

# STHE LORD'S DAY ~ February 12, 2017

MORNING WORSHIP 10:30 A.M.

## Welcome to Covenant Presbyterian Church

to all who are spiritually weary and seek rest;  
to all who mourn and long for comfort;  
to all who struggle and need strength;  
to all who sin and need a Savior;  
to all who are strangers and want fellowship;  
to all who hunger and thirst after righteousness;  
to all who will come,  
this church opens wide her doors  
and offers welcome  
in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ!

**Preparation for Worship** Thank you for silencing all electronic devices.

*Jesus, my feet are dirty. Come even as a slave to me, pour water into your bowl, come and wash my feet. In asking such a thing I know I am overbold, but I dread what was threatened when you said to me, "If I do not wash your feet I have no fellowship with you." Wash my feet then, because I long for your companionship.*  
~ Origen (c. 185-254)

### Pastor's Welcome and Announcements

#### Prayer of Invocation and Praise

\*Call to Worship Revelation 15:3-4

\*Hymn Medley of Praise "Praise to the Lord, the Almighty" (C210)

"How Majestic Is Your Name" (C121)

"Great Is the Lord" (C140)

\*Confession of Faith The Heidelberg Catechism, (Questions 20-22)

**Leader:** *Are all people then saved through Christ just as they were lost through Adam?* (1)

**People:** No.  
Only those are saved  
who through true faith  
are grafted into Christ  
and accept all his benefits.

\* For those who are able, please stand at these times.

(1.) Matt 1:21, 7:13-14, 21, 7:24, 22:14, Mark 16:16, John 1:12-13, 3:36, 17:9, Isa 53:11, Ps 2:12, Rom 11:19-20, 3:22, Heb 4:2-3, 5:9, 10:39, 11:6; (2.) John 6:68-69, 17:3, 17, Jas 1:18, 2:19-20, Heb 11:1-4, Rom 2:18-20, 4:16-21, 5:1, 10:9-10, Eph 3:12, Jas 1:6, Luke 1:68, 2:14, 29-30, Heb 4:14-16, Matt 16:17, 2 Cor 1:21-22, 4:13, John 3:5, 3:13, 6:29, Gal 5:22, Phil 1:19, 29, Eph 1:13, Rom 1:16, 10:17, 1 Cor 1:21, Mark 16:15-16, Acts 10:44, 16:14, Heb 11:7-10, Matt 9:2, Hab 2:4, Rom 1:17, Gal 3:11, Heb 10:10, Gal 5:11, Eph 2:7-9, Heb 10:38-39, Hab 2:4, Gal 2:16, 2:20, Rom 3:24-26, 5:19, Eph 2:8, Luke 1:77-78, John 20:31; (3.) John 20:31, Matt 28:20, Mark 1:15, Acts 10:34-43.

**Leader:** *What is true faith?* (2)

**People:** True faith is  
not only a sure knowledge by which I hold as true  
all that God has revealed to us in Scripture;  
it is also a wholehearted trust,  
which the Holy Spirit creates in me by the gospel,  
that God has freely granted,  
not only to others but to me also,  
forgiveness of sins,  
eternal righteousness,  
and salvation.  
These are gifts of sheer grace, granted solely by Christ's merit.

**Leader:** *What then must a Christian believe?* (3)

**People:** All that is promised us in the gospel,  
a summary of which is taught us in the articles of our universal and  
undisputed Christian faith.

**Responsive Scripture Reading** "A Kingdom of Priests" (PB1048)

#### Pastoral Prayer

**Offertory Hymn** "Psalm 32" (Tune: C336)

What blessedness for him whose guilt has all forgiven been!  
When his transgressions pardoned are, and covered is his sin.  
O blessed the man 'gainst whom the LORD counts no iniquity,  
And in whose spirit there is not deceit or treachery.

When I kept silent, my bones aged; my groaning filled each day.  
Your hand oppressed me day and night; my moisture dried away.  
Then I to You admitted sin, hid not my guiltiness;  
I said, "I will before the LORD transgressions now confess."

Then You did all my sin forgive and take my guilt away.  
For this when You are near at hand let all the godly pray.  
The rising floods will harm him not. You are my hiding place.  
And You will comfort me with songs of victory and grace.

Instruction I will give to you and teach you as you go.  
My watchful eye will guide your steps; My counsel you will know.  
Be not like senseless horse or mule which if you would subdue  
You must with bit and bridle hold to bring him close to you.

