

# Sermon Notes

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Date: May 12<sup>th</sup>, 2024

Series: The Fifth Gospel

Sermon: "The Agent of Redemption"

Text: Isaiah 43:1-21

**Introduction:** We are able to lift nine specific comforts of the gospel from the chapters 40-55. We have now come to the fifth of these specific comforts which we have entitled:

V. The Comfort of Redemption (42:18 – 44:25). We began last time diving into this extended passage by suggesting there are four aspects of redemption revealed:

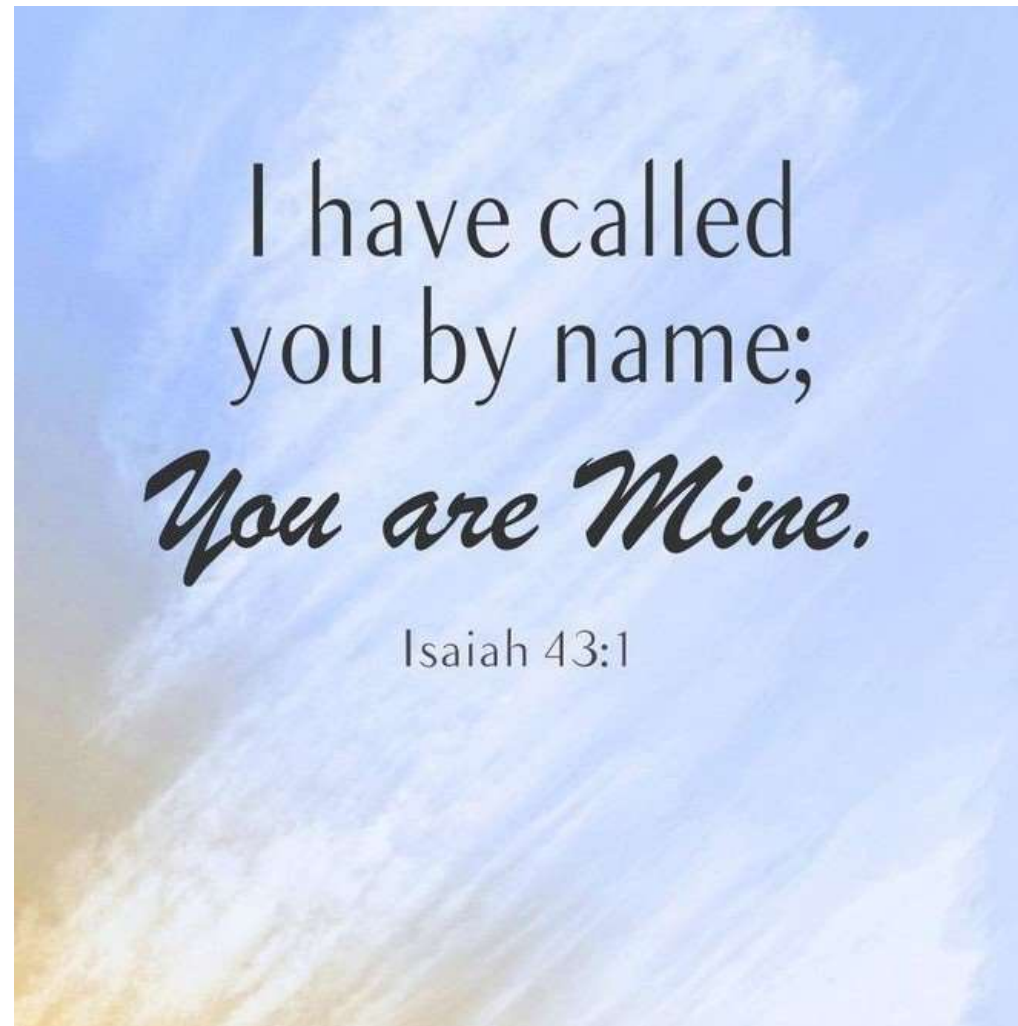
A. The case for redemption (42:18-25)

Today, we want to examine the second aspect:

B. The \_\_\_\_\_ of Redemption (43:1 -21) – five insights:

1. The Redeemer \_\_\_\_\_ his people (v. 1-2)
2. The Redeemer \_\_\_\_\_ his people (vv. 3-7)
  - a. He pays the \_\_\_\_\_ (v. 3, 4b)
  - b. He counts his people as \_\_\_\_\_ (v. 4a)
  - c. He does not \_\_\_\_\_ them (vv. 5-7)
3. The Redeemer is \_\_\_\_\_ (vv. 8-13)
  - a. I am unique from the \_\_\_\_\_ (v. 8-9)
  - b. I am uniquely \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ (vv. 10a; 12a, 13)
  - c. I am the unique \_\_\_\_\_ (vv. 10b -11)
4. The Redeemer is a \_\_\_\_\_ (vv. 14-17)
5. The Redeemer creates that \_\_\_\_\_ is \_\_\_\_\_ (vv. 18-21)

