

**April 3, 2011**

# REDEEMER Highlights . . . . . April 3, 2011

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## This Week

**Crisis in Japan:** Giving towards relief efforts in Japan, may be done through the PCA's Mission to the World (MTW). Make checks out to Mission to the World and send to P.O. Box 116284, Atlanta, GA 30368. Please write project #93993 on the memo line. For more information about the efforts in Japan through MTW, visit [www.mtw.org](http://www.mtw.org).

**Donations Needed:** The kids at International Shelter are in need of the following items: deodorant, hair gel, toothpaste, toothbrushes, AA and AAA batteries. If you would like to donate, please bring your items to the donations table in the foyer by April 17<sup>th</sup>.

Today	11:15 a.m.	<b>Young Worshippers:</b> CE classes 3 yrs to 5 <sup>th</sup> grade meet in the auditorium.
Today	11:15 a.m.	<b>The Hope of Glory:</b> <i>A Four-week Study of Paul's Letter to the Colossians</i> , taught by Rev. Brandon Eggar. Class will meet in room 1217.
Monday	7:30 p.m.	<b>Redeemer Men's Night Out:</b> Join us at StoneWerks, 7300 Jones Maltsberger, to watch the Final Four Championship Basketball Game!
Tuesday	6:30 a.m.	<b>Men's Downtown Breakfast:</b> Join us at Mi Tierra, 218 Produce Row. Rev. Victor Martinez will lead us in a Bible Study, discussion and prayer. Bring a friend!
Tuesday	7:00 p.m.	<b>Women's Evening Bible Study:</b> Mary Williams' home, 536 Castano.
Wednesday	10:30 a.m.	<b>Women's Day Bible Study:</b> AH United Methodist Church, room S107.
Wednesday	7:00 p.m.	<b>Newcomers Dessert:</b> Tom and Tara Gibbs invite all those new to Redeemer to attend a dessert in their home, 219 Arcadia Pl. This is a great opportunity to ask questions, get to know the Gibbs family and learn more about Redeemer's vision. Contact the office, 930-4480 to RSVP.
Wednesday	7:00 p.m.	<b>Young Professionals 1<sup>st</sup> Wednesday:</b> At the Harrison home, 110 La Jara.
Thursday	6:30 p.m.	<b>SHE-esta:</b> A Women's Fiesta celebration at the Walkers home, 425 King William. Wear your fiesta attire and bring a friend! See flyer for details.
Friday	10:30 a.m.	<b>Park Day:</b> O.P. Schnabel Park on Bandera Road. Meet us on the playground! Contact Heather, 569-2309, if you have any questions.

## Upcoming Events

April 10	8:45 a.m.	<b>Young Worshippers:</b> Meet Sunday morning in the auditorium.
April 10	12:00 p.m.	<b>YP vs. Youth Group:</b> Grab your lunch and meet us on the soccer field as the Redeemer Youth take on the Young Professionals in a game of Ultimate Frisbee!
April 16		<b>King William Fair:</b> Mark your calendars for this all-day Mission Fundraiser! See flyer for details on how you can help!

# ORDER OF WORSHIP

## Redeemer Presbyterian Church

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*April 3, 2011*

*Fourth Sunday in Lent*

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In consideration of other worshippers, please program all communication devices to silent mode. Parents, nurseries are available during the worship service for children ages 3 months to 3 years. Babies and toddlers are also welcome in the auditorium. The service is broadcast in the lobby area immediately outside the auditorium for the convenience of parents whose children become restless during worship.

### **Reflection and Preparation**

"Broadly described, a covenant is a relationship between persons..."

Michael D. Williams

"The Kingdom of God is not His destiny, nor His abstract right to rule — His sovereignty — it is the actual realization of His sway." Geerhardus Vos

"The law of God was to be in the heart of the old covenant participants. However, only in the new covenant is provision made for the writing by God himself of the law in the human heart." O. Palmer Robertson

"We may appropriately describe the new covenant as the last covenant, the covenant of eschatological realization. It is not that all of God's promises are now fulfilled. They are not. But they have begun to be. The kingdom is coming in its fullness, for the King has come." Michael D. Williams

**Welcome**

The Rev. Brandon S. Eggar

**Prelude**

**Call to Worship**

The Rev. Thomas C. Gibbs

Minister: Sing to the Lord, all the earth! Tell of his salvation from day to day.  
Declare his glory among the nations, his marvelous works among all the  
peoples!

