

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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Forever to our God.

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
Now Thank We All Our God Hymn #525

Now thank we all our God with hearts and hands and voices,
Who wondrous things has done, in whom His world rejoices;
Who from our mother's arms, has blessed us on our way
With countless gifts of love, and still is ours today.

O may this bounteous God through all our life be near us,
With ever joyful hearts and blessed peace to cheer us;
And keep us in His grace, and guide us when perplexed,
And free us from all ills in this world and the next.

All praise and thanks to God the Father now be given,
The Son, and Him who reigns with them in highest heaven,
The one eternal God, Whom earth and heaven adore,
For thus it was is now, and shall be evermore.

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE Cindy Liggett

PRAYER OF CONFESSION Millie Clarke

Father, we confess that we go through life too often unaware of your presence and provision. We take for granted what we've been given. We consider it a right to have what we have. We are slow to give thanks and even slower to return a portion to you. Forgive us for neglecting to honor and thank you for all that you are and have done for us. Forgive us for when we come before you empty-handed. With our hearts, we bow down before you. 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: "Heavenly Thanksgiving" Pastor Jeff Ogden
Scripture: Revelation 4 & 5 Pew Bible Pages 1917-1919

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

***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.*

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USHERS Rob & Linda Robins
WORSHIP ASSISTANT Millie Clarke
CHILDREN'S MESSAGE Cindy Liggett
FLOWERS In Celebration of our Church Family - Gary & Patti Boxeth

In Our Prayers: Lonny Reed's mom - healing; Mary Kay Randall and family - passing of her father; Petritsch family passing of Brandon; Patti Boxeth - broken wrist; George Schofield - healing from knee surgery; Pastor Jeff's dad, Bruce - comfort and healing; Operation Christmas Child; gratitude and appreciation to the women and men who have served in our military; those serving our nation and their families. Missionaries; a blessed and thankful Thanksgiving.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD WAS A BIG SUCCESS. Thank you to everyone who participated with the Operation Christmas Child Shoeboxes. The Church and the Preschool packed a total of 179 boxes!

JOIN IN FELLOWSHIP after our 10:00 a.m. worship service in the Fireside Room. There will be coffee, juice and goodies to eat!

PRESCHOOL AND CHURCH OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED ON November 23rd and 24th to celebrate Thanksgiving.

CHRISTMAS POINSETTIAS. Each year we look forward to the beauty the poinsettia flowers bring to our Sanctuary during this Advent/Christmas season. If you would like to purchase a plant through our church and dedicate it in celebration of a special occasion or person, or in memory of a loved one, forms are available on the Narthex Counters. The cost of each plant is \$10.00 and you may take them home after the last Christmas Eve service. Please make your check out to The Village Church and designate "poinsettia" on the memo line.

FELIZ NAVIDAD POTLUCK - DECEMBER 3rd. On Sunday, December 3rd, we will be sharing a potluck lunch following our 10:00 a.m. worship service. Our food theme is Mexican food. Bring your favorite Mexican food dish such as enchiladas, burritos, Spanish rice, beans, etc., or your favorite salad or dessert to share. The church will be providing tamales for all to enjoy. This is a great opportunity for fellowship and to get to know each other better.

DECORATING THE CHURCH FOR CHRISTMAS - DECEMBER 3rd. The Advent season and Christmas are just around the corner. We will be decorating the church after the potluck on Sunday, December 3rd, the first Sunday of Advent. Join us as we prepare the Sanctuary and church for Advent and Christmas.

24th ANNUAL WOMEN'S CHRISTMAS TEA AND BOUTIQUE is Saturday, December 2nd from 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. in the Fireside Room. All ladies are welcome to this much anticipated event in the life of our church. This is a traditional "high tea" with tasty goodies. Specially selected holiday gifts, clothing and decorations from the Thrift Shop will be available for purchase.

MISSION TRIP OPPORTUNITY. A group of adult Village Church members is making plans to volunteer in Houston, TX with Samaritan's Purse on the Hurricane Harvey Rebuild Projects. The trip is scheduled for April 22 - April 28, 2018, and we have a limited number of spaces available. Housing and meals will be provided at a church in the area. Team members will be responsible for their own airfare and a share of group expenses. Spaces will be filled on a first come, first served basis! If you are interested, please contact Jane Dykstra or the church office.