The wicked many pangs endure, but steadfast cov'nant love  
Encircles every man whose trust is in the Lord above.  
Be glad and shout, you righteous ones, and in the Lord rejoice!  
And all whose hearts are just and true sing out with joyful voice!

**Presentation of Tithes and Offerings** Lamentations 3:22-23

**Prayer of Illumination** Psalm 119:65-66

**Sermon** Romans 1:1-7

"Romans (5): An Apostolic Introduction--B (5)"

The Romans Series  
Rev. Cory D. Colravy

#### Celebration of the Lord's Supper

##### Invitation

**Reading of the Law** Matthew 22:37-40

**Call to Confession** Deuteronomy 6:10-12

#### Confession of Sin

"The Love of Jesus"  
from The Valley of Vision

Heavenly Father, help me to approach You with deepest reverence,  
not with presumption, not with servile fear, but with holy boldness.  
You are beyond the grasp of my understanding,  
but not beyond that of my love.  
You know that I love You supremely,  
for You are supremely adorable, good and perfect.

My heart melts at the love of Jesus, my brother, bone of my bone, flesh of my flesh,  
married to me, dead for me, risen for me;  
He is mine and I am His, given to me as well as for me;  
I am never so much mine as when I am His, or so much lost to myself until lost in  
Him.  
But my love is frost and cold, ice and snow;  
Let his love warm me, lighten my burden, be my heaven;  
May it be more revealed to me in all its influences that my love to Him may be more  
fervent and glowing;  
Let the mighty tide of His everlasting love cover the rocks of my sin and care;  
Then let my spirit float above those things which had else wrecked my life.

Make me fruitful by living to that love, my character becoming more beautiful  
every day.  
If traces of Christ's love-artistry be upon me, may He work on with his divine brush  
until the complete image be obtained and I be made a perfect copy of him, my  
Master.

O Lord Jesus, come to me,  
O Divine Spirit, rest upon me,  
O Holy Father, look on me in mercy  
for the sake of Your well-beloved Son,  
our Lord and Savior,  
my Brother and Friend. Amen.

**Assurance of Pardon** II Timothy 2:8-9, 19

**Special Offering** Covenant Mercy Ministry

**Hymn of Meditation** "Amazing Love" (C351)

**Distribution of Elements**  
(Please note that grape juice is in all the inner circles of cups  
and wine is only in the outer circle.)

\*Charge and Benediction Galatians 1:3

\*Hymn of Benediction "Grace, Love and Fellowship" (C233)

\*Postlude

Join us today for our fellowship lunch  
immediately following the worship service.

**THIS WEEK, February 12 - 18, 2017**

- Today •Sunday School, 9:00 a.m.  
•Coffee Hour, Fellowship Hall, 10:00 - 10:25 a.m.  
•Morning worship, 10:30 a.m.
- Tuesday •WIC Bible study, Fellowship Hall, 10:00 a.m.
- Wednesday •Valentine Dinner Served, 5:30 p.m.  
•Youth Group, 6:30 p.m.  
•Kids' Quest, 6:30 p.m.  
•Adult Valentine Program, 6:30 p.m.

**Announcements**

- ♦ **In Our Nursery Today:** Morning Worship ~Heather Steele, Claire Zechman
- ♦ **Nursery Next Week:** Sunday School ~ Raquel Clark  
Morning Worship ~ Johanna Richards, Anna Richards
- ♦ **WIC Bible Study:** Tuesdays in the Fellowship Hall at 10:00 a.m
- ♦ **Budget Summary:**

Weekly Operational Budget Requirement	\$	5,460.00
Tithes/Offerings, February 5, 2017	\$	6,688.67
FYTD Tithes/Offerings Received	\$	146,820.83
FYTD Operational Budget Expenses	\$	146,614.04
Mortgage Balance	\$	203,610.74

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**PRAYER REQUESTS THIS WEEK:**

Covenant Family birthdays:  
Robin Tremblay, February 13<sup>th</sup>  
Raquel Clark, February 15<sup>th</sup>  
Andrew Hollo, February 17<sup>th</sup>

View the on-going prayer requests on the church website:  
[www.covenantpca.net/community/prayer room](http://www.covenantpca.net/community/prayer%20room)

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**Sermon Notes**  
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