

Wonderful Maker

You spread out the skies over empty space
Said let there be light to a dark and formless world
Your light was born

You spread out Your arms over empty hearts
Said let there be light to a dark and hopeless world
Your Son was born

Pre-Chorus You made the world and saw that it was good
You sent Your only Son for You are good

Chorus What a wonderful Maker;
What a wonderful Savior
How majestic Your whispers
And how humble Your love
With a strength like no other
And the heart of a Father
How majestic Your whispers -
What a wonderful God

No eye has fully seen how beautiful the cross
And we have only heard the faintest whispers
Of how great You are
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Pre-Chorus

Chorus

You Are Holy (Prince of Peace)

<u>MEN</u>	<u>WOMEN</u>
You are Holy (Echo)	You are Holy
You are Mighty	You are Mighty
You are Worthy	You are Worthy
Worthy of Praise	Worthy of Praise
I will follow	I will follow
I will listen	I will listen
I will love You	I will love You
All of my days	All of my days
I will sing to	You are Lord of Lords
And worship	You are King of Kings
The King, Who	You are Mighty God
Is Worthy	Lord of everything
I will love Him,	You're Emmanuel
Adore Him,	You're the Great I Am
I will bow down	You're the Prince of Peace
Before Him	Who is the Lamb
I will sing to	You're the Living God
And worship	You're my Saving Grace
The King who	You will reign forever
Is worthy	You are Ancient of Days
I will love Him,	You are the Alpha Omega
Adore Him,	Beginning and End
I will bow down	You're my Savior, Messiah
Before Him	Redeemer and Friend

You're my Prince of Peace
And I will live my life for you.

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

Cindy Liggett

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Keith Hansen
Righteous Father, you have crowned Jesus Christ as Lord of all. We confess that we have not bowed before him, and are slow to acknowledge his rule. We give allegiance to the powers of this world, heed their voices, and fail to be governed by your word. In your mercy, forgive us. Raise us to acclaim Jesus as ruler of all, that we may be his loyal ambassadors, obeying his commands. In the name of our Lord Jesus Christ we pray. Amen.

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

Choir

~~WE MEET GOD THROUGH THE WORD~~

Message: "A Few Good Men...And Women"

Pastor Jeff Ogden

Reading: "The Story," Chapter Eight

WORSHIP SONG

***Lord of All**

Wonder and awe surround you, Lord,
Glory and fire light your way.
Day after day, the heavens proclaim
The beauty of the holy One.

We will respond – with joy in our song.
Your enemies rise, Your enemies fall
Your fire consumes them all

Chorus There is none so high and holy, King of kings the One and Only,
You are adored – You are the Lord of all.
There is none so high and holy, King of kings the One and Only,
You are adored – You are the Lord of all.

Mysteries unknown are known to you –
All wisdom is Yours to reveal.
You hold in your hand the days of all men –
All life and breath are Yours to give.

We will respond – with joy in our song.
Your enemies rise, Your enemies fall,
Your fire consumes them all.

Chorus

Bridge We adore you, we adore you - Lord of all the earth.
Lord, we love you, Lord, we love you - let our hearts be pure.
Repeat

Ending There is none so high and holy,
King of kings, the One and Only.
You are adored – You are the Lord ;
You are adored – You are the Lord;
You are adored – You are the Lord of all.

***BENEDICTION**

***BENEDICTION RESPONSE** (Please join hands with the people next to you.)

***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.

USHERS

Don & Karen Ferrell

WORSHIP ASSISTANT

Keith Hansen

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

Cindy Liggett

FLOWERS In Honor of My Parent's Evelyn and Durin Swingly - Lynne Donat

In Our Prayers: Sam Harris's daughter - healing; Deacons' Food Box Ministry; YouthCompass Mission Team; everyone who has the flu, cold, or other illness; the homeless; our nation; Veterans; those serving our nation and their families; missionaries serving around the world; Lenten Season; "The Story."

ANNOUNCEMENTS

AL AND ANNIE OLSEN from Wycliffe Bible Translators are sharing with us today during minute for mission. Our church has been a long time supporter of the Olsens.

FELLOWSHIP AFTER CHURCH. Please join us in the Fireside Room following our 10:00 a.m. worship service for treats and coffee.

EASTER FOOD BOX MINISTRY - TODAY. There are various ways to get involved with the Deacons' Easter food box ministry. Today after the 10:00 a.m. service we will need people set up in the Fireside Room for the food box packing. We will be packing the food boxes at 5:00 p.m. on Wednesday, March 21st in the Fireside Room. Distribution of the food boxes will be on Saturday, March 24th starting at 10:00 a.m. Your help would be appreciated for any or all of these days.

INVITE A FRIEND AND BE A FRIEND! 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. We have Easter invite cards available for you to give out. Be praying for who might ask to come with you and then ask them.

EASTER FLOWERS. If you would like to provide flowers for our Easter Sunday services on April 1st, 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.

