

# THE LORD'S DAY ~ June 18, 2017

## Father's Day

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.

*"Honor your father and your mother, that your days may be long  
in the land that the LORD your God is giving you."  
~ Exodus 20:12*

### Pastor's Welcome and Announcements

A cry room for small children with televised worship  
is available in the Fellowship Hall during the service.

**Prelude** "Blest the Man That Feared Jehovah" (T717)

### Invocation

**\*Call to Worship** Psalm 115:1

**\*Hymn of Praise** "For the Beauty of the Earth" (T116)

**\*Hymn of Adoration** "Faith of Our Fathers" (T570)

**\*Confession of Faith** Heidelberg Catechism Questions 65-68

**Leader:** You confess that by faith alone you share in Christ and all His blessings:  
*where does that faith come from?* (1)

**People:** The Holy Spirit produces it in our hearts by the preaching of the holy  
gospel, and confirms it through our use of the holy sacraments.

**Leader:** What are sacraments? (2)

**People:** Sacraments are holy signs and seals for us to see. They were instituted by  
God so that by our use of them he might make us understand more clearly  
the promise of the gospel, and might put his seal on that promise. And this  
is God's gospel promise: to forgive our sins and give us eternal life by grace  
alone because of Christ's one sacrifice finished on the cross.

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

(1) John 3:5, 1 Cor 2:10-14, 10:16, Eph 2:8, Rom 10:17, 1 Pet 1:23-25, Matt 28:19-20; (2)  
Gen 17:11, Deut 30:6, Rom 4:11, Matt 26:27-28, Acts 2:38, Heb 10:10; (3) Rom 6:3, 1 Cor  
11:26, Gal 3:27; (4) Matt 28:19-20, 1 Cor 11:23-26; (5) George Matheson, Christopher  
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**Leader:** Are both the Word and the sacraments then intended to focus our faith on  
the sacrifice of Jesus Christ on the cross as the only ground of our  
salvation? (3)

**People:** Right! In the gospel the Holy Spirit teaches us and through the holy  
sacraments he assures us that our entire salvation rests on Christ's one  
sacrifice for us on the cross.

**Leader:** How many sacraments did Christ institute in the New Testament? (4)

**People:** Two: Baptism and the Lord's Supper.

**Scripture Reading** "I Will Pour Out My Spirit" (Joel 2:28-32, PB1060)

**Hymn of Confession** "Psalm 103:1-4, 8-18" (Tune: "Before the Throne")

Praise God, my soul! With all my heart let me exalt His holy name.  
Forget not all His benefits; His praise, my soul, in song proclaim.  
The LORD forgives you all your sins, and heals your sickness and distress;  
Your life He rescues from the grave, and crowns you in His tenderness,  
And crowns you in His tenderness.

The LORD is merciful and kind, to anger slow, and full of grace.  
He will not constantly reprove, or in His anger hide His face.  
He does not punish our misdeeds, or give our sins their just reward.  
How great His love ~ as high as heaven ~ to-wards all those who fear the LORD!  
To-wards all those who fear the LORD!

As far as east is from the west so far His love has borne away  
Our many sins and trespasses and all the guilt that on us lay.  
Just as a father loves his child so God loves those who fear His name.  
For He remembers we are dust, and well He knows our feeble frame.  
And well He knows our feeble frame.

Each human life is like the grass, and like a meadow flower it grows.  
Its place will never be recalled once over it the tempest blows.  
But everlasting is God's love for those who fear him, and their seed ~  
For those who keep his covenant, and carefully his precepts heed.  
And carefully his precepts heed.

**Call to Confession** Matthew 7:1-5

**Confession of Sin (95)**

Gracious Heavenly Father, having heard your Word, we thankfully remember the life of  
our Lord Jesus Christ on this earth. Yet we also acknowledge our failure to respond  
earnestly and faithfully to his witness. We often mistake Jesus for a mere earthly king,  
friendly companion, or problem-solver, failing to see him as the Sovereign Ruler of all  
creation. We do not appreciate the depth of his passion and sacrifice on the Cross,  
failing to acknowledge him alone as our way of salvation. We have not walked faithfully  
in the way of Jesus Christ. Forgive us, we pray, and bring us ever more fully into the joy  
of our spiritual union and unbreakable bond of love in Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

**Assurance of Pardon** Psalm 130:3-4

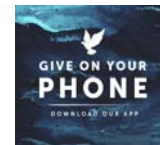
**Pastoral Prayer**

**Presentation of Tithes and Offerings** Matthew 6:31-33

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**Offertory Hymn** "O Love That Will Not Let Me Go" (Words: T708) (5)