People: **For great is the Lord, and greatly to be praised.**

**\*Hymn of Adoration**

**All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name!**

1. All Hail the Pow'r of Je - sus' name! Let An - gels pros - trate  
2. Ye seed of Is - rael's cho - sen race, ye ran - somed of the  
3. Let ev - 'ry kin - dred, ev - 'ry tribe on this terr - es - trial  
4. O that with yo - nder sa - cred throng we at his feet may

fall; bring forth the roy - al di - a - dem, and crown him  
fall, hail him who saves you by his grace, and crown him  
ball, to him all ma - je - sty - a - scribe, and crown him  
fall; we'll join the e - ver - la - sting song, and crown him

Lord of all; bring forth the roy - al di - a - dem, and  
Lord of all; hail him who saves you by his grace, and  
Lord of all; to him all ma - je - sty - a - scribe, and  
Lord of all; we'll join the e - ver - la - sting song, and

crown him Lord of all!  
crown him Lord of all!  
crown him Lord of all!  
crown him Lord of all!

*Words by Edward Perronet, John Rippon; Music by Oliver Holden*

Minister: Christians, what do we believe?

**All: We believe in one God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible.**

**And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only begotten Son of God, begotten of his Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God, begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father; by whom all things were made; who for us and for our salvation came down from heaven, and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary, and was made man; and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate; he suffered and was buried; and the third day he rose again according to the Scriptures, and ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father; and he shall come again, with glory, to judge both the living and the dead; whose kingdom shall have no end.**

**And we believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son; who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified; who spoke by the prophets; and we believe in one holy catholic<sup>2</sup> and apostolic church; we acknowledge one baptism for the remission of sins; and we look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.**

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<sup>1</sup> The Nicene Creed originated at the Council of Nicea (325) and was formulated to answer heresies that denied the biblical doctrine of the Trinity and the person of Christ.

<sup>2</sup> The term catholic refers to the church universal, knowing no racial, economic, or geographic barriers.

**\*Song of Praise**

You are Holy

You are holy, *(echo)* You are mighty, *(echo)*  
You are worthy, *(echo)* worthy of praise. *(echo)*  
I will follow, *(echo)* I will listen, *(echo)*  
I will love You, *(echo)* all of my days. *(echo)*

**Men:**

I will sing to  
And worship  
The King who  
Is worthy.  
  
I will love  
And adore Him.  
I will bow down  
Before Him.

**Women:**

He is Lord of Lords.  
He is King of Kings.  
He is mighty God,  
Lord of everything.  
He's Emmanuel.  
He's the Great I Am.  
He's my Prince of Peace,  
Who is the Lamb.  
  
He's the living God.  
He's my saving grace.  
He will reign forever,  
He is Ancient of Days.  
He is Alpha, Omega,  
Beginning and End.  
He's my Savior, Messiah,  
Redeemer and friend.

You're my Prince of Peace, and I will live my life for You.

*Words and music by Marc Imboden and Tammi Rhoton*

### Scripture Warning

The Rev. Victor R. Martinez

Minister: For all who rely on works of the law are under a curse; for it is written, "Cursed be everyone who does not abide by all things written in the Book of the Law, and do them." Now it is evident that no one is justified before God by the law, for "The righteous shall live by faith."  
Galatians 3:10-11

### Public Confession

Minister: Let us confess our sins together.

**All: Lord God, eternal and almighty Father, we acknowledge before your holiness that we are poor sinners, born into guilt and in corruption, prone to do evil and unable of our own power to do good. Because of our sin, we endlessly violate your holy commandments. But, O Lord, with heartfelt sorrow we repent and turn away from all our offenses. Have compassion on us, Father of all mercies, for the sake of your son, Jesus Christ, our Lord. And in removing our guilt, also grow us daily in the grace of your Holy Spirit, and produce in us the fruits of a life that is pleasing in your sight, through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.**

*Adapted from John Calvin's Form of Church Prayers, 1542*

### Silent Confession

#### Assurance of Pardon and Comfort

1 John 1:5, 9

Minister: This is the message we have heard from him and proclaim to you, that God is light, and in him is no darkness at all. If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

**\*Song of Renewal**

Dear Refuge of My Weary Soul

Dear refuge of my weary soul, on Thee, when sorrows rise,  
On Thee, when waves of trouble roll, my fainting hope relies.  
To Thee I tell each rising grief, for Thou alone canst heal.  
Thy Word can bring a sweet relief, for every pain I feel.

