

Notes on the Sermon

Job 1:6-12

“God’s Hedge Around His Own”

Our core convictions:

SOLA SCRIPTURA: **Scripture alone** is the written word of God. The Bible is the sole and final authority for faith and practice.

SOLA GRATIA: **God’s grace alone** saves us from God’s just wrath through the death of Jesus Christ. Salvation is not in any sense a human work or accomplishment but is totally and completely the gift of God.

SOLUS CHRISTUS: **Christ alone** is the eternal Son of God whose sinless life and atoning death redeem us for God. Christ alone has accomplished all that is necessary for our salvation and eternal life is found in no one else but Christ.

SOLA FIDE: **Faith alone**—apart from all human work or merit—is the instrument of our salvation. Faith is a gift bestowed upon us in Christ for our salvation. God justifies sinners (declares them right with Himself) by grace alone through faith alone because of Christ alone.

SOLI DEO GLORIA: **God’s glory alone** is to be the purpose for which we live and the aim of our worship. We believe worship should affect daily life. For this reason, we seek to focus on God in our worship rather than entertainment values or personal needs. The Church gathers on the Lord’s Day to rejoice in the mighty acts of God and to worship Him in ways He has commanded and that are consistent with the principles of His word.

Welcome to Redeemer!

Coffee and other refreshments are available after the service. A time of learning with classes for all ages begins at **10:45AM** and a nursery is provided.

Next Lord’s Day . . .

Worship Ministry Meeting (5:00PM).

Evening Prayer Service (6:00PM).

This week in the life of Redeemer . . .

Men’s Prayer Breakfast (Saturday, 8:30AM). All men of the church will gather at the Robertson’s farm for fellowship and prayer.

For Redeemer Members . . .

Average Weekly Offerings to Date \$1,858
Weekly Budget Needs..... \$1,955
Offering for August 28, 2011 \$1,039

Did you know . . . ?

Recent sermons are available online for listening or download at www.rpcdickson.org. *Tell a friend!*

Rehearsals for our Christmas musical will begin shortly. Contact Lauran Chadwick for more information.

Missionaries Terry & Francine Clarke need to raise additional support. Right now we cannot increase the level of support we have budgeted for them. However, if you would like to help underwrite this important work by adding your direct gifts to the Clarkes to what we are already doing for them each month, please communicate your interest to the deacons.

Worship Ministry

Ron Robertson, *Worship Leader*
Pam Spence, *Music Director* • Patti Robertson, *Pianist*
Cindi Brown & Ann Galya, *Vocalists*

Serving You

Katllynn Karnes, Clay McKinney, Ronda Moore,
& John Stevens, *Sound & Recording*
Mary Karnes, *Treasurer* • Anita Berkey & Bonnie Madden, *Finance Clerks*
Vickie Stevens, *Prayer Letter Editor* (vns2js@gmail.com)
The Chadwicks, *August Facility Volunteers*

Childcare Attendants

Dot Barnhill & Anita Berkey (9:00AM) • Rachel Rist (10:45AM)
Donna Taylor, *Children’s Ministry Director*

Leadership Team

R. Neil Spence, D. Min., *Pastor* (nspence@rpcdickson.org)
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Jim Berkey • Phil Chadwick • Ron Robertson, *Ruling Elders*
Blake Chadwick • Clay McKinney • Boyd Taylor, *Deacons*

SERVICE FOR The Lord’s Day

September 4, 2011

Words of Greeting & Opening Prayer

Psalm of PraisePsalm 146

The Morning Prayer & 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 debts as we forgive our debtors.

And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil.

For Thine is the kingdom, and the power

and the glory forever. Amen.

The Offering

Offertory Sentences

The Offertory

Act of Praise *The 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.