**Prayer of Illumination** Psalm 119:89



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Sermon

James 3:1-12

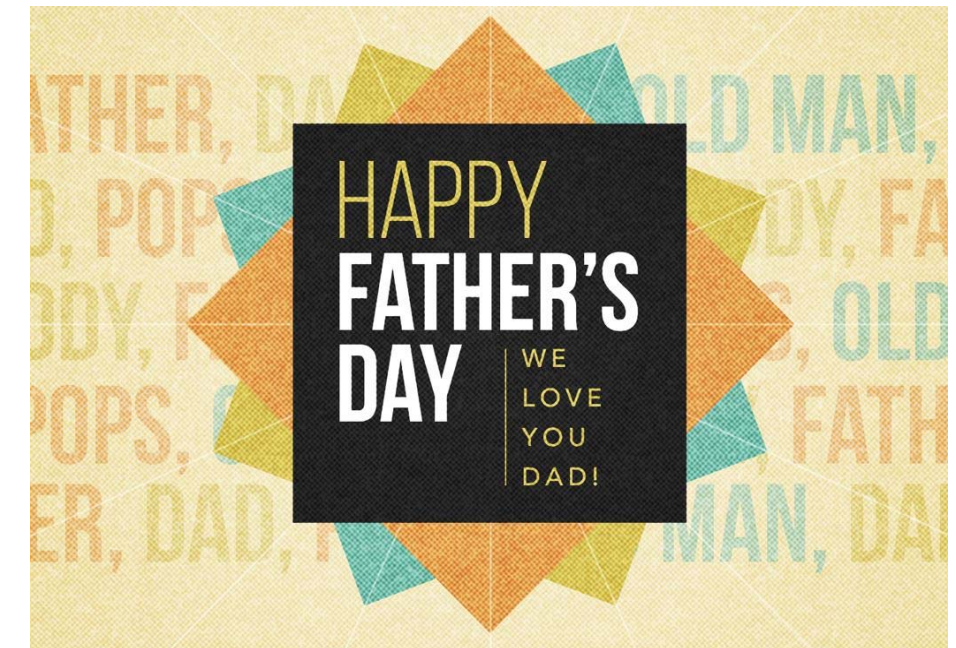
"Taming the Tongue"  
Rev. Kelly Jackson  
Reformed University Fellowship  
Florida State University, Tallahassee, FL

**\*Hymn of Response** "O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing" (T164)

**\*Charge and Benediction** I Corinthians 16:23

**\*Hymn of Benediction** "He Is Lord" (C34)

**\*Postlude**



We extend a special welcome to  
the parents of Campus Outreach students  
that are visiting with us today.



**THIS WEEK, June 18-24, 2017**

- Today •Sunday School, 9:00 a.m.  
•Coffee Hour, Fellowship Hall, 10:00 - 10:25 a.m.  
•Morning worship, 10:30 a.m.
- Wednesday •Praise Team Rehearsal, 5:15 p.m.  
•Youth Group, 5:30 p.m.

**Announcements**

- ◆ **In Our Nursery Today:** Morning Worship ~ Johanna Richards, Anna Richards
- ◆ **Nursery Next Week** Sunday School ~ Lexi Colravy  
Morning Worship ~ Ann Bingham, Danielle Griffin

◆ **Budget Summary:**

Weekly Operational Budget Requirement	\$	5,460.00
Tithes/Offerings, June 11, 2017	\$	3,262.40
FYTD Special Gifts Received	\$	13,950.00
FYTD Tithes/Offerings Received	\$	224,729.00
FYTD Operational Budget Expenses	\$	261,573.81
Mortgage Balance	\$	197,685.51

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**COVENANT FAMILY BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES THIS WEEK:**

Emily Delmar, June 18<sup>th</sup>  
Susan Duke, June 20<sup>th</sup>  
Andrew & Lauren Bahati, June 18<sup>th</sup>  
Neil & Glenda Delmar, June 21<sup>st</sup>  
Robin & Danella Tremblay, June 21<sup>st</sup>

**CPC On-Line Prayer Room**

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



**June Collection Items:** "Wearable Month"  
socks, scarves, t-shirts, jewelry, flip-flops



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**Session**

Rev. Cory D. Colravy, Moderator  
R. Leigh Hinkle  
Warren H. Kline, Jr., Emeritus

James R. Middleton, Clerk  
Richard A. Simpson  
Les "Rocky" Welch

**Diaconate**

Brian A. Delmar  
Jeffrey C. Delmar, Chairman  
Bryan M. Walker



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**AM Sermon Notes**  
"Taming the Tongue"  
Rev. Kelly Jackson  
James 3:1-12

Gospel Wisdom for Your Words and Your Heart

1. The Tongue is Powerful
2. The Tongue is Destructive
3. The Tongue is Fickle
4. God is Healing Your Tongue

