

# TAMPA COVENANT CHURCH

## **GOD CALLS US TO WORSHIP**

The Ringing of the Bell

## **WE GATHER INTO HIS HOLY PRESENCE**

Gathering Song: *Your Great Name We Praise*

Announcements: Lou Kaloger, Associate Pastor

## **WE STAND IN AWE OF GOD'S HOLINESS**

Scripture Reading: Proverbs 26:18-28

Song: *Love Divine All Loves Excelling*

## **WE ARE CONVICTED OF OUR SIN, AND OUR NEED OF SALVATION**

Prayer of Confession: James 3:1-13

Assurance of Pardon

## **WE CELEBRATE GOD'S REDEMPTION AND OUR RESTORATION**

Song of Grace: *O Word Of God Incarnate*

Song of Celebration: *Made Me Glad*

Affirmation of Faith: Apostles Creed

Offertory Prayer

## **WE LINGER IN GOD'S PRESENCE AWAITING HIS WORD**

The Children's Blessing

Scripture Reading: James 3:1-12

Sermon Title: *The "Doubleness" of the Tongue*

Preaching: Rich Van Voorst, Elder

## **WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD WITH THANKSGIVING**

Song of Preparation: *Agnus Dei*

Prayers of the People

## **THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION**

The Words of Institution: I Corinthians 11:23-26

Song: *One Bread One Body*

Song: *O Lord Our Lord*

## **GOD SENDS US OUT**

Benediction & Memorial Acclamation

Postlude

Prayer in the Chapel

## **MEETINGS FOR THE WEEK OF OCTOBER 9, 2022**

**Sunday:** Sunday Morning Prayer, 9:15 a.m., Library  
Sunday Morning Worship, 10:00 a.m.  
Kid's Choir, 11:45 a.m.  
Adult Choir, 11:45 a.m.  
Youth Gathering, 11:45 a.m.  
Old Carrollwood Life Home Group, 5:30 p.m.

**Monday:** MOPS, 9:30 a.m.

**Wednesday:** Class, 6:30 p.m.  
- *Reflections on Grief*, Choir Room  
- *Battle History of Ancient Israel*, Youth Room  
Nursery, Infant - 3 years old, Main Building  
Pioneer Clubs, ages 4 - 4th grade, Education Building  
Catechism, 5th grade, Fellowship Hall  
Midweek, 6th- 8th grade, Education Building

**Saturday:** Peter Caruana and Valerie Scalici Wedding, 2:30 p.m.

**Sunday:** Operation Christmas Child Kick-Off  
Team 3

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Wedding Invitation:** You are cordially invited to the wedding of Peter Caruana and Valerie Scalici on Saturday, October 15th at 2:30 p.m. at Tampa Covenant Church. (Private reception to follow off-site by invitation only.)

**Operation Christmas Child:** Would you like to share the joy of Christmas and the Good News of Jesus Christ with a child in one of 150 countries? Get involved in Operation Christmas Child. Kick-off is scheduled for next Sunday, October 16th. Be sure to stop by the table in the Courtyard on Sunday or the church office during the week to pick up a shoebox.

**Church Work Day:** Work day is scheduled for Saturday, October 22nd from 8:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. All skill sets needed. Please sign up at [www.tampacovenant.org](http://www.tampacovenant.org)

**RUF Luncheon:** A luncheon for the RUF students will be held next Sunday, October 23rd, following the service. If you would like to volunteer or bring food, for more information visit [www.tampacovenant.org](http://www.tampacovenant.org).

**Fall Festival:** The Fall Festival is coming! Invite your friends, neighbors, and family to join us on Saturday, October 29th from 4:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. for food, fun and games! There will be gaga ball, the kids costume parade, trunk or treat, chili, dessert and family pumpkin carving contests, Silly Sam will be back and more! **Volunteers needed!** Come help us with this festive community outreach! Sign up at [www.tampacovenant.org](http://www.tampacovenant.org).

**Children’s Ministry Corner:**

Psalm 100: 1-4 (ESV)

“Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the earth! Serve the Lord with gladness!  
Come into his presence with singing! Know that the Lord, he is God!  
It is he who made us, and we are his; we are his people, and the sheep of his  
pasture. Enter his gates with thanksgiving, and his courts with praise!  
Give thanks to him; bless his name!”

- INFANTS** ages 6 weeks to 17 months go to the Infants' Nursery.
- TODDLERS** ages 18 - 35 months go to the Toddler Nursery.
- PRESCHOOLERS** ages 3 and 4 go with their parents to the Preschool Classroom in the Education Building.
- EARLY ELEMENTARY** ages 5 through First Grader go to the Early Elementary Classroom in the Education Building.
- ELEMENTARY** grades 2-5 go to the Youth Room upstairs.

*Older children will leave the Sanctuary following the Children's Blessing and will return to the Sanctuary for Communion.*

Mary Lynch, Children’s Director | Email: [tcckids@tampacovenant.org](mailto:tcckids@tampacovenant.org)

**TCC FINANCIAL RESOURCES (as of 10/02/22):**

Amount needed for budget (37 weeks)	\$788,462
TOTAL Tithe & Offering	\$838,539
Difference	\$50,077
*Based on FY 2022 budget of \$1,025,000	

**Holy Communion:** The sacrament of The Lord’s Supper is a joyful part of Christian worship, which we celebrate weekly. If you are a Christian, we invite you to join us even if you are not a member of Tampa Covenant Church. If you are not a Christian, to partake of Communion would be to express a faith you do not presently embrace. If you have uncertainties about whether or not you should partake of the sacrament, seek out one of the pastors or elders before the service.