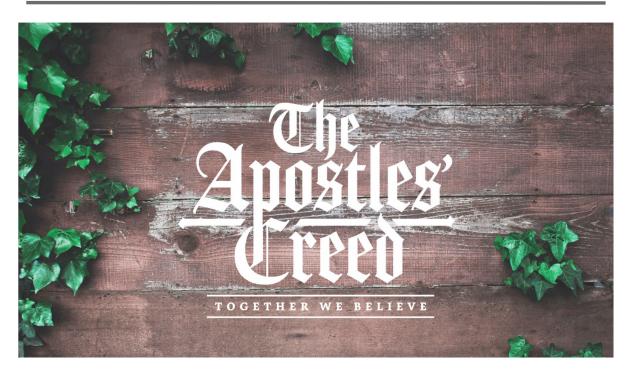
August 6, 2017 – Ninth Sunday after Pentecost



Songs of Gathering and Preparation

We prepare our hearts, and bodies for worship by singing about the God we serve.

You are Welcome Here God is Able

Call to Worship

We read God's Word, the Bible, together. It reminds us of who God is and what He expects from us.

42 Behold my servant, whom I uphold, my chosen, in whom my soul delights; I have put my Spirit upon him; he will bring forth justice to the nations. 2 He will not cry aloud or lift up his voice, or make it heard in the street; 3 a bruised reed he will not break, and a faintly burning wick he will not quench; he will faithfully bring forth justice. 4 He will not grow faint or be discouraged till he has established justice in the earth; and the coastlands wait for his law. 5 Thus says God, the Lord, who created the heavens and stretched them out, who spread out the earth and what comes from it, who gives breath to the people on it and spirit to those who walk in it: 6 "I am the Lord; I have called you in righteousness; I will take you by the hand and keep you; I will give you as a covenant for the people, a light for the nations,

7 to open the eyes that are blind, to bring out the prisoners from the dungeon, from the prison those who sit in darkness. 8 I am the Lord; that is my name; my glory I give to no other, nor my praise to carved idols. 9 Behold, the former things have come to pass, and new things I now declare; before they spring forth I tell you of them." (Isaiah 42.1-9, ESV)

Prayer of Adoration and Confession

We pray together, praising God for who He really is (Adoration) and admitting our inability to live up to what He expects of us (Confession).

Song of Repentance

In this song of repentance we acknowledge our sin and our need of a Savior.

How Deep

Assurance of Pardon

We read God's Word together and are reminded that grace and mercy are freely given to all who have faith in Jesus Christ.

9 You, however, are not in the flesh but in the Spirit, if in fact the Spirit of God dwells in you. Anyone who does not have the Spirit of Christ does not belong to him. 10 But if Christ is in you, although the body is dead because of sin, the Spirit is life because of righteousness. 11 If the Spirit of him who raised Jesus from the dead dwells in you, he who raised Christ Jesus from the dead will also give life to your mortal bodies through his Spirit who dwells in you. 12 So then, brothers, we are debtors, not to the flesh, to live according to the flesh. 13 For if you live according to the flesh you will die, but if by the Spirit you put to death the deeds of the body, you will live. 14 For all who are led by the Spirit of God are sons of God. 15 For you did not receive the spirit of slavery to fall back into fear, but you have received the Spirit of adoption as sons, by whom we cry, "Abba! Father!" 16 The Spirit himself bears witness with our spirit that we are children of God, 17 and if children, then heirs—heirs of God and fellow heirs with Christ, provided we suffer with him in order that we may also be glorified with him. (Romans 8.9-16, ESV)

Greeting

In Jesus, we have not only been reconciled to God, we have also been reconciled to one another. Therefore, we greet one another as brothers and sisters.

Songs of Praise and Celebration

Our response to God's free grace is celebratory worship. We express our praise to God for who He is and what He has done to save us

Lord I Need You O Come to the Altar

Confession of Faith: The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, and born of the virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead and buried; he descended into hell. The third day he rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From there he will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

Prayer of Thanksgiving & Intercession

We again express in prayer our gratitude to God for what he has done and ask him to continue to act for our good and the good of others in our community and the world.

(Children through kindergarten are dismissed for kid's worship)

Proclamation of God's Word

A small portion of God's Word is explained to us and applied to our own lives.

Lk. 11.9-13; Jn. 14.15-23; Gal. 5.22-23; 2 Cor. 3.17-18 (see insert)

The Sacrament of Communion

The ritual meal of Communion is a sign and seal of the grace we have in Jesus.

Healing in Your Hands

Songs of Response & Sending

We respond to the good news of God's mercy and grace by meditating quietly and by singing again of His goodness and greatness.

Satisfied

Benediction

Because the hand of God's wrath was raised against Jesus, we now receive the hand of God's blessing as we are sent out to live our lives to the glory of God.

May the LORD bless you and keep you;
May the LORD make His face to shine upon you and be gracious to you;
May the LORD turn His face toward you and give you His peace,
Both now and forevermore. Amen.

(There is no offering taken during the service. An offering box is located at the front and the back of the sanctuary.)

Announcements

Greeting this morning is the **Henderson** Community Group.

Elbert Elementary: With the school year right around the corner, there are a number of ways to help our neighbors at Elbert Elementary. For a list of needs from school supplies to school uniforms, visit: redeemerwh.org/elbert. You can place all donations in the drop box in the back of the sanctuary.

Women's Fall Bible Studies: There are two options for the Fall Women's Bible Studies. Both groups will go through "Gospel Love." Monday nights from Sept. 11 — Nov. 13. 6:30-8pm, contact Gigi Savant for more information. Thursday mornings, Sept. 7 — Nov. 16, 9:30-11am, childcare provided, contact Vicky Portlock for more information. You signup at redeemerwh.org/gospellove.

Membership Course: Save the date for the Fall Membership Course. The twopart class will take place **September 17 & 24** after the worship service. Lunch and childcare are provided. Register: redeemerwh.org/RCCmembership.

Get Connected: The best way to stay up-to-date with what's happening at Redeemer is through our online newsletter (bit.do/redeemerwh) and our mobile app (qet.theapp.co/2045).

Community Groups

We also meet during the week in homes for what we call Community Groups. Below is a list of current Redeemer Community Groups and contact information:

"The purpose of Community Groups is to create a community where Jesus Christ is experienced and mutual ministry is enjoyed."

Beatty Group: 2nd/4th Sundays

(863)662-4761| beattyuvalde@aol.com

Bennett Group: 1st/3rd Sundays

(863)326-9358 | bwbennett@tampabay.rr.com

Daniel/Reynolds Group: 1st/3rd Sundays (863)206-8149 | kbd148@aol.com

Diaz Group: 1st/3rd Sundays

(863)529-5350 | chickplum@aol.com

Henderson Group: 1st/3rd Sundays

(863)293-2861 | tammyhenderson@me.com

Lear Group: 1st/3rd Sundays

(863)604-9369 | connie lear@msn.com

Lutz Group: Every Other Thursdays

(407)247-4265 | brandon@redeemerwinterhaven.org

Portlock/Chism Group

(863)289-1516 | vick3663@gmail.com

Pruitt/Nederveld Group: Every Other Sunday (863)280-5768 | cpruittwh@yahoo.com

Sirrine Group: 2nd/4th Sundays (863)956-6245 | sirrine3@msn.com

Smith/Albrecht Group: 1st/3rd Sundays

(863)594-0064 | david@redeemerwinterhaven.org

White Group: 1st/3rd Sundays

(863)557-6180 | whites.acehardware@verizon.net

Winfree Group

(863)605-2363 | winfrees@mac.com