

**MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE**  
Evangelical Covenant Church of Bay Indies

**October 7, 2018**

**10:25 A.M**

**Prelude** Peter Vaast  
**Words of Welcome** Pastor Dave Johnson  
**Preparation for Worship** This Is The Day

This is the day, this is the day  
That the Lord has made, that the Lord has made  
We will rejoice, we will rejoice  
And be glad in it, and be glad in it.  
This is the day that the Lord has made  
We will rejoice and be glad in it.  
This is the day, this is the day, that the Lord has made.

**\*Call to Worship**

Pastor: Praise the Lord from the heavens. Praise him sun and moon and shining stars.

**People: Praise the Lord from the earth. Praise him mountains and lakes, rivers and forests.**

Pastor: Praise him kings and queens, princes and princesses, men and women, young and old.

**People: Let all the Lord has created, praise his holy name.**

**\*Hymn # 25** *Praise the Lord, Ye Heavens Adore Him* Peter Vaast

**\*Invocation**

**\*The Lord's Prayer** (using "sins", "sin")

**Scripture Reading** John 6: 1-15 Betty Ballard

**Congregational Response** *Glory Be to the Father*

**Special Music** *Clair de Lune* Norma Goodwin

**Morning Prayer**

**Presentations of Our Tithes and Offerings**

**Words of Scripture:**

The gifts that we bring, not only meet the needs of the saints, but overflow in a great tide of thanksgiving to God. (2 Corinthians 9:12)

**Offertory** *I'll Fly Away* Peter Vaast

**\*Doxology**

**\*Prayer of Thanksgiving**

**Sermon** The Picnic Communion Pastor Johnson

**Invitation to the Lord's Supper**

**\*Hymn # 202** *When I Survey the Wondrous Cross* Peter Vaast

**\*Please stand if you are able**

**A hearing loop has been installed and is activated** Silence your cell phone

**\* The Apostles' Creed** (selection 783)

**Words of Institution**

**Distribution of the Bread and the Cup**

**\*Hymn # 60** *Lord, Dismiss Us With Thy Blessing* Peter Vaast

**\* Benediction** \*Three Fold Amen

**\*Postlude** Peter Vaast

**ALTAR FLOWERS ARE GIVING BY**

Dave and Diane Carl celebrating their 47<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary.

**THIS WEEK**

Tuesday 1:00 p.m. Church Council Meeting in the Arts and Craft Room.

Thursday 8:15 p.m. Fourth Quarter Fit Bicycle ride around the Bay Indies Bike trail. Meet at the east parking lot of the Bay House.

Breakfast at Joy's Kouzine following for all those interested.

Sunday 10:25 a.m. Morning Worship Service in the Bay House.

**FOOD PANTRY**

Next Sunday we will be collecting donations of food to help supply the shelves at the South County Food Pantry which feeds hungry people in our area. Packs of instant potatoes will be greatly appreciated.

**COMING EVENT**

October 21st – Members of Covenant Churches across the country are being asked to give \$1.00 to KICY, our denominational radio station in Nome, Alaska, which broadcast the gospel and news to over 100 villages in the western portion of that state.

November 3 – Memorial Service for Pastor Dave Elowson at Trailer Estates Covenant Church in Bradenton at 1:00 p.m.

November 11<sup>th</sup> – WELCOME BACK SNOWBIRDS...HELLO HOLIDAY SEASON !! All-Church Pot Luck following church service. Save the Date...Check your Favorite "Fall" Recipes.

**REMEMBER IN PRAYER**

...Bob White, recovering from serious bone infection.

...Karen Keenan, daughter of Nancy Muldoon, Parkinson's Disease.

...Missionary Tim Smith of the Congo, in Orlando for medical attention

...Jason and Kelly Gabie, son and daughter of Chris and Pam Gabie, both recovering from surgeries.

...Our Pastoral Search committee as it seek to find a new pastor for our Church.

## SCRIPTURE READING

### John 6: 1-15

Some time after this, Jesus crossed to the far shore of the Sea of Galilee (that is, the Sea of Tiberias), <sup>2</sup> and a great crowd of people followed him because they saw the signs he had performed by healing the sick. <sup>3</sup> Then Jesus went up on a mountainside and sat down with his disciples. <sup>4</sup> The Jewish Passover Festival was near. <sup>5</sup> When Jesus looked up and saw a great crowd coming toward him, he said to Philip, "Where shall we buy bread for these people to eat?" <sup>6</sup> He asked this only to test him, for he already had in mind what he was going to do. <sup>7</sup> Philip answered him, "It would take more than half a year's wages<sup>[a]</sup> to buy enough bread for each one to have a bite!" <sup>8</sup> Another of his disciples, Andrew, Simon Peter's brother, spoke up, <sup>9</sup> "Here is a boy with five small barley loaves and two small fish, but how far will they go among so many?" <sup>10</sup> Jesus said, "Have the people sit down." There was plenty of grass in that place, and they sat down (about five thousand men were there). <sup>11</sup> Jesus then took the loaves, gave thanks, and distributed to those who were seated as much as they wanted. He did the same with the fish. <sup>12</sup> When they had all had enough to eat, he said to his disciples, "Gather the pieces that are left over. Let nothing be wasted." <sup>13</sup> So they gathered them and filled twelve baskets with the pieces of the five barley loaves left over by those who had eaten. <sup>14</sup> After the people saw the sign Jesus performed, they began to say, "Surely this is the Prophet who is to come into the world." <sup>15</sup> Jesus, knowing that they intended to come and make him king by force, withdrew again to a mountain by himself.

### BIRTHDAYS

MaryAnn Olund 10/8

### Anniversary

Diane & David Carl 10/9

### USHERS AND GREETERS

Head Usher – Mike Kekel

John & Dot Miline

Barb Atkins & Carol Geoffry

**Attendance Last Sunday - 72**



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