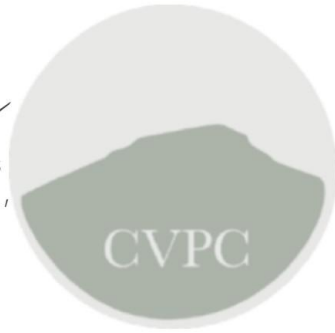


# *Vision*

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 19, 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: Good and gracious Father, we bow before your throne and acknowledge that we are helpless without you. You have drawn us here by your Spirit to worship you and we are grateful. You have invited us to approach the throne of grace with boldness and so here we are. Open our eyes and ears of faith so that we may see and hear you through your Word. We pray these things in the name of Jesus Christ, your Son and our Lord. Amen.

## **Welcome and Greeting**

### **Meditation: Mark 4:35-41 | Reader: Daniel Dukes**

On that day, when evening had come, he said to them, "Let us go across to the other side." And leaving the crowd, they took him with them in the boat, just as he was. And other boats were with him. And a great windstorm arose, and the waves were breaking into the boat, so that the boat was already filling. But he was in the stern, asleep on the cushion. And they woke him and said to him, "Teacher, do you not care that we are perishing?" And he awoke and rebuked the wind and said to the sea, "Peace! Be still!" And the wind ceased, and there was a great calm. He said to them, "Why are you so

afraid? Have you still no faith?" And they were filled with great fear and said to one another, "Who then is this, that even the wind and the sea obey him?"

### **Call to Worship: Psalm 46**

L: God is our refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble. Therefore we will not fear though the earth gives way, though the mountains be moved into the heart of the sea, though its waters roar and foam, though the mountains tremble at its swelling.

**ALL: There is a river whose streams make glad the city of God, the holy habitation of the Most High. God is in the midst of her; she shall not be moved; God will help her when morning dawns.**

L: The nations rage, the kingdoms totter; he utters his voice, the earth melts. The Lord of hosts is with us; the God of Jacob is our fortress. Come, behold the works of the Lord, how he has brought desolations on the earth.

**ALL: He makes wars cease to the end of the earth; he breaks the bow and shatters the spear; he burns the chariots with fire.**

L: "Be still, and know that I am God. I will be exalted among the nations, I will be exalted in the earth!"

**ALL: The Lord of hosts is with us; the God of Jacob is our fortress.**

L: This is the Word of the Lord!

**ALL: Thanks be to God.**

### **Hymn of Adoration: This is My Father's World | 111**

1. This is my Father's world, and to my listening ears,  
all nature sings, and round me rings, the music of the spheres.  
This is my Father's world, I rest me in the thought,  
of rocks and trees, of skies and seas; his hand the wonders wrought.

2. This is my Father's world, the birds their carols raise,  
the morning light, the lily white, declare their Maker's praise.  
This is my Father's world: he shines in all that's fair;  
in the rustling grass I hear him pass, he speaks to me everywhere.

3. This is my Father's world, O let me ne'er forget  
that though the wrong seems oft so strong, God is the Ruler yet.  
This is my Father's world: the battle is not done;  
Jesus who died shall be satisfied, and earth and heav'n be one.

## **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**

**ALL: O divine master, we acknowledge with thankful hearts that you have not been passive in dealing with us. You willingly emptied yourself for the sake of those that the Father entrusted to you. You have also generously given us your Holy Spirit to guide, to convict and to motivate our hearts to cheerful obedience. As we view your stewardship of creation and salvation, we openly admit that we fall short and have not heeded your instruction. So much of what you have given to us we have neglected, mismanaged or ignored. We have hoarded our time and been selfishly angry when others have changed our plans. We have spent our finances as we have relied on our own wisdom, rather than submitting to your commands by faith. Many of the abilities you have given to us we secretly claim as our own and seek to use those talents to impress others. In our honest moments we feel much like prodigal sons and daughters who have squandered the benefits you have provided and have begun to think that those gifts replace a dependent relationship on you. We need your loving embrace yet again. Come to us in this hour and show us who we are without you so that we can be thankful that we are forever yours in Christ. Have mercy on us and teach us again through your Word.**

**Song of Preparation: Before the Throne of God Above (See page 7.)**

**Sermon: "Contentment From Without"**

**Word: Matthew 6:25-34**

**Song of Response: You Shall Go Out With Joy (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: Like A River Glorious | 699**

1. Like a river glorious is God's perfect peace, over all victorious in its bright increase; perfect, yet it floweth fuller ev'ry day, perfect, yet it groweth deeper all the way.

Refrain: Stayed upon Jehovah, hearts are fully blest, finding, as he promised, perfect peace and rest.

2. Hidden in the hollow of his blessed hand, never foe can follow, never traitor stand; not a surge of worry, not a shade of care, not a blast of hurry, touch the spirit there.

[Refrain]

3. Ev'ry joy or trial falleth from above, traced upon our dial by the Sun of Love.

We may trust him fully all for us to do; they who trust him wholly find him wholly true.

