

Great I Am

I wanna be close, close to Your side
So Heaven is real and death is a lie.
I wanna hear voices of angels above
Singing as one:

Chorus Hallelujah, holy holy -
God Almighty, great I Am;
Who is worthy, none beside Thee,
God Almighty, great I Am

I wanna be near, near to Your heart,
Loving the world hating the dark.
I wanna see dry bones living again
Singing as one:

Chorus

Bridge The mountains shake before You,
The demons run and flee
At the mention of Your name, King of majesty;
There is no pow'r in hell or any who can stand
Before the power and the Presence of the great I Am;
The great I Am; The great I Am; The great I Am;
The great I Am; The great I Am.

Chorus

Ending Hallelujah, holy holy -
God Almighty, great I Am;
Who is worthy, none beside Thee,
God Almighty, great I Am
The great I Am; The great I Am.

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

Pastor Tony Conragan

MINUTE FOR MISSION

Renee Taylor - Belize Mission

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Millie Clarke

Merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart and mind and strength. We have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. In your mercy forgive what we have been, help us amend what we are, and direct what we shall be, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy name. 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.
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: "Live Wisely"

Elder, Darlene Nilsson

Scripture: Ephesians 5:15-21

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~~ SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER~~

INVITATION

SERVING THE BREAD AND THE CUP

WORSHIP SONG

***The Table**

I will feast at the table of the Lord

I will feast at the table of the Lord

I won't hunger anymore at His table

Repeat

Chorus Come all you weary come and find
His yoke is easy His burden is light
He is able He will restore
At the table of the Lord

There is peace at the table of the Lord

There is peace at the table of the Lord

I won't worry anymore at His table

There is healing at the table of the Lord

There is healing at the table of the Lord

Oh and I won't suffer anymore at His table

Chorus

Bridge I know He has a place for me
Oh what joy will fill my heart
With the saints around the mercy seat of God

Chorus 2 Come all you weary come and find

His yoke is easy His burden is light

He is able He will restore

At the table of the Lord

At the table of the Lord

I'm invited to the table of the Lord

I'm invited to the table of the Lord

He says come just as you are to His table

PRAYER OF DEDICATION AND THANKSGIVING

***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

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USHERS

Keith & Marji Hansen

WORSHIP ASSISTANT

Mille Clarke

COMMUNION SERVERS

Alfredo Amezaga, Miriella Melara, Tim Gilbert, &

Keith Hansen

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

Pastor Tony Conragan

FLOWERS

In Celebration of Millie Clarke's Birthday - Clarke Family

In Our Prayers: Chuck Dowd's Grand-daughter Maya - healing; Lisa Hoopes's Dad & Sister-in-Law - healing; Carol Akey - healing; George Schofield - healing; Roland Schumann - healing; Mary Gilbert's Aunt Cindy - healing; Lenten Season; YouthCompass & Belize Mission Trips.

THE LORD'S SUPPER

WE ARE CELEBRATING OUR LORD'S SUPPER this morning. Membership is not a requirement to share in communion at The Village Church. All those who repent and profess faith in Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior and baptized children being raised in the faith are invited to participate in this Sacrament. If you are not able to receive communion, please use this time to meditate on one of the following prayers.

A PRAYER OF PERSONS SEARCHING FOR TRUTH

Lord Jesus, you claim to be the way, the truth, and the life. Grant that I might be undaunted by the cost of following you as I consider the reasons for doing so. If what you claim is true, please guide me, teach me, and open me to the reality of who you are. Give me an understanding of you that is coherent, convincing, and leads to the life you promise. Amen.

A PRAYER OF BELIEF

Lord Jesus Christ, I admit that I am weaker and more sinful than I ever dared admit, but through you I am more loved and accepted than I ever dared hope. I thank you for paying my debt on the cross, taking what I deserved in order to offer me complete forgiveness. Knowing that you have been raised from the dead, I turn from my sins and receive you as my Savior and Lord. Amen.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

A BIG THANKS TO ALL who assisted with the Easter food box distribution. It is through the support and help of many people that our food closet continues to serve the needy in our area. Thank you for being the hands and feet of Jesus.