But oh! When gloomy doubts prevail, I fear to call Thee mine.  
The springs of comfort seem to fail, and all my hopes decline.  
Yet gracious God, where shall I flee? Thou art my only trust,  
And still my soul would cleave to Thee though prostrate in the dust.

Hast Thou not bid me seek Thy face, and shall I seek in vain?  
And can the ear of sovereign grace, be deaf when I complain?  
No still the ear of sovereign grace, attends the mourner's prayer.  
Oh may I ever find access, to breathe my sorrows there.

Thy mercy seat is open still, here let my soul retreat.  
With humble hope attend Thy will, and wait beneath Thy feet.  
Thy mercy seat is open still, here let my soul retreat.  
With humble hope attend Thy will, and wait beneath Thy feet.

*Words by Anne Steele; Music by Kevin Twit*

**\*Scripture Reading**

Mr. & Mrs. Jeff Brouillard

Ezekiel 34:20-25

1 John 2:20-28

Reader:       The Word of the Lord!

People:       **Thanks be to God!**

**Prayers for Redeemer Church,  
San Antonio and the World**

Mr. Martinez

**\*The Greeting of Peace**

Children, ages **three through five**, are dismissed through the rear door and into the cafeteria for *TRAINING IN THE PEWS*. After the sermon, parents will meet their children in the back of the auditorium so that the children can join their families for communion.

Please take a moment to fill out the **attendance pad** located at the end of your aisle, and then pass it on down your row, so that everyone has the opportunity to sign in.

Minister:     Let the peace of Christ dwell in your hearts. To this peace we are called as members of a single body. The peace of Christ be with you.

People:       **And also with you.**

**The Sermon**

Mr. Gibbs

***“Covenant Christianity”***

*Continuing the Series: Gaining a Christ-Centered Vision of Life*

*Hebrews 8:1-13*

## “Covenant Christianity”

<sup>1</sup> Now the point in what we are saying is this: we have such a high priest, one who is seated at the right hand of the throne of the Majesty in heaven, <sup>2</sup> a minister in the holy places, in the true tent that the Lord set up, not man. <sup>3</sup> For every high priest is appointed to offer gifts and sacrifices; thus it is necessary for this priest also to have something to offer. <sup>4</sup> Now if he were on earth, he would not be a priest at all, since there are priests who offer gifts according to the law. <sup>5</sup> They serve a copy and shadow of the heavenly things. For when Moses was about to erect the tent, he was instructed by God, saying, "See that you make everything according to the pattern that was shown you on the mountain." <sup>6</sup> But as it is, Christ has obtained a ministry that is as much more excellent than the old as the covenant he mediates is better, since it is enacted on better promises. <sup>7</sup> For if that first covenant had been faultless, there would have been no occasion to look for a second. <sup>8</sup> For he finds fault with them when he says: "Behold, the days are coming, declares the Lord, when I will establish a new covenant with the house of Israel and with the house of Judah, <sup>9</sup> not like the covenant that I made with their fathers on the day when I took them by the hand to bring them out of the land of Egypt. For they did not continue in my covenant, and so I showed no concern for them, declares the Lord. <sup>10</sup> For this is the covenant that I will make with the house of Israel after those days, declares the Lord: I will put my laws into their minds, and write them on their hearts, and I will be their God, and they shall be my people. <sup>11</sup> And they shall not teach, each one his neighbor and each one his brother, saying, 'Know the Lord,' for they shall all know me, from the least of them to the greatest. <sup>12</sup> For I will be merciful toward their iniquities, and I will remember their sins no more." <sup>13</sup> In speaking of a new covenant, he makes the first one obsolete. And what is becoming obsolete and growing old is ready to vanish away.

