

By Faith

By faith, we see the hand of God
In the light of creation's grand design;
In the lives of those who prove His faithfulness,
Who walk by faith and not by sight.

By faith, our fathers roamed the earth
With the power of His promise in their hearts
Of a holy city built by God's own hand -
A place where peace and justice reign.

Chorus We will stand as children of the promise,
We will fix our eyes on Him, our soul's reward.
Till the race is finished and the work is done,
We'll walk by faith and not by sight.

By faith, the prophets saw a day
When the longed-for Messiah would appear
With the power to break the chains of sin and death,
And rise triumphant from the grave.

By faith, the church was called to go
In the power of the Spirit to the lost
To deliver captives and to preach good news,
In every corner of the earth.

Chorus

By faith, this mountain shall be moved
And the power of the gospel shall prevail,
For we know in Christ all things are possible
For all who call upon His name.

Chorus x2

Be Thou My Vision

Hymn #468

Be Thou my Vision, O Lord of my heart;
Naught be all else to me, save that Thou art
Thou my best thought, by day or by night,
Waking or sleeping, Thy presence my light.

Be Thou my Wisdom, and Thou my true Word;
I ever with Thee and Thou with me, Lord;
Thou my great Father, I Thy true son;
Thou in me dwelling, and I with Thee one.

Riches I heed not, nor man's empty praise,
Thou mine inheritance, now and always:
Thou and Thou only, first in my heart,
High king of heaven, my treasure Thou art.

High king of heaven, my victory won,
May I reach heaven's joys, O bright heaven's sun!
Heart of my own heart, whatever befall,
Still be my Vision, O Ruler of all.

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

Don Ferrell

SILENT CONFESSION

Millie Clarke

Please take a moment now to silently confess your sins.

ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

~~WE GIVE THANKS TO GOD~~

PASTORAL PRAYERS, SILENT PRAYERS AND LORD'S PRAYER

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, Who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name.
Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our debts
As we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation,
But deliver us from evil. For Thine is the Kingdom,
And the Power, and the Glory, forever. Amen.

PRESENTATION OF GIFTS AND OFFERINGS

Offertory Prayer

Offering

Offertory

~~WE MEET GOD THROUGH THE WORD~~

Message: "Forgiveness and Faith"

Pastor Jeff Ogden

Scripture: Luke 17:1-10

Pew Bible Pages 1626-1627

WORSHIP SONG

***Oceans (Where Feet May Fail)**

You call me out upon the waters
The great unknown where feet may fail
And there I find You in the mystery
In oceans deep my faith will stand

Chorus And I will call upon Your name
And keep my eyes above the waves - when oceans rise
My soul will rest in Your embrace
For I am Yours and You are mine

Your grace abounds in deepest waters
Your sovereign hand will be my guide
Where feet may fail and fear surrounds me
You've never failed and You won't start now

Chorus

Bridge Spirit lead me where my trust is without borders
Let me walk upon the waters,
Wherever You would call me
Take me deeper than my feet could ever wander
And my faith will be made stronger
In the presence of my Savior

Chorus

***BENEDICTION**

***BENEDICTION RESPONSE**

***May the Lord, Mighty God**

May the Lord, mighty God, bless and keep you forever.
Grant you peace, perfect peace, courage in every endeavor.
Lift up your eyes, and see His face, and His grace forever.
May the Lord mighty God, bless and keep you forever.

**Those who are able will please stand.*

Thank you for silencing your cell phones during worship.

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USHER

Joannie McNulty

WORSHIP ASSISTANT

Mille Clarke

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

Don Ferrell

FLOWERS In Celebration of Guy Fortier's 85th Birthday - Guy & Joann Fortier

In Our Prayers: Meera Beser - recovering from surgery; Woodmans - settling in Texas; Bill Leonard - back pain; Jalyne Leonhart - broken femur; Kyle Richter - separated shoulder; Joanelen Slocumb - healing from car accident; those grieving the loss of loved one; those struggling with sin; those who are lost; those recovering from surgery, cancer, or illness; for the Slovakia and Belize mission trips; for our Nation; Lenten Season.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

DEACON'S MEETING - TODAY. Deacons will be meeting in Room A following the 10:00 a.m. worship service.

FELLOWSHIP AFTER CHURCH. Please join us in the Fireside Room following our 10:00 a.m. worship service for treats and coffee. This is a great way to meet new people. We look forward to seeing you after worship.

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITY -TODAY. At 2:00 p.m. we will be digging out the playground at Incline Elementary School. We need a lot of volunteers especially because we are only allowed to use snow shovels (no snow blowers etc.). Please join us to help the children of our community have a safe place to play outside. Bring snow shovels, wheel barrows or sleds, and wear snow shoveling attire. There will be a second opportunity to help out on Saturday, March 18th at 9:00 a.m.

