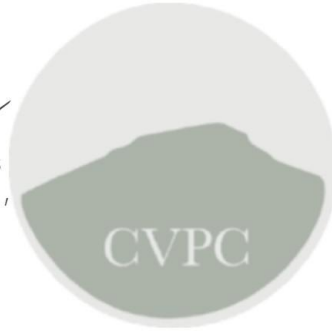


Vision

To see lives transformed
through following Jesus.

Mission

Making disciples
through worship,
fellowship &
service.



Values

Worship,
Word,
Compassion &
Community

Chattanooga Valley Presbyterian Church

Order of Worship | June 5, 2022

Liturgist: Rob Chaplin | Sermon: Rev. Dennis Louis

Worship Leader: Scott Finch

Praise Gathering

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be; world without end. Amen! Amen!

Invocation

L: O Father, we recognize our need to meet you in this hour so that we, as your children, may spend time in fellowship with you. We ask that you would be present now as you have promised and that you would be willing to serve us through your Word and through sacrament. We pray all these things in the name of Jesus Christ. Amen.

Welcome and Greeting

Meditation: Luke 24:36-49 | Reader: Ale Townes

As they were talking about these things, Jesus himself stood among them, and said to them, "Peace to you!" But they were startled and frightened and thought they saw a spirit. And he said to them, "Why are you troubled, and why do doubts arise in your hearts? See my hands and my feet, that it is I myself. Touch me, and see. For a spirit does not have flesh and bones as you see that I have." And when he had said this, he showed them his hands and his feet. And while they still disbelieved for joy and were marveling, he said to them, "Have you anything here to eat?" They gave him a piece of broiled fish,

and he took it and ate before them. Then he said to them, "These are my words that I spoke to you while I was still with you, that everything written about me in the Law of Moses and the Prophets and the Psalms must be fulfilled." Then he opened their minds to understand the Scriptures, and said to them, "Thus it is written, that the Christ should suffer and on the third day rise from the dead, and that repentance for the forgiveness of sins should be proclaimed in his name to all nations, beginning from Jerusalem. You are witnesses of these things. And behold, I am sending the promise of my Father upon you. But stay in the city until you are clothed with power from on high."

Call to Worship: Psalm 130

L: Out of the depths I cry to you, O Lord! O Lord, hear my voice! Let your ears be attentive to the voice of my pleas for mercy!

ALL: If you, O Lord, should mark iniquities, O Lord, who could stand? But with you there is forgiveness, that you may be feared.

L: I wait for the Lord, my soul waits, and in his word I hope; my soul waits for the Lord more than watchmen for the morning, more than watchmen for the morning.

ALL: O Israel, hope in the Lord! For with the Lord there is steadfast love, and with him is plentiful redemption. And he will redeem Israel from all his iniquities.

L: This is the Word of the LORD!

ALL: Thanks be to God.

Hymn of Adoration: Hallelujah, Praise Jehovah | 57

1. Hallelujah, praise Jehovah, O my soul, Jehovah praise;
I will sing the glorious praises, of my God through all my days.
Put no confidence in princes, nor for help on man depend;
he shall die, to dust returning, and his purposes shall end.

2. Happy is the man that chooses, Israel's God to be his aid;
he is blessed whose hope of blessing, on the Lord his God is stayed.
Heav'n and earth the Lord created, seas and all that they contain;
he delivers from oppression, righteousness he will maintain.

3. Food he daily gives the hungry, Sets the mourning prisoner free,
raises those bowed down with anguish, makes the sightless eye to see.
Well Jehovah loves the righteous, and the stranger he befriends,
helps the fatherless and widow, judgment on the wicked sends.

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4. Hallelujah, praise Jehovah, O my soul, Jehovah praise;
I will sing the glorious praises, of my God through all my days.
Over all God reigns forever, through all ages he is King;
unto him, your God, O Zion, joyful hallelujahs sing.

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.

Confession of Sin & Assurance of Pardon

L: Dear Father, in this moment we confess our fatigue, our failures and our fears.

ALL: We have lived too long with doubt in our hearts which has resulted in worry and restless sleep.

L: We are embarrassed by our secret thoughts and feel the weight of our sins with deep remorse.

ALL: We need mercy. We need grace. We need forgiveness. We are full of need so propel our faith in this hour.

L: Lord of Heaven and Earth, God and Father of our Savior, Jesus Christ; pour out your Spirit in abounding measure.

ALL: Overwhelm us with the power of the cross.

(Time for silent confession.)

L: Dear children of God, beloved by Father, Son and Holy Spirit. You have been made clean and you are heirs with your elder brother and shepherd, Jesus Christ. Hallelujah! What a Savior!

Song of Preparation: Days of Elijah (See page 7.)

Sermon: "Contentment from Above"

Word: Psalm 131

Song of Response: We Will Feast in the House of Zion (See page 8.)

Sacrament of Communion

Doxological Hymn: Come, Thou Almighty King (final stanza with amen) | 101

4. To the great One in Three, eternal praises be, hence evermore. His sovereign majesty, may we in glory see, and to eternity, love and adore. Amen.

Offertory Prayer, Offering, & Opportunities to Serve

Sending Hymn: Blessed Assurance | 693

1. Blessed assurance, Jesus is mine! O what a foretaste of glory divine!
Heir of salvation, purchase of God, born of his Spirit, washed in his blood.

Refrain: This is my story, this is my song, praising my Savior all the day long;
this is my story, this is my song, praising my Savior all the day long.