A THOUGHT FROM CHRISTIANS PAST... "IF WE HAVE no real interest in praising him, it shows that we have never realized who he is. For when one becomes conscious of who God really is, and when one realizes that he who is almighty, and infinitely holy, has "done great things to us," the only possible reaction is the cry of half-articulate exultation that bursts from the depths of our being in amazement at the tremendous, inexplicable goodness of God to men."
Thomas Merton

ANNOUNCEMENTS CONTINUED

JOIN OUR CHURCH CHOIR! If you love to sing, and would love to join our music ministry, then we have a place for you in our Choir! Our wonderful choir is looking for all voice types: sopranos, altos, tenors, baritones. The group is led by Jon Fay who is a patient, fun, and talented Choir Director! We practice on Sunday mornings at 8:15 a.m. Visiting friends and family members are always welcome to join us, too! Also, if you play brass, strings, or woodwinds we are always looking for instrumentalists to enhance the music. So pray on this ministry and see if you feel led to lift your voice in our Choir. We welcome you. Please contact Jon Fay or the Church Office for more information.

UNABLE TO ATTEND A WORSHIP SERVICE? Pastor Jeff's Sunday sermon is recorded each Sunday. Check out our website at <http://www.thevillagechurchnv.org/sermons/> to hear the sermon you missed.

CONNECT WITH OUR WORSHIP COMMUNITY. The blue Connect Cards in the pew racks in front of you are a great way to communicate with us. Use a card to let us know if you have a change in your contact information, have a prayer request, or want to connect with Pastor Jeff or various ministries within our church. Also, if you would like to be included in our weekly e-mail "blast," just share your email address with us and check the box on the card to be included.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED. The Church needs your help. There are many ways to get involved with the church. We are seeking volunteers to do the children's message, help with the counting, be a worship assistant, usher, or prayer warrior. If you are interested in volunteering with any of these areas, there is a signup sheet on the counter in the Narthex.

SUNDAY TRANSPORTATION NEEDS? Do you need a ride to church on Sundays? If so, please let our church office know at 775.831.0784.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS INFORMATION: Preschool thru Kindergarten meet in the Preschool room. every Sunday. Elementary grades 1-5 meet in Room C upstairs every Sunday. Middle and High School grades 6-12 meet the 2nd and 4th Sunday of the month in the Youth Room upstairs.

The Village Church Vision

We're growing closer to Christ, one step at a time, as we increase our participation in the congregation, community and beyond.

SAVE THE DATE!

- November 23rd & 24th: Thanksgiving Day & Friday - Preschool & Office Closed
- November 26th: No Choir; Guest Band Playing during 10:00 am Service
- December 2nd: Women's Ministries Annual Christmas Tea and Holiday Boutique
- December 3rd: 1st Sunday in Advent; Lord's Supper; Feliz Navidad Potluck; Decorating the Church for Christmas
- December 6th: Preschool Christmas Play and Dinner
- December 10th: Preschool Christmas Play during 10 am service; No Choir; Food Pickup from Raley's; Nathalie Sacci Baby Shower
- December 13th: Session Meeting; Deacon's Food Box Packing
- December 16th: Deacon's Christmas Foodbox Distribution; Christmas Sing-along
- December 24th: Christmas Eve Morning Services at 8:00 a.m. & 10:00 a.m. and Christmas Eve Candlelight Services at 5:30 p.m. & 7:30 p.m.



The Village Church is affiliated with ECO:
A Covenant Order of Evangelical Presbyterians.
For more information, see our website:
www.TheVillageChurchNV.org or www.eco-pres.org.

MINISTRY OF THE WEEK
November 19, 2017 - November 26, 2017

TODAY

8 & 10 a.m.

Worship Service in the Sanctuary
No Choir Practice
Praise Team Practice - Sanctuary
Sunday School
Special Ops Outreach

9:15 a.m.

10:15 a.m.

12:00 p.m.

MONDAY

Office Closed

TUESDAY

2:37 p.m.

4:00 p.m.

Staff Meeting - Pastor's Study
Men's Study - Fireside Room

WEDNESDAY

6:30 a.m.

10:00 a.m.

Christ, Coffee, and Cinnamon Rolls Men's Study - Fireside Room
Intercessory Prayer - Pastor's Study
No Adult Bible Study
No Upper Room Group

THURSDAY

A Happy and Blessed Thanksgiving!

FRIDAY

Church Office and Preschool Closed

SUNDAY

8 & 10 a.m.

Worship Service in the Sanctuary
Pastor Jeff Ogden Preaching
No Choir Practice
Sunday School
No Special Ops Outreach

10:15 a.m.