NEED VOLUNTEERS FOR AN EASTER EGG HUNT. We will be having an Easter Egg Hunt for the kids during the brunch on Easter and we need volunteers to hide eggs and to help the kids during the hunt. Please contact Annie Payne if you would like to volunteer.

NEED VOLUNTEERS FOR EASTER BRUNCH. We will be having an Easter Brunch on Easter Sunday, April 1st after the 10am service. We need people to bring food for the brunch and to help with setup - the sign up sheet is in the Church Narthex.

BELIZE MISSION TRIP SEPT 14-22 2018. The team is now forming for our dental/vet mission to Seine Bight. Please be in prayer about joining us as we minister alongside Pastor Jim & Anna Mensie in this warm, vibrant community. For information email Renee at villagechurchmissions@gmail.com or call/text her at 775-742-0917. "Whom shall I send... who will go for us?" Isaiah 6:8. **IS GOD CALLING YOU?**

NEW WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY. Starting on Wednesday, March 28. The new study will be on Twelve Ordinary Men by John Mac Arthur. We will do a six week study on 6 of the 12 disciples. We will meet on Wednesdays at 2:00 - 3:30 p.m. at Michele Young's house. If you are interested please contact her at 908-768-1822.

A THOUGHT FROM CHRISTIANS PAST... "An unholy church! It is useless to the world, and of no esteem among men. It is an abomination, hell's laughter, heaven's abhorrence. The worst evils which have ever come upon the world have been brought upon her by an unholy church." - C. H. Spurgeon

HOLY WEEK EVENTS:

MARCH 29TH - MAUNDY THURSDAY SERVICE. On Maundy Thursday we remember our Lord’s last supper with his disciples where he gave them the New Commandment, “Love one another as I have loved you.” John 13:34. This year on March 29th at 6:00 p.m. in the Fireside Room, we will be celebrating together with a simple supper of soup and bread, followed by a communion service.

MARCH 30TH - GOOD FRIDAY SERVICE. On Good Friday, March 30th at 6:30 p.m. in The Village Church Sanctuary we will be hosting a combined worship service with Cornerstone Community and New Life Foursquare Churches. The service will focus on the seven last words of Christ. All are welcome!


APRIL 1ST - EASTER SUNDAY. We will be having a special 6:30 a.m. sunrise service this year at Burnt Cedar Beach in Incline - weather permitting. Then we will have our 8:00 a.m. and 10:00 a.m. worship services in the Sanctuary at the Church. We will be celebrating that “Christ is risen! He is risen indeed!” Invite your friends and family to join you in worship on Easter. After the 10:00 a.m. service we will be having an Easter Brunch in the Fireside Room and an Easter Egg Hunt for the kids.

SERMON NOTES

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 18th:** Easter Food Box Setup
- **March 21st:** Easter Food Box Packing
- **March 24th:** Easter Food Distribution
- **March 25th:** Palm Sunday
- **March 28th:** YouthCompass Mission Trip to Serbia Begins
- **March 29th:** Maundy Thursday Supper and Communion Service 6:00pm
- **March 30th:** Good Friday Service at 6:30pm
- **April 1st:** Easter Sunday; Easter Brunch; Children’s Easter Egg Hunt; Choir Off
- **April 8th:** Lord’s Supper; Deacons Meeting; VBS Info Meeting

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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 18, 2018 - March 25, 2018

TODAY

- 8:15 a.m. *Choir Practice - Fireside Room*
- 9:15 a.m. *Praise Team Practice - Sanctuary*
- 10:15 a.m. *Sunday School*
- 11:30 a.m. *Easter Food Box Setup - Fireside Room*

TUESDAY

- 2:37 p.m. *Staff Meeting - Pastor's Study*
- 4:00 p.m. *Men’s Study - Fireside Room*
- 6:00 p.m. *Elements - High School Youth Group - Y/R*
- 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 - Room A*
- 5:00 p.m. *Food Box Packing - Fireside Room*
- 6:00 p.m. *Adult Bible Study - Fireside Room*
- 6 to 8:00 p.m. *Upper Room Group - Middle School - Y/R*

