Vision

To see lives transformed through following Jesus.

Mission

Making disciples through worship, fellowship & service.

Values

Worship, Word, Compassion & Community

### **Chattanooga Valley Presbyterian Church**

CVPC

#### **Order of Worship**

March 13, 2022

#### Liturgist: David Marr | Sermon: Rev. George Granberry Worship Leader: Scott Finch

#### Meditation: Genesis 28:10-17 | Reader: Nikki Buchanan

Jacob left Beersheba and went toward Haran. And he came to a certain place and stayed there that night, because the sun had set. Taking one of the stones of the place, he put it under his head and lay down in that place to sleep. And he dreamed, and behold, there was a ladder set up on the earth, and the top of it reached to heaven. And behold, the angels of God were ascending and descending on it! And behold, the Lord stood above it and said, "I am the Lord, the God of Abraham your father and the God of Isaac. The land on which you lie I will give to you and to your offspring. Your offspring shall be like the dust of the earth, and you shall spread abroad to the west and to the east and to the north and to the south, and in you and your offspring shall all the families of the earth be blessed. Behold, I am with you and will keep you wherever you go, and will bring you back to this land. For I will not leave you until I have done what I have promised you." Then Jacob awoke from his sleep and said, "Surely the Lord is in this place, and I did not know it." And he was afraid and said, "How awesome is this place! This is none other than the house of God, and this is the gate of heaven."

#### Call to Worship: Psalm 81:1-10

L: Sing aloud to God our strength; shout for joy to the God of Jacob! Raise a song; sound the tambourine, the sweet lyre with the harp.

### ALL: Blow the trumpet at the new moon, at the full moon, on our feast day. For it is a statute for Israel, a rule of the God of Jacob.

L: He made it a decree in Joseph when he went out over the land of Egypt, I hear a language I had not known: I relieved your shoulder of the burden; your hands were freed from the basket.

## ALL: In distress you called, and I delivered you; I answered you in the secret place of thunder; I tested you at the waters of Meribah.

L: Hear, O my people, while I admonish you! O Israel, if you would but listen to me! There shall be no strange god among you; you shall not bow down to a foreign god.

## ALL: I am the Lord your God, who brought you up out of the land of Egypt. Open your mouth wide, and I will fill it.

L: This is the Word of the LORD!

#### ALL: Thanks be to God.

#### Hymn of Adoration: To God Be The Glory | 55

1. To God be the glory, great things he has done! So loved he the world that he gave us his Son, who yielded his life an atonement for sin, and opened the life-gate that we may go in.

Refrain: Praise the Lord, praise the Lord, let the earth hear his voice! Praise the Lord, praise the Lord, let the people rejoice! O come to the Father thro' Jesus the Son, and give him the glory, great things he has done!

2. O perfect redemption, the purchase of blood! To ev'ry believer the promise of God; the vilest offender who truly believes, that moment from Jesus forgiveness receives. [Refrain]

3. Great things he has taught us, great things he has done, and great our rejoicing through Jesus the Son; but purer and higher and greater will be our wonder, our transport, when Jesus we see. [Refrain]

#### Prayer of Adoration & 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.

#### **Public Reception of New Members**

Audrey Dueitt, David & Jemima Ragland, and Von & Debbie Weisheit

#### Song of the Month: Out of the Depths (See page 7.)

Sermon: "The Walk"

**Word: Selected Scriptures** 

#### Song of the Response: In Christ Alone (See page 8.)

**Prayers of the People** 

#### Doxological Hymn: Holy, Holy, Holy | 100 (Final Stanza with Amen)

4. Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty! All thy works shall praise thy name in earth and sky and sea. Holy, holy, holy! Merciful and mighty! God in three Persons, blessed Trinity! Amen!

#### **Offertory Prayer, Offering, & Opportunities to Serve**

#### The Sending Hymn: The Lord's My Shepherd | 86

1. The Lord's my Shepherd, I'll not want; he makes me down to lie in pastures green; he leadeth me the quiet waters by. He leadeth me, He leadeth me the quiet waters by.

