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# 2030 Vision

We are a church growing in the grace of the gospel, discipling others across every age and stage of life. We want to be known for humble orthodoxy, evangelical partnerships, prophetic witness, and gospel-centered focus. We hold fast to Scripture, which is faithfully taught and rigorously studied within our community. We do not shy away from theological depth and are a safe place for skeptics and seekers to ask questions. We are wellknown not just for theological convictions but for seeking mercy and justice, and are advocates for the broken, marginalized, and oppressed. We value community that portrays how the gospel impacts relationships. Our church makes spiritual and relational commitments to each other that are taken seriously. As community, we pray corporately, in small groups, as families and individuals, expressing our dependence and need for God. We are passionate about equipping and sending disciples into homes, the workplace, schools, and the nations. We purposefully equip future leaders and missionaries for service domestically and globally. We are a place where wounded church leaders can safely come and be made whole again. In our generosity, we provide resources locally and globally for the cause of Christ. Our legacy is about the kingdom of God in Bozeman and beyond for generations to come.





To all who are weary and need rest, to all who mourn and long for comfort, to all who feel worthless and wonder if God cares, to all who fail and desire strength, to all who sin and need a Savior.

# Welcome!

# to Redeemer Church

This church opens wide her doors with a welcome from Jesus Christ, the Ally of his enemies, the Defender of the guilty, the Justifier of the inexcusable, the Friend of sinners.



Redeemer Exists to Glorify God by Making Disciples Who Follow Jesus Christ for the Joy of All People

#### Order of Service

# Gathering

"Found In You"

#### Welcome

Kelly Krueger Children & Youth Discipleship Director

# Advent Reading Joy

#### Adoration

"Hark the Herald Angels Sing"

#### Confession

"O Come to the Altar"

# Thanksgiving

Pastoral Prayer and Offering Zack Graham Elder "Come Thou Long Expected Jesus"

# God at Work

Jim Keena

# Scripture Reading

#### Sermon

Songs of Jesus: Shepherds & Angels Sing

# Response

"Great I Am"

#### Benediction

# Sermon Discussion Questions Shepherds & Angels Sing Luke 2:1-20

- 1. The shepherds have what can only be described as an undeniable overwhelming encounter with the supernatural? Have you or anyone you know had an experience like this? How did you/they respond?
- 2. The theological word for the coming of Jesus is "incarnation." Read 2 Corinthians 8:9 and Philippians 2:5-7. What did Jesus give up to come as a baby? Why did he voluntarily condescend?
- 3. Read 1 John 4:7-10. As you think of the incarnation, define the love of God. How then shall we live (v11-12)? Get really specific.
- 4. Why did the angels first announce the birth of Jesus to shepherds? How is it an example of God's priorities and mercy?
- 5. In verse 11, we are given three titles of Jesus. What is significant about each of them?
- 6. The angels bring a message of peace? What kind of peace is being offered?
- 7. Verse 15 the shepherds immediately go looking for Jesus and seemingly abandon their job and flock. How is this an example to us?
- 8. The angels (v14) and shepherds (v20) react to the news of Jesus arrival with song. Why is singing such a natural response to good news?
- 9. As you think about the rhythms of worship in your life this Christmas, what are the tangible ways you are worshiping Jesus?

# Sermon Notes



Shepherds & Angels Sing Luke 2:1-20

# Events and Opportunities

# Children and Family Christmas Open House

#### December 17 | 3-6pm

Families are invited to come to an open house Christmas Party 3-6pm on Saturday, December 17th. We will have various activity stations for engagement and fellowship with other families.

#### Red Cross Blood Drive

#### December 29 | 10am-3pm

To make your appointment or for more information, please call the Red Cross at 1-800-RED-CROSS (733-2767), or download the Free Red Cross Blood Donor App or go to www.redcrossblood.org

# Perspectives Class

#### 15-Week Course Beginning January 17

Perspectives on the World Christian Movement is coming again! Check out details and register at: bozemanperspectives.com. Discounts are available for couples. For more information, call Arnie Benson at 548-2297.

#### Left Your Bible Here?

If you left your Bible here, it might be on the shelf across the hall from the main bathrooms.

#### New Here?

We're glad you're here! Redeemer is a community of all ages and stages. Regardless of where you are in life, you're welcome here. In all of the various parts of our service, don't feel any pressure to participate today. If you have questions about anything, or would like a free Bible, please head over to the Welcome Center or find someone with a nametag, and they'll steer you in the right direction. Feel free to grab a free coffee at our coffee bar down the hall! Just let them know this is one of your first Sundays here.

# CHRISTMAS EVE

AT REDEEMER CHURCH

# LESSONS & CAROLS

C A N D L E L I G H T S E R V I C E 2:00 P M | 3:30 P M | 5:00 P M

no service Sunday, December 25

Services will be held January 1 at 8:45 & 10:30am, as normal

# **EQUIPPING CLASSES**

IN DECEMBER

Equipping Classes run through December 18 and will return January 8.

# REDEEMER KIDS

Sunday Classes will remain active through December 18.

January 1 we will have childcare at our services through Kindergarten.

Classes will return as normal January 8.

# YOUTH GROUP

No Youth Group December 21, 28, or January 4. Youth Group resumes January 11.