

August 4, 2024 ~ 8:30 am

**CONNECT WITH GOD:** God knows you and wants you to know Him as God and Savior to receive from Him support, guidance, and peace in this life and assurance of an amazing new life after death. All are welcome here. Sunday services are that place where we come to gather and receive direction and grace. We never want to do things within our services just for the sake of doing them. We will do our best to align with Jesus' invitation to worship in "spirit and in truth".

**CONNECT WITH FELLOW BELIEVERS:** As part of our core identity, Redeemer by the Sea is a smaller gathering of people where we are thrilled to be able to get to know each other and care for each other. You will not be able to get "lost in the crowd" here. There are many opportunities to grow spiritually and serve others within the church and we are continually seeking ways to offer effective service to our community and world. If you're ready to know more about these opportunities, contact Kay Boland, in the church office, 760-431-8990 x105, or by email at **kay@redeemerbythesea.org.** 

#### **WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS**



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#### INVOCATION

Pastor: In the name of the Father and of the 

■ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

People: Amen.

#### **CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION**

Pastor: David writes in the one hundred third Psalm, "Praise the Lord, O my

soul, and never forget all the good he has done" and he then proceeds to tell us of the many ways God generously pours out His love and

grace for those who believe in Him:

People: "He is the one who forgives all our sins and heals all our diseases.

He rescues our lives and crowns us with love and compassion."

Pastor: "He fills our lives with blessings and does what is right and fair for all

who are oppressed."

People: "He is gracious, slow to anger and abounding in love"

Pastor: "He has not treated us as our sins deserve or paid us back for our

wrongs."

People: "His love is as high as the heavens"

Pastor: In faith, hear, believe, and receive, these many, beautiful, generous,

gifts God pours out on you, beloved child of God. Not because you

earned them—but because You belong to Him.

People: Amen

**KYRIE** 

Pastor: In peace let us pray to the Lord.

People: Lord, have mercy.

Pastor: For the peace from above and for our salvation let us pray to the

Lord.

People: Lord, have mercy.

Pastor: For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the Church of

God, and for the unity of all let us pray to the Lord.

People: Lord, have mercy.

Pastor: For this holy house and for all who offer here their worship and

praise, let us pray to the Lord.

People: Lord, have mercy.

Pastor: Help, save, comfort, and defend us, gracious Lord.

People: Amen.



#### **COLLECT OF THE DAY**

All: Merciful Father, You gave Your Son Jesus as the heavenly bread of life. Grant us faith to feast on Him in Your Word and Sacraments that we may be nourished unto life everlasting; through the same Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.



- <sup>12</sup> Dear brothers and sisters, honor those who are your leaders in the Lord's work. They work hard among you and give you spiritual guidance. <sup>13</sup> Show them great respect and wholehearted love because of their work. And live peacefully with each other.
- <sup>14</sup> Brothers and sisters, we urge you to warn those who are lazy. Encourage those who are timid. Take tender care of those who are weak. Be patient with everyone.
- <sup>15</sup> See that no one pays back evil for evil, but always try to do good to each other and to all people.
- <sup>16</sup> Always be joyful. <sup>17</sup> Never stop praying. <sup>18</sup> Be thankful in all circumstances, for this is God's will for you who belong to Christ Jesus.
- <sup>19</sup> Do not stifle the Holy Spirit. <sup>20</sup> Do not scoff at prophecies, <sup>21</sup> but test everything that is said. Hold on to what is good. <sup>22</sup> Stay away from every kind of evil.

Reader: This is the word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

#### **NICENE CREED**

I believe in one God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth and 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 men 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 sits at the right hand of the Father. And he will come again with glory to judge both the living and the dead, whose kingdom will have no end.

And I 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 I believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church, I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins, and I look for the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.



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- <sup>4</sup>Love is patient and kind. Love is not jealous or boastful or proud <sup>5</sup> or rude. It does not demand its own way. It is not irritable, and it keeps no record of being wronged. <sup>6</sup>It does not rejoice about injustice but rejoices whenever the truth wins out. <sup>7</sup> Love never gives up, never loses faith, is always hopeful, and endures through every circumstance.
- <sup>8</sup> Prophecy and speaking in unknown languages and special knowledge will become useless. But love will last forever! <sup>9</sup> Now our knowledge is partial and incomplete, and even the gift of prophecy reveals only part of the whole picture! <sup>10</sup> But when the time of perfection comes, these partial things will become useless.
- <sup>11</sup> When I was a child, I spoke and thought and reasoned as a child. But when I grew up, I put away childish things. <sup>12</sup> Now we see things imperfectly, like puzzling reflections in a mirror, but then we will see everything with perfect clarity. All that I know now is partial and incomplete, but then I will know everything completely, just as God now knows me completely.
- <sup>13</sup> Three things will last forever—faith, hope, and love—and the greatest of these is love.