[Refrain]

### **Benediction: Romans 15:13**

May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace in believing, so that by the power of the Holy Spirit you may abound in hope... *so that all the peoples will say...*

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

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### **Questions for Reflection: Matthew 6:25-34**

*Note: Scripture primarily addresses fear in two ways:*

#### Healthy Fear

- *fear of God or respect for God*
- *concern or caring for things that one ought to care for*

#### Unhealthy Fear

- *a lack of trust in God's ability to provide*

1. The immediate context of this passage is anxiety and fear due to the lack of material goods. How does the Spirit of contentment help with anxiety and fear?

2. Why are we told to look at the birds and consider the lilies?

3. Jesus makes a point to say that we are more valuable than the birds (vs. 26) and by extension lilies (vs. 30). What are we to infer from Jesus' statement here?

4. According to verse 33, why should we seek the kingdom of God first? What does it mean to seek the kingdom of God?

## Today at CVPC

The **Marr Growth Group** is in Overflow this week.

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

Saoirse Jones & Steve Rapiere | June 21

Will Westcott & Sydney Kennedy | June 22

Linga Feigl & James Chaplin | June 27

Anemone Hansen | June 28

Moriah Hansen | June 30

### Women's Summer Bible Study

**Opportunity:** The PCA is hosting a six-week denomination-wide study of the Lord's Prayer for women this summer. It officially began on June 10, although you may adjust the dates to fit your schedule.

It uses a study guide and free weekly online teaching videos. To learn more, check out the website:

<https://women.pcacdm.org/breathe/>

If you're interested in participating, please talk to Rachel Staven (423) 665-9679.

**Middle School Girls Movie Night:** Middle School girls are invited to a movie night on Friday, June 24 at 6pm at the Jones' home (46 Morse Drive, Flintstone, GA 30725).

Pizza will be provided.

**House to House Fellowship:** Everyone is encouraged to attend our House to House Fellowship Luncheon on Sunday, June 26, following the worship service. Sign-up in the church foyer or online.

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**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](http://cvpc.churchtrac.com).

# Coming Up at CVPC

	<b>Week of June 20-26</b>	<b>Week of June 27 - July 3</b>
<b>MONDAY</b>	4PM: Manse Reserved 5:30PM: Summer Piano	4PM: Manse Reserved 5:30PM: Summer Piano
<b>TUESDAY</b>		
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	5PM: Women's Evening Bible Study	5PM: Women's Evening Bible Study
<b>THURSDAY</b>		
<b>FRIDAY</b>		
<b>SATURDAY</b>	7AM: Men's Bible Study 10AM: Food Network	7AM: Men's Bible Study 10AM: Food Network
<b>SUNDAY</b>	10:30AM: Worship 12:00PM: House to House Fellowship	9:00AM: Joint SS: Songs & Stories 10:30AM: Worship
<b>Elder on Call</b>	Rob Chaplin robchaplin@chattvalleypca.com	
<b>Deacon On Call</b>	Josh Henry joshhenry@chattvalleypca.com	
<b>Overflow</b>	Finch	Chaplin/Staven/Wallick
<b>Greeters</b>	Murphy Family & Parham Family	Ragland Family
<b>Youth</b>	No Youth Group	Voyles Family Hosting Youth Group
<b>Nursery: SS</b>	No Sunday School	Jen Finch
<b>Nursery: Worship</b>	Pam Kennedy, Ethan Kennedy, & Emily Radmacher	Rachel Staven, Anna Staven, & Colby Finch

# BB 013 Before The Throne of God Above

V.Cook/arr. S.Finch  
F#m

D D G D D

1. Be - fore the throne of God a - bove, I have a strong and per - fect plea: a great High  
 2. When Sa - tan tempts me to des - pair, and tells me of the guilt with - in, up - ward I  
 3. Be - hold him there the ri - sen Lamb! My per - fect spot - less right - eous ness, the great un

6 G A Bm Bm/A G G/A D G

Priest whose name is Love, who ev - er lives and pleads for me. My name is grav - en on His  
 look and see him there, who made an end of all my sin. Be - cause the sin - less Sav - ior  
 change - a - ble I AM, the King of Glor - y and of Grace. One with Him - self, I can - not

11 D G D/F# G A Bm G D/F# A

hands. My name is writ - ten on His heart. I know that while in heav'n He  
 died my sin - ful soul is count - ed free. For God, the Just, is sat - is -  
 die; my soul is pur - chased by His blood. My life is hid with Christ on

15 Bm Bm/A Em/G G/A Bm D/A Em/G G/A D

stands, no tongue can bid me thence de - part; no tongue can bid me thence de - part.  
 fied to look on him and par - don me; to look on him and poar - don me.  
 high, with Christ, my Sav - ior and my God; with Christ, my Sav - ior and my God.

# BB 011 You Shall Go Out with Joy

Isaiah 55:12

S.Dauermann/arr. Staven/Finch

Em Em Em Em G

You shall go out with joy— and be led forth with peace.— The moun-tains and the

7 C Cmaj7 D B7 Em Em Em

hills will break forth be-fore you There'll be shouts of joy— and all the trees of the

13 Em G Am7 Em/B B7 Em Am/E Em G C G

fields will clap, will clap their hands!— And all the trees of the fields will

20 D D G/D D Em D G

clap their hands,— the trees of the fields will clap their hands,— the

26 G C G D D

trees of the fields will clap their hands,— while

30 G Am7 Em/B B7 Em Am/E

you go out with joy!—