

# Redeemer Presbyterian Church

A Congregation of the Presbyterian  
Church in America

Amarillo, Texas

*“To Glorify God, and Enjoy Him Forever”*

## Announcements

- We are honored to welcome Dr. Derek W. Thomas to the pulpit this morning. He is the Chancellor's Professor of Systematic and Pastoral Theology at Reformed Theological Seminary and recently retired as Senior Minister at First Presbyterian Church (ARP) in Columbia, South Carolina.
- Please join us for a Fellowship Meal following the Morning Worship Service. The meal will be in the Fellowship Hall.
- Evening Worship Service at 5:00 pm: Please join us again for an evening of worship as Dr. Thomas concludes his sermon series in the Book of Job.
- Tuesday, September 24 from 7:00 to 8:30 pm West Texas A&M College Ministry: we will gather in the foyer. The Bible Study titled *Who is Jesus...Really?* is led by Rev. Fortenberry. If you know of students who would be interested and if you would like to help, please let Rev. Fortenberry know as soon as possible. Please be in prayer for this ministry. **There is a sign-up sheet for snacks in the foyer.**
- Monday, September 30 at 6:45 am: Stated Session meeting.

## General Announcements

Fellowship time prior to Sunday School at 9:15 am

Sunday School classes at 9:30 am:

- Toddlers/Pre-K with Rhonda Lieberenz
- Elementary with Mason and Kellie Rogers
- Middle/High School Class with Malcolm Shelton and Jim Shelton
- Adults with Rev. Andrew Fortenberry

## **The Lord's Day Morning**

The Twenty-second Day of September, Two Thousand Twenty-four at Ten Thirty O'clock

*As we enter the presence of the Living God, we are invited to a time of reverent preparation for worship.*

**The Call to Worship** – Psalm 29:1-2; Psalm 113:3; Isaiah 55:6

“Ascribe to the LORD, O heavenly beings,  
ascribe to the LORD glory and strength.  
Ascribe to the LORD the glory due his name;  
worship the LORD in the splendor of holiness.  
From the rising of the sun to its setting,  
the name of the LORD is to be praised!  
Seek the LORD while he may be found;  
call upon him while he is near.”

### **The Moment of Silent Preparation**

**\*The Psalm 145** (*Verses 1-10*)

**\*The Prayer of Invocation**

### **The Corporate Confession of Sin**

“Lord God! Eternal and Almighty Father, we acknowledge and confess before your holy Majesty that we are poor sinners, conceived and born in guilt and in corruption, prone to do evil, unable of ourselves to do any good, who, by reason of our depravity, transgress without end your holy commandments. Be pleased to have compassion on us, O most gracious God, Father of all mercies, for the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. And in removing our guilt and our pollution, grant us the daily increase of the grace of your Holy Spirit, that acknowledging from our inmost heart our unrighteousness, we may be touched with sorrow that shall work true repentance. May your Holy Spirit, mortifying all sin within us, produce the fruits of holiness and righteousness that is well pleasing in your sight. Through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.” (adapted from French Reformer John Calvin, *Form of Church Prayers*, 1542).

### **The Assurance of Pardon**

“The LORD, the LORD, a God merciful and gracious, slow to anger, and abounding in steadfast love and faithfulness, keeping steadfast love for thousands, forgiving iniquity and transgression and sin. [Christ] was pierced for our transgressions;  
    he was crushed for our iniquities;  
upon him was the chastisement that brought us peace,  
    and with his wounds we are healed.  
All we like sheep have gone astray;  
    we have turned—every one—to his own way;  
and the LORD has laid on him  
    the iniquity of us all.” (Exodus 34:6-7; Isaiah 53:5-6)

### **The Corporate Reading of the Law**

“And God spake all these words, saying, ‘I am the LORD thy God, which have brought thee out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of bondage.  
    Thou shalt have no other gods before me.  
    Thou shalt not make unto thee any graven image.  
    Thou shalt not take the name of the LORD thy God in vain.  
    Remember the sabbath day to keep it holy.  
    Honour thy father and thy mother.  
    Thou shalt not kill.  
    Thou shalt not commit adultery.  
    Thou shalt not steal.  
    Thou shalt not bear false witness against thy neighbor.  
    Thou shalt not covet.’” (Exodus 20:1-17)

### **The Apostles’ Creed**

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

**I** believe in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord;

who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,  
born of the virgin Mary.  
He suffered under Pontius Pilate,  
was crucified, dead, and was buried;  
he descended into hell.  
The third day He arose again from the dead.  
He ascended into heaven and is seated  
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.

