



Members' Meeting, Nov 16th, 5:00-7:30pm. Our end of the year meeting always includes a family meal; year-end review of ministries; report on financials; and election of officers for 2026. This year, the elders are including addition elements, including an update on the building progress and nominations of new elder and deacon candidates. We ask that members make earnest effort to attend and participate. Guests are welcome to observe.

Serve at Redeemer. As our church grows in size, we want to ensure that we are leveraging all of our members' and attenders' gifts and talents to help build up the church. If you've been here for a while, and would like to let us know ways you'd love to contribute your energy, talents, or expertise, scan this QR code.



We are rooted in the past and working for the future.

We know we aren't the first people to read our Bibles or gather as churches. Christ's churches were before us, and they will be after us. We want to find our place in the great work of God through human history of redeeming a particular people to himself. So, we embrace a Reformed confession and practice to both hold everything under submission to Scripture and glean wisdom to guide our pastoral, theological, and missional instincts today.



Order of Worship

November 9, 2025



Welcome to Redeemer!

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.

Any questions? Feel free to email us at 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.



Restrooms & Relief

Restrooms can be found in the hallway behind the chapel. A men's restroom is on the right outside of the double doors, and the women's room is around the corner. Water and coffee are available downstairs following worship.

Parents

Baby changing facilities are available in the respite room to the right as you exit the chapel. Nursing mothers are welcome to feed their baby wherever they feel comfortable, but one of our hosts can also help you find a private room.

Giving

Redeemer relies upon the generosity of her members to support the ministries and missions of the church. You can make a one-time gift by dropping funds into the black box at the rear of the sanctuary or electronically by scanning the QR code on the right.





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.
All communion bread is gluten-free.*

Song of Response

Grace (select verses)

Your grace that I cannot explain
Not by my earthly wisdom
The prince of life without a stain
Was traded for this sinner

*By grace I am redeemed
By grace I am restored
And now I freely walk
Into the arms of Christ my Lord*

Let praise rise up and overflow
My song resound forever
For grace will see me welcomed home
To walk beside my Saviour

Doxology

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



Today's Worship Leaders

Stephen Murphy, Presiding Elder
Zach Carter, Preaching

Josh Davis, Lead Musician

Welcome & Thanksgiving*

Psalm 116:5–7

Song of Praise

Christ Our Hope In Life And Death

Scripture Reading

Hebrews 9:1–14

Affirmation of the Faith

Orthodox Catechism (1680)

Confession and Assurance of Pardon

Isaiah 43:1–3a

Pastoral Prayer

Song of Assurance

Christ The Sure And Steady Anchor

Song of the Gospel

Grace

Sermon

“Free to Bear Fruit”
Romans 7:1-5
Zach Carter

Lord's Supper

Song of Response

Grace (select verses)

Benediction & Doxology

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Call to Worship

Psalm 116:5-7

- ⁵ Gracious is the LORD, and righteous;
our God is merciful.
- ⁶ The LORD preserves the simple;
when I was brought low, he saved me.
- ⁷ Return, O my soul, to your rest;
for the LORD has dealt bountifully with you.

Song of 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

*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

Unto the grave what will we sing



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Let praise rise up and overflow
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For grace will see me welcomed home
To walk beside my Saviour

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Sermon

“Free to Bear Fruit”

Romans 7:1-5

Zach Carter

1. The law ruled us while we lived under it (1-3).
2. Excursus: Paul’s Marriage Analogy
3. Christ’s death releases us from the law’s authority and unifies us to him (4).
4. This union produces new life and fruitfulness (4).



This my ballast of assurance
 See His love forever proved
 I will hold fast to the anchor
 It shall never be removed

Christ the sure and steady anchor
 As we face the wave of death
 When these trials give way to glory
 And we draw our final breath

We will cross that great horizon
 Clouds behind and life secured
 And the calm will be the better
 For the storms that we endured

Christ the shore of our salvation
 Ever faithful ever true
 We will hold fast to the anchor
 It shall never be removed

Matthew Boswell, Matthew Papa
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Song of the Gospel

Grace

Your grace that leads this sinner home
 From death to life forever
 And sings the song of righteousness
 By blood and not by merit

Your grace that reaches far and wide
 To every tribe and nation
 Has called my heart to enter in
 The joy of Your salvation

*By grace I am redeemed
 By grace I am restored
 And now I freely walk
 Into the arms of Christ my Lord*



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

Hebrews 9:15–28

¹⁵ Therefore he is the mediator of a new covenant, so that those who are called may receive the promised eternal inheritance, since a death has occurred that redeems them from the transgressions committed under the first covenant. ¹⁶ For where a will is involved, the death of the one who made it must be established. ¹⁷ For a will takes effect only at death, since it is not in force as long as the one who made it is alive. ¹⁸ Therefore not even the first covenant was inaugurated without blood. ¹⁹ For when every commandment of the law had been declared by Moses to all the people, he took the blood of calves and goats, with water and scarlet wool and hyssop, and sprinkled both the book itself and all the people, ²⁰ saying, “This is the blood of the covenant that God commanded for you.”

