



TOGETHER TRUSTING THE REAL GOD TO REDEEM REAL PEOPLE

Galatians 1:1–5

1 Paul, an apostle—not from men nor through man, but through Jesus Christ and God the Father, who raised him from the dead— ² and all the brothers who are with me,

To the churches of Galatia:

³ Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ,
⁴ who gave himself for our sins to deliver us from the present evil age,
according to the will of our God and Father, ⁵ to whom be the glory
forever and ever. Amen.

Welcome! To all who are weary and need rest, to all who mourn and seek comfort, to all who are lonely and need friendship, to all who sin and need a Savior, Redeemer Church Murfreesboro opens wide its doors to you. In the name of the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, you are welcome!

We Worship the Lord Together

Praise the LORD in Scripture

1 Peter 1

- Leader

Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ!
- Congregation

According to His great mercy, He has caused us to be born again to a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead,
- Leader

To an inheritance that is imperishable, undefiled, and unfading, kept in heaven for you,
- Congregation

Who by God’s power are being guarded through faith for a salvation ready to be revealed in the last time. In this we rejoice!

Praise the LORD in Song

Crown Him

- Crown Him with many crowns
The Lamb upon His throne
Hark, how the heav’nly anthem drowns
All music but its own
Awake, my soul, and sing
Of Him who died for thee
And hail Him as thy matchless King
Through all eternity

Crown Him the Lord of love
Behold His hands and side
Rich wounds, yet visible above
In beauty glorified
No angel in the sky
Can fully bear that sight
But downward bends His burning eye
At mysteries so bright
- Crown Him the Lord of peace
Whose pow’r a scepter sways
From pole to pole that wars may cease
And all be prayer and praise
His reign shall know no end
And round his piercéd feet
Fair flow’rs of paradise extend
Their fragrance ever sweet.

Crown Him the Lord of years
The potentate of time
Creator of the rolling spheres
Ineffably sublime
All hail, Redeemer, hail
For Thou hast died for me
Thy praise shall never, never fail
Throughout eternity

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Pastoral Prayer

Praise the LORD for our Children

Children’s Lesson

Praise the LORD in Giving

Offering

We Are Built Up Together

Scripture Reading & Sermon

Galatians 1:1–5

Praise the LORD in Song

Let Us Love and Sing and Wonder

Let us love and sing and wonder
Let us praise the Savior's name
He has hushed the law's loud thunder
He has quenched Mount Sinai's flame
He has washed us with His blood (x3)
He has brought us nigh to God

Let us love the Lord who bought us
Pitied us when enemies
Called us by His grace and taught us
Gave us ears and gave us eyes
He has washed us with His blood (x3)
He presents our souls to God

Let us sing though fierce temptation
Threatens hard to bear us down
For the Lord our strong salvation
Holds in view the conqu'ror's crown
He who washed us with His blood (x3)
Soon will bring us home to God

Let us wonder grace and justice
Join and point to mercy's store
When through grace in Christ our trust is
Justice smiles and asks no more
He who washed us with His blood (x3)
Has secured our way to God

Let us praise and join the chorus
Of the saints enthroned on high
Here they trusted Him before us
Now their praises fill the sky
Thou hast washed us with Thy blood (x3)
Thou art worthy Lamb of God

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Respond through Declaring our Faith

The Westminster Shorter Catechism

Q.38. What benefits do believers receive from Christ at the resurrection?

A. At the resurrection, believers, being raised up to glory, shall be openly acknowledged and acquitted in the day of judgment, and made perfectly blessed in the full enjoying of God to all eternity.

1 Cor. 15:43; Matt. 25:23; Matt. 10:32; 1 John 3:2; 1 Cor. 13:12; 1 Thess. 4:17-18.

Confession of Sin & Assurance of Pardon

Confession of Sin

Merciful Father, we confess before You that we have neglected and taken lightly Your Holy Word. Our hearts have grown dull and distracted, slow to listen, and reluctant to obey. We have preferred our own wisdom to Yours and allowed Your truth to become familiar rather than precious. By Your Spirit, soften our hearts, awaken our affections, and grant us a renewed hunger for Your Word, that we might treasure it, trust it, and live by it for Your glory. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

"The steadfast love of the LORD never ceases; His mercies never come to an end; they are new every morning. Great is Your faithfulness!" For all who are in Christ, you are forgiven and renewed in the grace of God!

Receive the LORD's Supper

Amazing Grace (My Chains are Gone)

Amazing grace how sweet the sound
That saved a wretch like me
I once was lost but now I'm found
Was blind but now I see

'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear
And grace my fears relieved
How precious did that grace appear
The hour I first believed

My chains are gone I've been set free
My God my Savior has ransomed me
And like a flood His mercy reigns
Unending love amazing grace

The Lord has promised good to me
His word my hope secures
He will my shield and portion be
As long as life endures

The earth shall soon dissolve like snow
The sun forbear to shine
But God who called me here below
Will be forever mine
Will be forever mine
You are forever mine

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Receive the Benediction

Announcements:

1. Sunday School for all ages begins today! Join us as we are shaped by God's Word and grow in Christ together.
2. The funeral home has requested that no food or drinks be brought into the sanctuary, bottles of water being the exception. Thank you for helping us care for our borrowed space!
3. For the safety of our children, parents are asked to accompany them when in the west hallway by the restrooms. Thank you for your help and understanding!
4. A new Bible Study group for ladies will be starting Thursdays, 1/15 - 3/5, 6:30 PM at the home of Kathy Brown. We will be studying material by Paige Brown. Please see Kathy for more details.
5. All regular attenders and those new to Redeemer are cordially invited to join Pastor Paul and other church leaders for lunch following the worship service on January 25. This gathering will provide an opportunity to learn more about the history, vision, and mission of Redeemer (RCM). Please RSVP via the Sign-Up Genius in the weekly email.

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Monthly Financial Update

*Fiscal Year beginning January 1, 2025
as of December 21, 2025*

Anticipated Giving TYD	\$189,692.00
Actual Giving YTD	\$185,713.00
Difference YTD	(-\$3,980)

Operations—2025 Annual Budget \$195,327

Current Operations Reserve*	\$55,378
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*Reserve = funds over and above 2.5 months of budgeted operating expenses

Defined Savings

Building Fund	\$81,151
Other Defined Savings	\$14,424



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