



**Members' Meeting.** Immediately following corporate worship. *Guests welcome to join for food!* Members' meetings are important moments in our church's life to mark God's work by welcoming new members, discussing our future, and celebrating God's provision over the last quarter.

**Meet Redeemer.** Prospective members class, June 2<sup>nd</sup>. If you are interested in joining the people called Redeemer, this class will introduce you to people who love you and information you need to make that commitment. Sign up at the QR code.



**Men and Women Bible Studies.** Jump into a Bible reading group or Bible study today. View groups on the Church Center app or at [redeemerhuntsville.org/get-involved](https://redeemerhuntsville.org/get-involved)

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Redeemer Church exists to share God's good news and be equipped to love him and neighbor in every area of life in Huntsville and beyond.



Order of Worship

*Pentecost Sunday 2024*

May 19, 2024



## Welcome from your Redeemer family!

We are glad that you've joined us today for worship. Know that no question is off limits here. We take the gospel seriously and invite all people everywhere to enjoy the grace of God.

You can read what's coming up on the last page of the bulletin. More information can be found at [redeemerhuntsville.org](http://redeemerhuntsville.org).

Any questions? Feel free to email us at [info@redeemerhuntsville.org](mailto:info@redeemerhuntsville.org)

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### Guests

If you are a guest, we would love to send you some more information about Redeemer. Go ahead and take out your phone. *(It's okay, we promise!)* Scan the QR code on the right to answer just three short questions.



We would also love to gift you a resource that complements our sermon series through Exodus. Meet us at the resources table following the service.

### Restrooms & Relief

Facilities can be found at the rear of the gymnasium through the double doors. Water bottles and coffee are available on the other side of the curtain.

### Parents

Baby changing facilities are available in the nursery down the Redeemer Kids' hallway. Nursing mothers are welcome to feed their baby wherever they feel comfortable, but one of our hosts can help you find a private room.



## Lord's Supper

*If you are not 1) a baptized believer who is 2) walking with Christ in faith and 3) in good standing with your local church, we ask that you refrain from this meal and take this moment to reflect upon your life and seek the grace God freely offers to all who cast themselves upon Jesus.*

## Song of Response

*All Glory Be to Christ*

His will be done His kingdom come  
On earth as is above  
Who is Himself our daily bread  
Praise Him the Lord of love  
Let living water satisfy  
The thirsty without price  
We'll take a cup of kindness yet  
All glory be to Christ

When on the day the great I Am  
The faithful and the true  
The Lamb who was for sinners slain  
Is making all things new  
Behold our God shall live with us  
And be our steadfast light  
And we shall e'er his people be  
All glory be to Christ

## Benediction and Doxology

Praise God from whom all blessings flow!  
Praise Him all creatures here below!  
Praise Him above ye heavenly hosts!  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.



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## Pastoral Prayer

### Sermon

“How Do We Know the Holy Spirit?”

Zach Carter

John 16:7-14

1. God the Father and God the Son send the Spirit.
2. The Spirit shows sin and summons repentance.
3. The Spirit guides into truth.
4. The Spirit glorifies the Father and Son.



## Welcome & Announcements

Call to Worship

Colossians 3:17

Hymn of Hope

*Christ Our Hope in Life and Death*

Scripture Reading

Acts 2:1–21, 37–47

Affirmation of the Faith

Selection from Athanasian Creed (c. 400)

Confession & Promise of Grace

Isaiah 1:18

Song of Praise

*I Will Glory in My Redeemer*

Song of Commitment

*All Glory Be to Christ*

Pastoral Prayer

Sermon

“Firstborns and Flatbreads”

Zach Carter

Exodus 13:1–16

Lord’s Supper

Song of Response

Final two verses of *All Glory Be to Christ*

Benediction & Doxology



## Call to Worship

Colossians 3:17 (ESV)

<sup>17</sup> And whatever you do, in word or deed, do everything in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him.

## Hymn of the Praise

*Christ Our Hope In Life And Death*

What is our hope in life and death  
 Christ alone Christ alone  
 What is our only confidence  
 That our souls to Him belong  
 Who holds our days within His hand  
 What comes apart from His command  
 And what will keep us to the end  
 The love of Christ in which we stand

[*Chorus*]

O sing hallelujah  
 Our hope springs eternal  
 O sing hallelujah  
 Now and ever we confess  
 Christ our hope in life and death

What truth can calm the troubled soul  
 God is good God is good  
 Where is His grace and goodness known  
 In our great Redeemer's blood  
 Who holds our faith when fears arise  
 Who stands above the stormy trial  
 Who sends the waves that bring us nigh  
 Unto the shore the rock of Christ



I will glory in my Redeemer  
 Who waits for me at gates of gold  
 And when He calls me it will be paradise  
 His face forever to behold (x2)

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## Song of Commitment

*All Glory Be To Christ*

Should nothing of our efforts stand  
 No legacy survive  
 Unless the Lord does raise the house  
 In vain its builders strive  
 To you who boast tomorrow's gain  
 Tell me what is your life  
 A mist that vanishes at dawn  
 All glory be to Christ

[*Chorus*]

All glory be to Christ our king  
 All glory be to Christ  
 His rule and reign we'll ever sing  
 All glory be to Christ

His will be done His kingdom come  
 On earth as is above  
 Who is Himself our daily bread  
 Praise Him the Lord of love  
 Let living water satisfy  
 The thirsty without price  
 We'll take a cup of kindness yet  
 All glory be to Christ



## Confession and Promise of Grace

Isaiah 1:18 (ESV)

<sup>18</sup> “Come now, let us reason together, says the LORD:  
though your sins are like scarlet,  
they shall be as white as snow;  
though they are red like crimson,  
they shall become like wool.

