

THE LORD'S DAY ~ October 19, 2014

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.

“Now is the time to rediscover the meaning of the local, and in terms of the church, the parish... The gospel is emphatically geographical. Place names ~ Sinai, Hebron, Machpelah, Shiloh, Nazareth, Jezreel, Samaria, Bethlehem, Jerusalem, Bethsaida [and Panama City and Bay County] ~ these are embedded in the gospel. All theology is rooted in geography... Gnosticism is that ancient but persistently contemporary perversion of the gospel that is contemptuous of place and matter... embarrassed by the garbage and disorder of everyday living,... impatient with slow-witted people and plodding companions... appealing to an elite group of people... The gospel, on the other hand, [honors]...this place just as it is, these people in their everyday clothes...”
~ Eugene Peterson, *Under the Predictable Plant*, p. 130

Pastor's Welcome and Announcements

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

Prelude (Bulletin Insert) *“Redeemed, Restored, Forgiven”* (1)

Invocation

***Call to Worship** Psalm 124:8

***Hymn of Praise** *“O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing”* (T164)

***Hymn of Adoration** *“How Deep the Father's Love for Us”* (2)

How deep the Father's love for us, how vast beyond all measure;
That He should give His only Son to make a wretch His treasure.
How great the pain of searing loss, the Father turns His face away;
As wounds which mar the Chosen One bring many sons to glory.

Behold the Man upon a cross, my sin upon His shoulders;
Ashamed, I hear my mocking voice call out among the scoffers.
It was my sin that held Him there until it was accomplished;
His dying breath has brought me life ~ I know that it is finished.

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

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I will not boast in anything, no gifts, no pow'r, no wisdom;
But I will boast in Jesus Christ, His death and resurrection.
Why should I gain from His reward? I cannot give an answer.
But this I know with all my heart; His wounds have paid my ransom.

***Confession of Faith** Heidelberg Catechism, Questions 110-111

Leader: *What does God forbid in the Eighth Commandment?*
People: He forbids not only outright theft and robbery, punishable by law. But in God's sight theft also includes cheating and swindling our neighbor by schemes made to appear legitimate, such as: inaccurate measurements of weight, size, or volume; fraudulent merchandising; counterfeit money; excessive interest; or any other means forbidden by God. In addition he forbids all greed and pointless squandering of his gifts.

Leader: *What does God require of you in this commandment?*
People: That I do whatever I can for my neighbor's good, that I treat him as I would like others to treat me, and that I work faithfully so that I may share with those in need.

Scripture Reading James 2

Hymn of Confession *“Beneath the Cross of Jesus”* (3)

Beneath the cross of Jesus, I find a place to stand;
And wonder at such mercy, that calls me as I am.
For hands that should discard me, hold wounds which tell me, “come.”
Beneath the cross of Jesus, my unworthy soul is won.

Beneath the cross of Jesus, His fam'ly is my own.
Once strangers chasing selfish dreams, now one, through grace alone.
How could I now dishonor the ones that You have loved?
Beneath the cross of Jesus, see the children called by God.

Beneath the cross of Jesus, the path before the crown,
We follow in His footsteps, where promised hope is found.
How great the joy before us to be His perfect bride.
Beneath the cross of Jesus, we will gladly live our lives.

Confession of Sin

Heavenly Father, there is one thing that deserves my greatest care, that calls forth my fervent desires; that is, that I may pursue the great purpose for which I was created ~ to glorify You and enjoy You forever. Yet, Lord, how rarely I think about this. I have lived for myself, with very little or no regard for your glory, or for the good of others. I have eagerly desired and pursued my joy in riches, honors, and earthly pleasures. In living this way, I have forsaken and dishonored You. Let me never forget that the real ugliness and seriousness of my sin lies not merely in the particular sins I have committed, but in the greatness of You, whom I have sinned against. For the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, forgive all my sins. May His precious and costly blood cleanse all my guilt and His perfect righteousness cover all my failures. In His name, I pray. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon Psalm 130:3-4

Pastoral Prayer Covenant College Sunday

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

Offertory Hymn *“All for Jesus”* (T565)

Prayer of Illumination Psalm 119:118-119

Sermon Haggai 1:1-11; Matthew 6:33

“Reaching Bay County: Our Property”

Rev. Cory Colravv

***Hymn of Response** *“Take My Life and Let It Be”* (T585)

***Charge and Benediction** II Peter 3:18

***Hymn of Benediction** *“The Doxology”* (T731)

*Postlude

THIS WEEK, October 19-25, 2014

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 •Praise Team Rehearsal, 4:45 p.m., Sanctuary
•Fellowship Meal, 5:30 p.m.
•Youth Group Islam & Christianity study, 6:00 p.m.
•Children's Pilgrim's Progress study, 6:30 p.m.
•Adult Apostles' Creed study, 6:30 p.m.
Friday •CCS Fall Festival, 5:00 - 8:00 p.m.
Saturday •Gilmore baby shower, Gould home, 10:00 a.m.

