

~~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

Praise Team, Choir, and Jane Dykstra on Flute

~~WE MEET GOD THROUGH THE WORD~~

Message: "Are You Ready to Get Skinny?" Mario Ornelas, YoungLife Director

Scripture: Luke 18:18-30

Pew Bible Pages 1629-1630

WORSHIP SONG

**Take My Life and Let It Be*

Hymn #458

Take my life and let it be
Consecrated, Lord, to Thee;
Take my hands and let them move
At the impulse of Thy love,
At the impulse of Thy love.

Take my feet and let them be
Swift and beautiful for Thee;
Take my voice and let me sing
Always, only, for my King,
Always, only for my King.

Take my lips and let them be
Filled with messages for Thee;
Take my silver and my gold,
Not a mite would I withhold,
Not a mite would I withhold.

Take my love, my God, I pour
At Thy feet its treasure store;
Take myself and I will be
Ever, only, all for Thee,
Ever, only, all for Thee.

***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.

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Jesus Lover of My Soul (It's All About You)

It's all about You, Jesus,
And all this is for You,
For your glory and Your fame.
It's not about me, as if
You should do things my way;
You alone are God,
And I surrender to Your ways.

Jesus, lover of my soul,
All consuming fire is in Your gaze.
Jesus, I want You to know
I will follow You all my days.
For no one else in history is like You,
And history itself belongs to You.
Alpha and Omega, You have loved me,
And I will share eternity with You.

It's all about You, Jesus,
And all this is for You,
For your glory and Your fame.
It's not about me, as if
You should do things my way;
You alone are God,
And I surrender to Your ways.

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

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

Bill Ferrall

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Gary Boxeth

Almighty God, we are of all people in this world the most blessed. Our material wealth and the comfort that wealth affords allow us to live in a manner that far outpaces all other people in the history of the world. We acknowledge you are the provider of this great blessing.

We also acknowledge that our access to this wealth and comfort sometimes tempts us to trust in that which we own rather than in the One who has made us. We tend toward an idolatrous self-sufficiency that relegates you to the status of a heavenly 911 service. Father, we ask you today to help us see our wealth as a way to bless others rather than as an entitlement which is ours to use as we please. Remind us that all that we find in our hands comes from you. Free us from greed, and free us for love. In the name of Jesus, we pray, Amen.

ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

USHERS
WORSHIP ASSISTANT
CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

John & Nancy Manter
Gary Boxeth
Bill Ferrall

In Our Prayers: Ann Schofield - healing from heart attack; Pat Collins - severe stroke; Karen Ferrall - grieving the loss of her mother; Tom Donat - infection from knee surgery; Tony Conragan - knee surgery; all those sick with the flu or cold; Belize Mission Team.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

MARIO ORNELAS DIRECTOR OF YOUNGLIFE is sharing God's Word with us this morning. Mario is the Director of Tahoe Truckee Young Life (YL). Mario has been a YL leader in San Antonio, TX and San Jose, CA and moved to the area in July 2015. We will be blessed through Mario's sharing.

FELLOWSHIP AFTER CHURCH. Please join us in the Fireside Room following our worship service for treats and coffee.

NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER ON MAY 4TH. We will have a prayer gathering in the Sanctuary at noon on May 4th. We're going to meet for a time to pray for our nation and for God to bring revival to us as a people. Please join us.

YOUTH MISSION TRIP FUNDRAISER NEXT SUNDAY! The youth will be having a silent auction on May 7th following the 10:00 a.m. worship service. We need your help by donating items for the auction. Ideas for donations are golf items, art-work, gift baskets, gift certificates, etc. Please bring any donated items to the Church Office. Contact Tony Conragan with any questions.

MAY POTLUCK LUNCH - NEXT SUNDAY. On May 7th, we will gather in the Fireside Room following the 10:00 a.m. worship service for an Cinco de Mayo themed potluck lunch. The Church will provide items for a taco bar. Please bring beans, rice, salsa, or your favorite Mexican dish to share.

DEACON'S MEETING - NEXT SUNDAY. Deacons will be meeting on May 7th in Room A following the potluck.

SOFTBALL SEASON IS COMING UP. Are you interested in playing on our church's softball team? There is a sign up sheet on the Narthex Counter.