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.

DEACON'S MEETING - NEXT SUNDAY. Deacons will be meeting today in Room A following the 10:00 a.m. worship service next Sunday, April 14th.

NO POTLUCK IN APRIL. Instead we will have an special Easter Brunch in the Fire-side Room on Easter Sunday, April 21st following our 10:00 a.m. worship service for a yummy brunch. You don't have to bring a thing - just come!

INVITE A FRIEND AND BE A FRIEND! Our worship services during the Lent/Easter season are wonderful times to invite friends to worship. People are more open to an invitation to attend church during Easter and Christmas than any other time of year. We have Easter invites available for you to give out. Be praying for who might ask to come with you and then ask them.

YOUTHCOMPASS MISSION TRIP OPPORTUNITY. We will be joining with YouthCompass to send a mission crew to Romania from April 18th-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. If you are interested in financially supporting this team, you can make your check out to "The Village Church" and designate the Belize Mission on the memo line of your check. Contact the church office for more info.

A THOUGHT FROM CHRISTIANS PAST... "WE REGARD falling from God's friendship as the only thing dreadful and we consider becoming God's friend the only thing worthy of honor and desire. This is the perfection of life." St. Gregory of Nyssa

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.

HOLY WEEK EVENTS:

APRIL 14TH - PALM SUNDAY SERVICES. On April 14th, we will have our 8:00 a.m. and 10:00 a.m. worship services. The Preschool Children will be singing during the 10:00 a.m. service. After the 10:00 a.m. service we will have a children's Easter Egg Hunt.

APRIL 18TH - MAUNDY THURSDAY SERVICE. On April 18th at 6:00 p.m. in the Fireside Room, we will be celebrating together with a simple supper of soup and bread, followed by a communion service. On Maundy Thursday we remember our Lord's last supper with his disciples.

APRIL 19TH - GOOD FRIDAY SERVICE. On Good Friday, April 19th at 6:30 p.m. at Cornerstone Community Church we will be having a combined worship service with Cornerstone Community Church, New Life Foursquare Church, and us The Village Church. All are welcome!

APRIL 21ST - EASTER SUNDAY SERVICES. We will be having a special 6:30 a.m. sunrise service at Burnt Cedar Beach in Incline - weather permitting. Then we will have our 8:00 a.m. and 10:00 a.m. worship services in the Sanctuary at the Church. We will be celebrating that "Christ is risen! He is risen indeed!" Invite your friends and family to join you in worship on Easter. After the 10:00 a.m. service we will be having an Easter Brunch in the Fireside Room.

SERMON NOTES

SAVE THE DATE!

- **April 14th:** Palm Sunday; Preschool Children Singing; Easter Egg Hunt; Deacons Meeting
- **April 17th:** Session Meeting
- **April 18th:** Maundy Thursday Supper and Communion Service 6:00pm; YouthCompass Mission Trip Begins
- **April 19th:** Good Friday Service 6:30pm at Cornerstone
- **April 21st:** Easter Sunday Services; Easter Brunch
- **April 23rd:** Women's Snowshoe Hike
- **May 18th:** Women's Brunch & Prayer Walk at Cornerstone



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A Covenant Order of Evangelical Presbyterians.
For more information, see our website:
www.TheVillageChurchNV.org or www.eco-pres.org.

MINISTRY OF THE WEEK

April 7, 2019 - April 14, 2019

TODAY

8 & 10 a.m.
8:15 a.m.
9:15 a.m.
10:15 a.m.

Worship Service in the Sanctuary
Choir Practice - Fireside Room
Praise Team Practice - Sanctuary
Sunday School

MONDAY

Office Closed

TUESDAY

2:00 p.m.
6:30 p.m.

Staff Meeting - Pastor's Study
Incline Small Group - Dykstra's Home

WEDNESDAY

6:30 a.m.
10:00 a.m.
6:00 p.m.

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

THURSDAY

7:00 p.m.

