

THE LIFE *of* DAVID

“BROKEN BUT CHOSEN—SAUL & DAVID”

April 14, 2024 ~ 8:30am

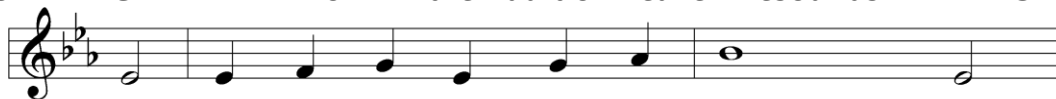
CONNECT WITH GOD: God knows you and wants you to know Him as God and Savior to receive from Him support, guidance, and peace in this life and assurance of an amazing new life after death. All are welcome here. Sunday services are that place where we come to gather and receive direction and grace. We 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, by calling the church office, 760-431-8990 x105 or email: kay@redeemerbythesea.org.

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

OPENING HYMN "Now All the Vault of Heaven Resounds"

LSB 465



1 Now all the vault of heav'n re - sounds In
2 E - ter - nal is the gift He brings, There -
△ 4 A - dor - ing prais - es now we bring And



praise of love that still a - bounds: "Christ has tri - umphed!
fore our heart with rap - ture sings: "Christ has tri - umphed!
with the heav'n - ly bless - ed sing: "Christ has tri - umphed!



He is liv - ing!" Sing, choirs of an - gels, loud and
He is liv - ing!" Now still He comes to give us
Al - le - lu - ia!" Be to the Fa - ther and our



clear! Re - peat their song of glo - ry
life And by His pres - ence stills all
Lord, To Spir - it blest, most ho - ly



here: "Christ has tri - umphed! Christ has tri - umphed!"
strife. Christ has tri - umphed! He is liv - ing!
God, All the glo - ry, nev - er end - ing!



Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!
Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!
Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!

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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: Beloved in the Lord! Let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins unto God our Father, beseeching Him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to grant us forgiveness.

Pastor: Our help is in the name of the Lord,

People: who made heaven and earth.

Pastor: I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord,

People: and You forgave the iniquity of my sin.

(a few moments of silence for specific confession and personal reflection)

Pastor: Almighty God, our maker and redeemer, we poor sinners confess unto You that we are by nature sinful and unclean and that we have sinned against You by thought, word, and deed. Wherefore we flee for refuge to Your infinite mercy, seeking and imploring Your grace for the sake of our Lord Jesus Christ.

People: O most merciful God, who has given Your only-begotten Son to die for us, have mercy upon us and for His sake grant us remission of all our sins; and by Your Holy Spirit increase in us true knowledge of You and of Your will and true obedience to Your Word, to the end that by Your grace we may come to everlasting life; through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

Pastor: Almighty God, our heavenly Father, has had mercy upon us and has given His only Son to die for us and for His sake forgives us all our sins. To those who believe on His name He gives power to become the children of God and has promised them His Holy Spirit. He that believes and is baptized shall be saved. Grant this, Lord, unto us all.

People: Amen.

COLLECT OF THE DAY

All: O God, through the humiliation of Your Son You raised up the fallen world. Grant to Your faithful people, rescued from the peril of everlasting death, perpetual gladness and eternal joys; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen

GLORIA PATRI**LSB 186**

C Glo - ry be to the Fa - ther and to the Son and to the Ho - ly Ghost;



as it was in the be - gin - ning, is now, and ev - er shall be, world with - out end. A - men.

KYRIE**LSB 186**

C Lord, have mer - cy up - on us. Christ, have mer - cy up -



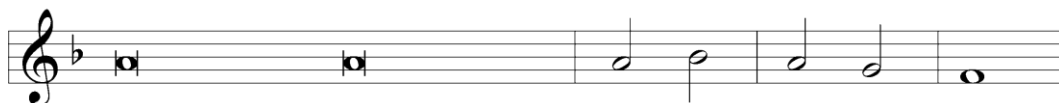
on us. Lord, have mer - cy up - on us.

GLORIA IN EXCELSIS**LSB 187**

P Glory be to God on high: **C** and on earth peace, good - will toward



men. We praise Thee, we bless Thee, we wor - ship Thee,



we glorify Thee, we give thanks to Thee, for Thy great glory.



O Lord God, heav'n - ly King, God the Fa - ther Al - mighty.



O Lord, the only begotten Son, Je - sus Christ;



O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,
 that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy up-on us.
 Thou that takest away the sin of the world, re-ceive our prayer.
 Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father, have mercy up-
 on us. For Thou only art holy; Thou on-ly art the Lord.
 Thou only, O Christ, with the Ho-ly Ghost,
 art most high in the glory of God the Father. A-men.