THE INCLINE VILLAGE SMALL GROUP is starting back up! This group is open to anyone. We will be doing a study on the Fruit of the Spirt. This group meets on Tuesdays at 6:30 p.m. at Jim & Jane Dykstra's home. Please join us. Contact Tim Gilbert or Annie Payne for more information.

THE KINGS BEACH SMALL GROUP meets on the 1st and 3rd Thursdays of the month at 6:30 p.m. at Gary and Patti Boxeth's home. All are welcome. Please contact Gary or Patti for more information.

PARENTS' NIGHT OUT! In honor of Mother's Day, we are having another Parents' Night Out. The Village Church's Incline Small Group is offering to watch your children for an evening so you can get out and recharge - at no cost to you on Friday, May 12th from 6:00 p.m. to 8:30p.m. Trustworthy, adult church members are offering to care for your children in the familiar surroundings of the Village Christian Preschool! Sign up forms are available at the Preschool or in the Church Office. Space is limited. Also, if you would like to volunteer to help out with this event please contact Annie Payne apayne@thevillagechurchnv.org.

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.

A THOUGHT FROM CHRISTIANS PAST... "It is sad to see how the most of men neglect their precious souls, turning their backs upon the glorious gospel, and little minding a crucified Jesus, when, in the meanwhile, their bodies are well provided for, their estates much regarded, and the things of this present life are highly prized."

John Bunyan

ANNOUNCEMENTS CONTINUED

OUR BELIZE MISSION TEAM is diligently getting ready for their upcoming trip. On the Belize team from our Church is Pastor Jeff and Jane Dykstra. The whole team is leaving on May 18th to provide much needed dental care and to do a construction project in Seine Bight alongside Jim and Anna Menzie, missionaries from Calvary Chapel in Truckee. If you are interested in financially supporting our mission team you can make your check out to "The Village Church" and designate the mission on the memo line of your check. Please hold up our mission teams in prayer.

SUMMER CAMPS AT CALVIN CREST CHRISTIAN CAMP will be July 16th- 22nd, 2017 for 4th through 8th 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.


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.

SERMON NOTES

SAVE THE DATE!

- May 4th: National Day of Prayer
- May 6th: Presbytery Meeting
- May 7th: Lord's Supper; Potluck; Youth Silent Auction Fundraiser; Deacons Mtg.
- May 8th: YoungLife Banquet
- May 9th: Women's Ministry Board Meeting; Incline Small Group
- May 10th: Session Meeting
- May 12th: Parent's Night Out
- May 14th: Mother's Day
- May 18th: Belize Mission Trip Begins
- May 21st - Lake Tahoe Women's Retreat Meeting
- June 9th: Women's Ministry Fashion Show
- June 23rd: Reno Aces Faith Night
- July 2nd: Outdoor Worship Begins
- July 15th: Church BBQ at Burnt Cedar



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A Covenant Order of Evangelical Presbyterians.
For more information, see our website:
www.TheVillageChurchNV.org or www.eco-pres.org.

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

MINISTRY OF THE WEEK

April 30, 2017 - May 7, 2017

TODAY

8 & 10 a.m.
8:15 a.m.
10:15 a.m.
11:30 a.m.

Worship Service - Sanctuary
Choir Practice - Fireside Room
Sunday School
Sunday School Teacher Training for the Youth - Room A
Office Closed

MONDAY

TUESDAY
2:37 p.m.
4:00 p.m.

Staff Meeting - Pastor's Study
Men's Study - Fireside Room

WEDNESDAY

6:30 a.m.
10:00 a.m.
6:00 p.m.
6 to 8:00 p.m.

Christ, Coffee, and Cinnamon Rolls Men's Study - Fireside Room
Intercessory Prayer - Pastor's Study
Adult Bible Study - Fireside Room
Upper Room Group - Middle School and High School - Y/R

THURSDAY

12:00 p.m.
6:30 p.m.
7:00 p.m.
7:00 p.m.

National Day of Prayer - Sanctuary
Kings Beach Small Group - Gary and Patti Boxeth's Home
AL-ANON Meeting - Room A
AA Meeting - Room C

SATURDAY

Presbytery Meeting

SUNDAY

8 & 10 a.m.
8:15 a.m.
10:15 a.m.
11:30 a.m.
11:30 a.m.
12:00 p.m.

