Questions for the couch, car ride, or community group

1. Thinking of the tongue as a boat's rudder or a horse's bridle that influences the rest of our lives (James 3:3-4) can be counterintuitive. Think of a time when your words influenced or helped shape your actions which followed (either positively or negatively).
2. In what areas of your life do you sense a need to tame your tongue (marriage, parenting, work, gossip, anger, lying, etc.)? How might controlling your tongue lead to growth and maturation elsewhere in your life (3:2)?
3. How might reflecting upon Jesus' use of speech give you power to tame the tongue in areas where you fail? Can you think of a time when Jesus modeled mastery over his tongue in a way you need to imitate?

Sermons

- *Previous messages and sermon slides are on our website at peninsulagrace.org/sermons or available on any podcast app.*

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PENINSULA GRACE CHURCH

November 8, 2026

Order of Morning Services

This is the Day

Announcements

Mission's Moment

Kids Dismissed

His Glory and My Good

Worthy of it All

Sermon

Joy to Be

This is Amazing Grace

welcome

If you are visiting with us today, Welcome!

We know that going somewhere new on a Sunday often involves some anxiety. To help you relax and enjoy the service, we suggest the following:

Sunday Services

Our services are normally about 75 minutes long and involve worship in song, prayer, and teaching from the Bible. Most of our people stand with the worship team when we sing, but we encourage you to enter into worship in whatever posture is comfortable for you.

Children's Ministry

We offer care and classes for 6 months - 5th grade in the morning services and 6 months - 5 years old in the evening service. Children are always welcome in worship, too. There is a Cry Room in the back if you'd like privacy for nursing or your little one needs some wiggle space.

Please go to the Fellowship Room for more specifics on our Children's Ministry and to get your children registered and checked-in. Children will be dismissed partway through the service.

Upcoming

Men's Beast Feast

Nov 20 | 6-9pm | Gym

Men, you are invited to a night of good food and fellowship. Come share your Alaska meat harvest while being encouraged in the word. You don't have to be a hunter or fisherman to attend; but if you hunted or fished this season, please bring a dish with some of your cache. Prize given to the tastiest dish!

Family Advent-ure Day

Nov 21 | 10am-12pm | Gym

Families, join us for a fun morning filled with festive Christmas treats, the bounce house, Operation Christmas Child box packing, and a time to create your very own advent craft.

PGC Worship Night

Nov 29th | 6:30-8pm | Gym

Our Peninsula Grace Worship Team led by Melody Hickey will lead us in a focused time of contemplative worship as we take an unhurried approach to resting in the presence of Jesus. Join us directly after the 3rd Service on November 29th.

Weekly Events

Sunday:
9:00am Service & Children's Ministry
10:45am Service & Children's Ministry
5:00pm Service & Children's Ministry

Tuesday:
9:30-11:30am Sonshine Park Days
6:30pm Celebrate Recovery

Wednesday:
5:15-5:45pm - Free Dinner
6:00-7:30pm - Kid's Discipleship, Middle School Youth Group, Adult Bible Studies, Prayer Group.

Thursday:
1:00-2:30pm - Women's Bible Study

Friday:
6:00-9:00pm - Young Adults

Connect

For more information or ways to connect, scan the QR code or go to www.peninsulagrace.org/connect-card

Pastor - Justin Franchino
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Giving

General Fund Weekly:
Giving: $14,681.99
Budget: $16,809.95

YTD Giving through October 31:
Giving: $301,094.08
Budget: $285,769.07
Our fiscal year begins on July 1

Sermon Notes

"The Tongue Tamer"
James 3:1-12

Intro: God has _____ and can _____ your tongue.

1) The Tongue is the Unlikely _____ to Our Holiness (vs. 2-4)

2) The Tongue is Hellishly _____ (5-6)

3) The Tongue is Deceptively _____ to Tame (7-12)

Practical Steps Toward Taming the Tongue:

A. _____ to speak with integrity and love.

B. Return quickly and _____ damage.

C. Unearth the pride that _____ your harmful speech.

D. Fix your _____ frequently on the One who tamed his tongue for you.