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Welcome to Covenant Presbyterian Church!

We are delighted that you are worshiping with us this morning.

Thank you for joining us and may you experience

God's blessing in our worship.

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## The Lord's Day

June 6, 2010

### Prelude

#### ◆Call to Worship:

Psalm 113:1-3

Leader: Praise the LORD! Praise, O servants of the LORD, praise the name of the LORD!

**People: Blessed be the name of the LORD from this time forth and forevermore!**

Leader: From the rising of the sun to its setting, the name of the LORD is to be praised!

### Prayer for God's Blessing

◆**Hymn of Adoration:** #7 "From All That Dwell below the Skies"

#### Call to Confession:

Exodus 20:4-6

You shall not make for yourself a carved image, or any likeness of anything that is in heaven above, or that is in the earth beneath, or that is in the water under the earth. You shall not bow down to them or serve them, for I the LORD your God am a jealous God, visiting the iniquity of the fathers on the children to the third and the fourth generation of those who hate me, but showing steadfast love to thousands of those who love me and keep my commandments.

### Prayer of Confession

#### Assurance of Pardon:

Romans 6:23

The wages of sin is death, but the free gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord.

◆**Hymn of Praise:** (see insert)

"In Christ Alone"

◆**Our Standard for Faith**

— Q&A 16-17 from WSC

Q. Did all mankind fall in Adam's first transgression?

A. **The covenant being made with Adam, not only for himself, but for his posterity; all mankind, descending from him by ordinary generation, sinned in him, and fell with him, in his first transgression.**

Q. Into what estate did the fall bring mankind?

A. **The fall brought mankind into an estate of sin and misery.**

### Pastoral Prayer

### Worship with Tithes and Offerings

**Hymn of Preparation:** #457 "Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing"

◆**Old Testament:** Genesis 3:1-6

◆**New Testament:** Ephesians 6:10-13

**Sermon:** "The War is Real!"

◆**Hymn of Response:** #92

"A Mighty Fortress"

#### ◆Benediction

◆**Doxology:** #732

"Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow"  
(Please Note this is a different tune)

Praise God from whom all blessings flow;  
praise him, all creatures here below;  
praise him above, ye heav'nly hosts:  
praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen

### Postlude

**Greeter this week:** *Jennifer Frank*  
**Greeter next week:** *Deborah Peters*  
**Piano:** *Molly Doran*  
**Nursery:** *Staff* (as needed)  
**Flowers for June:** *Stephens family*

☐ **Annual Covenant Church Picnic is Today!!...** We will meet at Milford Park in Milford at 12:00pm, after the worship service. Hot dogs, brats, chips and beverage will be provided. If you are visiting with us today, or forgot to bring anything, please join us for a wonderful time of fellowship, with great food, games, and singing. For directions to the park, please see Jeff or Beth Fink.

☐ **Young Adult Summer Camping Weekend...** On June 11-13, post-high young adults from across the presbytery are invited to a weekend campout on the back dunes and hardwood forest of Muskegon State Park in Western Michigan. Pastor Dale Van Dyke (Harvest OPC) will join the campers, leading them in Bible Study, and prayer time. Little Farms OPC will host the young adults for the closing worship service and fellowship meal at their church in Coopersville on Sunday morning. Cost of the trip is \$25/participant. Brochures are available on the Information table or by visiting the presbytery's web site at [www.all-of-grace.org/pres](http://www.all-of-grace.org/pres). For more information please contact Matt Grochowalski (Little Farms (OPC) at 616-262-7317 or [mgrochosalski@gmail.com](mailto:mgrochosalski@gmail.com).

☐ **Fellowship time...** Now that Sunday School has ended for the summer, we have more time for fellowship after the worship service. All members and regular attendees are encouraged to participate in bringing refreshments for the fellowship time. You may bring either homemade or store bought cookies, brownies, muffins, bread, fresh vegetables, etc. Please bring your snacks on/in a serving dish or container.

☐ **Fellowship Luncheons...** We will be postponing our accustomed fellowship meals for the summer and replacing them with picnics. However, these picnics will not necessarily coincide with the Lord's Supper, but we will keep you informed as to the dates of the picnics.

#### **Upcoming Events**

Fri-Sun, June 11-13 – Post-high Camping Weekend  
Sun, June 20 – Lord's Supper  
Tues, June 22 – Session Meeting, 7pm, at the Fink's home  
Sat, July 10 – Monthly Men's Prayer Breakfast, 8:30am

☐ **New Horizons magazine...** Copies of this month's *New Horizons* magazine are on the Information table. Please feel free to take extra copies to pass out among family, friends, co-workers, etc., or leave a copy at your doctor/dentist's office next time you have an appointment.

☐ **Coming up... OPC Family Camp...August 9-13**  
**OPC Family Camp Deadline: The deadline for registrations for this year's OPC Family Camp is TODAY (June 6).** You can download a registration form at [www.harvestopc.org](http://www.harvestopc.org). If you don't want to camp, you are invited to come for a day or two to hear the great speaker, eat fantastic suppers, and fellowship with other believers around our Presbytery. The cost for "day campers" will be \$20 per person per day, and we do ask that such campers would also pre-register. Our speaker is Pastor John Currie, a lecturer in Practical Theology at Westminster Seminary, and Director of Alumni relations. He will be leading a Bible study of 1 Corinthians under the theme: "Cross-Shaped Living in a Sensual Culture."