SHARING GOD'S PEACE

A READING FROM 1 SAMUEL 10 (ESV)

¹⁷ Now Samuel called the people together to the Lord at Mizpah. ¹⁸ And he said to the people of Israel, "Thus says the Lord, the God of Israel, 'I brought up Israel out of Egypt, and I delivered you from the hand of the Egyptians and from the hand of all the kingdoms that were oppressing you.' ¹⁹ But today you have rejected your God, who saves you from all your calamities and your distresses, and you have said to him, 'Set a king over us.' Now therefore present yourselves before the Lord by your tribes and by your thousands."

²⁰ Then Samuel brought all the tribes of Israel near, and the tribe of Benjamin was taken by lot. ²¹ He brought the tribe of Benjamin near by its clans, and the clan of the Matrites was taken by lot; and Saul the son of Kish was taken by lot. But when they sought him, he could not be found. ²² So they inquired again of the Lord, "Is there a man still to come?" and the Lord said, "Behold, he has hidden himself among the baggage." ²³ Then they ran and took him from there. And when he stood among the people, he was taller than any of the people from his shoulders upward. ²⁴ And Samuel said to all the people, "Do you see him whom the Lord has chosen? There is none like him among all the people." And all the people shouted, "Long live the king!"

²⁵ Then Samuel told the people the rights and duties of the kingship, and he wrote them in a book and laid it up before the Lord. Then Samuel sent all the people away, each one to his home. ²⁶ Saul also went to his home at Gibeah, and with him went men of valor whose hearts God had touched. ²⁷ But some worthless fellows said, "How can this man save us?" And they despised him and brought him no present. But he held his peace.

Reader: This is the word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

A READING FROM 1 SAMUEL 16 (ESV)

⁴ Samuel did what the Lord commanded and came to Bethlehem. The elders of the city came to meet him trembling and said, "Do you come peaceably?" ⁵ And he said, "Peaceably; I have come to sacrifice to the Lord. Consecrate yourselves, and come with me to the sacrifice." And he consecrated Jesse and his sons and invited them to the sacrifice.

⁶ When they came, he looked on Eliab and thought, "Surely the Lord's anointed is before him." ⁷ But the Lord said to Samuel, "Do not look on his appearance or on the height of his stature, because I have rejected him. For the Lord sees not as man sees: man looks on the outward appearance, but the Lord looks on the heart." ⁸ Then Jesse called And Samuel said to Jesse, "The Lord has not chosen these." ¹¹ Then Samuel said to Jesse, "Are all your sons here?" And he said, "There remains yet the youngest, but behold, he is keeping the sheep." And Samuel said to Jesse, "Send and get him, for we will not sit down till he comes here." ¹² And he sent and brought him in. Now he was ruddy and had beautiful eyes and was handsome. And the Lord said, "Arise, anoint him, for this is he." ¹³ Then Samuel took the horn of oil and

anointed him in the midst of his brothers. And the Spirit of the Lord rushed upon David from that day forward. And Samuel rose up and went to Ramah.

Reader: This is the word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

HOLY GOSPEL

Pastor: The Gospel reading from Luke 6 (ESV)

People: Glory to you, O Lord.

⁴³ "For no good tree bears bad fruit, nor again does a bad tree bear good fruit, ⁴⁴ for each tree is known by its own fruit. For figs are not gathered from thornbushes, nor are grapes picked from a bramble bush. ⁴⁵ The good person out of the good treasure of his heart produces good, and the evil person out of his evil treasure produces evil, for out of the abundance of the heart his mouth speaks.

Pastor: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

People: Praise to you, O Christ.

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.



1 Spread the reign of God the Lord, Spo - ken, writ - ten, might - y Word;
 2 Tell how God the Fa - ther's will Made the world, up - holds it still,
 3 Tell of our Re - deem - er's grace, Who, to save our hu - man race
 4 Tell of God the Spir - it giv'n Now to guide us on to heav'n,



Ev - 'ry - where His crea - tures call To His heav'n - ly ban - quet hall.
 How His own dear Son He gave Us from sin and death to save.
 And to pay re - bel - lion's price, Gave Him - self as sac - ri - fice.
 Strong and ho - ly, just and true, Work - ing both to will and do.

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MESSAGE

"Broken but Chosen – Saul & David"

Pastor D. R. Hilken

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 thin is the kingdom and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

BENEDICTION

Pastor: The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord make his face shine on you and be gracious to you. The Lord look upon you with favor and ✠ give you peace.

All: Amen.

CLOSING HYMN

“Built on the Rock”

LSB 645



1 Built on the Rock the Church shall stand E - ven when
 3 We are God's house of liv - ing stones, Built for His
 5 Grant, then, O God, Your will be done, That, when the



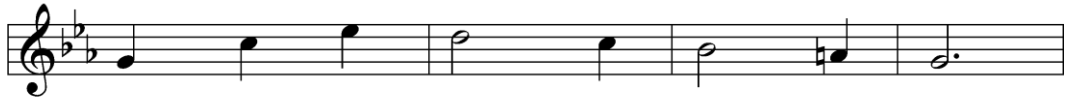
stee - ples are fall - ing. Crum - bled have spires in
 own hab - i - ta - tion. He through bap - tis - mal
 church bells are ring - ing, Man - y in sav - ing



ev - 'ry land; Bells still are chim - ing and call -
 grace us owns Heirs of His won - drous sal - va -
 faith may come Where Christ His mes - sage is bring -



ing, Call - ing the young and old to rest,
 tion. Were we but two His name to tell,
 ing: "I know My own; My own know Me.



