

## EASTER FLOWERS GIVEN BY:

Vickie Twichell In Celebration of Vickie's Parents Living for the Lord & Their 70<sup>th</sup> Anniversary

Jane Dykstra In Memory of Joan Patten

George & Barbara Frederic In Memory of Nan White, Barbara's Mother

Joann & Guy Fortier In Celebration of He Has Risen

Linda Robins In Celebration of Jesus Christ

The Schumanns In Celebration of Ann Schofield, Annie Payne; the Ogden Family. In Memory of Mary Schumann and Mary Jo Schumann

The Or Lady Family In Celebration of Our Lord – He Is Risen! In Memory of Dr. Jay Macmoran

Patricia & John Morris In Celebration of God's Love and Forgiveness

Bob Williamson In Memory of Wilbur and Blanche Shaffer

Joannie McNulty In Memory of Loved Ones

Debi Moore In Celebration of My Grandkids

Ted & Lynn Bandaruk In Memory of William Bandaruk; Phyllis and Bruce McCorkindale

Sam Harris In Memory of Betty Harris My Spectacular Wife

Don & Lois Smaltz In Celebration of our Parents

Steve Merritt In Memory of Kenneth Green

Annette Owens In Memory of Margaret and James Marek – My Beloved Parents

Linda Florentine In Celebration of the Glory of God

Muffy Betker In Memory of my Husband Jerry Betker

Roger & Barbara Leach In Memory of Ellinor Levy and Mima Radosavljevic

Bill & Barbara Schwerdtfeger In Celebration of Easter

Michael & Robin Barnes In Memory of Robin's Parents and Michael's Mother

Patti Boxeth In Celebration of Jesus. In Memory of Mom & Dad

Jeff & Vicki Ogden In Memory of Ivan & Viola Ogden; Al and Mariel Aarhus; Eugene Williamson



## MINISTRY OF THE WEEK

April 16, 2017- April 23, 2017

### TODAY

7:00 a.m.

8 & 10 a.m.

10:15 a.m.

11:15 a.m.

11:30 a.m.

### MONDAY

### TUESDAY

2:37 p.m.

4:00 p.m.

### WEDNESDAY

6:30 a.m.

10:00 a.m.

2:00 p.m.

6:00 p.m.

### THURSDAY

6:30 p.m.

7:00 p.m.

7:00 p.m.

### SUNDAY

8 & 10 a.m.

10:15 a.m.

Choir Practice

Worship Service - Sanctuary

Sunday School

Easter Brunch - Fireside Room

Children's Easter Egg Hunt

Office Closed

Staff Meeting - Pastor's Study

Men's Bible Study - Fireside Room

Christ, Coffee, and Cinnamon Rolls Men's Study - Fireside Room

Intercessory Prayer - Pastor's Study

Session Meeting - Pastor's Study

Adult Bible Study - Fireside Room

Kings Beach Small Group - Gary and Patti Boxeth's Home

AL-ANON Meeting - Room A

AA Meeting - Room C

Pastor Jeff Ogden Preaching

Worship Service - Sanctuary

Sunday School



## Resurrection Sunday CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

April 16, 2017

8:00 A.M. and 10:00 A.M.

### 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're glad you're here with us.

### OPENING PRAYER

Pastor Jeff Ogden

### \*SONGS OF WORSHIP

#### Christ Is Risen, He Is Risen Indeed

How can it be the One who died  
Has borne our sin through sacrifice?  
To conquer every sting of death -  
Sing, sing hallelujah!

For joy awakes as dawning light  
When Christ's disciples lift their eyes;  
Alive, He stands their Friend and King;  
Christ, Christ He is risen!

Chorus: Christ is risen, He is risen indeed -  
Oh sing hallelujah!

Join the chorus, sing with the redeemed  
Christ is risen, He is risen indeed.

Where doubt and darkness once had been,  
They saw Him and their hearts believed.  
But blessed are those who have not seen  
Yet sing hallelujah!

Once bound by fear, now bold in faith  
They preached the truth and power of grace  
And pouring out their lives, they gained  
Life, life everlasting!

Chorus

The power that raised Him from the grave  
Now works in us to powerfully save -  
He frees our hearts to live His grace -  
Go, tell of His goodness!

Chorus

### SAVE THE DATES!

- April 17<sup>th</sup>: YouthCompass Mission Team Returns
- April 21<sup>st</sup>-22<sup>nd</sup>: Belize Mission Trip Packing
- April 29<sup>th</sup>: Chris Tomlin Concert in Reno
- May 6<sup>th</sup>: Presbytery Meeting
- May 8<sup>th</sup>: YoungLife Banquet
- May 10<sup>th</sup>: Session Meeting
- May 14<sup>th</sup>: Mother's Day
- May 19<sup>th</sup>: Belize Mission Trip Begins
- June 9<sup>th</sup>: Women's Ministry Fashion Show
- June 23<sup>rd</sup>: Reno Aces Faith Night
- July 2<sup>nd</sup>: Outdoor Worship Begins
- July 15<sup>th</sup>: Church BBQ at Burnt Cedar

A THOUGHT FROM CHRISTIANS PAST... "HE DIED, but He vanquished death; in Himself, He put an end to what we feared; He took it upon Himself, and He vanquished it; as a mighty hunter, He captured and slew the lion. Where is death? Seek it in Christ, for it exists no longer; but it did exist, and now it is dead. O life, O death of death! Be of good heart; it will die in us also. What has taken place in our Head will take place in His members; death will die in us also. But when? At the end of the world, at the resurrection of the dead in which we believe and concerning which we do not doubt."

