) | Flower Guild (Lauren McCullough) |
| Vergers (Bill Heizer) | Video (Rick Hankinson) |
| Contact the lead, or call the parish office to volunteer. | |

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