

***BENEDICTION**

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**Those who are able will please stand*

OUR PRAYERS: Everyone affected by the fires; missionaries serving around the world; outdoor worship; those serving our nation and their families; our nation; people looking for housing; healing for everyone with cancer.

SAVE THE DATE!

- July 26th: Grief Share Group
- July 28th: Women’s Small Group; Game & Movie Night
- July 29th: Church Softball Game 7:20pm at Preston Field
- July 31st: Church Hike
- August 1st: Lord’s Supper
- August 5th: Church Softball Game 8:40pm Middle School Field
- August 10th: Women’s Paddle & Kayak
- August 14th: Pray & Go
- August 15th: Missionaries Jim & Anna Mensie visiting from Belize
- August 17-20th: VBS held at Cornerstone Community Church
- August 20th: Showing of The Jesus Film
- August 27th: Reno Aces Faith Night Game
- August 29th: New Covenant Partners class (new members class)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

YOUR ASSISTANCE IS APPRECIATED in helping take down our worship service in our Chapel in the Pines. The seat cushions are to be placed in the storage building on the left side of the stage. The music stands, electronic equipment, microphone stands, stand and seat, cords, along with the speakers are also placed in the storage building. The white chairs can be stacked and left in the Chapel area. With everyone’s help, these tasks can be accomplished quickly.

GAME & MOVIE NIGHT WEDNESDAY, JULY 28th: We will be having dinner at 5:30pm in the Fireside Room and then we will play games. Join us.

WOMEN’S KAYAK/PADDLE: Tuesday, August 10th 9:00 a.m. at Ski Beach. Bring your paddle/kayak, hat, sunscreen, water, & snack. IVGID picture pass or card pass required. Please contact the church office at 775-831-0784 if you don’t have one and want to attend.

VBS COMING SOON! We need volunteers to help with Vacation Bible School. VBS is on August 17th-20th from 8:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. for ages 3-12 held at Cornerstone Community Church. To volunteer go to <https://www.cornerstonecommunity.net/vbs-volunteer/>. To register you child or grandchild to attend VBS, go to <https://www.cornerstonecommunity.net/vbs/>.

JESUS FILM. We will be showing the Jesus Film on Friday, August 20th at 6:30pm. Invite your friends, family, and neighbors to watch this special film. It is a perfect introduction to Jesus through the Gospel of Luke.

RENO ACES BASEBALL FAITH NIGHT. Join us for a night of fun cheering on the Reno Aces on Friday, August 27th with the pregame activities starting at 5:00 p.m., the first pitch at 6:35 p.m., and then fireworks at the end of the game. The church will reserved group tickets that are \$16.00 each. Optional food vouchers available for \$7 each. There is a sign up sheet on the Narthex counter. Contact the church office with any questions.



CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP
July 25, 2021 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 email the Church at info@thevillagechurchnv.org You can also update your contact information and sign up to receive our weekly news updates.

OPENING PRAYER

CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 19

Linda Robins

SONGS OF WORSHIP

****When The Stars Burn Down (Blessing & Honor)***

When the stars burn down and the earth wears out
And we stand before the throne;
With the witnesses who have gone before
We will rise and all applaud.

Chorus Singing blessing and honor and glory and power
Forever to our God;
Singing blessing and honor and glory and power
Forever to our God.

When the hands of time wind fully down
And the earth is rolled up like a scroll;
The trumpets will call and the world will fall
To its knees as we all go home.

Chorus x2

Bridge Star of the morning, Light of salvation - Majesty!
God of all mysteries, Lord of the universe - Righteous King!
Repeat

There will come a day standing face to face
In a moment we will be like Him.
He will wipe our eyes dry, take us up to His side
And forever we will be His.

Chorus x2

Your Love Defends Me

You are my joy, You are my song;
You are the well, the One I'm drawing from.
You are my refuge my whole life long;
Where else would I go?

Chorus Surely my God is the strength of my soul;
Your love defends me, Your love defends me;
And when I feel like I'm all alone
Your love defends me, Your love defends me.

Day after day, night after night
I will remember - You're with me in this fight.
Although the battle, it rages on,
The war's already won. I know the war is already won.

Chorus

Bridge We sing hallelujah;
You're my portion, my salvation.
Hallelujah.

Chorus x2

Ending We sing hallelujah - You're my portion my salvation;
Hallelujah - You're my portion my salvation.
Hallelujah - You're my portion my salvation.

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

Darlene Johnson

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

O Lord our God, you know us better than we know ourselves. As we come before you now, believers and doubters alike, we all share a deep need, for we are all lost without your grace. Search us, O God, and know our hearts, test us and know our troubled thoughts. Give us true repentance. Forgive us all our wrongs. Transform us by your Spirit to live for you each day, to learn to serve each other and, through the grace of Jesus Christ our Lord, to come at last to your heavenly Kingdom. Amen.

~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.

***A THOUGHT FROM CHRISTIANS PAST... "WHAT is not possible to us by nature,
let us ask the Lord to supply by the help of his grace." The Rule of St. Benedict***

~WE MEET GOD THROUGH THE WORD~

Message: "Jesus Prays for His Disciples"

Pastor Jeff Ogden

Scripture: John 17:6-19

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⁶ "I have revealed you to those whom you gave me out of the world. They were yours; you gave them to me and they have obeyed your word. ⁷ Now they know that everything you have given me comes from you. ⁸ For I gave them the words you gave me and they accepted them. They knew with certainty that I came from you, and they believed that you sent me. ⁹ I pray for them. I am not praying for the world, but for those you have given me, for they are yours. ¹⁰ All I have is yours, and all you have is mine. And glory has come to me through them. ¹¹ I will remain in the world no longer, but they are still in the world, and I am coming to you. Holy Father, protect them by the power of your name, the name you gave me, so that they may be one as we are one. ¹² While I was with them, I protected them and kept them safe by that name you gave me. None has been lost except the one doomed to destruction so that Scripture would be fulfilled.

¹³ "I am coming to you now, but I say these things while I am still in the world, so that they may have the full measure of my joy within them. ¹⁴ I have given them your word and the world has hated them, for they are not of the world any more than I am of the world. ¹⁵ My prayer is not that you take them out of the world but that you protect them from the evil one. ¹⁶ They are not of the world, even as I am not of it. ¹⁷ Sanctify them by the truth; your word is truth. ¹⁸ As you sent me into the world, I have sent them into the world. ¹⁹ For them I sanctify myself, that they too may be truly sanctified.

WORSHIP SONG

****Mighty to Save***

Everyone needs compassion, love that's never failing -
Let mercy fall on me. Everyone needs forgiveness,
The kindness of a Savior - the hope of nations

Chorus Savior - He can move the mountains
My God is mighty to save,
He is mighty to save!
Forever - Author of salvation,
He rose and conquered the grave,
Jesus conquered the grave!

So take me as You find me, all my fears and failures -
Fill my life again. I give my life to follow
Everything I believe in - now I surrender.

Chorus

Bridge Shine your light and - let the whole world see
We're singing - for the glory of the risen King
Jesus - shine your light and - let the whole world see
We're singing - for the glory of the risen King!

Chorus