**Hebrews 8:1-13**

A Word About Communion at Redeemer:

This is a time for all people to seek the Lord. For Christians, Communion (also called The Lord's Supper or The Eucharist, which means 'thanksgiving') is a time to meet with their Savior by faith, to be strengthened and renewed by Him as they partake of the elements. All baptized Christians who trust in Christ alone as their Savior and Lord, belong to a church that embraces the gospel, are at peace with their fellow neighbor, and seek strength and grace to live more faithfully to Christ, are invited to participate. 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 and to consider more deeply your relationship to Jesus Christ. We also ask that children who have not yet publicly professed their faith in Christ refrain from partaking until doing so.

**The Great Thanksgiving**

Minister: The Lord be with you.

**People: And with your spirit.**

Minister: Lift up your hearts.

**People: We lift them up to the Lord.**

Minister: Let us give thanks to our Lord God.

**People: It is right to give Him thanks and praise.**

Minister: It is indeed good, right, and our delight that we should at all times and in all places give thanks unto You, O Lord, Holy Father, Almighty, Everlasting God. Therefore, with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven we laud and magnify Your glorious Name, evermore praising You and singing:

**All:**

Ho-ly, ho-ly, ho - ly, Ho-ly is the Lord. Ho-ly, ho-ly, ho - ly,  
 Ho-ly is the Lord. Ho-ly is the Fa - ther, Ho-ly is the Son,  
 Ho-ly is the Spir - it; Bless-ed Three in One. Ho-ly, ho-ly, ho - ly,  
 Ho-ly is the Lord. Ho-ly, ho-ly, ho - ly, Ho-ly is the Lord.

*Music by Franz Schubert; Arranged by Tom Fette*

## Prayer of Consecration

### Words of Institution

Minister: Let us proclaim the mystery of the faith:

**All: Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again! Hallelujah!**

Minister: The Gifts of God for the People of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

### Holy Communion

Upon usher's direction, starting front to back, please exit and form a line in front of your section. Return to your seat using the opposite aisle from which you exited. After partaking, place your cup in the baskets provided on the aisles. Please use our communion time to sing and/or meditate as communion is being served.

During the distribution of the elements, an elder or pastor of Redeemer is available to pray with you at the rear of the auditorium if you so desire.

### Prayers for Those Not Communing

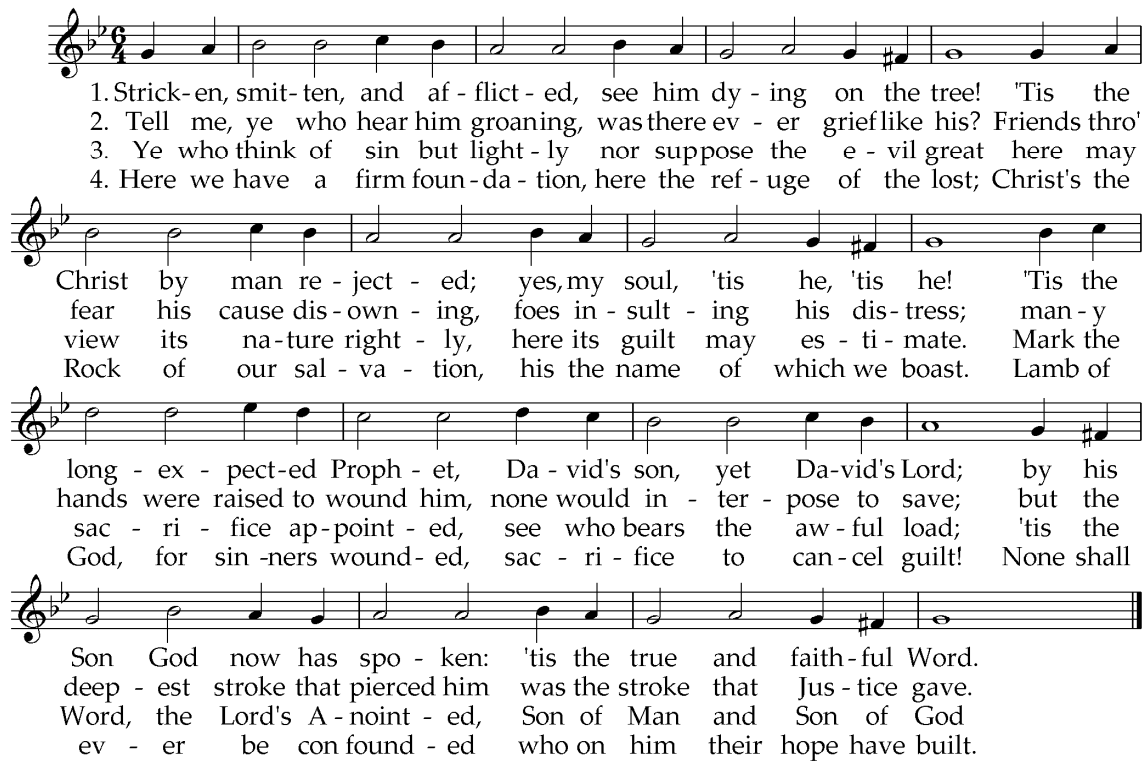
Lord Jesus, you claim to be the way, the truth and the life. If what you claim is true, please guide me, teach me, and open to me the reality of who you are. Grant that I might be undaunted by the cost of following you as I consider the reasons for doing so. Give me an understanding for you that is coherent, convincing, and leads to the life that you promise. Amen. **Prayer of Searching for Truth**