Announcements

- ◆ **In Our Nursery Today** Sunday School ~ Kim Thompson
Morning Worship ~ Jane Perry, Robyn Perry
- ◆ **Nursery Next Week:** Sunday School ~Sonja Seidler
Morning Worship ~ Ann Bingham, Heather Neal
- ◆ **WIC Tuesday Morning Bible Study:** Tuesdays in the Fellowship Hall at 10:00 a.m. Now studying a video series “The Parables of Jesus” by Dr. R. C. Sproul. Call the church office for nursery reservations by Monday afternoon.
- ◆ **October's Operation Christmas Child collection items ~ Craft Supplies:** stickers, tape, stamp & ink pad, water color paint set, small craft kits, pom poms, glitter, coloring books, crayons, etc.
- ◆ **Budget Receipts, October 12, 2014**

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| Tithes/Offerings | \$ 3,938.82 |
| Communion Mercy Offering | \$ 265.35 |
| Mortgage Balance | \$240,230.24 |

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Session

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| Rev. Cory D. Colravv, Moderator | James R. Middleton, Clerk |
| R. Leigh Hinkle | Richard A. Simpson |
| Warren H. Kline, Jr., Emeritus | Les “Rocky” Welch |

Diaconate

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| Brian A. Delmar | James E. “Butch” Gould |
| Jeffrey C. Delmar | Bryan M. Walker |

Diaconal Assistant

Art Stroh

AM Sermon Notes
The Lord's Day, October 19, 2014
"Reaching Bay County: Our Property"
Haggai 1:1-11; Matthew 6:33
Rev. Cory Colravy

Prayer List, Sunday, October 19, 2014

PRAY DAILY FOR OUR PASTOR AND STAFF

Rev. Cory D. Colravy, Pastor
Mrs. Glenda L. Delmar, CCS Principal
Mrs. Martha A. Middleton, Executive Administrator
Ms. Roseanne S. Culpepper, CCS Office Manager
Mr. Bryan M. Walker, CCS Bookkeeper
Mr. Art Stroh, Youth Director
Mr. Scott Perry, Music Leader

PRAY FOR UNSPOKEN REQUESTS

PRAY FOR OUR NATION AND OUR LEADERS

PRAY FOR ONE ANOTHER AND OUR MISSIONARIES

Sunday Robert & Lisa Stewart% MTW church planters, Tokyo
Monday Brandon & Kristina Gilmore#
Tuesday Panama City Rescue Mission% Thurman Chambers, Director
Wednesday Pregnancy Resource Center% Jackie Smithwick, Director
Thursday Tim Carper% RUF, University of Florida
Friday Scott Seidler*
Saturday Cliff Wilcox% Circle PCA church plant, Pace, FL
(*Happy Birthday, #Happy Anniversary, %Missionary)

PRAY FOR OUR MILITARY AT HOME AND ABROAD

Currently Deployed Overseas: Jim Jackson (Colleen Dietrich's brother-in-law, Afghanistan), Randy Miller (Post's grandson)

Currently Serving at Home: Joy Timmens (Dave Dietrich's sister), Shawn Rost (Warren & Judy Kline's son-in-law), Brian Neal, Ben Hollo

PRAY FOR OUR SICK AND SHUT-INS

Cancer: Rosemary Thomas (Colleen Dietrich's aunt), Phil Khalife (Sonja Seidler's brother), Brian Littlefield (brain cancer, friend of the Dietrichs), John Dietrich (Dave Dietrich's brother, bone marrow cancer), Dawn Colravy (thyroid), Tracy Becker (wife of Concord PC Pastor, John Becker, double mastectomy), Alan Wise (Mara Frazier's family member, prostate cancer), Lee Broughton (friend of Martha Middleton, breast cancer)

Illness: Brian Schreiber (Fred & Carrie Hayes Schreiber's son, blood disease), Tom & Dorothy Hoover (Dave Dietrich's uncle & aunt, various health problems), Fran Coyne (friend of the Steele's, aortic valve stenosis), Johnny Langham (Jack & Jan Langham's son), Robert Corr (Claire Phillips' brother, Parkinson's disease), Joy Thomas (Dawn Welch's mother, COPD), Carola Bickford (Barbie Shold's friend, knee surgery), Herman Dietrich (Dave Dietrich's father, back compression fracture, blood clot), Tyson Wellcome (Rocky Welch's cousin, facial injury & reconstructive surgery), Cheryl Gaudiano, Naomi (brain tumor surgery, step-daughter of James Thompson's friend Jeremy Williams), *Ryan Colravy (Pastor Colravy's nephew, brain surgery), Mike Kline (Warren & Judy Kline's son, heart catheterization)*

Special Need: Virginia Palmer, David & Toni Hill (Rusty Hill's parents), Melody Barton Lane family, Tom Bingham family, Richard Post family, Randy Tucker (Patty Ann Bruner's son, stroke recovery), *Andrew & Lauren Walker Bahati (Andrew's immigration Visa)*

Expectant Mothers: Anna Denny, Abby Stokes Wann (former member), Kristie Delmar, Kristina Gilmore

**Names in italics are new to the list this week.*

Reaching Bay County

Local Mission Focus #3



Let us exercise spiritual stewardship of the facilities, resources and people our Lord has given us that we might represent the King of kings with excellence.

Covenant Home Missions Month
October 2014