Be Thou My Vision

Be Thou my Vision, O Lord of my heart; Naught be all else to me, save that Thou art Thou my best thought, by day or by night, Waking or sleeping, Thy presence my light.

Be Thou my Wisdom, and Thou my true Word; I ever with Thee and Thou with me, Lord;

Thou my great Father, I Thy true son;

Thou in me dwelling, and I with Thee one.

Riches I heed not, nor man's empty praise, Thou mine inheritance, now and always:

Thou and Thou only, first in my heart,

High king of heaven, my treasure Thou art.

High king of heaven, my victory won,

May I reach heaven's joys, O bright heaven's sun!

Heart of my own heart, whatever befall, Still be my Vision, O Ruler of all.

MINUTE FOR MISSION

YouthCompass Mission Trip - Tim Gilbert

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 the gifts 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 in Christ. 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

Choir



~~WE MEET GOD THROUGH THE WORD ~~

Message: "Growing Up In Christ"

Pastor Jeff Ogden
Scripture: Ephesians 4:7-16

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WORSHIP SONG

I Will Boast In Christ

All I have because of Jesus; All this promise - won for me; When He paid the highest ransom, Once for always for my freedom.

Chorus I will boast in Christ alone;

His righteousness and not my own; I will cling to Christ my hope; His mercy reigns now and forever.

Love will never lose its power; All my failures could not erase; Now I walk within Your favor; Grace unending, my salvation.

Chorus

Bridge What can wash away my sin;
Nothing but the blood of Jesus.
What can make me whole again;
Nothing but the blood of Jesus;
Nothing but the blood of Jesus.

Chorus

Ending O precious is the flow

That makes me white as snow; No other fount I know Nothing but the blood of Jesus, Nothing but the blood of Jesus, Nothing but the blood of Jesus.

*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 CCLI License No. 508305



USHERS WORSHIP ASSISTANT CHILDREN'S MESSAGE Karen and Don Ferrell Millie Clarke Cindy Liggett

In Our Prayers: Tom Arpino - death of his brother, Michael; Tom Payne & Family - death of his dad; Carol Akey - healing; Roland Schumann - healing; Mary Gilbert's Aunt Cindy - healing; Lenten Season; Belize Mission Trip.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

FELLOWSHIP AFTER CHURCH. Please join us in the Fireside Room following our 10:00 a.m. worship service for treats and coffee. This is a great way to meet new people. We look forward to seeing you after worship.

LENTEN SEASON IS HERE. Lent is the forty day period between Ash Wednesday and Easter, not including Sundays, of penitence and preparation for Christ's death and resurrection. We encourage you to utilize a daily Lenten devotional. The Lenten devotionals are located on the Narthex counters.

YOUTHCOMPASS MISSION TRIP OPPORTUNITY. We will be joining with YouthCompass to send a mission crew to Romania from April 19th-28th. Please contact Tim Gilbert at timgilbertsr@aim.com for more information.

BELIZE MISSION TRIP OPPORTUNITY. Belize Mission Trip is Friday, May 17th to Saturday, May 25th. We are taking a small maintenance/repair team and a dental team. We need assistants, a cook/photographer and people to work on the maintenance/repair team. Contact the church office for more info.

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY TRAINING. All Sunday school teachers join us at our Children's Ministry training on Sunday, March 31st at 11:30 a.m. in the Youth Room. Lunch will be provided.

KINGS BEACH SMALL GROUP is starting back up on March 26th and will meet on the second and fourth Tuesday at 6:30 p.m. at Paul & Judy Ackerman's home. They will be starting a study on Ephesians. For more info or interested in attending please call Judy at 530-277-6264 or 774-200-6264 or email at jptahoe2@icloud.com.

MEN'S MORNING BIBLE STUDY meets on Wednesdays at 6:30 a.m. in the Fireside Room. For more information contact Pastor Jeff or Tim Gilbert.

INCLINE VILLAGE SMALL GROUP meets on Tuesdays at 6:30 p.m. at Jim & Jane Dykstra's home. Contact Tim Gilbert for more info.

EASTER FOOD BOXES STARTS ON MARCH 31ST. The Easter Food Distribution is one of the ways the Village Church gives back to the community. The Deacons are working to offer Easter food boxes. The schedule is as follows:

- Sunday, March 31st at 11:30 a.m.: We will be setting up the Church's Fireside Room for food box packing including making the boxes.
- Wednesday, April 3rd at 5:00 p.m.: We will be packing food boxes in the Fireside Room and can use help. Pizza provided!
- Saturday, April 6th from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.: Food box distribution. We can use help hosting applicants and loading food boxes into cars.

A THOUGHT FROM CHRISTIANS PAST..."Be attentive to time and how you spend it. Nothing is more precious. This is evident when you recall that in one tiny moment heaven may be gained or lost. God, the master of time, never gives the future. He gives only the present, moment by moment."

The Cloud of Unknowing



JOIN PASTOR JEFF for an adult Bible study on Wednesday evenings at 6:00 p.m. in the Fireside Room. Pastor Jeff will facilitate discussion and fellowship.

A WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY led by Cindy Liggett is meeting on Mondays at 6:30 p.m. in the Fireside Room.

EASTER FLOWERS. If you would like to provide flowers for our Easter Sunday services on April 21st, please complete the form found on the counter in the Narthex and return it to the church office. The cost is \$10.00 and you may take your flowers home after our 10:00 a.m. Easter worship service.

