



Redeemer

PRESBYTERIAN
CHURCH

Welcome to Redeemer!

A NOTE TO VISITORS

We want to welcome you to the church! Please stop by the welcome table in the north entrance so we can introduce ourselves to you.

Text **RPCinfo** to **55498** to fill out a visitor card and/or receive more information about Redeemer! Paper visitor cards are also available in your seats and at both entrances.

Bibles are available in each seating area for your use during the service.

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A NOTE TO PARENTS

We believe, because of the promises of God, that our children are as much a part of the church as everyone else. Therefore, we desire that they would participate in worship along with their families as much as they are able.

We completely understand that kids can get noisy and squirmy during corporate worship. Parents have all experienced the blessed struggle of training our children to participate in worship. We understand the challenges of getting children accustomed to being in the service the whole time and want to assist you in helping your children learn to participate in a meaningful way. Children of all ages are always welcome in the worship service.

Nurseries | Available during the worship service for infants and toddlers ages 2 months to 3 years. Nurseries are located in the northeast corner of the building.

Children's Worship | Available every Sunday during the sermon. Children age 4 through the end of kindergarten may attend *Training in the Pews* children's worship.

Nursing Mom's Room | Located near the west entrance

We'd love to get to know you!
Text **RPCinfo** to **55498**

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Redeemer Presbyterian Church
is a missional *community*
moved by the *grace*
of the *Redeemer*, Jesus Christ,
to *worship* and *know* God
and to *love* and *serve* our *neighbors*
in *Temple* and *beyond*.
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As you find your seat, please
move toward the center of your
section, leaving the aisle seats
for those coming in after you.

Thank you.



Redeemer Presbyterian Church is affiliated with
the Presbyterian Church in America (PCA).

ORDER OF WORSHIP

The Thirteenth Sunday after Pentecost

August 27, 2023 | 10:00 am

*In consideration
of other
worshippers,
please program
all mobile
phones and
electronic
devices to silent
or vibrate mode
for the duration
of the service.*

PRELUDE

WELCOME

Dr. Ken Smith

MEDITATION AND PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP

“First, we need to relinquish our tendency to think of baptism “expressively.” Baptism isn’t primarily a way for us to show our faith and devotion. As with worship more generally, God is the agent here. Baptism is a sacrament precisely because it is a means of grace, a way that God’s gracious initiative marks and seals us. It is the sign that God is a covenant-keeping Lord who fulfills his promises even when we don’t. This is why, since the time of the early church, households have been baptized (Acts 16:33; 1 Cor. 1:16), and it is why, historically in “catholic” Christianity, believing parents present their children for baptism. As a sacrament, baptism is not a bottom-up expression of our faith but a top-down symbol of God’s gracious promises. He chose us before we could believe; he loves before we even know how.”

—James K. A. Smith, *You Are What You Love* (pp. 114-15)

SCRIPTURE FOR MEMORIZATION

1 Peter 1:3 (ESV)

³ Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ! According to his great mercy, he has caused us to be born again to a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead...

ADVENT CALENDAR

CHRISTMAS The word ‘Pentecost’ comes from the Greek meaning simply ‘fiftieth’. Pentecost Sunday ends the season of Easter and symbolizes a new beginning. It celebrates the unleashing of the Holy Spirit on the world and the empowering of the church to reach the world with the gospel. In remembering Pentecost and living in light of this powerful turning point the church expresses gratitude to Christ for sending “another counselor” (John 14:16), celebrates the work of the Spirit in the renewal of all creation, and professes its confidence and security in knowing the Spirit’s power is available for its mission.

EPIPHANY

LENT

EASTER

PENTECOST

God's Supremacy

Please stand.

CALL TO WORSHIP

Dr. Ken Smith

The call to worship establishes the lines of communication in worship. God always comes to us before we come to God. Biblical worship is a response to God's gracious revelation of himself to his people.