Conclusion:



**BEREAN BAPTIST CHURCH**

**May 12, 2024**

Services @ 8:30 & 11:00 am • Sunday School @ 10:00 am

**Baptism 11 am  
Small Group Week**

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# Welcome

Thank you for joining us today at Berean Baptist Church. We would delight in assisting you in any way that we can. **Please feel free to stop by the Welcome Center after the 11 AM Worship.** Information regarding children's classes and our check-in system are located in the lobby at the child check-in kiosk.

# Prayer

## Missionary of the Month:

Ray & Annette Ronk ~ Brazil ~ Baptist Mid Mission

**Prayer Families of the Week:** Penny Smith, Sarah Reinhart, Matthew & Mary Beth Rost, Luke & Alaiyah Carr

**Prayer Ministry of the Month:** Children's Ministry

# Calendar

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| <b><u>Monday 13th</u></b><br>Anchormen 7:30 AM | <b><u>Tuesday 14th</u></b>                              | <b><u>Wednesday 15th</u></b><br>Biblical Counseling Series<br>6:30 pm |
| <b><u>Thursday 16th</u></b>                    | <b><u>Friday 17th</u></b><br>Men's Fellowship<br>6-9 pm | <b><u>Saturday 18th</u></b>   |

For a detailed listing of future events, please refer to our website calendar:  
[www.bereanlife.org/calendar/](http://www.bereanlife.org/calendar/)

# Stewardship

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| Tithes/Offerings: | \$27,306.01 | YTD Giving:    | \$348,640.86 |
| Weekly Budget:    | \$16,368.83 | YTD Budget:    | \$294,638.88 |
| YTD Missions:     | \$60,776.60 | Building Fund: | \$304,471.31 |
| Local Missions:   | \$79,668.06 |                |              |

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# Announcements

## ~In Honor of Mother's Day~

Whether you are a daughter, mother, grandmother or aunt, we want to bless you with a special gift as you leave the worship service today.

### BIBLICAL COUNSELING

The Biblical Counseling ministry will be hosting a series "For All That Is In The World" on Wednesdays in **May (8th, 15th, 22nd, 29th) at 6:30-8:30 pm**. These four sessions will address the source of all our sinful problems in life and how God's Word empowers us to live free from the grip of sin. We will consider common temptations along with complex issues and how to cultivate obedience that is empowered by Christ. A light dinner is provided. **This series is for high school and adults only. Please sign up at the Welcome Center.**

### MEN'S FELLOWSHIP

Join your Berean brothers on **May 17th @ 6 pm** for a great time of fellowship. We have quite a few activities planned. There will be dinner followed by a great time of singing, sharing, and prayer!

### UPCOMING MEMBER MEETING/HIGH SCHOOL SENIOR RECOGNITION

Please mark your calendars for our next Members Meeting on **May 19th @ 6:00 pm**. We will also recognize our 2024 High School Seniors and their achievements. **There will be a mexican potluck following the meeting. Please sign up at the kiosk.**

### VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Join us this summer, **July 8th-12th from 9:30 am to 12:15 pm**, for *Vacation Bible School at the Breaker Rock Beach!* (aka Berean Baptist Church) VBS is a ministry for children who have completed kindergarten to those beginning 9th grade. Registration runs May 1st through July 1st, so sign up today and invite a friend! Drop off and pick up are in the main auditorium at Berean. Questions? Please contact Rich Cork ([rich@bereanlife.org](mailto:rich@bereanlife.org)) or Tiffany Mullins.

Please register via the QR code or web address:  
[tinyurl.com/bereanVBS24](http://tinyurl.com/bereanVBS24)



### UPCOMING HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION PARTIES

- Emma Cork - May 25th from 10 am-1 pm @ Berean
- Cherish Saathoff - June 1st from 3-6 pm @ Berean
- Cash Mumford - June 2nd from 1-4 pm @ their home (23206 Ennishore, Novi)
- Hayden Brose - June 2nd from 4-8 pm @ Berean
- Jacob Reinhart - June 15th from 11- 4 pm @ Berean
- Isaac Miller - June 15th from 4-8 pm @ their home (22500 Devron Ct. Novi)