Prayer of Consecration

Hymn *I Love to Tell the Story*

Scripture Reading.....Job 1:6-12

Sermon *God’s Hedge Around His Own*

Pastor Ken Brown, *Preaching*

Hymn *At the Lamb’s High Feast We Sing*

The Lord’s Supper

Psalter Psalm 149:1-4

The Blessing

Redeemer Presbyterian Church

A Congregation of the Presbyterian Church in America

Meeting at **7 Valley West Drive, Dickson, Tennessee 37055**

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Psalm 146

- 1 Praise the LORD, let all within me
Offer to the LORD His praise.
- 2 I will praise the LORD forever,
Praise my God through all my days.
- 3 Put no trust in earthly princes—
Mortal men who cannot save.
- 4 When he dies his plans will perish,
Buried with him in the grave.

- 5 He who has the God of Jacob
As his help is truly blessed.
On the LORD his God forever
Will his hope securely rest.
- 6 God has made the earth and heaven,
And He also made the sea;
He made everything within them;
He is faithful constantly.

- 7 He will always render justice
For the sake of those oppressed.
He gives food to those who hunger,
Satisfies their emptiness.
Captive ones the LORD releases,
- 8 To the blind the LORD gives sight;
Those brought low the LORD will lift up,
He relieves them from their plight.

- How the LORD loves all the righteous!
- 9 He protects the stranger's stay,
Helps the fatherless and widows,
But subverts the wicked's way.
- 10 Yes, the LORD will reign forever;
Zion's God forevermore,
Throughout every generation;
Hallelujah! Praise the LORD.

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I Love to Tell the Story

I love to tell the story of unseen things above,
Of Jesus and His glory, of Jesus and His love.
I love to tell the story; because I know 'tis true.
It satisfies my longings as nothing else can do.

I love to tell the story; more wonderful it seems
Than all the golden fancies of all our golden dreams.
I love to tell the story; it did so much for me,
And that is just the reason I tell it now to thee.

*I love to tell the story! 'Twill be my theme in glory
To tell the old, old story of Jesus and His love.*

I love to tell the story; 'Tis pleasant to repeat
What seems each time I tell it more wonderfully sweet.
I love to tell the story; for some have never heard
The message of salvation from God's own holy Word.

I love to tell the story, for those who know it best
Seem hungering and thirsting to hear it like the rest.
And when in scenes of glory I sing the new, new song,
'Twill be the old, old story that I have loved so long.

Words by A. Catherine Hankey & Music by William G. Fischer.

At the Lamb's High Feast We Sing

At the Lamb's high feast we sing
Praise to our victorious King,
Who has washed us in the tide
Flowing from His pierc-ed side;
Praise we Him whose love divine
Gives His sacred blood for wine,
Gives His body for the feast,
Christ the victim, Christ the priest.

*Not with the
blood of
goats and
calves, but
with His own
blood He
entered the
Most Holy
Place.
Heb. 9:12
NKJV*

Where the paschal blood is poured,
Death's dark angel sheathes his sword;
Israel's hosts triumphant go
Through the wave that drowns the foe.
Praise we Christ, whose blood was shed,
Paschal victim, paschal bread;
With sincerity and love
Eat we manna from above.

*Christ, our
Passover,
was
sacrificed
for us.
1Cor. 5:7
NKJV*

Mighty victim from the sky,
Pow'rs of hell beneath Thee lie;
Death is conquered in the fight,
Thou hast brought us life and light:
Hymns of glory and of praise,
Risen Lord, to Thee we raise;
Holy Father, praise to Thee,
With the Spirit, ever be.

*By the appearing
of our Savior
Jesus Christ,
who has
abolished death
and brought life
and immortality
to light through
the gospel.
2Tim 1:10
NKJV*

Latin hymn, 6th Century. Translated by Robert Campbell,
1984, alt. Tune: ST. GEORGE'S WINDSOR 7.7.7.7.D.
by George J. Elvey, 1859.

Psalm 149

Verses 1-4

- 1 Praise the LORD! Hallelujah!
Sing the LORD a new song!
Sing with fresh thanksgiving
Where saints gather as one.

- 2 May the thought of his Maker
Joy to Israel bring;
Let the sons of Zion
Take delight in their King.

- 3 In exuberant dancing
Let them worship His name;
Tambourine and harp join,
Help them sing of His fame.

- 4 For the LORD, in His people,
Finds great joy and delight;
He adorns the humble,
Saving them by His might.

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