Lord, Jesus, I admit that I am weaker and more sinful than I ever before believed, but through you, I am more loved and accepted than I ever dared to hope. I thank you for paying my debt, bearing my punishment on the cross and offering forgiveness and new life. Knowing that you have been raised from the dead, I turn from my sins and receive you as my savior. Amen. **Prayer of Believing on Jesus**

Lord, Jesus, grant that I may see in you the fulfillment of all my needs, and may turn from every false satisfaction to feed on you, the true and living bread. Enable me to lay aside the sin that clings so closely to me, and run with perseverance the race that you have set before me, looking only to you, the pioneer and champion of my faith. Amen. **Prayer of Struggling Against Sin**

## Songs of Communion

### Stricken, Smitten, and Afflicted



1. Strick-en, smit-ten, and af-flict-ed, see him dy-ing on the tree! 'Tis the  
2. Tell me, ye who hear him groaning, was there ev-er grieflike his? Friends thro'  
3. Ye who think of sin but light-ly nor suppose the e-vil great here may  
4. Here we have a firm foun-da-tion, here the ref-u-ge of the lost; Christ's the  
Christ by man re-ject-ed; yes, my soul, 'tis he, 'tis he! 'Tis the  
fear his cause dis-own-ing, foes in-sult-ing his dis-tress; man-y  
view its na-ture right-ly, here its guilt may es-ti-mate. Mark the  
Rock of our sal-va-tion, his the name of which we boast. Lamb of  
long-ex-pect-ed Proph-et, Da-vid's son, yet Da-vid's Lord; by his  
hands were raised to wound him, none would in-ter-pose to save; but the  
sac-ri-fice ap-point-ed, see who bears the aw-ful load; 'tis the  
God, for sin-ners wound-ed, sac-ri-fice to can-cel guilt! None shall  
Son God now has spo-ken: 'tis the true and faith-ful Word.  
deep-est stroke that pierced him was the stroke that Jus-tice gave.  
Word, the Lord's A-noint-ed, Son of Man and Son of God  
ev-er be con-found-ed who on him their hope have built.

Words by Thomas Kelly; Tune: O Mein Jesu, Ich Muss Sterben

Only in God Is My Soul at Rest

Only in God is my soul at rest, in him comes my salvation.  
He only is my Rock, my strength and my salvation.

My stronghold, my Savior, I shall not be afraid at all.  
My stronghold, my Savior, I shall not be moved.

Only in God is found safety when enemies pursue me.  
Only in God is found glory, when I am found meek and found lowly.

My stronghold, my savior, I shall not be afraid at all.  
My stronghold, my Savior, I shall not be moved. (repeat)

Only in God is my soul at rest, in him comes my salvation.

*Words from Psalm 62; music by John Michael Talbot*

## Lift High the Cross

Lift high the cross, the love of Christ pro-claim, till  
all the world a-dore his sa-cred name.

1. Come, brethren fol-low where our Sav-ior trod, our  
2. Led on their way by this tri-um-phant sign, the  
3. O Lord, once lift-ed on the glo-rious tree, as  
4. Thy king-dom come, that earth's de-spair may cease be-  
5. For thy blest cross which doth for us a-tone, cre **D.C.**

King vic-tor-ious, Christ, the Son of God.  
hosts of God in con-quer-ing ranks com-bine.  
thou hast prom-ised, draw men un-to thee.  
neath the shad-ow of its heal-ing peace.  
a- tion's prais-es rise be-fore thy throne.

