

*IN OUR PRAYERS: Lee Hanowell - Alzheimer's; Will Harrison - battling cancer; Vern Tyerman - in the hospital; friends and family with cancer; missionaries throughout the world; those who need the saving grace of Jesus; youth in our community - for protection and wise decision-making.*

**SAVE THE DATE!**

January 29<sup>th</sup> to February 1<sup>st</sup>: ECO National Gathering in Greenville, South Carolina

January 29<sup>th</sup>: New Women's Study Begins

February 4<sup>th</sup>: The Lord's Supper; Potluck Lunch; Annual Congregational Meeting

February 14<sup>th</sup>: Ash Wednesday

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**FELLOWSHIP FOLLOWING WORSHIP.** Please join us in the Fireside Room following our 10:00am worship service for treats and coffee.

**JOIN OUR HOMESCHOOL POD KIDS** for a Reader's Theatre production of "Big Bad and Little Red" this evening at 5:00pm in the Fireside Room.

**ANNUAL CONGREGATIONAL MEETING** next Sunday, February 4<sup>th</sup>. Join your church family following the 10:00am worship service for our Annual Meeting. We will hear from various ministries of our church and the budget for 2024 will be available.

**CHILI POTLUCK LUNCH** next Sunday, February 4<sup>th</sup>. We will join together for a potluck lunch prior to our Annual Meeting. Please bring your favorite chili or a side dish to go with chili.

**NEW WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY** is starting Monday night, January 29<sup>th</sup>. Join Karen Ferrell at 6:00pm in the Church House.

**WEDNESDAY EVENING BIBLE STUDY.** Join Pastor Jeff in the Fireside Room on Wednesday evenings at 6:00pm for a Bible study based on his weekly sermon.

**GRIEF SHARE GROUP** has started back up. The group meets Mondays at 5:00pm. Pastor Tony leads this group.

**HOSPITALITY REQUEST:** During the winter months we have less people on our hospitality teams that provide treats for Sundays. Please email [apayne@thevillagechurchnv.org](mailto:apayne@thevillagechurchnv.org) if you would like to get on a list to help with the shortfall during the winter months. We will have a signup sheet where you can pick the Sunday you would like to help out.

**OFFERING BOXES** are located on the rail of the sound booth as you enter the Sanctuary and in the front pews. Just drop your offering in the boxes. We are very appreciative of your financial support of this church.

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**VIRTUAL CONNECTION CARD**

Need to update or add your information to our Church Directory? Just scan this QR code to enter your information. The Village Church is in the process of updating our directory with an improved interface for our friends and members.



***CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP***

**January 28, 2024**

**10:00 A.M.**

**~WE WORSHIP THE LORD~**

**WELCOME & NEWS OF THE CHURCH**

Pastor Tony Conragan

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 use the blue Connect Card in the pew racks. Just scan the QR code on the card or on the back of the bulletin. Or, fill out the card and drop it into the offering box.

**OPENING PRAYER**

**CALL TO WORSHIP**

*Psalm 37*

Don Ferrell

**SONGS OF WORSHIP**

***\*Glory To God Forever***

Before the world was made, before You spoke it to be,  
You were the King of kings, yeah - You were, yeah - You were;  
And now You're reigning still. Enthroned above all things,  
Angels and saints cry out, we join them as we sing:

*Chorus* Glory to God; Glory to God; Glory to God forever.  
Glory to God; Glory to God; Glory to God forever.

Creator God You gave me breath so I could praise  
Your great and matchless name all my days, all my days;  
So let my whole life be a blazing offering,  
A life that shouts and sings the greatness of our King!

*Chorus*

*Bridge* Take my life and let it be all for You and for Your glory  
Take my life and let it be Yours;  
Take my life and let it be all for You and for Your glory;  
Take my life and let it be Yours. We sing:

*Chorus* Glory to God; Glory to God; Glory to God forever.  
Glory to God; Glory to God; Glory to God forever.  
Glory to God; Glory to God; Glory to God forever.  
Glory to God; Glory to God; Glory to God forever.

### ***Build My Life***

Worthy of every song we could ever sing;  
Worthy of all the praise we could ever bring;  
Worthy of every breath we could ever breathe; we live for You.

Jesus, the name above every other name;  
Jesus, the only one who could ever save;  
Worthy of every breath we could ever breathe;  
We live for You, we live for You.

*Chorus* Holy, there is no one like You, there is none beside You;  
Open up my eyes in wonder. And show me,  
Who You are and fill me with Your heart,  
And lead me in Your love to those around me.

Jesus, the name above every other name;  
Jesus, the only one who could ever save;  
Worthy of every breath we could ever breathe;  
We live for You, we live for You.

*Chorus*

*Bridge* I will build my life upon Your love - it is a firm foundation;  
I will put my trust in You alone and I will not be shaken;  
*Repeat*

*Chorus*

*Bridge* I will build my life upon Your love - it is a firm foundation;  
I will put my trust in You alone and I will not be shaken;

### **CHILDREN'S MESSAGE**

#### **PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

Eternal God, in whom we live and move and have our being, whose face is hidden from us by our sins, and whose mercy we forget in the blindness of our hearts: Cleanse us from all our offenses, and deliver us from proud thoughts and vain desires, that with reverent and humble hearts we may draw near to you, confessing our faults, confiding in your grace, and finding in you our refuge and strength; through Jesus Christ you Son. 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.

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

**Message: "A Love/Hate Relationship"**

Pastor Tony Conragan

**Scripture: Luke 6:27-36**

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#### **WORSHIP SONG**

##### ***\*Less Like Me***

Oh, I have days I lose the fight  
Try my best but just don't get it right.  
Where I talk a talk that I don't walk  
And miss the moments right before my eyes.

*Pre-Chorus* Somebody with a hurt that I could have helped,  
Somebody with a hand that I could have held;  
When I just can't see past myself, Lord help me be:

*Chorus* A little more like mercy, a little more like grace.  
A little more like kindness, goodness, love, and faith;  
A little more like patience, a little more like peace;  
A little more like Jesus, a little less like me.

Yeah, there's no denying I have changed;  
I've been saved from who I used to be.  
But, even at my best, I must confess  
I still need help to see the way You see.

*Pre-Chorus*

*Chorus*

*Bridge* Oh, to feed the beggar on the street,  
Love to be Your hands and feet,  
Freely give what I receive - Lord help me be;  
I want to put You first above all else,  
Love my neighbor as myself.  
In the moments no one sees, Lord help me be:

*Chorus*

*Ending* A little more I'm living everything I preach;  
A little more like Jesus, a little less like me.

#### **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.

***A THOUGHT FROM CHRISTIANS PAST... "To be a Christian mean to forgive the  
inexcusable because God has forgiven the inexcusable in you."*** C.S. Lewis