

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;
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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
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

CHILDREN’S MESSAGE

Pastor Jeff Ogden

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (Unison reading)

Norma Kilbourn

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

~~WE MEET GOD THROUGH THE WORD~~

Message: “The End of Time”

Pastor Jeff Ogden

Reading: “The Story,” Chapter 31

~~ SACRAMENT OF THE LORD’S SUPPER~~

INVITATION

SERVING THE BREAD AND THE CUP

WORSHIP SONG

***Revelation Song**

Worthy is the Lamb - who was slain
Holy holy is He. Sing a new song -
To Him who sits on - Heaven's mercy seat.

Chorus Holy holy holy - is the Lord God Almighty
Who was and is, and is to come;
With all creation I sing - praise to the King of kings!
You are my ev'rything and I will adore You.

Clothed in rainbows of living color
Flashes of lightning, rolls of thunder
Blessing and honor, strength and glory
And power be to You - the only wise King.

Chorus

Filled with wonder - awestruck wonder
At the mention of Your name.
Jesus Your name is power -
Breath and living water!
Such a marv'lous mystery!

Chorus

PRAYER OF DEDICATION AND THANKSGIVING

***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*

USHER

Joannie McNulty

WORSHIP ASSISTANT

Norma Kilbourn

COMMUNION SERVERS Joannie McNulty; Tim Gilbert; Don & Karen Ferrell;

Ted & Lynn Bandaruk

CHILDREN’S MESSAGE

Pastor Jeff Ogden

ICE CREAM SERVERS

Tom & Lili Arpino

FLOWERS In Celebration of our 49th Wedding Anniversary - Tom & Millie Clarke

In Our Prayers: The school year; everyone with cancer; everyone who is healing from surgeries; Rob & Linda Robin’s son Bryan - healing; missionaries; those serving our nation and their families.

THE LORD’S SUPPER

WE ARE CELEBRATING OUR LORD’S SUPPER this morning. Membership is not a requirement to share in communion at The Village Church. 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

TODAY is the last opportunity of the year to worship outdoors in our Chapel in the Pines. We’ve had a blessed season of outdoor worship in sharing the good news of Jesus Christ with many guests and members of our Village Church family. Our Lord is truly using our summer worship times to further His message. Thank yous go to staff and many volunteers for facilitating our outdoor worship services.

YOUR ASSISTANCE IS GREATLY APPRECIATED this morning in taking down much of our outdoor Chapel in the Pines. Please place the blue seat cushions in the storage shed and the white chairs on the stage. Please take ALL the sound and electronic equipment to our Sanctuary and place it in the front of the stage. With everyone’s help, these tasks can be accomplished quickly. As a reward for your assistance, we are again offering ice cream with toppings!

FRIED CHICKEN POTLUCK - TODAY! We will gather in the Fireside Room and Patio following the 10:00 a.m. worship service for a potluck lunch that includes fried chicken, ice cream, and other goodies. Please join us for good food and fellowship.

SPECIAL DEACON FUND OFFERINGS are received each Sunday we share in our Lord’s Supper. Funds received are used to assist members of The Village Church family and others in times of serious need--such as medical emergencies, clothing and utility bills. One of the ministries supported through these funds is our Food Closet. Deacon Fund offering envelopes are available in the pew racks or ask an usher.

WELCOME OUR NEWEST COVENANT PARTNERS (Members). Paul & Mary Hamer; Rich & Paula Townley; Jane Duffield have joined The Village Church. Please welcome our newest covenant partners.

LAKE TAHOE WOMEN’S RETREAT MEETING - NEXT SUNDAY. Retreat meeting next Sunday, September 9th at 11:30 a.m. in the Office Lobby.

DEACON’S MEETING - NEXT SUNDAY. Deacons will be meeting next Sunday, September 9th in Room A following the 10:00 a.m. worship service.

PRESCHOOL TEACHER JOB OPENING. The Village Christian Preschool is seeking a preschool teacher. The position has flexible hours and days of the week. The preschool is open Monday-Friday 7:45am-6:00pm. Please pray about God touching your heart to help with this very important ministry. If you or anyone you know is interested in a job or would like more information please contact Cindy Liggett at 775-831-1184 or preschool@thevillagechurchnv.org.

A THOUGHT FROM CHRISTIANS PAST...“Aim at heaven and you will get earth thrown in. Aim at earth and you get neither.”
C.S. Lewis