2. Perfect submission, perfect delight, visions of rapture now burst on my sight;
angels descending, bring from above, echoes of mercy, whispers of love. [Refrain]

3. Perfect submission, all is at rest; I in my Savior am happy and blest;
watching and waiting, looking above, filled with his goodness, lost in his love. [Refrain]

Benediction: 1 Thessalonians 3:11-13

Now may our God and Father himself, and our Lord Jesus, direct our way to you, and may the Lord make you increase and abound in love for one another and for all, as we do for you, so that he may establish your hearts blameless in holiness before our God and Father, at the coming of our Lord Jesus with all his saints...

so that all the peoples will say...

ALL: Amen. Our Lord is faithful. Praise the Lord!

Questions for Reflection: Psalm 131

1. Why is the imagery of a weaned child with its mother such a powerful and endearing picture of contentment (vs. 2)?

2. Why is pride (vs. 1) the greatest hindrance to a calm and quiet soul (contentment)?

3. David ends by encouraging the people to hope in the Lord. How can the Christian doctrine of hope bring contentment to our restless world?

Today at CVPC

The **Leavengood/Collins Growth Group** is in Overflow this week.

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

Jessica Hansen & Samuel Staven | June 6

Kelly Henry | June 9

Elijah Sterkel | June 10

Isabella Carrillo & Liz Topping | June 12

Youth Swim Event Tonight: Meet at the Wallick House (27 Bee Rock Road, Flintstone, GA 30725) tonight from 5-7pm. Don't forget your swimsuit and towel!

Women's Book Swap: Ladies, please bring a book or two, a dessert, and join us for a Book Swap at the Collins home on June 18 at 6:30 pm. Contact Vicki Granberry or Rachel Staven with questions.

VBS: Registration is open for VBS: Behold the Birds, scheduled for June 13-17 from 5:30-8:00pm. To access the sign-up, please use this QR code, the link



in your email, or complete a hard copy available in the church foyer. Volunteer today to help make this year's VBS a success and rich opportunity of outreach to our community.

Visitors, we invite you to connect with us! Please visit our Congregational Church website for access to our directory, and other helpful information at cvpc.churchtrac.com.

Coming Up at CVPC

	Week of June 6-12	Week of June 13-19
MONDAY	4PM: Manse Reserved 5:30PM: Summer Piano 7:30PM: Diaconate Meeting	4PM: Manse Reserved 5:30PM: VBS
TUESDAY	7PM: WLT Meeting	5:30PM: VBS
WEDNESDAY	5PM: Women's Evening Bible Study	5PM: Women's Evening Bible Study 5:30PM: VBS
THURSDAY		5:30PM: VBS
FRIDAY		5:30PM: VBS
SATURDAY	7AM: Men's Bible Study 8 AM: Serving Saints 10AM: Food Network 5PM: Finch/Henry Growth Group	7AM: Men's Bible Study 6:30 PM: Women's Book Swap
SUNDAY	9:00AM: VBS Kick-off 10:30AM: Worship	10:30AM: Worship
Elder on Call	Rob Chaplin robchaplin@chattvalleypca.com	
Deacon On Call	Josh Henry joshhenry@chattvalleypca.com	
Overflow	Voyles/Townes	Marr
Greeters	Marr Family	Michal Family & Moore Family
Youth	No Youth Group	No Youth Group
Nursery: SS	No Nursery: VBS Kick-off	No Sunday School
Nursery: Worship	David Marr, Marie Fennema, & Lucie Chaplin	Lou Schimpf, Amy Sterkel, & Allie Finch

BB 048 Days of Elijah

arr. Finch

G(add2) C(add2) G(add2) D G

1. These are the days of E - li - jah, de - clar - ing the Word of the LORD. And
 2. These are the days of E - ze - kiel, the dry bones be - com - ing as flesh. And

5 G(add2) C(add2) G(add2) D G

these are the days of Your ser - vant Mo ses; Righ - teous - ness be - ing re - stored. And
 these are the days of Your ser - vant Da vid; Lead - ing a peo - ple in praise. And

9 Bm Em Am⁷ D(sus4) D

though these are days of great tri - als of fam - ine and dark ness and sword, still
 these are the days of the har - vest; the fields are as white in the world And

13 G(add2) C(add2) G D

we are the voice in the des - ert cry - ing, "Pre - pare ye the way of the LORD."
 we are Your la - bor - ers in Your vine - yard, de - clar - ing the Word of the LORD.

16 G G/D D G C(add2) G

— Be - hold He comes ri - ding on the clouds, — shin - ing like the sun — at the trum - pet

20 D G/D D G C(add2) G D G(sus4)

call. So lift your voice, it's the year of Ju - bi - lee; — and out of Zi - on's hill sal - va - tion comes!

2nd Stanza to the Bridge

25 G G(add2) C(add2)

— There's no god like Je - ho - vah! There's no god like Je - ho - vah!

28 G(add2) D(add2) Bridge 2x then Chorus 2x

There's no god like Je - ho - vah! There's no god like Je - ho - vah!

BB 047 We Will Feast in the House of Zion

arr. Finch

Refrain G G/E C G Em D C Am⁷ D(sus⁴) D

We will feast in the house of Zi - on. We will sing with our hearts re - stored He has

5 G G/E C G Em D C G/D D G G(sus⁴)

done great things we will say to - ge - ther. We will feast and weep no more.

10 G C Em C D

1. We will not be burned by the fire, He is the LORD our
 2. In the dark of night be - fore the dawn, my soul be not a -
 3. Ev - 'ry vow we've bro - ken and be trayed, You are the faith - ful

14 Em C Em

God. We are not con - sumed by the flood, up -
 fraid, for the pro - mised mor - ning, O how long! O
 One! and from the gar - den to the grave, bind

17 C D Em D/F# D

held, pro - tect - ed, ga - thered up.
 God of Ja - cob be _____ my strength.
 us to - ge - ther; bring _____ sha - lom. Final Refrain 2x