

James 1:5–11

⁵ If any of you lacks wisdom, let him ask God, who gives generously to all without reproach, and it will be given him. ⁶ But let him ask in faith, with no doubting, for the one who doubts is like a wave of the sea that is driven and tossed by the wind. ⁷ For that person must not suppose that he will receive anything from the Lord; ⁸ he is a double-minded man, unstable in all his ways.

⁹ Let the lowly brother boast in his exaltation, ¹⁰ and the rich in his humiliation, because like a flower of the grass he will pass away. ¹¹ For the sun rises with its scorching heat and withers the grass; its flower falls, and its beauty perishes. So also will the rich man fade away in the midst of his pursuits.

We Worship the Lord Together

Praise the LORD in Scripture

Romans 16

- Leader Now to him who is able to strengthen you according to my gospel and the preaching of Jesus Christ.
- Congregation According to the revelation of the mystery that was kept secret for long ages.**
- Leader But has now been disclosed and through the prophetic writings has been made known to all nations.
- Congregation According to the command of the eternal God, to bring about the obedience of faith.**
- Leader To the only wise God be glory forevermore through Jesus Christ! Amen.

Praise the LORD in Song

I Asked the Lord

I asked the Lord that I might grow
In faith and love and ev'ry grace
Might more of His salvation know
And seek more earnestly His face

'Twas He who taught me thus to pray
And He I trust has answered prayer
But it has been in such a way
As almost drove me to despair

I hoped that in some favoured hour
At once He'd answer my request
And by His love's constraining power
Subdue my sins and give me rest

Instead of this He made me feel
The hidden evils of the heart
And let the angry powers of hell
Assault my soul in ev'ry part

Yea more with His own hand He seemed
Intent to aggravate my woe
Crossed all the fair designs I'd schemed
Blasted my gourds and laid me low

Lord why is this I trembling cried
Wilt Thou pursue Thy worm to death
'Tis in this way the Lord replied
I answer prayer for grace and faith

These inward trials I employ
From self and pride to set thee free
And break thy schemes of earthly joy
That thou may'st seek Thy all in me

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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

James 1:5–11

Praise the LORD in Song

Psalm 34

I sought the Lord, and He answered me
And delivered me from every fear
Those who look on Him are radiant
They'll never be ashamed, they'll never be ashamed

CHORUS

Magnify the Lord with me
Come exalt His name together
Glorify the Lord with me
Come exalt His name forever

This poor man cried, and the Lord heard me
And saved me from my enemies
The Son of God surrounds His saints
He will deliver them, He will deliver them

O taste and see that the Lord is good
O blessed is he who hides in Him
O fear the Lord, O all you saints
He'll give you everything, He'll give you everything

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Respond through Declaring our Faith

The Apostle's Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth.

And in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit and born of the Virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended into hell. On the third day He rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From there He will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy *catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting.

Amen.

**Christian or universal*

Confession of Sin & Assurance of Pardon

Confession of Sin

Merciful Father, we confess that we often lack wisdom and fail to ask You in faith. We are quick to trust ourselves and slow to trust You. Forgive us for seeking security in our possessions, our circumstances, and our own understanding rather than in Christ. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

"If we confess our sins, He is faithful and just to forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness." All who are in Christ are fully forgiven and deeply loved by God!

Receive the LORD's Supper

Yet Not I, but Through Christ in Me

What gift of grace is Jesus my redeemer
There is no more for heaven now to give
He is my joy my righteousness and freed
My steadfast love my deep and boundless peace

To this I hold my hope is only Jesus
For my life is wholly bound to his
Oh how strange and divine I can sing all is mine
Yet not I but through Christ in me

The night is dark but I am not forsaken
For by my side the Saviour he will stay
I labor on in weakness and rejoicing
For in my need his power is displayed

To this I hold my Shepherd will defend me
Through the deepest valley he will lead
Oh the night has been won and I shall overcome
Yet not I but through Christ in me

No fate I dread I know I am forgiven
The future sure the price it has been paid
For Jesus bled and suffered for my pardon
And he was raised to overthrow the grave

To this I hold my sin has been defeated
Jesus now and ever is my plea
Oh the chains are released I can sing I am free
Yet not I but through Christ in me

With every breath I long to follow Jesus
For he has said that he will bring me home
And day by day I know he will renew me
Until I stand with joy before the throne

To this I hold my hope is only Jesus
All the glory evermore to him
When the race is complete still my lips shall repeat
Yet not I but through Christ in me

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Yet not I but through Christ in me
Yet not I but through Christ in me
Yet not I but through Christ in me

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Doxology

Praise God from whom all blessings flow
Praise Him all creatures here below
Praise Him above ye heavenly host
Praise Father Son and Holy Ghost
Amen

Receive the Benediction

Announcements:

1. Sunday School for children, youth, and adults will begin on **September 13**. Make plans to join us for this special time of learning, growth, and encouragement as we grow together in Christ.
2. Join the ladies of Redeemer for a Women's Retreat on Tim's Ford Lake from October 23-25. The cost is \$50. For more info or RSVP, please see Kathy Brown or Becca Kinney.
3. The next Redeemer Men's lunch will be hosted at Blue Coast Burrito (1122 Memorial Blvd) on September 18 at 11:30. For questions, please text Terry Kelley at 407-497-9670.



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Monthly Financial Update

*Fiscal Year 04/01/26 — 03/31/27
04/01/2026 – 07/31/2026*

Budgeted Giving FYTD	\$70,191.48
Actual Giving FYTD	\$61,884.88
Difference FYTD	(-\$8,306.60)

Operations—CFY Annual Budget \$210,360

Current Operations Reserve*	\$84,060
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*Reserve = funds over and above 2.5 months of budgeted operating expenses

Defined Savings

Building Fund	\$131,267
Other Defined Savings	\$12,113



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