1 Chronicles 16:23-26

Leader: "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!
For great is the LORD, and greatly to be praised,
and he is to be feared above all gods.

**All: For all the gods of the peoples are worthless idols,
but the LORD made the heavens."**

*Bold text is read together by the congregation.
Plain text is read by the leader.
Responsive readings remind us that during corporate worship God speaks to his people and we respond together as a community.*

God's Supremacy

SONG OF ADORATION

All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name!

Coronation

1. All hail the power of Jesus' name!
Let angels prostrate fall;
Bring forth the royal diadem,
And crown Him Lord of all.
Bring forth the royal diadem,
And crown Him Lord of all.

2. Ye chosen seed of Israel's race,
Ye ransomed from the fall,
Hail Him Who saves you by His grace,
And crown Him Lord of all.
Hail Him Who saves you by His grace,
And crown Him Lord of all.

3. Let every kindred, every tribe,
On this terrestrial ball,
To Him all majesty ascribe,
And crown Him Lord of all.
To Him all majesty ascribe,
And crown Him Lord of all.

4. O that with yonder sacred throng
We at His feet may fall;
We'll join the everlasting song,
And crown Him Lord of all.
We'll join the everlasting song,
And crown Him Lord of all.

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God's Supremacy

PRAYER OF INVOCATION

Dr. Ken Smith

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

Dr. Ken Smith

The New City Catechism Q/A #12

Leader: What does God require in the ninth and tenth commandments?

All: *Ninth, that we do not lie or deceive,
but speak the truth in love.
Tenth, that we are content,
not envying anyone
or resenting what God has given them or us.*

**Children's
answers are in
italics.*

God's Supremacy

DOXOLOGY

Doxology

Laast Uns Efreuen

Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise him, all creatures here below:
Alleluia, alleluia!
Praise him above, ye heav'nly host,
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost:
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

God's Renewal

Please be seated.

THE LAW OF GOD

Dr. Ken Smith

Deuteronomy 5:6, 11

The Law of God invites us to confession of sin within the context of our covenant relationship with God, a relationship in which honesty about our sin is welcome and safe. We confess together, in community, before a gracious God who has given us himself. Confession both acknowledges our need for mercy and celebrates its abundance in Christ.

Leader: ““I am the LORD your God, who brought you out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of slavery. . . .

“You shall not take the name of the LORD your God in vain, for the LORD will not hold him guiltless who takes his name in vain.”

God's Renewal

*This is a time
of community
prayer and
holy silence.
Please use this
time to slow
down, pray, and
reflect on your
relationship
with God and
your neighbor.
Worshippers
may choose to
kneel or remain
seated during
this time.*

CORPORATE CONFESSION OF SIN

**All: Holy and merciful Lord,
I have sinned times without number,
and been guilty of pride and unbelief,
and of neglect to seek you in my daily life.
My sins and shortcomings present me
with a list of accusations,
but I thank you that they will not stand against me,
for all have been laid on Christ.
Deliver me from every evil habit,
every interest of former sins,
everything that dims the brightness of your grace in me,
everything that prevents me taking delight in you.
Amen.**

SILENT CONFESSION OF SIN

ASSURANCE OF PARDON AND COMFORT

Rev. JB Wilbanks

Micah 7:18-19

Minister: *For all who have confessed their sins and have fled to Christ for mercy, hear this word of assurance:*

“Who is a God like you, pardoning iniquity and passing over transgression for the remnant of his inheritance? He does not retain his anger forever, because he delights in steadfast love. He will again have compassion on us; he will tread our iniquities underfoot. You will cast all our sins into the depths of the sea.”

Please stand
for the Song of
Assurance.