AA Meeting - Fireside Room

SUNDAY

8 & 10 a.m.

9:15 a.m.
10:15 a.m.
11:30 a.m.
11:30 a.m.

Palm Sunday
Worship Service in the Sanctuary
Message: "Wives and Husbands"
Scripture: Ephesians 5:21-33
No Choir Practice
Praise Team Practice - Sanctuary
Sunday School
Easter Egg Hunt
Deacon's Meeting - Room A

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Paul Ackerman - Deacon
Alfredo Amezaga - Elder
Doug Baker - Deacon
Lynn Bandaruk - Deacon
Ted Bandaruk - Elder
Stephanie Conragan - Preschool Staff
Pastor Tony Conragan, CLP - AV &

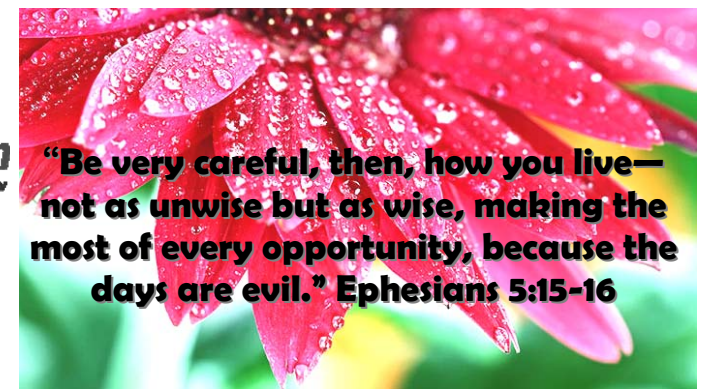
Youth Pastor

Jim Dykstra - Deacon
Jon Fay - Choir Director
Don Ferrell - Elder
Linda Florentine - Elder
Betsy Garfinkle - Deacon
Mary Gilbert - Christian Education Director
Tim Gilbert - Elder & Custodian
Patti Hanczarek - Preschool Staff
Keith Hansen - Elder
Tasia Irons - Preschool Staff

Cindy Liggett - Preschool Director
Miriella Melara - Deacon
Marilyn Merritt - Deacon
Kira Neil - Preschool Staff
Darlene Nilsson - Elder
Rev. Jeff Ogden - Pastor
Vicki Ogden - Deacon
Annie Payne - Office Manager

Linda Robins - Thrift Shop Manager
Allie Sacci - Preschool Staff
Ann Schofield - Clerk of Session, Elder
Jason Stanton - Accompanist
Lynne Donat - Deacon Moderator
Vickie Twichell - Thrift Shop Manager
Paul Twichell - Elder
Debby Wiens - Pianist
Michele Young - Women's Ministries
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.



The Lord's Supper
CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP
April 7, 2019
10:00 A.M.

~~WE WORSHIP THE LORD~~

PRELUDE SONG *Great Are You Lord* Praise Team

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 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

**This Is Amazing Grace*

Who breaks the power of sin and darkness?
Whose love is mighty and so much stronger?
The King of Glory, the King above all kings.
Who shakes the whole earth with holy thunder?
Who leaves us breathless in awe and wonder?
The King of Glory, the King above all kings.

Chorus This is amazing grace, this is unfailing love,
That You would take my place, that You would bear my cross,
You would lay down Your life, that I would be set free.
Jesus, I sing for all that You've done for me!

Who brings our chaos back into order?
Who makes the orphan a son and daughter?
The King of Glory, the King above all kings.
Who rules the nations with truth and justice,
Shines like the sun in all of its brilliance?
The King of Glory, the King above all kings.

Chorus

Bridge Worthy is the Lamb who was slain,
And worthy is the King who conquered the grave,
And worthy is the Lamb who was slain.
Worthy is the King who conquers the grave,
And worthy is the Lamb who was slain,
And worthy is the King who conquers the grave.
Worthy is the Lamb who was slain.
Worthy, worthy, worthy!

Chorus

Ending Jesus, I sing for all that You've done for me!