

THE BOOK *of* JAMES

October 6, 2024 ~ 8:30 am

REDEEMER BY THE SEA ~ "A PLACE TO KNOW AND BE KNOWN"

We are honored to recognize our niche in God's Kingdom work. Here we will faithfully worship and teach in alignment with God's Word and we're a small enough fellowship where you can know and be known by most of the people around you if that's your desire. Here you will be missed if you're gone and prayed for when you have needs. You are welcome to contact the office (kay@redeemerbythesea.org) or Leader D directly (dhilken@redeemerbythesea.org).

UPCOMING EVENTS: www.RedeemerbytheSea.org

Oct. 8 th	9:30am	LWM – Creating with Stitches
Oct. 10 th	12:00pm	Birthday Club
Oct. 12 th	9:00am	LWM Zone 21 Rally
Oct. 12 th		Holy Hackers
Nov. 2 nd	9:00am	Men's Breakfast Fellowship

Today's flowers have been donated by Suzanne Hughes to
the Glory of God's many blessings

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

*Serving today as Pastor recovers from his hip replacement surgery,
Elder, Joel Rabe and Pastor's son, Colby Hilken.*

OPENING HYMN

"O Blest the House"

LSB 862



1 Oh, blest the house, what - e'er be - fall, Where Je - sus
2 Oh, blest that house where faith is found And all in
4 Oh, blest that house; it pros - pers well. In peace and
5 Then here will I and mine to - day A sol - emn



Christ is all in all! A home that is not whol - ly
hope and love a - bound; They trust their God and serve Him
joy the par - ents dwell, And in their chil - dren's lives is
prom - ise make and say: Though all the world for - sake His



His— How sad and poor and dark it is!
still And do in all His ho - ly will!
shown How rich - ly God can bless His own.
Word, I and my house will serve the Lord!

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INVOCATION

Leader: In the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

People: **Amen.**

✠ WE CONFESS OUR SINS ✠

Leader: Come, let us worship and bow down,

People: **Let us kneel before the Lord, our God, our maker.** (Psalm 95:6)

Leader: Give to the Lord the glory due His name;

People: **Worship the Lord in the splendor of His holiness.** (Psalm 29:2)

Leader: God said, "Worship the Lord your God and serve Him only."

People: We confess before You and one another, O God, that we have intentionally and unintentionally worshipped other gods--- ourselves, our possessions, our power, and many other things. We have not loved You with all our heart, soul, mind, and strength. Instead, we have served ourselves rather than You, and have not loved one another as You have commanded.

Leader: Bless the Lord who forgives all our sins.

**People: His mercy endures forever. (Psalm 103:3)
Holy God, in Your mercy look on us with grace and favor. Holy Spirit, break through our stubborn places and move us to true repentance. Father, hear us as we silently confess our specific failures as they come to mind, and forgive us for the sake of Jesus Christ.**

(Silence for reflection on God's Word and for self-examination.)

✕ FORGIVENESS DECLARED ✕

Leader: "The Lord is the Spirit, and where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is freedom." God has heard our prayer, and through the death and resurrection of His Son, Jesus Christ, has set us free from the guilt of sin and the condemnation of death. I joyfully stand before you this morning and announce to you, who have confessed with humble hearts, that all your sins are forgiven in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit. Go and sin no more---you are free from the power of Satan and your sinful flesh. To God be the glory!
Amen

COLLECT OF THE DAY

All: Merciful Father, Your patience and loving-kindness toward us have no end. Grant that by Your Holy Spirit we may always think and do those things that are pleasing in Your sight; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

SHARING GOD'S PEACE

THE FIRST READING

GENESIS 2:18-25 (ESV)

¹⁸ Then the Lord God said, "It is not good that the man should be alone; I will make him a helper fit for him." ¹⁹ Now out of the ground the Lord God had formed every beast of the field and every bird of the heavens and brought them to the man to see what he would call them. And whatever the man called every living creature, that was its name. ²⁰ The man gave names to all livestock and to the birds of the heavens and to every beast of the field. But for Adam there was not found a helper fit for him. ²¹ So the Lord God caused a deep sleep to fall upon the man, and while he slept took one of his ribs and closed up its place with flesh. ²² And the rib that the Lord God had taken from the man he made into a woman and brought her to the man.

²³ Then the man said, "This at last is bone of my bones and flesh of my flesh; she shall be called Woman, because she was taken out of Man."

²⁴ Therefore a man shall leave his father and his mother and hold fast to his wife, and they shall become one flesh. ²⁵ And the man and his wife were both naked and were not ashamed.

Reader: This is the word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

THE SECOND READING

JAMES 4:13-17 (ESV)

¹³ Come now, you who say, "Today or tomorrow we will go into such and such a town and spend a year there and trade and make a profit"— ¹⁴ yet you do not know what tomorrow will bring. What is your life? For you are a mist that appears for a little time and then vanishes. ¹⁵ Instead you ought to say, "If the Lord wills, we will live and do this or that." ¹⁶ As it is, you boast in your arrogance. All such boasting is evil. ¹⁷ So whoever knows the right thing to do and fails to do it, for him it is sin.

Reader: This is the word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

HOLY GOSPEL

Mark 10:2-16 (ESV)

Leader: The Gospel reading today comes from Mark chapter 10.

People: Glory to you, O Lord.

² And Pharisees came up and in order to test him asked, "Is it lawful for a man to divorce his wife?" ³ He answered them, "What did Moses command you?" ⁴ They said, "Moses allowed a man to write a certificate of divorce and to send her away."

⁵ And Jesus said to them, "Because of your hardness of heart he wrote you this commandment. ⁶ But from the beginning of creation, 'God made them male and female.' ⁷ 'Therefore a man shall leave his father and mother and hold fast to his wife, ⁸ and the two shall become one flesh.' So they are no longer two but one flesh. ⁹ What therefore God has joined together, let not man separate."