NEW COVENANT PARTNER (MEMBER) INFO MEETING - NEXT SUNDAY. Are you interested in learning more about becoming a Covenant Partner of The Village Church? Join us for a meeting and lunch on Sunday, March 19th after the potluck in the Pastor's Study. If you are interested in attending or need more information, contact Pastor Jeff or Michele Young.

WOMEN'S MINISTRIES BOARD MEETING Tuesday, March 14th at 10:00 a.m. in the Fireside Room.

VISION COMMITTEE MEETING will be on Thursday, March 15th at 4:00 p.m. in the Pastor's Study.

LENTEN SEASON IS HERE. Lent is the forty day period between Ash Wednesday and Easter, not including Sundays, of penitence and preparation for Christ's death and resurrection. We encourage you to utilize a daily Lenten devotional. We have Lent devotionals available on the counters in the Narthex.

INVITE A FRIEND AND BE A FRIEND! This is the challenge for each of us as we enter into Lent and Easter season. Our worship services during the Lent/Easter season are wonderful times to invite friends to worship. People are more open to an invitation to attend church during Easter and Christmas than any other time of year. Be praying for who might ask to come with you and then ask them. This the "Invite a Friend" part of the challenge. But the "Be a Friend" part is to treat everyone who comes through the doors of our church as a friend. Welcome them and treat them as if they were that special person you invited.

A THOUGHT FROM CHRISTIANS PRESENT... "THERE ARE no "good people" and the best of us say so the most clearly. Saints agree they are sinners; only sinners think they are saints. Only fools demand justice, for where would we be if we got it? No, mercy is our only hope from God, and our neighbors' only hope from us as well."

Peter Kreeft, Back to Virtue



ANNOUNCEMENTS CONTINUED

EASTER FLOWERS. If you would like to provide flowers for our Easter Sunday services on April 16th, please complete the form found on the counter in the Narthex and return it to the Church Office. The cost is \$10.00 and you may take your flowers home after our 10:00 a.m. Easter worship service.

OUR YOUTHCOMPASS AND BELIZE MISSION TEAMS are diligently getting ready for their upcoming trips. Our YouthCompass Mission team is leaving April 6th to go and minister with YouthCompass Project Compassion in Slovakia. The Belize team is leaving on May 19th to provide much needed dental care in Seine Bight alongside Jim and Anna Menzie, missionaries from Calvary Chapel in Truckee. If you are interested in financially supporting either or both of these teams, you can make your check out to "The Village Church" and designate the mission on the memo line of your check. Please hold these two teams up in prayer.

DEACON'S TRANSPORTATION MINISTRY needs your help. If you can assist with transporting people to church/worship services, medical appointments or other special needs for people, the sign-up sheet is on the Narthex counter.

CHURCH SNOW CLOSURES. Cancelling worship is not anticipated for our Sunday morning services. It is our desire to hold our worship services regardless of the weather. Some Sundays our services may be very, very small, but "where two or more are gathered..." In stormy icy weather, we encourage everyone to use good judgment in discerning whether to attend worship or not.

CHURCH PHOTO DIRECTORY. We have an updated Church photo directory, but we don't have photos for a lot of people. Also, if you would like to update your photo for the directory, please email the photo to apayne@thevillagechurchnv.org. The photo needs to be in PNG or JPG format. Also, the picture needs to be high resolution photo. Contact Annie Payne in the Church Office if you have any questions.



The Village Church Vision

We're growing closer to Christ, one step at a time, as we increase our participation in the congregation, community and beyond.

SAVE THE DATE!

- March 14th: Women's Ministries Board Meeting
- March 15th: Vision Committee Meeting
- March 19th: New Members Class; 3rd Sunday in Lent
- March 26th: 4th Sunday in Lent
- April 2nd: Lord's Supper; Food Pickup from Raley's; Youth Mission Trip Fundraiser Pancake Breakfast; 5th Sunday in Lent
- April 5th: Easter Food Box Packing
- April 6th: YouthCompass Mission to Slovakia begins.
- April 8th: Easter Food Box Distribution
- April 9th: Palm Sunday
- April 13th: Maundy Thursday Supper and Communion Service
- April 14th: Good Friday
- April 16th: Easter Sunday
- April 21st-22nd: Belize Mission Trip Packing
- April 29th: Chris Tomlin Concert in Reno



The Village Church is affiliated with ECO:
A Covenant Order of Evangelical Presbyterians.

For more information, see our website:
www.TheVillageChurchNV.org or www.eco-pres.org.