But a - bove all the souls dis - tressed,
 Yet He would deign with us to dwell
 You, not the world, My face shall see.



Long - ing for rest ev - er - last - ing.
 With all His grace and His fa - vor.
 My peace I leave with you. A - men."

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SENDING

Pastor: Go in peace and serve the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God!**

POSTLUDE

“Majesty”

arr. by Douglas E. Wagner

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WORSHIP | GROW | SERVE

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/



CHILDCARE NOW AVAILABLE BOTH SERVICES ON SUNDAYS: Sofia would love to care for your children while you attend worship!

NEW BIBLE STUDY

Pastor D. will be leading a Bible study utilizing season 4 of "The Chosen."

This study will be offered twice a week.

Tuesdays at 4:30pm or Wednesdays at 9:15am.

All are welcome to attend.

DATE NIGHT will be on **April 20th from 5:30 – 8:30pm**. Cost is \$20 per child and space is limited, so secure your spot early. Date night is intended for children ages 1-9, and a chance for parents to get out for a night while the kids enjoy crafts, playtime, a snack and a movie! Register online.

DATE NIGHT SERVE TEAM NEEDED on APRIL 20TH. If you are aged 18 or older and can give some time to the children this month, please sign-up online to get your choice of assignments.

MORE THAN MONEY MATTERS workshop presented by Jeff Crane and Tom Wills from Thrivent. We will explore how to get to and through retirement as well as ways to leave a lasting legacy in tax-wise ways! Jeff and Tom love serving North County, with offices in both Vista and Carlsbad. They specialize in retirement and investment planning, tax diversification, and investing with purpose, helping people support their families, church, or community. Please join us in person at one of the two presentations by submitting your RSVP online.

Sun. April 21st at 11:45am in the Fellowship Hall. Lunch and beverages will be provided.

Wed. May 15th at 6:00pm in the Fellowship Hall.

EARLY BIRD PRICING FOR SCUBA VBS OPENS TOMORROW: Register your child (ages 4-9) for **SCUBA VBS** at Redeemer by the Sea **June 24-28th from 9am to noon**. Kids will dive into friendship with God and discover how to shine Jesus' love and hope in everyday life. Activities include catchy songs, teamwork building games, yummy treats, Bible Adventures and Sciency-Fun Gizmos. From **April 15th to April 21st**, the cost will be **\$140**. **After April 21st** the price goes up to **\$150**. All registrations are non-refundable. Space is limited, so register early on our website.

VBS SERVE TEAM NEEDED: VBS cannot happen without your help! Please register online to join the team and then reserve these dates on your calendar **June 24-28th from 8:30am to 12:30pm**. This is always a fun week sharing our faith in Jesus to kiddos in our area!

AMERICAN HARP SOCIETY (San Diego) will be performing a free concert at Redeemer By the Sea on **Sunday April 14th at 2pm** followed by refreshments. Everyone is welcome, and the event is free.

UPCOMING EVENTS:

www.RedeemerbytheSea.org

APR 14TH	9:40am	Choir Rehearsal Resumes
APR 16TH	4:30pm	Bible Study – The Chosen
APR 17TH	9:15am	Bible Study – The Chosen
APR 20TH	5:30pm	Date Night
APR 21ST	11:45am	More Than Money Matters
May 15TH	6:00pm	More Than Money Matters
JUNE 24-28TH	9am-noon	SCUBA VBS

This week's altar flowers donated by Lyle and Evelyn Meyer's children and families in celebration of their birthdays – with our love.

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“BROKEN but CHOSEN”

April 14, 2024 – Pastor D. R. Hilken

But now your kingdom shall not continue.

The Lord has sought out a man after his own heart --- 1 Samuel 13:14

Inside vs Outside

Cracked marble block⇒Michelangelo⇒David statue

Saul⇒David

God dwells with and empowers a Yahweh-chasing heart

Hiding in the suitcases ~ When confidence lies in self

WHAT IS YOUR _____ DEFAULT?

The Heart God rejects

- A. Saul's faith is fleeting
- B. Saul's heart was _____
- C. Saul's heart of disobedience
- D. Saul refused to trust God
- E. Saul refused to _____

The Heart God adores

- A. David was humble
- B. David had a shepherd's heart (was also a great musician and warrior)
- C. David is _____
- D. David had _____ (*tome*)
- E. David was obedient
- F. David _____ God deeply
- G. David was genuinely repentant

The chosen are _____ but _____