14 Let love be your highest goal! But you should also desire the special abilities the Spirit gives—especially the ability to prophesy. <sup>2</sup> For if you have the ability to speak in tongues, you will be talking only to God, since people won't be able to understand you. You will be speaking by the power of the Spirit, but it will all be mysterious. <sup>3</sup> But one who prophesies strengthens others, encourages them, and comforts them. <sup>4</sup> A person who speaks in tongues is strengthened personally, but one who speaks a word of prophecy strengthens the entire church.

Reader: This is the word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

#### SHARING THE HOLY SPIRIT FRUIT OF LOVE

MESSAGE Holy Spirit Given "Sign Gifts"

Pastor D. R. Hilken

1. My faithful Father - enduring Friend - Your tender mercy's like a river with no end - It overwhelms me, covers my sin Each time I come into Your presence - I stand in wonder once again

Chorus: Your grace still amazes me -- Your love is still a mystery

Each day I fall on my knees –

'Cause Your grace still amazes me

Your grace still amazes me

2. O patient Savior - You make me whole

You are the Author and the Healer of my soul

What can I give You - Lord what can I say

I know there's no way to repay You -- Only to offer You my praise (Chorus)

**Bridge:** It's deeper it's wider -- It's stronger it's higher

It's deeper it's wider -- It's stronger it's higher Than anything -

My eyes can see (Chorus)

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#### **PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH**

Pastor: (concluding each petition) Lord, in Your mercy:

People: hear our prayer.

#### LORD'S PRAYER

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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation; but deliver us from evil; For thine is the kingdom and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

#### + SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT +

**PREFACE** 

Pastor: The Lord be with you **People:** And also with you. Pastor: Lift up your hearts.

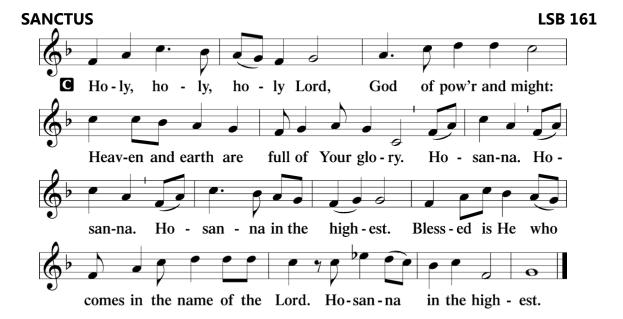
People: We lift them to the Lord.

Pastor: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: It is right for us to do so.

Pastor: It is our joy and our peace, at all times and in all places to give thanks

to you, Holy Father, almighty and everlasting God through Jesus Christ, our Lord. We especially thank You for sending your Son, Jesus Christ, into the world to bear our sins on the cross, and to carry the burdens of our broken humanity. We look in faith for forgiveness, joy and healing, and in expectation of the fulfillment of your kingdom's presence we join the unending praise of the hosts of heaven and say:



Pastor: Blessed are You, Lord of heaven and earth, for You have had mercy on those whom You created and sent Your only-begotten Son into our flesh to bear our sin and be our Savior. With repentant joy we receive the salvation accomplished for us by the sacrifice of His body and His blood on the cross.

Gathered in the name and the remembrance of Jesus, we beg You, Lord to forgive, renew, and strengthen us with Your Word and Spirit. May we faithfully eat and drink as Jesus commands until that day when all the faithful will be gathered in the new kingdom to celebrate the marriage feast of the Lamb.

To You alone, Three in One, be all glory, honor, and worship, now and forever.

People: Amen.

#### WORDS OF INSTITUTION

Pastor: As God's Word proclaims, as often as we eat this bread and drink this

cup, we proclaim the Lord's death, His rest in the tomb, His

resurrection from the dead, His ascension into heaven, and His return

for the final judgment.

People: Amen. Come, Lord Jesus.

