We Are God's People

We are God's people, the chosen of the Lord;

Born of His Spirit, established by His Word; Our cornerstone is Christ alone and strong in Him we stand:

O let us live transparently,

And walk heart to heart and hand in hand.

We are God's loved ones, the Bride of Christ our Lord,

For we have known it, the love of God outpoured;

Now let us learn how to return the gift of love once given:

O let us share each joy and care,

And live with a zeal that pleases Heaven

We are the Body of which the Lord is Head,

Called to obey Him, now risen from the dead;

He wills us be a family diverse yet truly one:

O let us give our gifts to God,

And so shall His work on earth be done.

We are a Temple, the Spirit's dwelling place,

Formed in great weakness, a cup to hold God's grace;

We die alone, for on its own each ember loses fire:

Yet joined in one the flame burns on

To give warmth and light and to inspire.

## **CHILDREN'S MESSAGE**

Bill Ferrall

Hymn #546

#### PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Don Ferrell Merciful God, in your gracious presence we confess our sin. Although Christ is among us as our peace, we are a people divided against ourselves as we cling to the values of a broken world. The profit and pleasures we pursue lay waste the land and pollute the seas. The fears and jealousies that we harbor set neighbor against neighbor and nation against nation. We abuse your good gifts of imagination and freedom, of intellect and reason, and have turned them into bonds of oppression. Lord, have mercy upon us; heal and forgive us. Set us free to serve you in the world as agents of your reconciling love in Jesus Christ. In his name we pray.

#### 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 Praise Team



### ~~WE MEET GOD THROUGH THE WORD ~~

Message: "One Body" Pastor Jeff Ogden Scripture: Ephesians 4:1-6 Pew Bible Page 1821

## **WORSHIP SONG**

\*Holy Is the Lord

We stand and lift up our hands For the joy of the Lord is our strength We bow down and worship Him now How great how awesome is He

Pre-Chorus And together we sing Ev'ryone sing

Chorus Holy is the Lord God Almighty The earth is filled with His glory Holy is the Lord God Almighty The earth is filled with His glory The earth is filled with His glory

Bridge It's rising up all around

It's the anthem of the Lord's renown

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It's the anthem of the Lord's renown

Pre-Chorus And together we sing Ev'ryone sing

Ending Holy is the Lord God Almighty The earth is filled with His glory Holy is the Lord God Almighty The earth is filled with His glory The earth is filled with His glory The earth is filled with His glory

#### \*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** Keith & Marji Hansen WORSHIP ASSISTANT Don Ferrell CHILDREN'S MESSAGE Bill Ferrall FLOWERS In Celebration of Guy Fortier's 87<sup>th</sup> Birthday - Guy & Joann Fortier

In Our Prayers: Tom Payne & Family - death of his dad; Carol Akey - healing; Pam McQueen - healing from surgery; 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.

DEACON'S MEETING - TODAY. Deacons will be meeting in Room A following the 10:00 a.m. worship service.

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.

WOMEN'S MINISTRIES BOARD MEETING Tuesday, March 12th at 9:00 a.m. in the Fireside Room.

SESSION MEETING Wednesday, March 13th. Our Session will be meeting Wednesday, March 13<sup>th</sup> at 4:00 p.m. in the Pastor's Study.

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 25<sup>th</sup>. 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.

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

KINGS BEACH SMALL GROUP is starting back up on March 26<sup>th</sup> 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.

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.

INCLINE VILLAGE SMALL GROUP meets on Tuesdays at 6:30 p.m. This week will be at the Ferrell's home. Contact Tim Gilbert for more info.

EASTER FOOD BOXES STARTS ON MARCH 31<sup>ST</sup>. 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 31<sup>st</sup> 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 3<sup>rd</sup> at 5:00 p.m.: We will be packing food boxes in the Fireside Room and can use help. Pizza provided!
- Saturday, April 6<sup>th</sup> 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..."Bestow on me, O Lord, a genial spirit and unwearied forbearance; a mild, loving, patient heart; kindly looks; pleasant, cordial speech and manners in the exchanges of daily life; that I may give offense to none, but insofar as I can, may live in charity with everyone." Johann Arndt



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.thevillagechurchnv.org/ <u>sermons/</u> 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 12<sup>th</sup>: Women's Ministry Board Meeting
- March 13<sup>th</sup>: Session Meeting
- March 26th: Kings Beach Small Group Begins
- March 31<sup>st</sup>: Easter Food Box Setup
- April 3<sup>rd</sup>: Easter Food Box Packing
- April 6<sup>th</sup>: Easter Food Distribution
- April 14<sup>th:</sup>: Palm Sunday
- April 18<sup>th:</sup>: Maundy Thursday
- April 19th: Good Friday; YouthCompass Mission Trip Begins
- April 21st: Easter Sunday



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www.TheVillageChurchNV.org or www.eco-pres.org.

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

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	MINISTRY OF THE WEEK
	March 10, 2019 - March 17, 2019
<b>TODAY</b>	,
8 & 10 a.m.	Worship Service in the Sanctuary
	No Choir Practice
9:15 a.m.	Praise Team Practice - Sanctuary
10:15 a.m.	Sunday School
11:30 a.m.	Deacon's Meeting
12:00 p.m.	Special Ops
<b>MONDAY</b>	Office Closed
6:30 p.m.	Women's Bible Study - Fireside Room
<b>TUESDAY</b>	
2:00 p.m.	Staff Meeting - Pastor's Study
9:00 a.m.	Women's Ministry Board Meeting - Fireside Room
6:30 p.m.	Incline Small Group - Ferrell's home
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	
6:30 a.m.	Christ, Coffee, and Cinnamon Rolls Men's Study - 1

Christ, Coffee, and Cinnamon Rolls Men's Study - Fireside Room 6:30 a.m. 10:00 a.m. Intercessory Prayer - Pastor's Study

4:00 p.m. Session Meeting - Pastor's Study Praise Team Practice - Sanctuary 6:00 p.m. Adult Bible Study - Fireside Room 6:00 p.m. 6 to 8:00 p.m. Upper Room Group - Middle School - Y/R

**THURSDAY** 

Youth Bible Study - Starbucks, Incline Village 4:00 p.m.

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

**SUNDAY** Second Sunday in Lent

8 & 10 a.m. Worship Service in the Sanctuary

> Message: "Growing Up in Christ" Scripture: Ephesians 4:7-16

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

Paul Ackerman - Deacon

Tasia Irons - Preschool Staff

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#### Church Leadership:

Cindy Liggett - Preschool Director

Moderator

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



"Be completely humble and gentle; be patient, bearing with one another in love. Make every effort to keep the unity of the Spirit through the bond of peace." Ephesians, 4:2-3

# CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP March 10, 2019 10:00 A.M.

# ~~WE WORSHIP THE LORD ~~

PRELUDE SONG

Make Us One

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

## \*The Heart of Worship

When the music fades, all is stripped away, And I simply come; vowing just to bring Something that's of worth, that will bless Your heart.

Pre-Chorus I'll bring You more than a song,

For a song in itself

Is not what You have required.

You search much deeper within, Through the way things appear;

You're looking into my heart.

Chorus I'm coming back to the heart of worship, And it's all about You, it's all about You, Jesus. I'm sorry, Lord, for the thing I've made it,

When it's all about You, all about You, Jesus.

King of endless worth, no one could express How much You deserve. Though I'm weak and poor, All I have is Yours, every single breath.

Pre-Chorus

Chorus

Bridge I'll bring You more than a song, More than a song. More than a song. You're looking into my heart, Into my heart, into my heart

Chorus