



“Royalty in the Kingdom of God”

July 6, 2025 ~ 10:15am

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**) with any questions or to get connected.

UPCOMING EVENTS: www.RedeemerbytheSea.org

July 11th 11:30am

July 12th

July 18th 5:30pm

August 2nd 9:00am

Birthday Club

Holy Hackers Golf

Women’s Friday Fellowship

Men’s Fellowship Breakfast

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

OPENING SONG

"Believer"

INTRODUCTION AND PSALM

Psalm 95

Pastor: Oh come, let us sing to the Lord; let us make a joyful noise to the rock of our salvation!

People: Let us come into his presence with thanksgiving; let us make a joyful noise to him with songs of praise!

Pastor: For the Lord is a great God, and a great King above all gods.

People: In his hand are the depths of the earth; the heights of the mountains are his also.

Pastor: The sea is his, for he made it, and his hands formed the dry land.

People: Oh come, let us worship and bow down; let us kneel before the Lord, our Maker!

Pastor: For he is our God, and we are the people of his pasture, and the sheep of his hand.

People: Today, if you hear his voice, do not harden your hearts, as at Meribah, as on the day at Massah in the wilderness,

Pastor: when your fathers put me to the test and put me to the proof, though they had seen my work.

People: For forty years I loathed that generation and said, "They are a people who go astray in their heart, and they have not known my ways."

Pastor: Therefore I swore in my wrath, "They shall not enter my rest."

All: Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit. As it was in the beginning is now and will be forever. Amen.

INTRODUCTION AND READING

Jeremiah 23:1-8

"Woe to the shepherds who destroy and scatter the sheep of my pasture!" declares the Lord.² Therefore thus says the Lord, the God of Israel, concerning the shepherds who care for my people: "You have scattered my flock and have driven them away, and you have not attended to them. Behold, I will attend to you for your evil deeds, declares the Lord."³ Then I will gather the remnant of my flock out of all the countries where I have driven them, and I will bring them back to their fold, and they shall be fruitful and multiply.⁴ I will set shepherds over them who

will care for them, and they shall fear no more, nor be dismayed, neither shall any be missing, declares the Lord.

⁵ "Behold, the days are coming, declares the Lord, when I will raise up for David a righteous Branch, and he shall reign as king and deal wisely, and shall execute justice and righteousness in the land. ⁶ In his days Judah will be saved, and Israel will dwell securely. And this is the name by which he will be called: 'The Lord is our righteousness.'

⁷ "Therefore, behold, the days are coming, declares the Lord, when they shall no longer say, 'As the Lord lives who brought up the people of Israel out of the land of Egypt,' ⁸ but 'As the Lord lives who brought up and led the offspring of the house of Israel out of the north country and out of all the countries where he had driven them.' Then they shall dwell in their own land."

INTRODUCTION AND READING

Romans 5:1-11

Therefore, since we have been justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ. ² Through him we have also obtained access by faith into this grace in which we stand, and we rejoice in hope of the glory of God. ³ Not only that, but we rejoice in our sufferings, knowing that suffering produces endurance, ⁴ and endurance produces character, and character produces hope, ⁵ and hope does not put us to shame, because God's love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit who has been given to us.

⁶ For while we were still weak, at the right time Christ died for the ungodly. ⁷ For one will scarcely die for a righteous person—though perhaps for a good person one would dare even to die— ⁸ but God shows his love for us in that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us. ⁹ Since, therefore, we have now been justified by his blood, much more shall we be saved by him from the wrath of God. ¹⁰ For if while we were enemies we were reconciled to God by the death of his Son, much more, now that we are reconciled, shall we be saved by his life. ¹¹ More than that, we also rejoice in God through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom we have now received reconciliation.

SALUTATION AND COLLECT OF THE DAY

Pastor: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Pastor: Almighty God, You have built Your Church on the foundation of the apostles and prophets with Christ Jesus Himself as the cornerstone. Continue to send Your messengers to preserve Your people in true peace that, by the preaching of Your Word, Your Church may be kept free from all harm and danger; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

People: Amen.

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 to give Him thanks and praise.

Pastor: It is truly good, right, and salutary that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, holy Lord, almighty Father, everlasting God, through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who at His transfiguration revealed His glory to His disciples that they might be strengthened to proclaim His cross and resurrection and with all the faithful look forward to the glory of life everlasting. Therefore with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven we laud and magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising You and saying:

THE 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.