#### **DISTRIBUTION**



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#### **POST-COMMUNION COLLECT**

Pastor: We give thanks to You, almighty God, that You have refreshed us through this salutary gift, and we implore You that of Your mercy You would strengthen us through the same in faith toward You and in fervent love toward one another; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

People: Amen.

#### BENEDICTION

Pastor: The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord make his face shine on you

you peace.

People: Amen.



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#### SENDING

Pastor: Go in peace and serve the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God!

POSTLUDE "All'Offertorio" by Domenico Zipoli

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**OFFERINGS:** Visitors: please consider yourselves our guests and do not feel obligated to participate in the offering. In faithful obedience and joyful response to God's grace in our lives, we humbly and gratefully bring our tithes (a regular first portion percentage of our income) and offerings (gifts over and above



our tithes for other kingdom work). You may deposit your envelope, check, or cash in the box next to the exit; give online with your phone using the QR code at right or text "GIVE' to 442-222-2448. All these options are on our website: www.redeemerbythesea.org/donate/

**THE CHOSEN BIBLE STUDY:** Due to scheduling conflicts, our Bible Study groups will resume on **Aug. 6<sup>th</sup> at 4:30pm or Aug. 7<sup>th</sup> at 9:15am** in the Fellowship Hall.

**LIFE LINE SCREENING:** On **Thurs., Aug. 29, 2024** Life Line Screening will be at Redeemer by the Sea. A package of five screenings to identify risk for stroke, heart disease and other chronic conditions will be offered. Register by calling toll free 1-888-653-6441, online at <a href="https://llsa.social/HSC">https://llsa.social/HSC</a>, or text the word "circle" to 216-279-1607. The church has 4 coupons for complimentary screenings. If interested in using a coupon, please email Kerry: **Kerry@redeemerbythesea.org.** 

**SAVE THE DATE – SEPT. 29<sup>th</sup>.** Redeemer by the Sea will have its annual Fall Festival on **Sun., Sept. 29<sup>th</sup>** immediately following one combined worship service at 10:15am. The day will include food, games and fellowship for all ages. More information is coming soon.

**JOB OPENING: AV TECH FOR SUNDAY MORNINGS** Redeemer by the Sea is looking for a person to operate the sound board and assist/operate screens and online presentation elements of Sunday morning worship services. Training/mentoring will be provided. Interested or want to learn more? Email Pastor D: **DHilken@redeemerbythesea.org.** 

**PORTALS OF PRAYER:** This devotional for July – Sept. 2024 is available in the lobby. Pick up your copy today.

**ALTAR FLOWERS:** Would you like to bless our Sanctuary with the beauty of flowers? The flower arrangement can be dedicated in memory, to honor a loved one, or to celebrate a noteworthy occasion. Use the QR code or go to: **tinyurl.com/RBTSFlowers** 



	U	PCOMING EVENTS:		
www.RedeemerbytheSea.org				
Aug 6 <sup>th</sup>	4:30pm	The Chosen Bible Study		
Aug. 7 <sup>th</sup>	9:15am	The Chosen Bible Study		
Aug 29 <sup>th</sup>		Life Line Screening at RBTS		
Sept. 7 <sup>th</sup>	9:00am	Men's Fellowship Breakfast		
Sept 15 <sup>th</sup>	9:30am	Congregational Meeting		
Sept 29 <sup>th</sup>	11:30am	Redeemer Fall Festival		

# MANIFEST

### "HOLY SPIRIT GIVEN "SIGN GIFTS"

August 4, 2024 - Pastor D R Hilken - 1 Corinthians 13:4-14:4

How	do you explain?
Are t	:hese "sign gifts" for today? ""
	13:12 ESV ~ face to face & fully known
sus	definition of "prophecy": a Spirit-prompted, Spirit- stained, utterance that does not carry intrinsic, divine thority and may be mixed with error.
Thin	gs "prophecy" accomplishes
٦)	It builds up
2)	
3)	Consoles
4)	Never contradicts scripture
5)	IsGod's primary vehicle for communication Scripture is God's primary vehicle for communication
	Always it
Tong	gues
٦)	An unknown language to
2)	Unintelligible, not translated, ecstatic outflow for "beyond comprehension" communication
How	to approach these "sign gifts"
٦)	with great humility (verse 11)
2)	in line with (Hebrews 13:17)