*Words George W. Kitchin; Music by Sydney H. Nicholson*

The Offering

Hymn of Blessing

Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee



1. Joy - ful, joy - ful, we a - dore Thee, God of glo - ry, Lord of love;  
2. All Thy works with joy sur-round Thee, earth and heaven re - flect Thy rays,  
3. Thou art giv - ing and for - giv - ing, ev - er bless - ing, ev - er blessed,  
4. Mor - tals, join the hap - py cho - rus, which the morn - ing stars be - gan;



Hear - ts un - fold like flowers be - fore thee, o - pening to the sun a - bove.  
Stars and an - gels sing a - round Thee, cen - ter of un - broken praise.  
Well - spring of the joy of liv - ing, o - cean depth of hap - py rest!  
Fa - ther love is reign - ing o'er us, bro - ther love binds man to man.



Melt the clouds of sin and sad - ness; drive the dark of doubt a - way;  
Field and for - est, vale and moun - tain, flow - ery mead - ow, flash - ing sea,  
Thou our Fa - ther, Christ our Bro - ther, all who live in love are Thine;  
Ev - er sing - ing, march we on - ward, vic - tors in the midst of strife,



Giv - er of im - mor - tal glad - ness, fill us with the light of day!  
Sing - ing bird and flow - ing foun - tain call us to re - joice in Thee.  
Teach us how to love each o - ther, lift us to the joy di - vine.  
Joy - ful mu - sic leads us Sun - ward in the tri - umph song of life.

Words by Henry J. van Dyke; Music by L.V. Beethoven

**\*Benediction**

Mr. Gibbs

Minister: To him who is able to keep you from falling and to present you before his glorious presence without fault and with great joy—to the only God, our Savior, be glory, majesty, power and authority, through Jesus Christ, our Lord, and before all ages now and forevermore!

**Postlude**

*\*The Congregation Stands*

*Senior Pastor: Rev. Thomas C. Gibbs  
Associate Pastor: Rev. Brandon S. Eggar  
Assistant Pastor: Rev. Victor R. Martinez  
Director of Music Ministries: Dr. Brent M. Watkins*

*Musicians: Brent Watkins, piano;  
Rob Eller, trumpet; Michael Flexsenhar, guitar; Michael Shay, trombone; Becca Shudak, cello  
Song Leaders: Michael Flexsenhar, Sarah Gill*

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## Serving Today

*Worship Set-up/Take Down:* Jason Smith, Marshall White, Manny Alariz, Sam Berenguer, Reeves Hollimon  
*Greeters:* Jeremy Whitley, Kendall Proctor, Jason & Kacey Register, John Richardson, Larry & Brandi Rickels, Teresa Rivera  
*Communion Set-up/Take Down:* Larry Watford, Elizabeth Bright, Mary Williams  
*Nursery Set-up/Take Down:* Larry Rickels, Kent Harbaugh *CE Hour Nursery:* Marc & Trisha Hadler  
*Itty Bitty Babies:* Jill Higey; *Crawlers:* Jason & Lizette Crosson  
*Younger Toddlers:* Nick & Heather Schulte *Older Toddlers:* Jessica & Nicole Castano  
*Training in the Pews:* Brandon Eggar, Royce & Lauren Itschner  
*Cookies:* Lisa Morales, Byra Ramsey, Neeceia Eggar

## Serving Next Week

*Worship Set-up/Take Down:* Jason Smith, Rob Bondurant, Jeff Brouillard, Steve Browne, Reeves Hollimon  
*Greeters:* Jeremy Whitley, Kendall Proctor, Jason & Kacey Register, John Richardson, Larry & Brandi Rickels, Teresa Rivera  
*Communion Set-up/Take Down:* Ann Bingham/Byra Ramsey, Marissa Bondurant, Mary Williams  
*Nursery Set-up/Take Down:* Larry Rickels, Laxton Family *CE Hour Nursery:* Dan & Harriet Peavy  
*Itty Bitty Babies:* Michael & Lisa Shay; *Crawlers:* Ben & Rebekah Cairns  
*Younger Toddlers:* Barry & Rhonda Laxton *Older Toddlers:* Curtis & Marian Castleberry  
*Training in the Pews:* Quincy & Anne Davidson, Jason & Kacey Register  
*Cookies:* Rhonda Laxton, Lizette Crosson