St. Augustine

### Church Leadership:

Doug Baker - Deacon

Ted Bandaruk - Deacon

Patti Boxeth - Deacon

Gary Boxeth - Elder

Stephanie Conragan - Preschool Staff

Pastor Tony Conragan, CLP - AV & Youth Pastor

Chuck Dowd - Elder

Jane Dykstra - Elder

Jim Dykstra - Deacon Moderator

Jon Fay - Choir Director

Kristen Ferrall - Preschool Teacher

Don Ferrell - Elder

Linda Florentine - Women's Ministries Moderator

Betsy Garfinkle - Deacon

Mary Gilbert - Christian Education Director

Tim Gilbert - Custodian

Janet Howell - Preschool Staff

Tasia Irons - Preschool Staff

Cindy Liggett - Preschool Director

Terri Nielsen - Preschool Staff

Darlene Nilsson - Elder

Ann O'Keefe - Deacon

Rev. Jeff Ogden - Pastor

Vicki Ogden - Preschool Staff & Deacon

Annie Payne - Office Manager

Tom Payne - Deacon

Linda Robins - Elder, Thrift Shop Manager

Allie Sacci - Preschool Staff

Nathalie Sacci - Assistant Preschool Director

Ann Schofield - Financial Admin. &  
Clerk of Session & Elder

Jason Stanton - Accompanist

Lynne Swingley Donat - Deacon

Vickie Twichell - Thrift Shop Manager

Debby Wiens - Pianist

Michele Young - Elder

### 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.

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



The Village Church is affiliated with ECO:

A Covenant Order of Evangelical Presbyterians.

For more information, see our website at

[www.TheVillageChurchNV.org](http://www.TheVillageChurchNV.org) or [www.eco-pres.org](http://www.eco-pres.org).

## SONGS OF WORSHIP

### *Man of Sorrows*

Man of sorrows, Lamb of God, by His own betrayed.  
The sin of man and wrath of God has been on Jesus laid.

Silent as He stood accused, beaten, mocked, and scorned.  
Bowing to the Father's will, He took a crown of thorns.

*Chorus:* Oh, that rugged cross, my salvation,  
Where Your love poured out over me.  
Now my soul cries out, hallelujah,  
Praise and honour unto Thee.

Sent of heaven, God's own Son to purchase and redeem,  
And reconcile the very ones who nailed Him to that tree.

*Chorus*

*Bridge x2:* Now, my debt is paid, it is paid in full  
By the precious blood that my Jesus spilled.  
Now, the curse of sin has no hold on me.  
Whom the Son sets free, Oh, is free indeed.

*Chorus*

See the stone is rolled away, behold the empty tomb.  
Hallelujah, God be praised, He's risen from the grave.

*Chorus*

*Ending x2:* Whom the Son sets free, Oh, is free indeed.

### *In Christ Alone*

In Christ alone my hope is found,  
He is my light, my strength, my song.  
This Cornerstone, this solid ground,  
Firm through the fiercest drought and storm.  
What heights of love, what depths of peace,  
When fears are stilled, when strivings cease.  
My Comforter, my All in all, here in the love of Christ I stand.

In Christ alone, Who took on flesh,  
Fullness of God in helpless Babe!  
This gift of love and righteousness,  
Scorned by the ones He came to save.  
'Til on the cross as Jesus died,  
The wrath of God was satisfied.  
For every sin on Him was laid; here in the death of Christ I live.

There in the ground His body lay,  
Light of the world, by darkness slain;  
Then, bursting forth in glorious day,  
Up from the grave He rose again!  
And as He stands in victory,  
Sin's curse has lost its grip on me;  
For I am His and He is mine, bought with the precious blood of Christ.

No guilt in life, no fear in death -  
This is the pow'r of Christ in me;  
From life's first cry to final breath,  
Jesus commands my destiny.  
No pow'r of hell, no scheme of man,  
Can ever pluck me from His hand;  
Till He returns or calls me home - here in the pow'r of Christ I'll stand.



**THE EASTER STORY: John 20:1-18**

Pew Bible Pages: 1685-1686

## CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

Darlene Nilsson 10:00 A.M

## PRAYER OF CONFESSION

New life stirs and springs up all around us, Lord; while we are earthbound still,  
frozen, dull, held down by doubts, kept back by fears, ashamed of what we fail to  
do, appalled at what we've done. Forgive us, Lord. Renew us in the resurrection  
light as once it shone on Peter, John, and Mary Magdalene. Transform our  
weakness and sin by your strength, that we may be alive in Christ and to the lives  
of those you've given us to serve. In the name of our Savior we pray. Amen

## ASSURANCE OF PARDON

## SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

10:00 A.M.

