# THE LIFE OF DAVID

"BROKEN and COMPROMISED"

April 28, 2024 ~ 10:15am

#### **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, at the church office: 760-431-8990 x105, or email: **Kay@redeemerbythesea.org.** 

#### WELCOME

**OPENING SONGS:** 

"It is Well"

"Who I Am"

#### **MEET AND GREET**

#### CHILDREN'S MESSAGE / DISMISS TO KIDZONE

#### A READING FROM 2 SAMUEL 11 (ESV)

In the spring of the year, the time when kings go out to battle, David sent Joab, and his servants with him, and all Israel. And they ravaged the Ammonites and besieged Rabbah. But David remained at Jerusalem.

<sup>2</sup> It happened, late one afternoon, when David arose from his couch and was walking on the roof of the king's house, that he saw from the roof a woman bathing; and the woman was very beautiful. <sup>3</sup> And David sent and inquired about the woman. And one said, "Is not this Bathsheba, the daughter of Eliam, the wife of Uriah the Hittite?" <sup>4</sup> So David sent messengers and took her, and she came to him, and he lay with her. (Now she had been purifying herself from her uncleanness.) Then she returned to her house. <sup>5</sup> And the woman conceived, and she sent and told David, "I am pregnant."

#### A READING FROM PROVERBS 7 (NLT)

<sup>6</sup> While I was at the window of my house, looking through the curtain, <sup>7</sup> I saw some naive young men, and one in particular who lacked common sense. <sup>8</sup> He was crossing the street near the house of an immoral woman, strolling down the path by her house. <sup>9</sup> It was at twilight, in the evening, as deep darkness fell. <sup>10</sup> The woman approached him, seductively dressed and sly of heart.... <sup>8</sup> Come, let's drink our fill of love until morning. Let's enjoy each other's caresses, <sup>19</sup> for my husband is not home. He's away on a long trip. <sup>20</sup> He has taken a wallet full of money with him and won't return until later this month." <sup>21</sup> So she seduced him with her pretty speech and enticed him with her flattery. <sup>22</sup> He followed her at once, like an ox going to the slaughter. He was like a stag caught in a trap, <sup>23</sup> awaiting the arrow that would pierce its heart. He was like a bird flying into a snare, little knowing it would cost him his life. <sup>24</sup> So listen to me, my sons, and pay attention to my words. <sup>25</sup> Don't let your hearts stray away toward her. Don't wander down her wayward path. <sup>26</sup> For she has been the ruin of many; many men have been her victims. <sup>27</sup> Her house is the road to the grave. Her bedroom is the den of death.

#### THE GOSPEL READING FROM MATTHEW 5 (ESV)

<sup>27</sup> "You have heard that it was said, 'You shall not commit adultery.' <sup>28</sup> But I say to you that everyone who looks at a woman with lustful intent has already committed adultery with her in his heart. <sup>29</sup> If your right eye causes you to sin, tear it out and throw it away. For it is better that you lose one of your members than that your whole body be thrown into hell. <sup>30</sup> And if your right hand causes you to sin, cut it off and throw it away. For it is better that you lose one of your members than that your whole body go into hell.

**PRAYERS** 

#### 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** 

**CLOSING SONG** 

"Build Your Kingdom Here"

### 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!

#### **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.

**MORE THAN MONEY MATTERS** workshop presented by Jeff Crane and Tom Wills from Thrivent on **Wed. May 22<sup>nd</sup> at 6:00pm in the Fellowship Hall**. 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 let us know you plan to join us by submitting your RSVP online. Dinner and beverages will be provided.

**UPDATED: MEN'S FELLOWSHIP BREAKFAST:** The next date is **Sat. May 4<sup>th</sup> at 9am in the Fellowship Hall at Redeemer by the Sea**. This is always a great day to gather with friends and meet someone new. Choose your burrito from Valerie's Tacos when you register online.

**HOLY HACKERS** will meet on **May 11<sup>th</sup> at Oaks North**. Please contact Rhonda if you'd like to join in our golf day. We play "best ball", so all skill levels are welcome to join in the fun.

**RBTS KINDERGARTEN SING: At 10:15am on Tues. May 14<sup>th</sup>** following the 9:30am LWM business meeting, our own RBTS Kindergarten will sing, then we will all decorate cookies together. This is always a great time reflecting that we are all called children of God! Please join us in the Fellowship Hall.

**SCUBA VBS:** Register your child (ages 4-9) for **SCUBA VBS** at Redeemer by the Sea **June 24-28<sup>th</sup> 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, one-of-a-kind Bible Adventures and Sciency-Fun experiments that get imagination bubbling. Cost is \$150. All registrations are non-refundable. Space is limited, so register early HERE.

**VBS SERVE TEAM NEEDED:** VBS cannot happen without your help! We need both Crew Leaders (over 18 years of age) and Assistant Crew Leaders (ages 6<sup>th</sup> grade and up). Please register online to join the team and then reserve these dates on your calendar **June 24-28<sup>th</sup> from 8:30am to 12:30pm**. This is always a fun week sharing our faith in Jesus to kiddos in our area!

	UPCOM	IING EVENTS:		
<u>www.RedeemerbytheSea.org</u>				
MAY 4 <sup>TH</sup>	9:00am	Men's Fellowship Breakfast		
MAY 11 <sup>TH</sup>		Holy Hackers		
MAY 14 <sup>TH</sup>	9:30am	LWM Business Meeting		
	10:15am	RBTS Kindergarten Sing & Cookie		
		Decorating		
MAY 22 <sup>ND</sup>	6:00pm	More Than Money Matters		
JUNE 12 <sup>TH</sup>	5:30pm	VBS Staff Training		
JUNE 24-28 <sup>TH</sup> 9am-noon		SCUBA VBS		

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"David saw a woman bathing ... and sent and inquired about the woman ... and sent messengers who took her to him." --- 2 Samuel 11

Context of 2 Samuel 11

The read to compromise:

TWO ROADS: COMPROMISE OR INTEGRITY

1116	Toda to compromise.
1)	Being in the wrong
	A. By choice (v. 1)
	B. By (v. 2)
2)	At the wrong
3)	With the wrong
The	road to (the story of Joseph in Egypt):
aı	He is not greater in this house than I am, nor has he kept back nything from me except you, because you are his wife. How then can do this great wickedness and sin against?"Genesis 39:9
•	commitment is first to God sin is first God (Psalm 51:4a)

Pharaoh said to Joseph, "I hereby put you in charge of the entire land of Egypt."

---Genesis 41:41 (NLT)