God's Grace

SONG OF ASSURANCE

Come Behold the Wondrous Mystery

1. Come behold the wondrous mystery
In the dawning of the King
He the theme of heaven's praises
Robed in frail humanity
In our longing in our darkness
Now the light of life has come
Look to Christ who condescended
Took on flesh to ransom us

2. Come behold the wondrous mystery
He the perfect Son of Man
In His living in His suff'ring
Never trace nor stain of sin
See the true and better Adam
Come to save the hell-bound man
Christ the great and sure fulfillment
Of the law in Him we stand

3. Come behold the wondrous mystery
Christ the Lord upon the tree
In the stead of ruined sinners
Hangs the Lamb in victory
See the price of our redemption
See the Father's plan unfold
Bringing many sons to glory
Grace unmeasured love untold

4. Come behold the wondrous mystery
Slain by death the God of life
But no grave could e'er restrain Him
Praise the Lord He is alive
What a foretaste of deliv'rance
How unwavering our hope
Christ in power resurrected
As we will be when He comes

"Lectio Sacra" means "sacred reading." It has been the practice of the church for thousands of years to have portions of the Bible read during worship services. The assumption behind this practice is that we are people who need to be shaped by all of God's Word.

Please be seated.

SCRIPTURE READING

Mrs. Natacha Liang

Exodus 1:8-2:10

Reader: The Word of the Lord!

People: Thanks be to God!

EXTENDING THE REDEEMER'S MISSION

Mrs. Kimberly McKee

"Behind the Scenes" Ministry Opportunities

PASTORAL PRAYER

Mr. Doug Smith

SILENT PRAYERS OF THANKSGIVING AND PETITION

Each week, we pray for the people around us and in the world as a way to serve them according to God's will. You are welcome to sit or kneel as we pray. If you have children, please feel free to use this time to teach them to pray.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

**All: 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 debts, as we forgive our debtors.
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever.
Amen.**

God's Grace

At the parents' discretion, children age 4 through the end of kindergarten may attend Training in the Pews Children's Worship. Children meet at the front entrance of the sanctuary during the Greeting of Peace to be escorted by volunteers to their classroom. The pastor will invite you to pick up your child in the narthex after the offertory prayer.

THE GREETING OF PEACE

Leader: 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!**

Please stand.

SCRIPTURE READING

text on page 14

Please be seated.

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

The Spirit makes the reading and preaching of God's Word a powerful means of nourishing and comforting God's people, and awakening people to new faith.

THE SERMON

1 Peter 2:1-12

From Darkness Into Marvelous Light

Rev. JB Wilbanks

*The Word of
God is the chief
and final means
through which
God speaks to
us; the principal
and most direct
way we hear
from God in
worship.*

1 PETER 2:1-12

¹ So put away all malice and all deceit and hypocrisy and envy and all slander. ² Like newborn infants, long for the pure spiritual milk, that by it you may grow up into salvation— ³ if indeed you have tasted that the Lord is good.

⁴ As you come to him, a living stone rejected by men but in the sight of God chosen and precious, ⁵ you yourselves like living stones are being built up as a spiritual house, to be a holy priesthood, to offer spiritual sacrifices acceptable to God through Jesus Christ. ⁶ For it stands in Scripture:

“Behold, I am laying in Zion a stone,
a cornerstone chosen and precious,
and whoever believes in him will not be put to shame.”

⁷ So the honor is for you who believe, but for those who do not believe,

“The stone that the builders rejected
has become the cornerstone,”

⁸ and

“A stone of stumbling,
and a rock of offense.”

They stumble because they disobey the word, as they were destined to do.

⁹ But you are a chosen race, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, a people for his own possession, that you may proclaim the excellencies of him who called you out of darkness into his marvelous light. ¹⁰ Once you were not a people, but now you are God's people; once you had not received mercy, but now you have received mercy.

¹¹ Beloved, I urge you as sojourners and exiles to abstain from the passions of the flesh, which wage war against your soul. ¹² Keep your conduct among the Gentiles honorable, so that when they speak against you as evildoers, they may see your good deeds and glorify God on the day of visitation.

Minister: The Word of the Lord!

People: Thanks be to God!

