

## **5<sup>th</sup> commandment - Exodus 20:12, Deuteronomy 5:16**

**Reading** – Deuteronomy 5:1-5, 5:16, 6:1-9

### **Sermon outline**

#### **1. God created families – and they matter**

We are made to be fathers and mothers – Genesis 1:27-28

God's desire is for faithful "generations" – Deut. 5:10, 2 Timothy 1:5, 3:15

#### **2. God knows that sin breaks families**

#### **3. The Gospel brings redemption to families**

Jesus' obedience – Luke 2:51-52

Our sanctification – e.g. Malachi 4:6

The holy family of the church – 1 Timothy 5:1-2, Romans 16:13, Mark 10:29-30

#### **4. Putting the 5<sup>th</sup> commandment into practice**

Who is your father and your mother?

What does "honour" mean? = glorify, weighty

➔ Young children: obedience, Ephesians 6:1-4

➔ Growing children: Proverbs 23:22

➔ Adult children: 1 Timothy 5:4-8

➔ *Thankfulness*