

JULY 16, 2023

EVENING

Order of Worship

Greeting

Call to Worship

Psalm 51:13-15

Then I will teach transgressors your ways, and sinners will return to you. Deliver me from bloodguiltiness, O God, O God of my salvation, and my tongue will sing aloud of your righteousness. O Lord, open my lips, and my mouth will declare your praise.

Invocation

*** Hymn # 529**

“Love Divine, All Loves Excelling”

Affirmation of Faith:

Westminster Confession of Faith, 11.3

Justification

Christ, by His obedience and death, did fully discharge the debt of all those that are thus justified, and did make a proper, real, and full satisfaction to His Father's justice in their behalf. Yet, in as much as He was given by the Father for them; and His obedience and satisfaction accepted in their stead; and both, freely, not for any thing in them; their justification is only of free grace; that both the exact justice, and rich grace of God might be glorified in the justification of sinners.

*** Scripture Reading**

New Testament: *John 19:16-30* (Finished at the Cross)

*** Pastor:** This is the Word of our God.

*** Congregation:** The grass withers, the flower fades, but the Word of our God stands forever.

Pastoral Prayer

*** Hymn # 634**

“Sweet Hour of Prayer”

*** Prayer for Illumination**

Sermon Series: *Ruth*

*** Sermon Text**

Ruth 4:1-12

*** Pastor:** Thus far the reading of God's holy Word. And may God add His blessing to the reading of His Word.

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

Sermon Title: “Redemption”

Pastor Michael Mock

Sermon Outline: Begins below

Prayer for Transformation

*** Hymn # 347**

“The Church's One Foundation”

The Lord's Supper: Redemption Accomplished

*** Hymn # 521**

“My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less”

*** Benediction**

*** Departing Hymn # 740**

“Threefold Amen”

Amen. Amen. Amen.

Sermon Outline: *Ruth 4:1-12* "Redemption"

The Redeemer takes on all the obligations of redemption, accomplishes redemption, and is blessed for his work of redemption.

1. Redemption Denied (vv. 1-6)

- a. The Cost of Redemption (vv. 1-6)
- b. The Can't of Redemption (vv. 5-6)
- c. **Application:** Everyone and everything who is NOT Jesus cannot pay the cost of redemption.

2. Redemption Accomplished (vv. 7-10)

- a. Law-Keeping (vv. 7-9)
 - i. Custom
 - ii. Witnesses
 - iii. Fullness of Redemption
 - iv. **Application:** Christ took upon himself all the obligations for our redemption.
- b. Life-Giving (v. 10)
 - i. Dead to (physical) life
 - ii. Dead to (spiritual) life

3. Redemption Blessed (vv. 11-12)

- a. Inclusion
- b. Fruitfulness
- c. Prosperity
- d. **Application:** Inclusion, fruitfulness, and prosperity in God's house depend on God.