



We are so happy you are joining us for this week's message Leaving a Legacy, which is part of our stewardship series entitled, DIFFERENCE MAKER. During this coming week we hope that you will be able to spend time in prayer & reflection, seeking to understand what God's will is for your financial giving and being a difference maker. On May 2nd, we will have the privilege of dedicating our financial gifts to God. Watch your mailbox and email for more detailed information.

CHRISTIAN SUMMER CAMPS

There are many different Christian summer camps in Michigan for all age groups, from Christian Athletic Camp (CAC), Bayshore, Wesley Woods and more. Registration is happening now, for more details on camps and the scholarship that Redeemer offers, please visit or mobile app or website: www.myredeemer.church/summer-camps/

MOBILE FOOD DRIVE

Yesterday, at the DeWitt Campus, was our second mobile food drive. Thank You to everyone that helped us spread the word, prayed for the volunteers, good weather, and for the families picking up food.



Redeemer UMC is looking for a full-time qualified individual for the position of Director of Music and Worship Arts. This person is responsible to build, recruit, and shepherd worship teams that lead the congregation in Spirit-led worship. For more details on responsibilities and requirements, or to apply for the job please contact Keith Lamb in the church office, keith@dewittredeemer.org or 517-669-3430 ext 325.

DEWITT CAMPUS WEEKLY EVENTS

Sunday

Christian Ed
3 yrs old – 12th grade

Bible Study for 11th/12th grade
5pm • HSM Room

Monday

Prayer Team at 10:30am

Tuesday

Youth Group for 6th-8th grade
6-730pm • Gym

Wednesday

Bible Study for 9th/10th grade
7pm • HSM Room

Thursday

DeWitt MOPS/MOMSnex –
check website for dates/time

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For Sunday info and upcoming events, be sure to check the calendar tab on our website.

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SERMON NOTES:

Series: DIFFERENCE MAKER

4/18/2021

Message: Leaving a Legacy

Text: Acts 1:1-11; Galatians 6:7-10

DIGGING DEEPER GUIDE

BIG IDEA: LEAVE A LEGACY BY INVESTING IN MISSIONS

Getting Started

If you were asked the question, 'How do you want to be remembered?' what would you say?

Reflection/Discussion Questions

1. What motivates you to live a good and generous life?
2. If you were one of the disciples, how would you have felt about Jesus' words: '*But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes on you, and you will be my witnesses...*'?
3. Share a time when the Holy Spirit gave you power to overcome a weakness.
4. What are some areas of your life that you are relying more on your own strength rather than the power of the Holy Spirit?

5. As a congregation, how are we planting seeds in the lives of people who may not know Christ or have a church home?
6. What does Redeemer's investment in missions mean to you? Why is it important?
7. What are the prayer requests on your mind and heart today?

Prayer: Lord Jesus, you have given us a mission and vision to keep planting seeds of your love in greater ways. Thank you for the promise of your power in our lives as we invest in the work you have called us to do. Help us to leave a legacy of generosity and faithfulness, both as individuals and as a congregation. Amen.

Going Deeper: Read Acts 1:1-11. What do the disciples think will happen when they receive the Holy Spirit (v.6)? How does their idea of the kingdom differ from Jesus' vision (v.7-8)? How are we living out Jesus' vision today?

FOCUS SCRIPTURES:

"It is not for you to know the times or dates the Father has set by his own authority. But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes on you; and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth." Acts 1:7-8

"People reap what they sow. Those who sow to please themselves, from that nature will reap destruction. Those who sow to please the Spirit, from the Spirit will reap eternal life. Let us not become weary in doing good, for at the proper time we will reap a harvest if we do not give up...Therefore, let us do good to all people." Galatians 6:7-10