

SAVE THE DATE!

July 5th: Preschool & Office closed; Grief Share at 5pm
July 7th: Dinner & Movie Night (*Homeward Bound* is the movie)
July 8th: Church Softball Game 7:20pm at Preston Field
July 10th: Pray & Go Ministry 9am
July 15th: Church Softball Game 8:40pm Middle School Field
July 19th & 20th: Session Retreat
Men's Bible Study Every Wednesday at 6:30am
Incline Small Group meets every Tuesday at 6:30pm
Women's Book Club 3rd Tuesday of the Month
Women's Small Group meets 2nd & 4th Wednesdays of the Month

THE LORD'S SUPPER

WE ARE CELEBRATING OUR LORD'S SUPPER this morning. Membership is not a requirement to share in communion with us. All those who repent and profess faith in Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior and baptized children being raised in the faith are invited to participate in this Sacrament. If you are not able to receive communion, please use this time to meditate on one of the following prayers.

A PRAYER OF PERSONS SEARCHING FOR TRUTH: Lord Jesus, you claim to be the way, the truth, and the life. Grant that I might be undaunted by the cost of following you as I consider the reasons for doing so. If what you claim is true, please guide me, teach me, and open me to the reality of who you are. Give me an understanding of you that is coherent, convincing, and leads to the life you promise. Amen.

A PRAYER OF BELIEF: Lord Jesus Christ, I admit that I am weaker and more sinful than I ever dared admit, but through you I am more loved and accepted than I ever dared hope. I thank you for paying my debt on the cross, taking what I deserved in order to offer me complete forgiveness. Knowing that you have been raised from the dead, I turn from my sins and receive you as my Savior and Lord. Amen.

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.

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

HOSPITALITY VOLUNTEERS: We are back to having fellowship/coffee hour and would like to provide treats again. Please consider joining our hospitality ministry. Email apayne@thevillagechurchnv.org if you would like to volunteer.

DINNER & MOVIE NIGHT WEDNESDAY, JULY 7TH: We will be having dinner at 5:30pm in the Fireside Room and then we will play a movie. The movie will be *Homeward Bound*. Join us for good food and fellowship.

PRAY & GO: Join us on Saturday, July 10th at 9am, meet at the Church. The "Pray and Go" initiative is a program where we will go out and pray for each house in Incline and leave a door hanger letting them know we prayed for them.



CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

July 4, 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 33

Don Ferrell

SONGS OF WORSHIP

**God of Our Fathers*

Hymn #687

God of our fathers, whose almighty hand
Leads forth in beauty, all the starry band
Of shining worlds in splendor through the skies
Our grateful songs before Thy throne arise.

Thy love divine hath led us in the past.
In this free land by Thee our lot is cast;
Be Thou our ruler, guardian, guide, and stay,
Thy word our law, Thy paths our chosen way.

From war's alarms, from deadly pestilence,
Be Thy strong arm our ever sure defense;
Thy true religion in our hearts increase,
Thy bounteous goodness nourish us in peace.

Refresh Thy people on their toilsome way,
Lead us from night to never ending day;
Fill all our lives with love and grace divine,
And glory, laud, and praise be ever Thine!

A THOUGHT FROM CHRISTIANS PAST... "A revival does two things. First, it returns the Church from her backsliding and second, it causes the conversion of men and women; and it always includes the conviction of sin on the part of the Church."

- Billy Sunday

No Longer Slaves

Chorus I'm no longer a slave to fear, I am a child of God;
I'm no longer a slave to fear, I am a child of God.

You unravel me with a melody; You surround me with a song.
Of deliverance from my enemies Till all my fears are gone.

Chorus

From my Mother's womb You have chosen me;
Love has called my name.
I've been born again into Your family;
Your blood flows through my veins.

Chorus

Bridge You split the sea so I could walk right through it;
My fears were drowned in perfect love.
You rescued me so I could stand and sing:
"I am a child of God."

Repeat

Chorus

Ending I am a child of God. I am a child of God.

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

Darlene Johnson

RESPONSIVE PRAYER FOR INDEPENDENCE DAY

Leader: Almighty God, you have given us this good land as our heritage. Make us always remember your generosity and constantly do your will.

People: Bless our land with honest industry, sound learning, and an honorable way of life.

Leader: Save us from violence, discord, and confusion; from pride, arrogance, and from every evil way.

People: Make us who come from many nations with many different languages a united people.

Leader: Defend our liberties and give those whom we have entrusted with the authority of government the spirit of wisdom, that there might be justice and peace in our land.

People: When times are prosperous, let our hearts be thankful; and, in troubled times, do not let our trust in you fail.

All: We ask all this through Jesus Christ our Lord. 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.

~~WE MEET GOD THROUGH THE WORD~~

Message: "The Ministry of the Holy Spirit"

Pastor Jeff Ogden

Scripture: John 16:5-15

~~SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER~~

INVITATION

SERVING THE BREAD AND THE CUP

WORSHIP SONG

***Greater**

From Him through Him and to Him are all things
To God be the glory
His Word endures from beginning to end
To God be the glory to God be the glory

Chorus Greater is the One who lives in me,
Greater is the love of Jesus
Greater than my sin, Greater than the grave
Above all other thrones, above all other names greater
(You are greater)

He was and is and forever will be
To God be the glory
His pow'r in us His strength for the weak
To God be the glory to God be the glory

Chorus

Bridge Jesus You reign forever; Jesus You reign forever,
There's no one like You. Jesus You reign;
Jesus You reign forever; Jesus You reign forever;
There's none beside You
Jesus You reign; Jesus You reign

Chorus

Ending You are greater; You are greater; You are greater

***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.

PRAYER OF DEDICATION AND THANKSGIVING

**Those who are able will please stand*

OUR PRAYERS: Grau/Young Family; outdoor worship; those serving our nation and their families; our nation and leaders; people looking for housing; healing for everyone with cancer.