

**SAVE THE DATE!**

October 16<sup>th</sup>: Vision Report  
October 19<sup>th</sup>: Session Meeting  
October 22<sup>nd</sup>: Church Workday  
October 25<sup>th</sup>: Mission's Committee Meeting  
October 27<sup>th</sup>: Preschool Trike-a-Thon  
October 28<sup>th</sup>: Nevada Day – K-6, Preschool, & Office closed  
November 5<sup>th</sup>: Winter Warmth & Wellness at KB Event Center  
November 6<sup>th</sup>: Daylight Savings Ends; Guest Preacher from OCC;  
Lord's Supper; Potluck  
November 7<sup>th</sup>: Grief Share starts back up  
November 12<sup>th</sup>: Thrift Shop Christmas Open House  
November 13<sup>th</sup>: Congregational Meeting  
November 16<sup>th</sup>: New Members Class and Dinner  
December 3<sup>rd</sup>: Women's Christmas Fun Food & Fellowship Event

*OUR PRAYERS:* Spain Family - Death of Doris Spain; Operation Christmas Child; missionaries serving around the world; those serving our nation and their families; our nation; healing for everyone with cancer and illnesses.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**FELLOWSHIP AFTER CHURCH.** Please join us in the Fireside Room & Patio following our 10:00 a.m. worship service for treats and coffee.

**OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD** is here! It is time to start packing boxes to help share the message of the gospel around the world! Boxes are available at the church. Packed boxes are due at the church by November 20<sup>th</sup>. To build a box online please use this website <https://build-a-shoebox.samaritanspurse.org/view/9e4458a-53ac-446a-9caa-03468f5aafaf>. We are also excited to be the drop off location again this year.

**VISION REPORT** are available on the Narthex Counters.

**FALL CHURCH WORK DAY** will be Saturday, October 22<sup>nd</sup>. We will be gathering at 9:00 a.m. in our Fireside Room. We will prepare our church for winter. We aim to complete our tasks by 12:00 p.m. and enjoy a lunch together.

**THE ANNUAL WINTER, WARMTH, AND WELLNESS** distribution will take place Saturday, November 5<sup>th</sup> from 10am-2pm at the North Tahoe Event Center in Kings Beach. We will be contributing food boxes, winter clothing (Thank you Thrift Shop) health and hygiene items, and volunteer support. If you would like to volunteer the day of the event or for set-up in the days prior, please contact Jim Dykstra at 775-240-6912 or [redtahoejim@gmail.com](mailto:redtahoejim@gmail.com).

**INCLINE SMALL GROUP:** Meets on Tuesdays at 6:30pm at the Ferrell's House.

**PRAYER GROUP** is on Wednesdays at 10:00am at the church. Everyone is welcome to attend.

**SMALL GROUPS:** If you would like to start/host a small group please send an email to [apayne@thevillagechurchnv.org](mailto:apayne@thevillagechurchnv.org) and let me know the date and time.

**OFFERING BOXES:** The Church's offering boxes are located on the front pew and the back of the Sanctuary near the entrance.

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**CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP**  
October 16, 2022 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 email the Church at [info@thevillagechurchnv.org](mailto:info@thevillagechurchnv.org) You can also update your contact information and sign up to receive our weekly news updates.

**OPENING PRAYER**

**MINUTE FOR MISSION**

Operation Christmas Child

**CALL TO WORSHIP**

*Psalm 25*

Linda Robins

**SONGS OF WORSHIP**

*\*Living Hope*

How great the chasm that lay between us;  
How high the mountain I could not climb;  
In desperation I turned to heaven  
And spoke Your name into the night.  
Then through the darkness, Your loving-kindness  
Tore through the shadows of my soul;  
The work is finished, the end is written; Jesus Christ, my living hope.

Who could imagine so great a mercy;  
What heart could fathom such boundless grace;  
The God of ages stepped down from glory  
To wear my sin and bear my shame.  
The cross has spoken, I am forgiven;  
The King of kings calls me His own.  
Beautiful Savior, I'm Yours forever; Jesus Christ, my living hope.

*Chorus* Hallelujah, praise the One who set me free;

Hallelujah, death has lost its grip on me;  
You have broken every chain,  
There's salvation in Your name;  
Jesus Christ, my living hope.

*Repeat*

Then came the morning that sealed the promise;  
Your buried body began to breathe.  
Out of the silence, the Roaring Lion  
Declared the grave has no claim on me.  
Then came the morning that sealed the promise;  
Your buried body began to breathe.  
Out of the silence, the Roaring Lion  
Declared the grave has no claim on me. Jesus, Yours is the victory!

*Chorus*

*Ending* Jesus Christ, my living hope!

Oh God, You are my living hope!

***\*You Are My All in All***

You are my strength when I am weak.  
You are the treasure that I seek.  
You are my all in all.  
Seeking You as a precious jewel,  
Lord, to give up I'd be a fool.  
You are my all in all.

*Chorus* Jesus, Lamb of God,  
Worthy is Your name.  
Jesus Lamb of God,  
Worthy is Your name.

Taking my sin, my cross, my shame,  
Rising again I bless Your name.  
You are my all in all.  
When I fall down, You pick me up,  
When I am dry, You fill my cup.  
You are my all in all.

*Chorus x2*

**CHILDREN'S MESSAGE**

Debra Ornelas

**PRAYER OF CONFESSION (Unison Reading)**

Holy God, we hear Your words, trust Your promises and still shy away from acting with boldness, witnessing with confidence, speaking with kindness. We pass by our neighbors, avoid the eyes of someone on the street, shrug our shoulders at another tragedy. We keep our faith hidden, our prayers personal and our voices quiet. Empowering God, fill us with joy in believing and with confidence in living so we may bear Your light to all who are troubled or haunted by fear. Let nothing keep us from walking as faithful followers. 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.

***A THOUGHT FROM CHRISTIANS PAST... "THERE IS GOOD biblical evidence that God not only suffered in Christ, but that God in Christ suffers with his people still....It is wonderful that we may share in Christ's sufferings; it is more wonderful still that he shares in ours."***

**John R. W. Stott**

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

***Message: "Walking the Talk"***

***Scripture: Nehemiah 5: 1-19***

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**WORSHIP SONG**

***\*Stronger***

There is Love that came for us  
Humbled to a sinner's cross  
You broke my shame and sinfulness  
You rose again victorious

Faithfulness none can deny  
Through the storm and through the fire  
There is truth that sets me free  
Jesus Christ who lives in me

*Chorus* You are stronger, You are stronger  
Sin is broken -You have saved me  
It is written - Christ is risen!  
Jesus You are Lord of all

No beginning and no end;  
You're my hope and my defense  
You came to seek and save the lost;  
You paid it all upon the cross

*Chorus*

*Bridge* So let Your Name be lifted higher  
Be lifted higher; Be lifted higher  
So let Your Name be lifted higher  
Be lifted higher; Be lifted higher  
*Repeat*

*Chorus x2*

**\*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.

*\*Those who are able will please stand*



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**[www.TheVillageChurchNV.org](http://www.TheVillageChurchNV.org) or [www.eco-pres.org](http://www.eco-pres.org).**