## Redeemer Staff

Tom Gibbs, Senior Pastor  
Brandon Eggar, Associate Pastor  
Victor Martinez, Assistant Pastor  
Michael Novak, RUF Pastor at Trinity  
Brent Watkins, Music Ministries Director  
Jill Higey, Children's Ministries Director  
Matt Beham, Youth Director  
Harriet Peavy, Office Administrator  
Sarah Gill, Assistant Administrator

## Session

Josh Alley, RE  
John Browning, RE  
Brandon Eggar, TE, Clerk  
Tom Gibbs, TE, Moderator  
Jeff Judson, RE  
Jason Register, RE  
Jason Smith, RE

## Diaconate

Ben Bingham  
Wes Bright, Chairman  
Craig Goedecke  
Ken Harrison  
Henry Sauer  
Jeremy Whitley

## Stewardship Corner

Actual Giving (YTD)	\$229,787
Budgeted Expenses (YTD)	\$214,619
Actual Expenses (YTD)	\$218,130
Actual Ahead (Behind)	\$ 11,657

YTD includes all activity for the fiscal year, which begins January 1.

## For Your Information ...

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**Redeemer Presbyterian Church** is a congregation of the Presbyterian Church in America (PCA) and a member of South Texas Presbytery. For more information about Redeemer Church visit: [www.redeemersa.org](http://www.redeemersa.org). For more information about the Presbyterian Church in America visit: [www.pcanet.org](http://www.pcanet.org).

**Guests!** We are especially glad that you have chosen to worship with us this morning. It is our hope that worship is an encouragement to you and that you will have opportunity to return soon. Give us an opportunity to meet you today and introduce ourselves by staying around for coffee in the foyer after the service. Also, please assist us by **filling out the Guest Pad** when it is passed during worship.

**Welcome Station:** Located in the foyer, our Welcome Station is designed to assist you in understanding the ministry of Redeemer. Please help yourself to the Continuing Vision of Redeemer Presbyterian Church document, our newsletter, the Kerygma (pronounced ke-rîg'me), and other materials.

**Pastor's Forum:** This is an opportunity to ask the pastor questions regarding the sermon, about Redeemer Presbyterian Church and the PCA, as well as other questions concerning the Christian life.

**Community Groups:** Community Groups are fellowships of twelve to twenty people meeting every other week in homes throughout San Antonio. They are the first place where we hope our people turn for applying the gospel to their lives. To find a Community Group, please contact Brandon Eggar at 930-4480, or visit our website, [www.redeemersa.org](http://www.redeemersa.org), under Ministries, then Community Groups, to find information on locations and leaders and fill out the online registration form.

## Sunday Schedule

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9:15-9:25 a.m. **Prayer**  
9:30-10:55 a.m. **Worship**  
11:15 a.m. **Christian Education**

## Nurseries

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Redeemer offers fully staffed nurseries for children ages 3 months to 3 years of age. Redeemer encourages parents to utilize our *Training in the Pews* children's worship time in the cafeteria during each service to better prepare your children, ages 3-5, for worship. All nurseries are at the East end of Edison High School. Room numbers are listed below.

**1116—Nursing Mothers**  
**1119—Itty Bitty Babies:** 3-7 mos.  
**1119—Crawlers:** 8-12 mos.  
**1113—Cruisers & Climbers:** 13-18 mos.  
**1120—Younger Toddler:** 19-27 mos.  
**1122—Older Toddler:** 28– 36 mos.  
**Cafeteria—Training the Pews:** 3-5 yrs.

## Christian Education

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**1122—Toddler I** (age 2)  
**1120—Toddler II** (age 3)  
**1200—Pre K- K** (age 4-5)  
**1202—Primary I** (ages 6-7)  
**1213—Primary II** (ages 8-9)  
**1215—Junior** (ages 10-11)  
**1221—Jr. High Youth** (6<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup>)  
**1219—Sr. High Youth** (9<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup>)  
**1217—Colossians Study** (All ages)  
**Cafeteria—Pastor's Forum** (All ages)