### ~~WE GIVE THANKS TO GOD~~

## PASTORAL PRAYERS, SILENT PRAYERS AND THE 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 TITHES AND OFFERINGS

### Offertory Prayer & Offering

### Offertory

Choir

### ~~WE MEET GOD THROUGH THE WORD~~

## MESSAGE: "A Living Hope"

Pastor Jeff Ogden

## SCRIPTURE: 1 Peter 1:3

Pew Bible Page: 1886

## WORSHIP SONG

### *\*Christ The Lord Is Risen Today*

Hymn #289

Christ the Lord is risen today, Alleluia!  
Sons of men and angels say: Alleluia!  
Raise your joys and triumphs high, Alleluia!  
Sing, ye heavens and earth reply: Alleluia!

Lives again our glorious King, Alleluia!  
Where, O death, is now thy sting? Alleluia!  
Dying once He all doth save, Alleluia!  
Where thy victory, O grave? Alleluia!

Love's redeeming work is done, Alleluia!  
Fought the fight, the battle won, Alleluia!  
Death in vain forbids Him rise, Alleluia!  
Christ has opened Paradise, Alleluia!

Sing we to our God above, Alleluia!  
Praise eternal as His love, Alleluia!  
Praise Him, all ye heavenly host, Alleluia!  
Father, Son and Holy Ghost, Alleluia!

## \*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 and pagers during worship.

## CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

Darlene Nilsson 10:00 A.M

## WORSHIP ASSISTANTS

Michele Young 8:00 A.M.

Linda Robins 10:00 A.M.

## USHERS

Steve & Forest Wiens 8:00 A.M.

Patti & Gary Boxeth; Michele & Craig Young 10:00 A.M.

*In Our Prayers:* Tony Conragan - healing from knee surgery; Joannie McNulty - broken ribs; all those sick with the flu or cold; YouthCompass Mission Team; Karen Bennett's brother Mike - healing from eye surgery; Deacons' Food Box Ministry; Christopher Brooks grieving the loss of his father; for the Visioning Team.



## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### SPECIAL RESURRECTION SUNDAY BRUNCH TODAY.

Join us in the Fireside Room following our 10:00 a.m. worship service for fresh fruit, ham, frittata, hot cross buns, and other tasty goodies.

**EASTER EGG HUNT TODAY.** There will be an Easter Egg Hunt for the kids after the 10:00 a.m. service. We will be starting the hunt about 20 minutes after the service. See Annie Payne for details.

**SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS INFORMATION:** Children 2 years old and younger go to the Nursery; Children three years old thru Kindergarten meet in the Preschool room every Sunday. Elementary grades 1-5 meet in Room A upstairs every Sunday. Middle and High School grades 6-12 meet the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of the month in the Youth Room upstairs.

**THRIFT SHOP VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!** Thanks to everyone that currently volunteers at the Thrift Store. It was awesome the way the men of the church helped when Tony had his first knee replaced. Tony had his other knee replaced on April 10<sup>th</sup>, and the Thrift Shop is in need of just one willing volunteer per day for at least six weeks. The days and time needed is Monday-Friday from 11:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m. If you can volunteer please contact Tony Conragan, Linda Robins at 775-831-5200, or Vickie Twichell 775-434-5830. If you can only help part of a shift, let us know and we will work with it.

**CONNECT WITH OUR WORSHIP COMMUNITY.** The blue Connect Cards in the pew racks in front of you are a great way to communicate with us. Use a card to let us know if you have a change in your contact information, have a prayer request or want to connect with Pastor Jeff and various ministries and programs within our church. Also, if you would like to be included in our weekly e-mail "blast," just share your email address with us and check the box on the card to be included on the list.

**UNABLE TO ATTEND A WORSHIP SERVICE?** Pastor Jeff's 10:00 a.m. sermon is recorded each Sunday. Check out our website at <http://www.thevillagechurchnv.org/sermons/> to hear the sermon you missed.

**WE ARE LOOKING FOR VOLUNTEERS** to teach Sunday school. Mary Gilbert the Christian Education Director has everything already prepared - the lesson, craft, and all of the handouts - and sets up the room; all you have to do is come and lead the class! Our classes are divided by age: PreK thru Kindergarten and Elementary (grades 1-5). Please help with this very important ministry. If you would like to volunteer please contact Mary Gilbert at [mgilbert@thevillagechurchnv.org](mailto:mgilbert@thevillagechurchnv.org).

**SUMMER CAMPS AT CALVIN CREST CHRISTIAN CAMP** will be July 16<sup>th</sup>- 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2017 for 4<sup>th</sup> through 8<sup>th</sup> grades. Kids will get the full summer camp experience: sleeping in cabins, hikes through the woods, fun games, canoeing on the lake and lots more. Each night there will be a time of worship and devotions every day. Camp counselors from The Village Church are needed, and new this year, there is no fee for counselors! Contact Mary Gilbert for more details.

