



## S E R V I N G   A T   R E D E M P T I O N

Thank you so much for your heart and desire to serve the Body of Christ here at Redemption. It is because of our love for Jesus and the love of Jesus within us that we are motivated to serve in ministry. Your willingness to serve is a testimony of God's Spirit working in you, and we are deeply grateful.

***Matthew 20:28 just as the Son of Man did not come to be served, but to serve, and to give His life a ransom for many.***

***John 15:12-13 This is My commandment, that you love one another as I have loved you.  
13 Greater love has no one than this, than to lay down one's life for his friends.***

We believe that every believer has been given gifts by God to build up the Body of Christ. These gifts are expressions of His grace and are meant to be used both inside and outside the church to reveal His heart to the world. It is our joy and responsibility to help you discover, develop, and use those gifts in a way that glorifies Jesus and advances His Kingdom.

***1 Peter 4:10 As each one has received a gift, minister it to one another, as good stewards of the manifold grace of God.***

***Romans 12:6 Having then gifts differing according to the grace that is given to us, let us use them: if prophecy, let us prophesy in proportion to our faith;***

So thank you for allowing us to walk alongside you as you grow in your gifts.

*(See next page for "next steps for serving")*

## Next Steps for Serving (in no particular order)

- **Attend our “About Redemption” class**

This class is a great way to get to know us—what we believe, what we do, and how we do it. We hold this class every three months, so please sign up to attend our next class.

- **Continue to faithfully attend our gatherings**

It is extremely important to us that your relationship with the Lord is a greater priority than being involved at Redemption. Serving in ministry requires us to “pour out,” so we encourage everyone to first “be filled” by gathering with the church regularly.

- **Build relationship with your Ministry Leader and with Redemption**

We are a body. We are a community. We are a family. We would love to get to know you and for you to get to know us. Have conversations, receive prayer, and spend time together so that both your ministry and ours flow from a place of relationship and fellowship.

- **Meet with the Ministry Leader to discuss the responsibilities**

Each ministry has specific responsibilities that help us to serve Redemption accordingly. Knowing those responsibilities will help you make the necessary commitment as you serve.

**Acts 2:42–47** *And they continued steadfastly in the apostles' doctrine and fellowship, in the breaking of bread, and in prayers. 43 Then fear came upon every soul, and many wonders and signs were done through the apostles. 44 Now all who believed were together, and had all things in common, 45 and sold their possessions and goods, and divided them among all, as anyone had need.*

*46 So continuing daily with one accord in the temple, and breaking bread from house to house, they ate their food with gladness and simplicity of heart, 47 praising God and having favor with all the people. And the Lord added to the church daily those who were being saved.*

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There is no strict timeframe or specific order for these steps to take place before you begin serving here at Redemption. Our heart is to provide opportunities for you to serve as soon as possible.

We ask only that you pray, as we pray for you, and trust that the Holy Spirit will lead us all. We believe that the Lord Himself appoints and positions each person in His Body according to His perfect will and timing.

**1 Corinthians 12:18** *But now God has set the members, each one of them, in the body just as He pleased.*

*We look forward to you serving on our Ministry Team as we continue to serve others.*

*- The Redemption Leadership Team*