THURSDAY

- 7:00 p.m. *AL-ANON Meeting - Room A*
- 7:00 p.m. *AA Meeting - Fireside Room*

SATURDAY

- 10:00 a.m. *Easter Food Box Distribution - Fireside Room*

SUNDAY

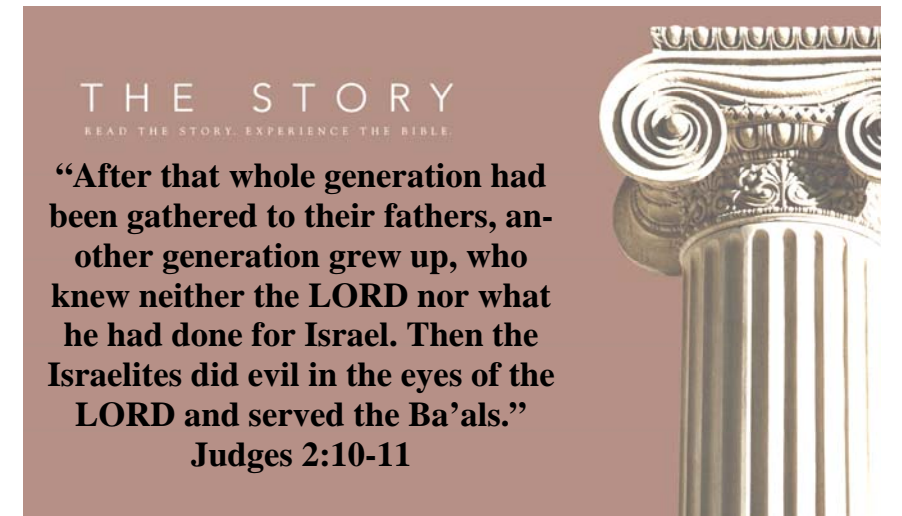
- 8 & 10 a.m. *Palm Sunday*
- 8:15 a.m. *Worship Service in the Sanctuary - Pastor Jeff Ogden Preaching*
- 9:15 a.m. *Message: “The Faith of a Foreign Woman”*
- 10:15 a.m. *Reading: From The Story, Chapter “Nine”*
- 10:15 a.m. *Choir Practice - Fireside Room*
- 10:15 a.m. *Praise Team Practice - Sanctuary*
- 10:15 a.m. *Sunday School*

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Church Leadership:

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| <i>Alfredo Amezcaga - Elder</i> | <i>Miriella Melara - Deacon</i> |
| <i>Doug Baker - Deacon</i> | <i>Marilyn Merritt - Deacon</i> |
| <i>Lynn Bandaruk - Deacon</i> | <i>Darlene Nilsson - Elder</i> |
| <i>Ted Bandaruk - Elder</i> | <i>Rev. Jeff Ogden - Pastor</i> |
| <i>Patti Boxeth - Deacon</i> | <i>Vicki Ogden - Preschool Staff & Deacon</i> |
| <i>Gary Boxeth - Elder</i> | <i>Annie Payne - Office Manager</i> |
| <i>Stephanie Conragan - Preschool Staff</i> | <i>Linda Robins - Thrift Shop Manager</i> |
| <i>Pastor Tony Conragan, CLP - AV & Youth Pastor</i> | <i>Allie Sacci - Preschool Staff</i> |
| <i>Jim Dykstra - Deacon Moderator</i> | <i>Ann Schofield - Financial Administration, Clerk of Session, Elder</i> |
| <i>Jon Fay - Choir Director</i> | <i>Brooke Spanial - Preschool Staff</i> |
| <i>Roxanne Fernandez - Preschool Staff</i> | <i>Jason Stanton - Accompanist</i> |
| <i>Don Ferrell - Elder</i> | <i>Lynne Swingley Donat - Deacon</i> |
| <i>Betsy Garfinkle - Deacon</i> | <i>Vickie Twichell - Thrift Shop Manager</i> |
| <i>Mary Gilbert - Christian Education Director</i> | <i>Paul Twichell - Elder</i> |
| <i>Tim Gilbert - Elder & Custodian</i> | <i>Debby Wiens - Pianist</i> |
| <i>Janet Howell - Preschool Staff</i> | <i>Michele Young - Elder, Treasurer, Women’s Ministries Moderator</i> |
| <i>Cindy Liggett - Preschool Director</i> | |
| <i>Terri Nielsen - Preschool Staff</i> | |

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 18, 2018
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 and place it in the offering plate. You can also update your contact information and sign up to receive our weekly news updates. We’re glad you’re here with us today!

OPENING PRAYER

MINUTE FOR MISSION Wycliffe Bible Translators - Al & Annie Olsen

SONGS OF WORSHIP

**Crown Him With Many Crowns* Hymn #345

Crown Him with many crowns, The Lamb upon His throne:
Hark! How the heavenly anthem drowns all music but its own!
Awake, my soul, and sing of Him who died for thee;
And hail Him as thy matchless King through all eternity.

Crown Him the Lord of love: Behold His hands and side,
Rich wounds, yet visible above, in beauty glorified;
No angel in the sky can fully bear that sight,
But downward bends His wondering eye at mysteries so bright

Crown Him the Lord of life: Who triumphed o’er the grave,
Who rose victorious to the strife for those He came to save;
His glories now we sing, Who died and rose on high,
Who died eternal life to bring, and lives that death may die.

Crown Him the Lord of heaven: One with the Father known,
One with the Spirit through Him given from yonder glorious throne.
To Thee be endless praise, For Thou for us hast died;
Be Thou, O Lord, through endless days adored and magnified.

Crown Him the Lord of years: The potentate of time,
Creator of the rolling spheres, ineffably sublime.
All hail, Redeemer, hail! For Thou hast died for me;
Thy praise and glory shall not fail throughout eternity.