



Church for the Highlands
Sunday, September 11, 2011

Prelude		Betty Jane Kelley
Welcome		
Call to Worship		
Moment of Silence in Memory of 9-11		
Chorus No. 51	"On Eagle's Wings"	
Scripture: Psalm 103:1-13		
Hymn No. 694	"Forgive Our Sins as We Forgive"	
Scripture Film, "Forgiveness"	Matthew 18:21-35	
Message: "Yes, That Many Times"		
Musical Reflection		
Hymn of Response No. 680	"I Then Shall Live"	
	Tune: "Be Still, My Soul"	
Offertory Prayer		
Offertory	"Grace Flows Down"	arr. Larson
	Dan Gibbs, Piano	
Doxology	"Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"	
	Tune: "Just As I Am"	
Missional Moment	Lady Carlson, Interfaith	
Prayers of the People		
Benediction		
Postlude		Betty Jane Kelley

Matthew 18:21-35

Then Peter came and said to him, "Lord, if another member of the church sins against me, how often should I forgive? As many as seven times?" Jesus said to him, "Not seven times, but, I tell you, seventy-seven times. "For this reason the kingdom of heaven may be compared to a king who wished to settle accounts with his slaves. When he began the reckoning, one who owed him ten thousand talents was brought to him; and, as he could not pay, his lord ordered him to be sold, together with his wife and children and all his possessions, and payment to be made. So the slave fell on his knees before him, saying, 'Have patience with me, and I will pay you everything.' And out of pity for him, the lord of that slave released him and forgave him the debt. But that same slave, as he went out, came upon one of his fellow slaves who owed him a hundred denarii; and seizing him by the throat, he said, 'Pay what you owe.' Then his fellow slave fell down and pleaded with him, 'Have patience with me, and I will pay you.' But he refused; then he went and threw him into prison until he would pay the debt. When his fellow slaves saw what had happened, they were greatly distressed, and they went and reported to their lord all that had taken place. Then his lord summoned him and said to him, 'You wicked slave! I forgave you all that debt because you pleaded with me. Should you not have had mercy on your fellow slave, as I had mercy on you?' And in anger his lord handed him over to be tortured until he would pay his entire debt. So my heavenly Father will also do to every one of you, if you do not forgive your brother or sister from your heart."

Opportunities for Service and Fellowship

Common Prayer, Common Meal-- 6:00-7:00 PM Come for a home-cooked meal (free) and prayer. This Wednesday's focus: Faith Stories Menu: Tacos.

We are One! Mark your calendars for our one year anniversary on Sunday, September 18. We will celebrate what God has done in this past year in worship and gather after worship for Dinner on the Grounds (in the gym) for a meal. Please register for the meal.

Stagg-Tolbert Forum--Saturday, September 17, University Baptist Church, Baton Rouge . Featured Speaker: Dr. Bill Leonard. Topic: The Decline of Denomination.

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bless the Highland neighborhood
with the love of Jesus
through Volunteers of America
and other community partnerships