MINISTRY OF THE WEEK

March 12, 2017 - March 19, 2017

TODAY

8 & 10 a.m. *Worship Service - Sanctuary*
 8:15 a.m. *Choir Practice - Fireside Room*
 10:15 a.m. *Sunday School*
 11:15 a.m. *Deacons' Meeting - Room A*
 2:00 p.m. *Snow Shoveling Ministry - Incline Elementary School*

MONDAY

TUESDAY

10:00 a.m. *Women's Ministry Board Meeting - Fireside Room*
 2:37 p.m. *Staff Meeting - Pastor's Study*
 4:00 p.m. *Men's Study - Fireside Room*
 6:30 p.m. *Incline Small Group - Jim and Jane Dykstra's Home*

WEDNESDAY

6:30 a.m. *Christ, Coffee, and Cinnamon Rolls Men's Study - Fireside Room*
 10:00 a.m. *Intercessory Prayer - Pastor's Study*
 4:00 p.m. *Vision Committee Meeting - Pastor's Study*
 6:00 p.m. *Adult Bible Study - Fireside Room*
 6 to 8:00 p.m. *Upper Room Group - Middle School and High School - Y/R*

THURSDAY

6:30 p.m. *Kings Beach Small Group - Gary and Patti Boxeth's Home*
 7:00 p.m. *AL-ANON Meeting - Room A*
 7:00 p.m. *AA Meeting - Fireside Room*

SATURDAY

9:00 a.m. *Snow Shoveling Ministry - Incline Elementary School*

SUNDAY

8 & 10 a.m. *3rd Sunday in Lent*
 8:15 a.m. *Pastor Jeff Ogden Preaching*
 10:15 a.m. *Message: "To God Be the Glory!"*
 11:30 a.m. *Scripture: Luke 17:11-19*
 8 & 10 a.m. *Worship Service - Sanctuary*
 8:15 a.m. *Choir Practice - Fireside Room*
 10:15 a.m. *Sunday School*
 11:30 a.m. *New Members Class and Lunch - Pastor's Study*

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Church Leadership:

Doug Baker - Deacon	Cindy Liggett - Preschool Director
Ted Bandaruk - Deacon	Terri Nielsen - Preschool Staff
Patti Boxeth - Deacon	Darlene Nilsson - Elder
Gary Boxeth - Elder	Ann O'Keefe - Deacon
Stephanie Conragan - Preschool Staff	Rev. Jeff Ogden - Pastor
Pastor Tony Conragan, CLP - AV & Youth Pastor	Vicki Ogden - Preschool Staff & Deacon
Chuck Dowd - Elder	Annie Payne - Office Manager
Jane Dykstra - Elder	Tom Payne - Deacon
Jim Dykstra - Deacon Moderator	Linda Robins - Elder, Thrift Shop Manager
Jon Fay - Choir Director	Allie Sacci - Preschool Staff
Kristen Ferrall - Preschool Teacher	Nathalie Sacci - Preschool Staff
Don Ferrell - Elder	Ann Schofield - Financial Admin. & Clerk of Session & Elder
Linda Florentine - Women's Ministries Moderator	Jason Stanton - Accompanist
Betsy Garfinkle - Deacon	Lynne Swingley Donat - Deacon
Mary Gilbert - Christian Education Director	Vickie Twichell - Thrift Shop Manager
Tim Gilbert - Custodian	Debby Wiens - Pianist
Janet Howell - Preschool Staff	Michele Young - Elder
Tasia Irons - Preschool Staff	

AUTOMATED EXTERNAL DEFIBRILLATOR (AED) is available at our church office to assist in case of a heart attack for those trained in its use.



CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

March 12, 2017

10:00 A.M.

~~WE WORSHIP THE LORD~~

WELCOME & NEWS OF THE CHURCH

Pastor Jeff Ogden

Welcome to the Village Church! If you have a prayer request for the prayer team or would like more information about life here at The Village Church, please fill out the blue Connection Card in the pew rack in front of you and either place it in the offering plate or leave it on your seat. You can also update your contact information and sign up to receive our weekly news updates. We are glad you are here with us today!

OPENING PRAYER

MINUTE FOR REPORT

Cindy Liggett, Annual Report on the Preschool

SONGS OF WORSHIP

**You Are My King (Amazing Love)*

I'm forgiven because You were forsaken,
I'm accepted, You were condemned;
I'm alive and well, Your Spirit is within me;
Because You died and rose again.

Repeat

Chorus Amazing love - how can it be
That You my King would die for me?
Amazing love - I know it's true
And it's my joy to honor You;
In all I do, I honor You.

You are my king; You are my king;
Jesus, You are my king; Jesus, You are my king.

Chorus Amazing love - how can it be
That You my King would die for me?
Amazing love - I know it's true
And it's my joy to honor You;
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