²¹ And in the same way he sprinkled with the blood both the tent and all the vessels used in worship. ²² Indeed, under the law almost everything is purified with blood, and without the shedding of blood there is no forgiveness of sins.

²³ Thus it was necessary for the copies of the heavenly things to be purified with these rites, but the heavenly things themselves with better sacrifices than these. ²⁴ For Christ has entered, not into holy places made with hands, which are copies of the true things, but into heaven itself, now to appear in the presence of God on our behalf. ²⁵ Nor was it to offer himself repeatedly, as the high priest enters the holy places every year with blood not his own, ²⁶ for then he would have had to suffer repeatedly since the foundation of the world. But as it is, he has appeared once for all at the end of the ages to put away sin by the sacrifice of himself. ²⁷ And just as it is appointed for man to die once, and after that comes judgment, ²⁸ so Christ, having been offered once to bear the sins of many, will appear a second time, not to deal with sin but to save those who are eagerly waiting for him.



Affirmation of the Faith

Orthodox Catechism

Q 1: What is your only comfort in life and in death?

A: That I am not my own,¹ but belong -- body and soul, in life and in death² to my faithful Savior Jesus Christ.³

He has fully paid for all my sins with his precious blood,⁴ and has set me free from the tyranny of the devil.⁵ He also watches over me in such a way⁶ that not a hair can fall from my head without the will of my Father in heaven⁷ in fact, all things must work together for my salvation.⁸

Because I belong to him, Christ, by his Holy Spirit, assures me of eternal life⁹ and makes me wholeheartedly willing and ready from now on to live for him.¹⁰

Q 2: What must you know to live and die in the joy of this comfort?

A: Three things: first, how great my sin and misery are;¹¹ second, how I am set free from all my sins and misery;¹² third, how I am to thank God for such deliverance.¹³

Confession and Assurance of Pardon

Isaiah 43:1–3a

Israel's Only Savior

43 But now thus says the LORD,
he who created you, O Jacob,

¹ 1 Corinthians 6:19-20

² Romans 14:7-9

³ 1 Corinthians 3:23 Titus 2:14

⁴ 1 Peter 1:18-19 1 John 1:7-9 1 John 2:2

⁵ John 8:34-36 Hebrews 2:14-15 1 John 3:1-11

⁶ John 6:39-40 John 10:27-30 2 Thessalonians 3:3 1 Peter 1:5

⁷ Matthew 10:29 Luke 21:16-18

⁸ Romans 8:28

⁹ Romans 8:15-16 2 Corinthians 1:21-22 2 Corinthians 5:5 Ephesians 1:13-14

¹⁰ Romans 8:1-17

¹¹ Romans 3:9-10 1 John 1:10

¹² John 17:3 Acts 4:12

¹³ Matthew 5:16 Romans 6:13 Ephesians 5:8-10 2 Timothy 2:15 1 Peter 2:9-10



he who formed you, O Israel:

“Fear not, for I have redeemed you;

I have called you by name, you are mine.

² When you pass through the waters, I will be with you;
and through the rivers, they shall not overwhelm you;
when you walk through fire you shall not be burned,
and the flame shall not consume you.

³ For I am the LORD your God,
the Holy One of Israel, your Savior.

Song of Assurance

Christ The Sure And Steady Anchor

Christ the sure and steady anchor
In the fury of the storm
When the winds of doubt blow through me
And my sails have all been torn

In the suffering in the sorrow
When my sinking hopes are few
I will hold fast to the anchor
It shall never be removed

Christ the sure and steady anchor
While the tempest rages on
When temptation claims the battle
And it seems the night has won

Deeper still then goes the anchor
Though I justly stand accused
I will hold fast to the anchor
It shall never be removed

Christ the sure and steady anchor
Through the floods of unbelief
Hopeless somehow O my soul now
Lift your eyes to Calvary