UNABLE TO ATTEND A WORSHIP SERVICE? Pastor Jeff's 10:00 a.m. sermon is recorded each Sunday. Check out our website at http://www.thevillagechurchny.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.

GRIEF COMPANIONS: A 6-WEEK SUPPORT GROUP. Mondays, Starting March 25 through April 29, 9:30 to 11:00 am, at St. Patrick's Episcopal Church. Find help and healing with others grieving the death of a loved one. This no-cost, interfaith peer support group, facilitated by Dr. Sue Maturlo and Rev. Clare Novak, will offer insight and compassion on your journey to understand and ease your grief. Sign-up required by March 22: clarecnovak@gmail.com.

SERMON NOTES

SAVE THE DATE!

- March 26th: Kings Beach Small Group Begins
- March 31st: Texas Mission Sharing; Easter Food Box Setup; Children's Ministry Training
- April 3rd: Easter Food Box Packing
- April 6th: Easter Food Distribution
- April 14^{th:}: Palm Sunday
- April 18^{th:}: Maundy Thursday
- April 19th: Good Friday; YouthCompass Mission Trip Begins
- April 21st: Easter Sunday



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MINISTRY OF THE WEEK

March 17, 2019 - March 24, 2019

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<u>TODAY</u> 8 & 10 a.m.	Worship Service in the Sanctuary
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8:15 a.m.	Choir Practice
9:15 a.m.	Praise Team Practice - Sanctuary
10:15 a.m.	Sunday School
12:00 p.m.	Special Ops
MONDAY	Office Closed
6:30 p.m.	Women's Bible Study - Fireside Room
TUESDAY	
2:00 p.m.	Staff Meeting - Pastor's Study
6:30 p.m.	Incline Small Group - Dykstra's home
WEDNESDAY	
6:30 a.m.	Christ, Coffee, and Cinnamon Rolls Men's Study - Fireside Room
10:00 a.m.	Intercessory Prayer - Pastor's Study
6:00 p.m.	Praise Team Practice - Sanctuary
6:00 p.m.	Adult Bible Study - Fireside Room
6 to 8:00 p.m.	Upper Room Group - Middle School - Y/R
THURSDAY	Vouth Rible Study - Starbucks Incline Village

 $4:00 \ p.m.$

Youth Bible Study - Starbucks, Incline Village

7:00 p.m. AA Meeting - Fireside Room

SUNDAY Third Sunday in Lent

8 & 10 a.m. Worship Service in the Sanctuary Message: "Live in the Light"

Scripture: Ephesians 5:1-14 8:15 a.m. Choir Practice - Fireside Room

9:15 a.m. Praise Team Practice - Sanctuary

10:15 a.m. Sunday School 12:00 p.m. Special Ops

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Church Leadership:

Paul Ackerman - Deacon Cindy Liggett - Preschool Director Alfredo Amezaga - Elder Miriella Melara - Deacon Doug Baker - Deacon Marilyn Merritt - Deacon Lynn Bandaruk - Deacon Kira Neil - Preschool Staff Ted Bandaruk - Elder Darlene Nilsson - Elder Stephanie Conragan - Preschool Staff Rev. Jeff Ogden - Pastor Pastor Tony Conragan, CLP - AV & Vicki Ogden - Deacon Youth Pastor Annie Payne - Office Manager Jim Dykstra - Deacon Linda Robins - Thrift Shop Manager Jon Fay - Choir Director Allie Sacci - Preschool Staff Don Ferrell - Elder Ann Schofield - Clerk of Session, Elder Linda Florentine - Elder Jason Stanton - Accompanist Betsy Garfinkle - Deacon Lynne Swingley Donat - Deacon Mary Gilbert - Christian Education Director Vickie Twichell - Thrift Shop Manager Tim Gilbert - Elder & Custodian Paul Twichell - Elder Patti Hanczarek- Preschool Staff Debby Wiens - Pianist Keith Hansen - Elder Michele Young - Women's Ministries Tasia Irons - Preschool Staff Moderator

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



was he who save some to be apostles, some to be prophets, some to be evangelists, and some to be pastors and teachers, to prepare God's people for works of service, so that the body of Christ may be built up. Ephesians 4:11-12

Second Sunday in Lent CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP March 17, 2019 10:00 A.M.

~~WE WORSHIP THE LORD ~~

PRELUDE SONG

My Lighthouse

Praise Team

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

Who You Say I Am

Who am I that the highest King would welcome me; I was lost but He brought me in - oh, His love for me; Oh. His love for me.

Chorus 1 Who the Son sets free, oh, is free indeed; I'm a child of God - yes I am.

Free at last - He has ransomed me, His grace runs deep; While I was a slave to sin, Jesus died for me; Yes, He died for me.

Chorus 2 Who the Son sets free, Oh, is free indeed; I'm a child of God - yes I am. In my Father's house there's a place for me; I'm a child of God – yes, I am.

Bridge I am chosen, not forsaken - I am who You say I am; You are for me, not against me -I am who You say I am I am chosen, not forsaken - I am who You say I am; You are for me, not against me - I am who You say I am; I am who You say I am.

Chorus 1

Ending In my Father's house there's a place for me; I'm a child of God – yes, I am. In my Father's house there's a place for me; I'm a child of God – yes, I am; I'm a child of God – yes, I am.