**The Scripture Reading:** 1 John 1:1-10  
(ESV Pew Bible page 1021)

**The Psalm 69** (*Verses 30-36*) Tune: Beatitudo

**\*The Morning Prayer**

**The Sermon** Dr. Derek W. Thomas  
**“Elihu’s (Not So) Different Take”**  
Job 32-37 (ESV Pew Bible page 438)

**Minister:** This is the Word of the Lord

**Congregation:** *Thanks be to God*

**\*The Hymn No. 648** “*My Jesus, I Love Thee*”

**The Offering:** *Silently thank the Lord for His providence.*

**\*The Doxology No. 731**

**\*The Benediction**

## *Church Officers*

*Pastor:* Rev. Dr. Tyler Taber

*Ruling Elders:* Jack Robinson, John Sanderson, Jim Shelton,  
Dr. David Gatz and Malcolm Shelton

*Deacons:* Joel White, Neil Shelton and Dr. Lee Stitzel

*Accompanist:* Brienna Cheney

*Director of Ministries:* Rev. Andrew Fortenberry

## *Welcome*

We welcome in Christ's name all who have come to worship with us this Lord's Day! Our members will be eager to greet you after the service. If you are interested in learning more about this congregation of Christ's Church, please feel free to speak with one of our elders following the service. They will be happy to answer questions you might have about the life and ministry of this congregation, as well as to pray with those who wish to receive Christ as their Lord and Savior.

## *Church Membership*

If you are interested in making this branch of Christ's Church your home, please speak to one of the elders after the service. Believers and their children who wish to join may come by Transfer of Letter from their previous congregation or by Reaffirmation of Faith.

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## **Dr. Derek W. Thomas**



Derek W.H. Thomas, a native of Wales, is the Chancellor's Professor of Systematic and Pastoral Theology at Reformed Theological Seminary and recently retired as Senior Minister at First Presbyterian Church (ARP) in Columbia, South Carolina. He previously served as the Chairman of the Theology Department at Reformed Theological Seminary (Jackson), the

Minister of Teaching at First Presbyterian Church (PCA) in Jackson, Mississippi, and the Robert Strong Professor of Systematic and Pastoral Theology at Reformed Theological Seminary (Atlanta). He is also a Teaching Fellow with Ligonier Ministries and Dean of their D.Min. Program. He holds a Bachelor of Science in Mathematics from the University of Wales, a Master of Divinity from Reformed Theological Seminary (Jackson), and a Doctor of Philosophy from the University of Wales (Lampeter). He was ordained in the Evangelical Church of Ireland, and served Stranmillis Evangelical Presbyterian Church in Belfast for 17 years before moving to the United States. He has published more than twenty books and contributed to many others.

For more information, please visit: <https://rts.edu/people/dr-derek-w-h-thomas/>

# Lord's Day Evening Worship

September 22, 2024 - 5:00 pm

**Prelude**

*Ms. Brienna Cheney*

**The Call to Worship** – Psalm 111

(Trinity Hymnal, page 826)

*Rev. Dr. Tyler Taber*

**The Prayer of Invocation**

**\*The Hymn No. 38** *“Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise”*

**The Scripture Reading:** Isaiah 55

(ESV Pew Bible page 615)

*Rev. Andrew Fortenberry*

**The Psalm 18** (*Verses 1-13*)

**\*The Evening Prayer**

**The Sermon**

**“Dungeons and Dragons”** Job 38-42

*Dr. Derek W. Thomas*

**\*The Hymn No. 481**

*“Turn Your Eyes upon Jesus”*

*Rev. Dr. Tyler Taber*

**\*The Gloria Patria**

*Glory be to the Father,  
And to the Son and to the Holy Ghost;  
As it was in the beginning,  
Is now and ever shall be,  
World without end. Amen, amen.*

**\*The Benediction**

**Postlude**

*Ms. Brienna Cheney*



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