2. My soul he doth restore again; and me to walk doth make within the paths of righteousness, e'en for his own name's sake; within the paths of righteousness, e'en for his own name's sake.

Song continued on the next page.

3. Yea, though I walk in death's dark vale, yet will I fear none ill, for thou art with me; and thy rod and staff me comfort still; for thou art with me, and thy rod and staff me comfort still.

4. My table thou hast furnished in presence of my foes; My head thou dost with oil anoint, and my cup overflows. My head thou dost with oil anoint, and my cup overflows.

5. Goodness and mercy all my life shall surely follow me: and in God's house forevermore my dwelling place shall be; and in God's house forever my dwelling place shall be.

#### **Benediction: 1 Thessalonians 5:23**

Now may the God of peace himself sanctify you completely, and may your whole spirit and soul and body be kept blameless at the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ... *so that all the peoples will say*...

#### ALL: Amen. Our LORD is faithful. Praise the LORD!

#### **Questions for Reflection**

1. What was the definition for the word "walk"?

- 2. Is walk a good word to define the Christian life? Why or why not?
- 3. What are the dangers encountered on your walk?

4. Which of the characteristics mentioned did you most identify with in your Christian life?

5. Which of the characteristics mentioned is the hardest for you?

6. What new commitments will you make in your walk?

### Today at CVPC

The Marr Growth Group is in Overflow this week.

The **Youth Group** meets at 5:00pm.

#### Please join CVPC in wishing a Happy Birthday to the following:

Kathyrn Leavengood | March 16 Joe Staven & Lena Collins | March 17 Patty Tate | March 18 Barb Michal & Isaiah Staven | March 19 Millie Topping | March 25 Charlotte Thomas & Yvette Carrillo | March 31

Women's Retreat: Today is the final day to register for the Women's Retreat. Please see a member of the WLT if you have questions or need assistance registering.

#### Egg-My-Lawn Youth Fundraiser:

Please complete the online form if you would like to purchase eggs. We are also in need of candy donations to stuff the eggs. There will be a box in the foyer for donated candy. If you have any questions, please email lauradueitt@chattvalleypca.com.

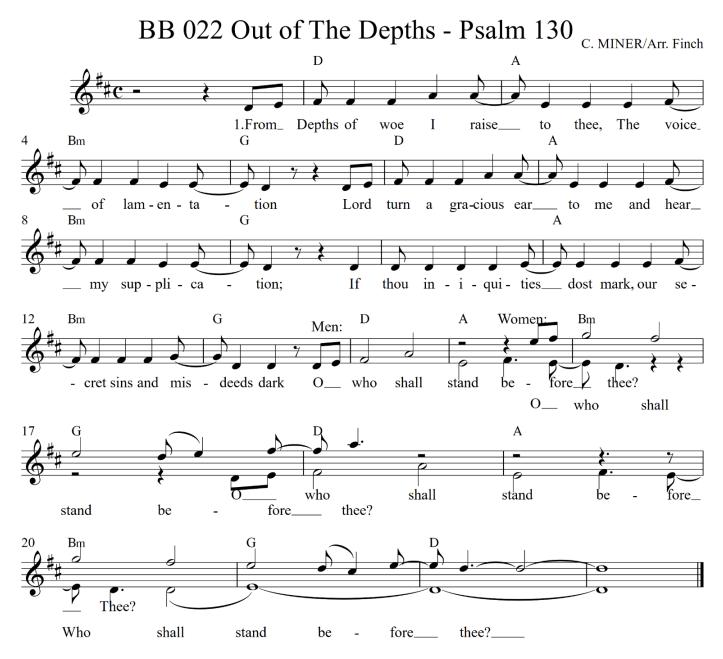
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### **Coming Up at CVPC**