## Song of the Gospel

*I Will Glory In My Redeemer*

I will glory in my Redeemer  
Whose priceless blood has ransomed me  
Mine was the sin that drove the bitter nails  
And hung Him on that judgment tree  
I will glory in my Redeemer  
Who crushed the power of sin and death  
My only Savior before the holy Judge  
The Lamb Who is my righteousness (x2)

I will glory in my Redeemer  
My life He bought my love He owns  
I have no longings for another  
I'm satisfied in Him alone  
I will glory in my Redeemer  
His faithfulness my standing place  
Though foes are mighty and rush up on me  
My feet are firm held by His grace (x2)

I will glory in my Redeemer  
Who carries me on eagle's wings  
He crowns my life with loving kindness  
His triumph song I'll ever sing



Unto the grave what will we sing  
Christ He lives Christ He lives  
And what reward will heaven bring  
Everlasting life with Him  
There we will rise to meet the Lord  
Then sin and death will be destroyed  
And we will feast in endless joy  
When Christ is ours forevermore

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## Scripture Reading

Acts 2:1–21, 37–47 (ESV)

## The Coming of the Holy Spirit

<sup>2</sup> When the day of Pentecost arrived, they were all together in one place.  
<sup>2</sup> And suddenly there came from heaven a sound like a mighty rushing wind, and it filled the entire house where they were sitting. <sup>3</sup> And divided tongues as of fire appeared to them and rested on each one of them.  
<sup>4</sup> And they were all filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other tongues as the Spirit gave them utterance.  
<sup>5</sup> Now there were dwelling in Jerusalem Jews, devout men from every nation under heaven. <sup>6</sup> And at this sound the multitude came together, and they were bewildered, because each one was hearing them speak in his own language. <sup>7</sup> And they were amazed and astonished, saying, “Are not all these who are speaking Galileans? <sup>8</sup> And how is it that we hear, each of us in his own native language? <sup>9</sup> Parthians and Medes and Elamites and residents of Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, <sup>10</sup> Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya belonging to Cyrene, and visitors from Rome, <sup>11</sup> both Jews and proselytes, Cretans and Arabians—we hear them telling in our own tongues the mighty works of God.” <sup>12</sup> And all were amazed and perplexed, saying to one another, “What does this mean?” <sup>13</sup> But others mocking said, “They are filled with new wine.”



### Peter's Sermon at Pentecost

<sup>14</sup> But Peter, standing with the eleven, lifted up his voice and addressed them: "Men of Judea and all who dwell in Jerusalem, let this be known to you, and give ear to my words. <sup>15</sup> For these people are not drunk, as you suppose, since it is only the third hour of the day. <sup>16</sup> But this is what was uttered through the prophet Joel:

- <sup>17</sup> " 'And in the last days it shall be, God declares,  
that I will pour out my Spirit on all flesh,  
and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy,  
and your young men shall see visions,  
and your old men shall dream dreams;  
<sup>18</sup> even on my male servants and female servants  
in those days I will pour out my Spirit, and they shall prophesy.  
<sup>19</sup> And I will show wonders in the heavens above  
and signs on the earth below,  
blood, and fire, and vapor of smoke;  
<sup>20</sup> the sun shall be turned to darkness  
and the moon to blood,  
before the day of the Lord comes, the great and magnificent day.  
<sup>21</sup> And it shall come to pass that everyone who calls upon the name of  
the Lord shall be saved' ...

<sup>37</sup> Now when they heard this they were cut to the heart, and said to Peter and the rest of the apostles, "Brothers, what shall we do?" <sup>38</sup> And Peter said to them, "Repent and be baptized every one of you in the name of Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of your sins, and you will receive the gift of the Holy Spirit. <sup>39</sup> For the promise is for you and for your children and for all who are far off, everyone whom the Lord our God calls to himself." <sup>40</sup> And with many other words he bore witness and continued to exhort them, saying, "Save yourselves from this crooked generation." <sup>41</sup> So those who received his word were baptized, and there were added that day about three thousand souls.

### The Fellowship of the Believers

<sup>42</sup> And they devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching and the fellowship, to the breaking of bread and the prayers. <sup>43</sup> And awe came upon every soul, and many wonders and signs were being done through the apostles. <sup>44</sup> And all who believed were together and had all things in



common. <sup>45</sup> And they were selling their possessions and belongings and distributing the proceeds to all, as any had need. <sup>46</sup> And day by day, attending the temple together and breaking bread in their homes, they received their food with glad and generous hearts, <sup>47</sup> praising God and having favor with all the people. And the Lord added to their number day by day those who were being saved.

### Affirmation of the Faith

*Athanasian Creed (c. 400)*

Just as Christian truth compels us  
to confess each person individually  
as both God and Lord,  
so catholic<sup>1</sup> religion forbids us  
to say that there are three gods or lords.

**The Father was neither made nor created nor begotten  
from anyone.**

**The Son was neither made nor created;  
he was begotten from the Father alone.**

**The Holy Spirit was neither made nor created nor  
begotten; he proceeds from the Father and the  
Son.**

Accordingly,

**There is one Father, not three fathers;  
there is one Son, not three sons;  
there is one Holy Spirit, not three holy spirits.**

<sup>1</sup> "Catholic" comes from the Gk. καθόλου (*katholou*), which means "universal." It is not a reference to the church in Rome which claims, but without standing, universal authority over all Christians. Instead, it is a reference to all true believers in Christ Jesus everywhere.