#### GUARDRAILS: "Commandment 9" James 4:1-12

#### **I. Intro:** The nature of dogs

"You shall not covet your neighbor's house." Exodus 20:17

"What causes quarrels and what causes fights among you? Is it not this, that your passions are at war within you? You desire and do not have, so you murder. You covet and cannot obtain, so you fight and quarrel. You do not have, because you do not ask. You ask and do not receive, because you ask wrongly, to spend it on your passions." (James 1:1-3 ESV)

#### \_\_ in the salvation that Jesus has won for you

"[You have been] buried with [Jesus] in baptism, in which you also were raised with Him through faith in the working of God, who raised Him from the dead. And you, being dead in your trespasses and the uncircumcision of your flesh, He has made alive together with Him, having forgiven you all trespasses, having wiped out the handwriting of requirements that was against us, which was contrary to us. And He has taken it out of the way, having nailed it to the cross." (Colossians 2:12-14 NKJV)

### \_ and put to death

"Since, then, you have been raised with Christ, set your hearts on things above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God. Set your minds on things above, not on earthly things. For you died, and your life is now hidden with Christ in God." (Colossians 3:1-3 NIV)

"Therefore put to death your members which are on the earth: fornication, uncleanness, passion, evil desire, and covetousness, which is idolatry. Because of these things the wrath of God is coming upon the sons of disobedience, in which you yourselves once walked when you lived in them." (Colossians 3:5-7 NKJV)

### IV. \_\_\_\_\_ your mind

**III**.

"[You] have been taught by Him, as the truth is in Jesus: that you put off, concerning your former conduct, the old man which grows corrupt according to the deceitful lusts, and be renewed in the spirit of your mind, and that you put on the new man which was created according to God, in true righteousness and holiness." (Ephesians 4:22-24 NKJV)

#### V. \_\_\_\_\_ the race of this life with faith

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The 10 Commandments

PART 10 Commandment 9 James 4:1-12

# Traditional Worship

August 4, 2024

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Welcome & Invocation
(Service of Prayer & Preaching, pg.260) *"Praise to the Lord, the Almighty"* (LSB790:1-3, 5)
Opening Versicles & Old Testament Canticle *"Sing Praise to the God of Israel"* (LSB936)

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### Readings

Exodus 16:2-15; James 4:1-12; John 6:22-35 Responsory, Creed, & Lord's Prayer *"Have No Fear, Little Flock"* (LSB735) Message GUARDRAILS: "Commandment 9"

"These Are the Holy Ten Commands" (LSB581:10)

- Prayer, Prayer of the Day, Prayer for the Word Online giving is available at RedeemerRolla.org/give. Thanks for supporting the ongoing mission and ministry in this way! God bless you!
- New Testament Canticle "The King of Love My Shepherd Is" (LSB709)

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### Blessing

*"Lord of All Hopefulness"* (LSB738) Announcements

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# **Sunday Worship Schedule**

8:30am - Traditional Worship9:45am - Growth Groups for Adults, Youth & KidZone11am - Contemporary Worship

# Welcome to Redeemer!

Thanks for worshiping with us! We want you to feel at home and encourage you to introduce yourself to one of our greeters or pastor. If you'd like more info about Redeemer, please fill out the Connect Card in the chair-back in front of you. *We want to meet and welcome you personally.* If you have questions concerning hearing assistance or directions to our nursery or classrooms, an usher will be happy to assist. Children's bulletins and "busy hands" bags are available at the Welcome Center just outside the sanctuary.

So we're going to come right out and say something that likely won't shock you: *We're not perfect.* We try to be real, transparent, and honest. But we even fail at that sometimes. You may feel ignored or unappreciated in some way this morning, but that certainly is not our intention. Please allow us to get to know you better – we all came to worship a Loving God.

But here's the thing: *We don't come to church to meet perfect people.* We come to meet *a perfect God*. He's inviting us to worship today. He is good and His love endures forever. And His is a love that was consummated on a cross and vindicated in an empty tomb. *Jesus won the battle* against sin, death and the devil. He freed us. *Today we celebrate that victory* and freedom together as *imperfect people, longing for more of Him.* 

# Pastor Nathan

# If This is Your First Time Joining Us!

We're thrilled you are here! We'd love to get to know you better! We pray this time of worship encourages and challenges you in your faith.

If you are looking for a church home, *we would love to partner with you* to make an eternal difference in our community

for Jesus. Consider being part of the next "Doorway Class" which will give you a better flavor for who we are as a church. You will find that *Redeemer is a great place to GATHER, GROW, and GO in your relationship with Jesus* 

Come "GROW" with us!

### Welcome to the Lord's Table

If you're a guest, we are glad you are here! Prior to taking Communion, we encourage you to speak with pastor or an elder. We believe the sacrament of Communion is a gift of Christ to His Church. Scripture encourages, all who receive this gift must first examine themselves concerning matters of biblical faith and godly living: "Examine yourselves, and only then eat of the bread and drink of the cup." (1 Cor 11:28). Therefore, prior to celebrating Communion, we ask that you prayerfully consider the following:

- \* Do I believe I'm a sinner without hope of eternal life except for God's mercy offered through the death & resurrection of Jesus Christ?
- \* Do I believe Jesus is present with His Body & His Blood in, with, and under the bread and wine?
- \* Do I believe Jesus is God's Son & my Savior?
- \* Do I desire, by the power of the Holy Spirit and the instruction of God's Word, to live a life pleasing to Him?
- \* Do I repent of my sins in what I say, think, & do?

We believe your "Yes!" to these questions affirms a common faith with confirmed Lutheran Christians and is your invitation to our Lord's Table. Non-Communing children and adults are encouraged to come up for a personal blessing. For those who prefer, white grape juice is available at the center of each Communion tray.