	Week of March 14- 20	Week of March 21-27
MONDAY	3:30PM: Monday Music 4PM: Manse Reserved	3:30 PM: Monday Music 4PM: Manse Reserved
TUESDAY	6PM: Session Meeting	
WEDNESDAY	10AM: Women's Bible Study 5:30PM: Chaplin Growth Group 5PM: Women's Evening Bible Study (Schimpf Home) 6PM: Louis Growth Group 6PM: Voyles/Townes Growth Group	10AM: Women's Bible Study 5:30PM: Chaplin Growth Group 5PM: Women's Evening Bible Study (Schimpf Home) 6PM: Louis Growth Group 6PM: Voyles/Townes Growth Group
THURSDAY	6PM: Kennedy Growth Group	6PM: Kennedy Growth Group 6PM Marr Growth Group 6PM: Trail Life
FRIDAY		Women's Retreat
SATURDAY	7AM: Men's Bible Study 10AM:Food Network	Women's Retreat 7AM: Men's Bible Study 10AM:Food Network 6PM: Finch Henry Growth Group
SUNDAY	9AM: Sunday School 10:30AM: Worship 5PM: Youth Group 5PM: Leavengood Growth Group	9AM: Sunday School 10:30AM: Worship 5PM: Youth Group 5PM: Leavengood Growth Group
Elder on Call	David Marr davidmarr@chattvalleypca.com	
Deacon On Call	Jon Abbott jonabbott@chattvalleypca.com	
Overflow	Finch	Chaplin/S/W
Greeters	Feigl Family; Fennema Family	Finch Family
Youth	Youth at Church	Youth at Church
Nursery: SS	Lucie Chaplin	Jemima Ragland
Nursery: Worship	Lou Schimpf, Amy Sterkel, & Allie Finch	Rachel Staven, Anna Staven, & Paula Lynch



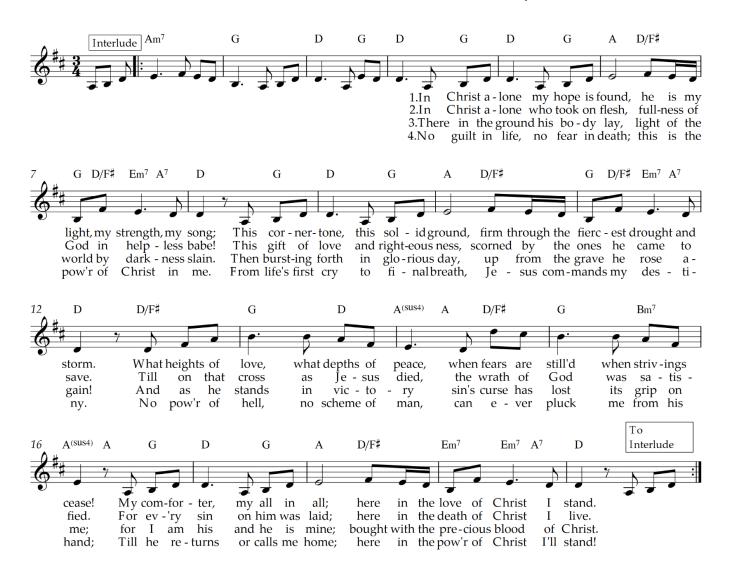
2. To wash away the crimson stain, grace, grace alone availeth; Our works, alas! are all in vain; in much the best life faileth; No man can glory in thy sight, all must alike confess thy might, And live alone by mercy (echo and repeat)

3. Therefore my trust is in the LORD, and not it mine own merit; On Him my soul shall rest, His word upholds my fainting spirit; His promised mercy is my fort, my comfort and my sweet support. I wait for it with patience (echo and repeat)

4. Though great our sins and sore our woes His grace much more aboundeth;His helping love no limit knowns, our upmost need it soundeth.Our Shepherd good and true is He, who will at last His Israel freeFrom all their sin and sorrow (echo and repeat)

Keith Getty and Stuart Townend

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