

Reading Plan
2024

Dec 29- 2 Peter 2
Dec 30- 2 Peter 3
Dec 31- Prayer for New Year
Jan 1- Exodus 1
Jan 2- Exodus 2
Jan 3- Exodus 3
Jan 4- Exodus 4

Financials

2024 Total Budget	\$449,994.00
2024 Tithes Collected to Date	\$888,399.36
2024 Faith Promise Budget	\$71,800.00
2024 Faith Promise Pledged	\$54,900.00
2024 Faith Promise Collected	\$99,232.00
Building Campaign Pledged	\$854,037.00
Building Campaign Collected	\$436,567.66

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A congregation of the
Presbyterian Church in America (PCA)

Redeemer Church



December 29, 2024

Our Mission Statement

We are a community of praying Christians called by God to worship Him; intentionally share Jesus' story with others; baptize those who accept Christ, enfoldng them into the family of God; and joyfully disciple Christians to think Biblically about life.

Matthew 28:16-20

Worship & Praise to the Living God

Call to Worship

Invocation Prayer

Hymns of Praise: ***Hark the Herald Angels Sing***
Sing We the Song of Emmanuel

Scripture Reading: *Psalm 119:1-18, 97*

Responsive Reader: A Prayer for The New Year

Hymn of Response: ***The First Noel***

Collection of Tithes & Offerings to the Lord

Dismissal of Children's Church: 3-5 yrs. old & K-2nd grade

Pastoral Prayer

Scripture: Psalm 119:1-18, 97

Sermon: ***The Bible is Knowable, Necessary, and Enough***

Closing Hymn: ***All Glory Be to Christ***

Benediction

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Volunteer Schedule

Children's Church Schedule:

Today: Scott Smolder, Travis Ballengee

1/5 Vicki Hall, Amber Stevens

1/12 Amy Potter, Cathy Stover

Toddler Worship Schedule:

Today: Caleb Carter, Marybeth Witkowski

1/5 Alice Hunt, Jude Wisnewski

1/12 Sue Hill, Megan Wittington

Greeting Team Schedule:

Today: Brian & Betsy Plants

1/5 Ron & Maria Marcinko

1/12 Todd & Shannon Gress

Nursery:

Today: Amy Potter, Jessica Spurlock

1/5 Lizzie O'Dell, Lauren Carter

1/12 Amy Potter, Cathy Stover

Missionaries of the Month

Pray for this year's upcoming Missions Conference.
Pray for our leaders to make wise decisions on dates,
speakers, etc. and for the LORD to bless it in our lives.

Sermon Notes

Thought for the Week

God does not profess to answer in Scripture all the questions that we, in our boundless curiosity, would like to ask about Scripture. He tells us merely as much as He sees we need to know as a basis for our life of faith. And He leaves unsolved some of the problems raised by what He tells us, in order to teach us a humble trust in His truthfulness. The question, therefore, that we must ask ourselves when faced with these puzzles is 'is it reasonable to take God's word and believe that He has spoken the truth, even though I cannot fully comprehend what He has said?' The question carries its own answer. Our own intellectual competence is not the test and measure of divine truth. It is not for us to stop believing because we lack understanding, but to believe in order that we may understand. We should not abandon faith in anything God has taught us merely because we cannot solve all the problems which it raises.

J.I. Packer

January Bible Memory Verse

All Scripture is breathed out by God and profitable for teaching, for reproof, for correction, and for training in righteousness, that the man of God may be competent, equipped for every good work.

2 Timothy 3:16-17

A Prayer for the New Year

(Adapted from the book *Leadership Prayers*, Richard Kriegbaum)

Leader: *“For I know the plans I have for you,” says the Lord, “They are plans for good and not for disaster, to give you a future and a hope.”* Jeremiah 29:11

God’s people: Lead us into this New Year Heavenly Father. By your grace may we see through the foggy confusion of our times. Help us to choose the right path. Guide us O Lord!

Leader: Wisdom alone will not automatically make our plans easy to accomplish. Inevitably, wise planning will require us to act before it is completely apparent what we should do. Give us courage O Lord!

God’s people: Help us to hear your words and to obey them that we may be wise and build our house on the rock. Give us obedient hearts O Lord.

Silent Prayer for the New Year

Assurance that God hears our prayers: Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made know to God. And the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus. For the eyes of the LORD are on the righteous, and his ears are open to their prayer. But the face of the Lord is against those who do evil.

Philippians 4:6-7, 1 Peter 3:12

Events & Announcements

Ministering to our older folks – We have a handful of older folks who have frequent medical appointments, and getting to and from these appointments can be a challenge without the help of another person. If you are looking for a tangible way to be used here at Redeemer, would you consider helping in this way? This would entail driving the person to his/her appointment, possibly pushing a wheelchair, etc. If you are interested in helping, please reach out to Kurt at 304-531-4524. There is no long-term commitment, so you can accept or decline any appointment based on your schedule.

Scott, here are the verses – in the order – that I will read them during the sermon. I will not read them all at the beginning, but will read them one at a time as we work through the sermon. (We can review them Sunday morning with each other.)

Acts 16:14

Psalm 119:89

Psalm 119:96

Psalm 119:160

Psalm 119:73

Psalm 119:75

Psalm 119:86

Psalm 119:1-2

Psalm 119:6

Psalm 119:28

Psalm 119:24

Psalm 119:47

Psalm 119:103

Psalm 119:50

Psalm 119:52

Psalm 119:58

Psalm 119:176