SERMON NOTES

Sursum Corda
is Latin for "lift
up your hearts."

*One of the
oldest liturgical
pieces still in
use, it calls us
to be heavenly
minded and
summons us
into the Lord's
presence. Along
with the voices
around you,
hear the echo
of 2000 years
of worshiping
Christians who
have gone
before.*

PREPARING OUR HEARTS TO BE FED

Rev. JB Wilbanks

The Great Thanksgiving

Sursum Corda

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 saying:

**All: Holy, holy, holy, Lord God of Hosts:
Heaven and earth are full of Your glory.
Glory be to You, O Lord Most High!**

PRAYER OF CONSECRATION

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

WORDS OF RESPONSE

Minister: Let us proclaim the mystery of the faith:

People: Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again!

Minister: Christ our Passover has been sacrificed for us.

People: Therefore, let us keep the feast.

Minister: The gifts of God for the people of God. Come, take them in remembrance that Christ died for you, and feed on Him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

All: Hallelujah!

THE OFFERING

Minister: What do you have that you did not receive?

Let us pray. All things, all gifts, come from you, O God and should be received with gratitude. In gratitude we now return to you what is yours. Receive these tithes and offerings, our tangible expressions of love and gratitude. Amen.

“For you know the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, that though he was rich, yet for your sake he became poor, so that you by his poverty might become rich.”

2 Corinthians 8:9 (ESV)

*All we have
is given to
us by God.
Our offerings
express
this joyful
dependence
and our
commitment to
join God in his
work of renewal.*

In response to God's grace to us through the death and resurrection of Jesus Christ, we bring gifts and offerings to the Lord with thanksgiving and joy. Worshippers may place their gifts in the offering box at the back as they return to their seats. You may also give by texting any dollar amount to 84321, through the Church Center app, or at <https://redeemerprestemple.churchcenter.com/giving>

CELEBRATION OF HOLY COMMUNION

This is a time for all of us 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 eat bread and drink wine. The Lord's Supper is a joyful celebration in which the family of God together delights in the presence and salvation of their Redeemer King. 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 neighbor, and seek strength 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 would love to pray with and for you during this time and there will be someone stationed at the front of the sanctuary at both side walls to do so. Please let us know if there is something specific you would like us to pray for.

A Word to Parents

Children are invited to come forward, either to receive communion or a prayer of blessing. To receive communion, a child must have been baptized, publicly professed their faith in Christ, and been formally received as a communing member by the Session (elders) of this church or the governing body of the church to which you belong. If your children will not be receiving communion, please instruct them to come forward with their arms crossed to receive a prayer of blessing. We look forward to welcoming your children to the table and ask that you speak with the pastor when you believe your child is ready to begin the process.

Directions for Participating in Communion

*If you are participating, when you are ready, please join the line coming down the center aisle. You will make your way past the servers at the front to receive the elements. Then, please return to your seat by way of the side aisles and hallway. If you wish to bring an offering to the Lord, please place it in the box at the back of the room as you return to your seat. We use wine in communion. Individual cups are available in the trays, with **grape juice** in the middle ring in the **purple cups** which may be requested by those who desire it. A **gluten-free cracker** is available upon request for those unable to eat the bread due to allergies.*

PRAYER FOR RECEIVING COMMUNION

Lord Jesus, your perfect life, death, and resurrection are the source of all blessing in this life and the life to come. As I eat this bread and drink this cup, renew me in the joy and glory of knowing and serving you. I come to this table on the basis of your merit only and not my own. As you have completely and fully offered yourself for me, I now completely and fully offer myself to you as a living sacrifice. Amen.

PRAYERS FOR THOSE NOT COMMUNING

Because Redeemer is a church that is not only for convinced Christians, but also for people at different stages in their spiritual journey, we gladly extend room for you to process, think, and dialogue. Use the prayers provided below as guides to reflect upon and respond to what God is doing in your life.