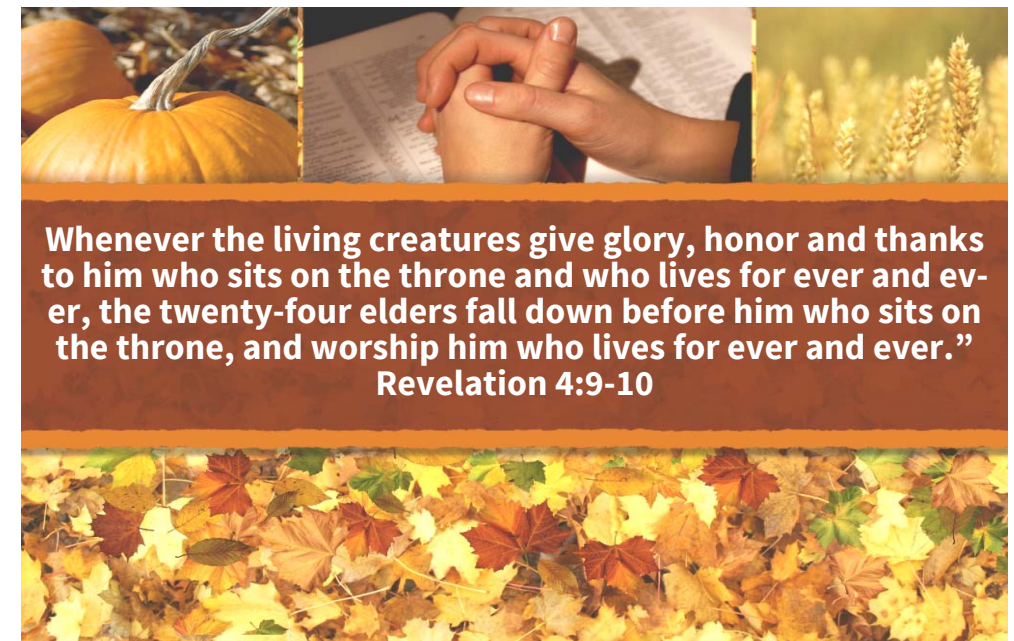
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Church Leadership:

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| Doug Baker - Deacon | Terri Nielsen - Preschool Staff |
| Ted Bandaruk - Deacon | Darlene Nilsson - Elder |
| Patti Boxeth - Deacon | Ann O'Keefe - Deacon |
| Gary Boxeth - Elder | Rev. Jeff Ogden - Pastor |
| Stephanie Conragan - Preschool Staff | Vicki Ogden - Preschool Staff & Deacon |
| Pastor Tony Conragan, CLP - AV & Youth Pastor | Annie Payne - Office Manager |
| Chuck Dowd - Elder | Tom Payne - Deacon |
| Jane Dykstra - Elder | Linda Robins - Elder, Thrift Shop Manager |
| Jim Dykstra - Deacon Moderator | Allie Sacci - Preschool Staff |
| Jon Fay - Choir Director | Nathalie Sacci - Assistant Preschool Director |
| Roxanne Fernandez - Preschool Staff | Ann Schofield - Financial Admin. & Clerk of Session & Elder |
| Don Ferrell - Elder | Jason Stanton - Accompanist |
| Linda Florentine - Women's Ministries Moderator | Lynne Swingley Donat - Deacon |
| Betsy Garfinkle - Deacon | Vickie Twichell - Thrift Shop Manager |
| Mary Gilbert - Christian Education Director | Debby Wiens - Pianist |
| Tim Gilbert - Elder & Custodian | Michele Young - Elder |
| Janet Howell - Preschool Staff | |
| Cindy Liggett - Preschool Director | |

AUTOMATED EXTERNAL DEFIBRILLATOR (AED) is available at our church office to assist in case of a heart attack for those trained in its use.



CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

November 19, 2017

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 fill out the blue Connection Card and place it in the offering plate. You can also update your contact information and sign up to receive our weekly news updates. We're glad you're here with us today!

OPENING PRAYER

SONGS OF WORSHIP

**Forever*

Give thanks to the Lord, our God and King
His love endures forever.
For He is good He is above all things
His love endures forever. Sing praise, sing praise
Sing praise, sing praise

Chorus Forever God is faithful, Forever God is strong
Forever God is with us - forever, forever

With a mighty hand and an outstretched arm
His love endures forever.
For the life that's been reborn
His love endures forever. Sing praise, sing praise
Sing praise, sing praise

Chorus

From the rising to the setting sun - His love endures forever
And by the grace of God, we will carry on
His love endures forever. Sing praise, sing praise
Sing praise, sing praise

Chorus