¹⁰ And in the house the disciples asked him again about this matter. ¹¹ And he said to them, "Whoever divorces his wife and marries another commits adultery against her, ¹² and if she divorces her husband and marries another, she commits adultery."

¹³ And they were bringing children to him that he might touch them, and the disciples rebuked them. ¹⁴ But when Jesus saw it, he was indignant and said to them, "Let the children come to me; do not hinder them, for to such belongs the kingdom of God. ¹⁵ Truly, I say to you, whoever does not receive the kingdom of God like a child shall not enter it." ¹⁶ And he took them in his arms and blessed them, laying his hands on them.

Leader: 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 Hark, the voice of Je - sus cry - ing, "Who will go and work to - day?
 2 If you can - not speak like an - gels, If you can - not preach like Paul,
 4 Let none hear you i - dly say - ing, "There is noth - ing I can do,"



Fields are white and har - vests wait - ing— Who will bear the sheaves a - way?"
 You can tell the love of Je - sus, You can say He died for all.
 While the mul - ti - tudes are dy - ing And the Mas - ter calls for you.



Loud and long the Mas - ter call - eth; Rich re - ward He of - fers thee.
 If you can - not rouse the wick - ed With the judg - ment's dread a - larms,
 Take the task He gives you glad - ly, Let His work your plea - sure be;



Who will an - swer, glad - ly say - ing, "Here am I, send me, send me"?
 You can lead the lit - tle chil - dren To the Sav - ior's wait - ing arms.
 An - swer quick - ly when He call - eth, "Here am I, send me, send me!"

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MESSAGE: "YOU AINT THAT BIG'A DEAL" PRESENTED BY COLBY HILKEN

PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

Leader: *(concluding each petition)* Lord, in Your mercy:

People: hear our prayer.

(after the prayers of the Church family are lifted to the Father)

Leader: Into Your hands, O Lord, we commend all for whom we pray, trusting in Your mercy; through Your Son, Jesus Christ, who taught us to pray...

People: 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.

BENEDICTION

Leader: 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 His favor and ✠ give you peace.

People: Amen.

Closing Hymn

“Let Us Ever Walk With Jesus”

LSB 685



1 Let us ev - er walk with Je - sus, Fol - low His ex -
4 Let us al - so live with Je - sus. He has ris - en



am - ple pure, Through a world that would de - ceive us And to
from the dead That to life we may a - wak - en. Je - sus,



sin our spir - its lure. On - ward in His foot - steps tread - ing,
You are now our head. We are Your own liv - ing mem - bers;



Pil - grims here, our home a - bove, Full of faith and
Where You live, there we shall be In Your pres - ence



hope and love, Let us do the Fa - ther's bid - ding. Faith - ful
con - stant - ly, Liv - ing there with You for - ev - er. Je - sus,



Lord, with me a - bide; I shall fol - low where You guide.
let me faith - ful be, Life e - ter - nal grant to me.

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SENDING

Leader: Go in peace and serve the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God!

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:



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THANK YOU FOR FALL FESTIVAL—Thank you to over 300 people that attended our Annual Fall Festival! The Dj, cornhole, sno cones & giant slide kept everyone entertained while families enjoyed delicious Mexican food & visiting the petting zoo and ponies. A huge thank you to our 35 volunteers that helped make this a successful event! To View Photos, check for the email link, or the QR code on the Posters.

THE JOY OF CREATING WITH STITCHES On **Tues. Oct. 8th at 10:15am**, Luann Goedert will present "The Joy of Creating with Stitches." All materials will be provided for a hands-on introduction to embroidery. Come a little early and attend the LWM business meeting at **9:30am**.

REDEEMER BIRTHDAY CLUB: We would like to celebrate birthdays in July, August and September of this year by gathering for lunch on **Thurs. Oct. 10th at noon at Dini's**, 3290 Carlsbad Blvd, Carlsbad, CA 92008. All are welcome to join us. In lieu of cards, a freewill donation will be collected and the recipient to be determined by the group. **RSVP Online** so we can let the restaurant know how many will attend.

REMINDER - LUTHERAN WOMEN IN MISSION ZONE 21 RALLY will be held at Redeemer by the Sea on **Sat. Oct. 12th**. Registration begins at 9am. The program will begin at 9:30am. The speaker will be Steve Hovelan from Sleep in Heavenly Peace. This organization's goal is to deliver beds to kids in North County. Please bring new twin-sized bedding: sheets, pillows, pillowcases, blankets, or bedspreads. The day includes lunch and a basket raffle. Please take advantage of this opportunity. Please RSVP to: **BJclahr@cox.net**.

JAMES

YOU AINT THAT BIG'A DEAL - James 4:13-17

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How To Face Your Future

Plan ahead, but be careful of these:

1. _____ without consulting or considering God

Instead you ought to say, "If the Lord wills, we will live and do this or that."

James 4:14, 16

- Admit that there is "the will of God"
- Accept & _____ "the will of God" in my life

2. Make assumptions about tomorrow

yet you do not know what tomorrow will bring. What is your life? For you are a mist that appears for a little time and then vanishes. ... As it is, you boast in your arrogance. All such boasting is evil. *James 4:14, 16*

- Life and Vapor are _____
- Life and Vapor are _____
- Life and Vapor are _____

3. Don't put it off until tomorrow which may not come

So whoever knows the right thing to do and fails to do it, for him it is sin.

James 4:17

What am I doing with my life? (circle one)

Spend / Waste / Invest

"It doesn't matter how long you live
if you're not doing anything with your life."

for Jesus in your Life