Prayer for Those Searching for Truth

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 of you that is coherent, convincing, and that leads to the life that you promise. Amen.

Prayer of Belief

Lord Jesus Christ, 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 and Lord. Amen.

Prayer for Those Struggling with Sin

Lord Jesus, grant that I may see in you the fulfillment of all my need, 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 perfecter of my faith. Amen.

Prayer of Commitment

Lord Jesus, you have called us to follow you in baptism and in a life of committed discipleship in your church. Grant that I may take the necessary steps to be one with your people, and live in the fullness of your Spirit. Amen.

God's Grace

COMMUNION SONG

Did Christ Over Sinners Weep

1. Did Christ over sinners weep,
And shall our cheeks be dry?
Let floods of penitential grief,
Burst forth from every eye.
Burst forth from every eye.

Chorus:

Behold the Son of God in tears,
The angels wondering see.
Hast thou no wonder, O my soul?
He shed those tears for thee!

2. He wept that we might weep,
Might weep over sin and shame.
He wept to show His love for us,
And bid us love the same.
And bid us love the same.

Chorus

3. Then tender be our hearts,
Our eyes in sorrow dim,
Til every tear from every eye,
Be wiped away by Him.
Be wiped away by Him.
Be wiped away by Him.

Chorus

God's Grace

COMMUNION SONG

In Christ Alone

1. In Christ alone my hope is found,
He is my light, my strength, my song;
This cornerstone, this solid ground,
firm through the fiercest drought and storm.
What heights of love, what depths of peace,
when fears are stilled, when strivings cease!
My comforter, my all in all,
here in the love of Christ I stand.

2. In Christ alone! Who took on flesh;
Fulness of God in helpless babe!
This gift of love and righteousness,
scorned by the ones He came to save;
'Til on that cross as Jesus died,
the wrath of God was satisfied;
for ev'ry sin on Him was laid;
Here in the death of Christ I live.

3. There in the ground His body lay,
Light of the world by darkness slain;
Then bursting forth in glorious Day,
up from the grave He rose again!
And as He stands in victory,
sin's curse has lost it's grip on me;
For I am His and He is mine-
bought with the precious blood of Christ.

4. No guilt in life, no fear in death-
This is the pow'r of Christ in me;
From life's first cry to final breath,
Jesus commands my destiny.
No pow'r of hell, no scheme of man,
can ever pluck me from His hand;
'Til He returns or calls me home,
here in the pow'r of Christ I'll stand.

God's Blessing

SONG OF BLESSING AND SENDING

And Can It Be

1. And can it be that I should gain
An interest in the Savior's blood?
Died He for me who caused His pain!
For me who Him to death pursued?
Amazing love! How can it be
That Thou, my God, should die for me?

Chorus:

Amazing love! How can it be
That Thou, my God, should die for me!
Amazing love! How can it be
That Thou, my God, should die for me!

2. He left His Father's throne above,
So free, so infinite His grace!
Emptied Himself of all but love,
And bled for Adam's helpless race.
'Tis mercy all, immense and free,
For O my God, it found out me!

Chorus

3. Long my imprisoned spirit lay,
Fast bound in sin and nature's night;
Thine eye diffused a quickening ray;
I woke, the dungeon flamed with light;
My chains fell off, my heart was free,
I rose, went forth, and followed Thee.

Chorus

4. No condemnation now I dread;
Jesus, and all in Him, is mine;
Alive in Him, my living Head,
And clothed in righteousness divine,
Bold I approach the eternal throne,
And claim the crown, through Christ my own.

Chorus

God's Blessing

Please stand.

BENEDICTION

Rev. JB Wilbanks

*Just as we
begin with with
God's gracious
invitation, so
we end with
God's promise
to always be
with us.*

2 Corinthians 13:14

Minister: "The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ and the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all."

