SAVE THE DATE!

October 9th: New Women's Bible Study 6:30pm at the Church's House

October 13th: Mission Committee Meeting

October 19th: Session Meeting

October 20th & 21st: Women's Retreat – Cornerstone

October 21st: Winter Warm & Wellness Event – Event Center in KB

October 27th: Nevada Day - Preschool and Schools & Office closed

October 29th: Church Townhall Meeting – Update on all of the progress

October 31st: Preschool Trike-a-Thon

November 5th: Daylight Saving Time Ends; Lord's Supper; Potluck

November 10 & 11th: Thrift Shop Christmas Open House

OUR PRAYERS: Jason Stanton - death of his Mom; Baby Finley Huston - healing for a blood clot in his brain; Pastor Jeff - Sabbatical; Dr. Glenn Schultz - stroke; People in need of housing; Starting new Academy, the expansion of the preschool.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

NEW WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY - Starting on Monday, Oct. 9th at 6:30pm at the Church's House. The study will be on Monday Nights at 6:30pm!

MEN'S BIBLE STUDY – Wednesday mornings at 6:30am in the Fireside Room.

GRIEF SHARE meets on Monday nights at 5:00pm in the Fireside Room.

INCLINE SMALL GROUP BIBLE STUDY - On Tuesdays at 6:30pm at the Ferrell's House or the Church House. This next week is at the Ferrell's house.

ADULT BIBLE STUDY – Wednesday evenings at 5:00pm in the Fireside Room. Please note the new time of 5:00pm.

HELP NEEDED! Our Sunday School is growing and we are excited, however we need an extra hand/extra adult support (no prep necessary). If you could volunteer just once a quarter that would be a big help. Please contact Debra debra@thevillagechurchnv.org for more info and to volunteer.

THE ANNUAL WINTER, WARMTH, AND WELLNESS distribution will take place Saturday, October 21st from 10am-2pm at the North Tahoe Event Center in Kings Beach. There are blue bins in the Narthex for collection. To volunteer for this special event and/or to help setup for this event call Meera Beser at 775-230-1066 or Jason Gibeaux 530-562-7529.

WOMEN'S RETREAT – Hosted by Cornerstone Community Church in Incline Village. Dates October 20 & 21st. Location is at 300 Country Club Dr. Incline Village. For more info and registration link: https://ccciv.churchofficechms.com/ external/form/7387d719-c3f7-45a6-9395-dd0e88f6debf

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 19th. To build a box online please use this link https://build-a-shoebox.samaritanspurse.org/goal/ view/8370b0bb-846a-46b2-8c3c-bbd3d36fc9ec

OFFERING BOXES are located on the rail of the sound booth as you enter the Sanctuary and in the front pew on the left. Just drop your offering in the boxes.



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



CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP October 22, 2023 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 You can also update your contact information and sign up to receive our weekly news updates.

OPENING PRAYER

CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 66

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SONGS OF WORSHIP

*Glorious Day (Living He Loved Me)

One day when heaven was filled with His praises: One day when sin was as black as could be; Jesus came forth to be born of a virgin; Dwelt among men my example is He. The Word became flesh and the light shined among us; His glory revealed.

Chorus Living, He loved me; dying, He saved me; Buried, He carried my sins far away; Rising. He justified, freely forever: One day, He's coming - O glorious day!

One day they led Him up Calv'ry's mountain; One day they nailed Him to die on a tree; Suffering anguish, despised and rejected, Bearing our sins, my Redeemer is He. The hand that healed nations stretched out on a tree And took the nails for me.

Chorus

One day the grave could conceal Him no longer; One day the stone rolled away from the door; Then He arose, over death He had conquered, Now is ascended, my Lord evermore! Death could not hold Him, the grave could not keep Him From rising again.

Chorus

Bridge One day the trumpet will sound for His coming; One day the skies with His glories will shine; Wonderful day, my beloved one bringing; My Savior Jesus is mine!

Chorus

Ending O glorious day, glorious day, O glorious day!

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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 2x

Ending We sing hallelujah - You're my portion my salvation; Hallelujah - You're my portion my salvation. Repeat 1x

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (Unison Reading)

Holy and merciful God, in your presence we confess our sinfulness, our shortcomings, and our offenses against you. You alone know how often we have sinned in wandering from your ways, in wasting your gifts, in forgetting your love. Have mercy on us, O Lord, for we are ashamed and sorry for all we have done to displease you. Forgive our sins, and help us to live in your light, and walk in your ways, for the sake of Jesus Christ our Savior. 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: "Husbands and Wives" Pastor Tony Conragan Scripture: 1 Peter 3:1-7 Page: 1889

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 AND 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... "When Christ calls a man, He bids him come and die. It may be a death like that of the first disciples who had to leave home and work to follow Him, or it may be a death like Luther's, who had to leave the monastery and go out into the world. But it is the same death every time—death in Jesus Christ, the death of the old man at his call." Dietrich Bonhoeffer

^{*}Those who are able will please stand