Lord's Supper
Pastor Jeff Ogden Preaching
Message: "Born to Die" Scripture: Luke 18:31-34
Worship Service - Sanctuary
Choir Practice - Fireside Room
Sunday School
Youth Silent Auction Fundraiser - Fireside Room/Narthex
Taco Bar Potluck
Deacon's Meeting

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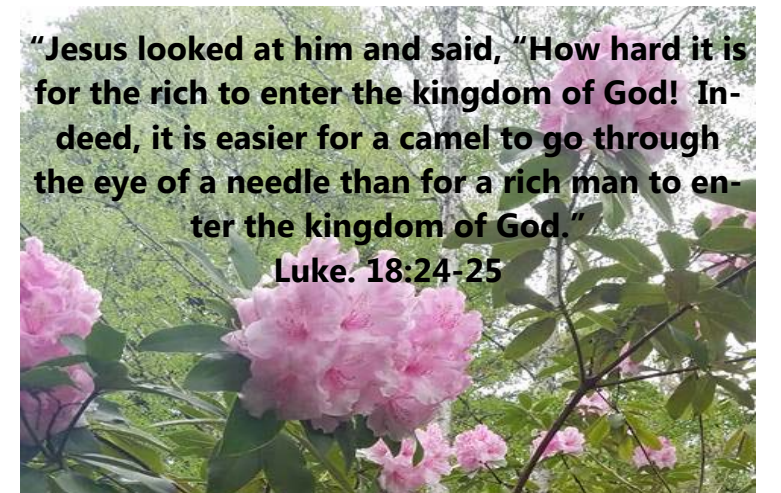
Doug Baker - Deacon	Cindy Liggett - Preschool Director
Ted Bandarak - Deacon	Terri Nielsen - Preschool Staff
Patti Boxeth - Deacon	Darlene Nilsson - Elder
Gary Boxeth - Elder	Ann O'Keefe - Deacon
Stephanie Conragan - Preschool Staff	Rev. Jeff Ogden - Pastor
Pastor Tony Conragan, CLP - AV & Youth Pastor	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 - Assistant Preschool Director
Don Ferrell - Elder	Ann Schofield - Financial Admin. & Clerk of Session & Elder
Linda Florentine - Women's Ministries Moderator	
Betsy Garfinkle - Deacon	Jason Stanton - Accompanist
Mary Gilbert - Christian Education Director	Lynne Swingley Donat - Deacon
Tim Gilbert - Elder & Custodian	Vickie Twichell - Thrift Shop Manager
Janet Howell - Preschool Staff	Debby Wiens - Pianist
Tasia Irons - Preschool Staff	Michele Young - Elder

BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT GROUP -Thursdays, 9:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. April 6th through May 11th. At St. Patrick's Episcopal Church, 341 Village Blvd. Incline Village. Find help and healing with others who are grieving the death of a loved one. This peer support group, facilitated by Dr. Sue Maturlo and Rev. Clare Novak, will offer insight and compassion on your journey to understand and ease your grief. For more information, email Sue at bozk@aol.com or Clare at clarecnovake@gmail.com.



"Jesus looked at him and said, "How hard it is for the rich to enter the kingdom of God! Indeed, it is easier for a camel to go through the eye of a needle than for a rich man to enter the kingdom of God."

Luke. 18:24-25



CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

April 30, 2017

10:00 A.M.

~~WE WORSHIP THE LORD~~

WELCOME & NEWS OF THE CHURCH Pastor Tony Conragan, CLP

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

SONGS OF WORSHIP

***You Are Worthy Of My Praise**

I will worship (I will worship)
With all of my heart. (all of my heart)
I will praise You (I will praise You)
With all of my strength. (all my strength)

I will seek You (I will seek You)
All of my days. (all of my days)
I will follow (I will follow)
All of Your ways. (all Your ways)

Chorus I will give You all my worship.
I will give You all my praise.
You alone I long to worship.
You alone are worthy of my praise.

I will bow down (I will bow down)
And hail You as King. (hail You as King)
I will serve You, (I will serve You)
Give You everything. (everything)

I will lift up (I will lift up)
My eyes to Your throne. (my eyes to Your throne)
I will trust You, (I will trust You)
I will trust You alone. (You alone)

Chorus x2