*It is appropriate
to lift our heads
as a symbol
that through
Christ God
graciously lifts
our head, and
we hold out our
hands palms
up to symbolize
our need and
eagerness to
receive God's
blessing.*

ANNOUNCEMENTS

POSTLUDE

FOLLOWING THE SERVICE | *All are invited to join us for coffee, donuts, and conversation.*

WEEKLY PRAYER GUIDE

We are praying that God would do mighty, transforming works in our hearts, in our families, in our church, in our city, and in our world. Here are some categories which we use to pray during our corporate worship services. You are encouraged to use this list at home during your private and family worship times to help you join with Redeemer as we together petition our Father, asking that his Kingdom would come in ever greater measure.

GROWTH IN THE GOSPEL OF GRACE | *for spiritual growth as individuals and as a church*

LOCAL MISSION | *for the work of the Gospel in Temple*

GLOBAL MISSION | *for God's work around the world*

STATE/SOCIETY/WORLD | *for civil authorities and Christians' witness in the world*

SPECIAL CARE | *for people who are sick or in other need*

VISION | *for God to build his Church*

PRAYER AND PHYSICAL NEEDS

If you would like someone to pray for or with you, please consider contacting one of our elders (info on next page). They would love to talk with you and pray for you. We also hope you will join a Community Group to build relationships with people who know you and pray for you on a regular basis. If you have physical or material needs, please contact our deacon team at deaconteam@redeemerprestemple.org

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Redeemer's Deacon Team is comprised of deacons, as well as men and women deacon assistants who are appointed by the Session to assist the deacons in caring for those who are in distress or need.

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FINANCIAL GIVING REPORT

Thank you for your faithful and generous giving to Jesus' mission through Redeemer!

	INCOME*	BUDGETED EXPENSES	ACTUAL EXPENSES*	ACTUAL VARIANCE
2023 Jan-Jul	\$346,109.82	\$360,388.00	\$288,754.67	\$57,355.15
2023 July	\$47,219.39	\$51,484.00	\$37,107.66	\$10,111.73
2023 June	\$40,297.08	\$51,484.00	\$36,958.54	\$3,338.54
2023 May	\$42,586.30	\$51,484.00	\$33,736.98	\$8,849.32

**These include all funds and operating expenses except income and expenses in the designated building fund.*

EVENTS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Subscribe to our weekly news email! Contact us at office@redeemerprestemple.org to be added.

FALL MINISTRY LAUNCH TODAY | Meet some of our ministry leaders, find an opportunity to serve, and sign up for a community group today after the service in the lower level! Breakfast tacos provided.

PREVIEW TO REDEEMER | Are you new to Redeemer? We'd love to get to know you! Stop by the annex directly after the worship service September 3 for a chance to meet church leadership and ask any questions you may have about involvement at Redeemer.

WOMEN'S BACK TO SCHOOL EVENT | Join us for an evening of fellowship and prayer as we start a new school year! Thursday, August 31 at 7pm at Brittany Norman's home (618 N 13th St, Temple). Bring an appetizer or drink to share. RSVP using the code below.

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY STARTS SEPTEMBER 6 | Groups will meet Wednesdays 6:30-7:30pm (9/6-10/18) and Fridays 9:30-10:30am (9/8-10/20) to study the book of Lamentations. Childcare is available Friday mornings. Sign up using the code below.

CAPITAL CAMPAIGN | We're in the middle of a capital campaign with the goal of paying off our mortgage principal. As of Aug. 10, \$124,014 has been given to the Building Fund mortgage paydown, leaving our amount owed at \$314,662. To give, submit a check designated for the Building Fund or designate a Church Center transfer for the Building Fund. More info, including our reasoning for the campaign, is linked below.

UPCOMING EVENTS

August 27 Fall Ministry Launch

August 31 Women's Event

September 3 Preview to Redeemer

September 7 Men's Pub Night

September 8 Women's Bible Study begins meeting

September 10 Sunday School starts

September 12 Prime Time Fellowship (55+)

September 17 Anniversary Party

September 17 First week of Community Groups



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