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

DISTRIBUTION SONG

"Great Are You Lord"

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE /RISE & SUNDAY SCHOOL DISMISSAL

GREET ONE ANOTHER AND SHARE GOD'S PEACE

INTRODUCTION AND GOSPEL READING

John 4:43-54

⁴³ After the two days he departed for Galilee. ⁴⁴ (For Jesus himself had testified that a prophet has no honor in his own hometown.) ⁴⁵ So when he came to Galilee, the Galileans welcomed him, having seen all that he had done in Jerusalem at the feast. For they too had gone to the feast.

⁴⁶ So he came again to Cana in Galilee, where he had made the water wine. And at Capernaum there was an official whose son was ill. ⁴⁷ When this man heard that Jesus had come from Judea to Galilee, he went to him and asked him to come down and heal his son, for he was at the point of death. ⁴⁸ So Jesus said to him, "Unless you see signs and wonders you will not believe." ⁴⁹ The official said to him, "Sir, come down before my child dies." ⁵⁰ Jesus said to him, "Go; your son will live." The man believed the word that Jesus spoke to him and went on his way. ⁵¹ As he was going down, his servants met him and told him that his son was recovering. ⁵² So he asked them the hour when he began to get better, and they said to him, "Yesterday at the seventh hour the fever left him." ⁵³ The father knew that was the hour when Jesus had said to him, "Your son will live." And he himself believed, and all his household. ⁵⁴ This was now the second sign that Jesus did when he had come from Judea to Galilee.

MESSAGE

"Royalty in the Kingdom of God"

Pastor John Fiene

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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.

PRAYERS

BENEDICTION

CLOSING SONG

“The Battle Belongs”

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, or text "GIVE" to 442-222-2448. All of these options are also available on our **website:** [**www.redeemerbythesea.org/donate/**](http://www.redeemerbythesea.org/donate/)



CALL COMMITTEE UPDATE: Our call committee is prayerfully preparing to receive candidate materials from the district office and begin the process of discernment. Once we receive them, we'll review the submissions and thoughtfully narrow the list to those we'll invite for a first round of Zoom interviews. This is a significant time in the life of our congregation, and we humbly ask for your continued prayers. May God's wisdom and grace guide us as we seek the pastor He has already chosen for our community.

THANK YOU - TRUE NORTH VBS Thank you to the 40 volunteers who made this week a success for the 50 kiddos. The snacks, games, decorations, station leaders, crew leaders and all the assistants made this week run smoothly. We could not have VBS without all of you so THANK YOU!

REDEEMER BIRTHDAY CLUB will be celebrating April, May and June birthdays on **Fri. July 11th at 11:30am** at Oceanside Broiler in Oceanside Harbor. In lieu of cards, a freewill donation will be collected and the recipient to be determine by the group. RSVP online so we can let the restaurant know how many will attend.

WOMEN'S FRIDAY FELLOWSHIP: **Fri. July 17th at 5:30pm.** Join us at Nancy Golnick's house for Happy Hour and Bible Study with friends from RBTS. Hors'd provided, BYOB. Please **RSVP** online and Nancy's address will be emailed to you.

MEN'S FELLOWSHIP BREAKFAST: SAT. Aug. 2nd from 9:00am-10:45am. Join us for a time of fellowship and men's study.

CONCERTS ON THE GREEN at Concordia University Irvine:

Sundays from 5:00 pm - 7:00 pm:

July 13th: Knyght Ryder

July 20th: Tijuana Dogs

July 27th: Vintage Vynyl

Grab your beach chair and some family & friends for FREE concerts in July! Bring a picnic dinner or purchase food from Bon Appetit's food booth. Join us on the lawn between Grimm Hall and the CU Center at Concordia University Irvine (1530 Concordia West, Irvine). No RSVP required. *Hope to see you there!*

WELCOME REV. DR. JOHN FIENE THIS SUNDAY: Rev. Dr. John Fiene has been a Church Planter of Grace Lutheran Church in Sandy City, Utah, and later, Advent Lutheran Church, Zionsville, Indiana. Both congregations, subsequent to their own founding, initiated successful new mission congregations. He recently served as pastor at University Lutheran Chapel on the University of Colorado campus in Boulder, Pastor Fiene has served as Vice-President of the Indiana District of the Lutheran Church – Missouri Synod and as a member of the Board of Directors of the Rocky Mountain District. He has taught on the subject of mission planting as an adjunct professor at Concordia Theological Seminary in Ft. Wayne, Indiana as well as various pastors' conferences.

Pastor Fiene and his beloved wife Solvieg Fiene (nie. Preus) currently live in Carlsbad and they have 4 children (three in California) and 13 grandchildren.