



CHATTANOOGA VALLEY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Vision: To see lives transformed through following Jesus

Mission: Making disciples through worship, fellowship & service

Values: Worship, word, compassion & community

Order of Worship | September 25, 2022

Liturgist: Scott Kennedy | 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: Lord God, thank you for waking us up this morning with your new mercies and great faithfulness. Thank you for giving us breath, for the jobs you have provided and for the homes you have generously given us. Thank you for our church family in which we are loved and held accountable to your Word. Help us to dwell in the light as you are in the light. Enable us to embrace the truth by hearing your voice. Please be mindful of our weakness and equip us with your strength. We pray in the powerful name of Christ. Amen.

Welcome and Greeting

Meditation: John 14:1-7 | Reader: Elizabeth Dukes

Let not your hearts be troubled. Believe in God; believe also in me. In my Father's house are many rooms. If it were not so, would I have told you that I go to prepare a place for you? And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again and will take you to myself, that where I am you may be also. And you know the way to where I am going." Thomas said to him, "Lord, we do not know where you are going. How can we know the way?" Jesus said to him, "I am the way, and the truth, and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me. If you had known me, you would have known my Father also. From now on you do know him and have seen him."

Call to Worship: Psalm 1

L: Blessed is the man who walks not in the counsel of the wicked, nor stands in the way of sinners, nor sits in the seat of scoffers;

ALL: but his delight is in the law of the Lord, and on his law he meditates day and night.

L: He is like a tree planted by streams of water that yields its fruit in its season, and its leaf does not wither. In all that he does, he prospers.

ALL: The wicked are not so, but are like chaff that the wind drives away. Therefore the wicked will not stand in the judgment, nor sinners in the congregation of the righteous;

L: For the Lord knows the way of the righteous,

ALL: but the way of the wicked will perish.

L: This is the Word of the Lord!

ALL: Thanks be to God.

Hymn of Adoration: We Lift Up as a Shield God's Name | 104

1. All glory be to thee, Most High, to thee all adoration; in grace and truth thou drawest nigh to offer us salvation; thou showest thy good will to men, and peace shall reign on earth again; we praise thy Name forever.

2. We praise, we worship thee, we trust, and give thee thanks forever, O Father, for thy rule is just and wise, and changes never; thy hand almighty o'er us reigns, thou doest what thy will ordains; 'tis well for us thou rulest.

3. O Jesus Christ, our God and Lord, Son of the heav'nly Father, O thou who hast our peace restored, the straying sheep dost gather, thou Lamb of God, to thee on high out of the depths we sinners cry: have mercy on us, Jesus!

4. O Holy Spirit, precious gift, thou Comforter unfailing, from Satan's snares our souls uplift, and let thy pow'r, availing, avert our woes and calm our dread. For us the Savior's blood was shed; we trust in thee to save us.

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 Faith: The Westminster Larger Catechism

L: Question 143: Which is the ninth commandment?

ALL: The ninth commandment is, Thou shalt not bear false witness against thy neighbor.

L: Question 144: What are the duties required in the ninth commandment?

ALL: The duties required in the ninth commandment are, the preserving and promoting of truth between man and man, and the good name of our neighbor, as well as our own; appearing and standing for the truth; and from the heart, sincerely, freely, clearly, and fully, speaking the truth, and only the truth, in matters of judgment and justice, and in all other things whatsoever; a charitable esteem of our neighbors; loving, desiring, and rejoicing in their good name; sorrowing for and covering of their infirmities; freely acknowledging of their gifts and graces, defending their innocency; a ready receiving of a good report, and unwillingness to admit of an evil report, concerning them; discouraging talebearers, flatterers, and slanderers; love and care of our own good name, and defending it when need requireth; keeping of lawful promises; studying and practicing of whatsoever things are true, honest, lovely, and of good report.

Song of the Response: In the Fields of the Lord (See page 7.)

Sermon Series: “Ten Words to Live By: Ninth Commandment: A Lifestyle of Integrity”

Word: Psalm 15 and Exodus 20:16

Song of Response: On Jordan’s Stormy Banks I Stand (See page 8.)

Prayers of the People

Doxological Hymn: Of The Father’s Love Begotten (final stanza with amen)

5. Christ, to thee, with God the Father, and, O Holy Ghost, to thee hymn and chant and high thanksgiving and unending praises be, honor, glory, and dominion and eternal victory evermore and evermore. Amen.

Offertory Prayer, Offering, & Opportunities to Serve

Sending Hymn: My Hope is Built on Nothing Less | 521

1. My hope is built on nothing less than Jesus' blood and righteousness; I dare not trust the sweetest frame, but wholly lean on Jesus' name.

Refrain: On Christ, the solid rock, I stand; all other ground is sinking sand; all other ground is sinking sand.

2. When darkness veils his lovely face, I rest on his unchanging grace; in every high and stormy gale, my anchor holds within the veil. [Refrain]

3. His oath, his covenant, his blood, support me in the whelming flood; when all around my soul gives way, he then is all my hope and stay. [Refrain]

4. When he shall come with trumpet sound, O may I then in him be found; dressed in his righteousness alone, faultless to stand before the throne. [Refrain]

Benediction: Numbers 6:24-26

The Lord bless you and keep you; the Lord make his face to shine upon you and be gracious to you; the Lord lift up his countenance upon you and give you peace... so that all the peoples will say...

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

Questions for Reflection: Psalm 15

1. The calling of the ninth commandment (thou shall not lie) and Psalm 15 is to have a lifestyle of integrity before the Lord. What does the word integrity mean?

2. In Psalm 15:2-5, the Psalmist indicates several ways we often break the ninth commandment: What are they and how have you seen these displayed in our culture?

3. How does God's presence in our life (union with Christ) help us walk in integrity?

Today at CVPC

The **Finch Growth Group and Marr Growth Group** are in Overflow this week
Prayer Time following the worship service in the Morse Classroom.

Y'all Come Potluck Lunch following the worship service.

The **Youth Group** will meet at 5pm.

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

Allie Finch | September 25

Scott Kennedy | September 26

Anna Staven | September 27

Ken Austin & Ale Townes | October 1

Jon Abbott | October 2

Church Events Committee: Looking for a creative way to plug in to life at CVPC? Join the Church Events committee. We get to plan fun events for our church body like House to House Fellowship, the Graduation Luncheon, the Church Retreat, Coco and Carols, and we are excited to be back co-hosting Trunk or Treat with Chattanooga Valley Elementary. If helping plan and execute events like these sounds like something you would like to help with, see Karen Leavengood, committee chair for more information. We would love to have you as part of our group!

Trunk or Treat: We are partnering with CVE to feed the community during their Trunk or Treat event on **Thursday, October 27 from 5:30-7:30pm**. Below are donation and volunteer opportunities. Please sign-up to volunteer in the foyer. If you have questions, please contact Laura Dueitt.

- Candy donations
- Small chip bag donations
- Host a trunk
- Help setting-up
- Help serving and greeting our neighbors

Visitors, we invite you to connect with us!

Please visit our Congregational Church website for directory access and other helpful information at **cvpc.churchtrac.com**.

Coming Up at CVPC

	September 26 - October 2	October 3-October 9
Monday	3PM: Monday Music 4PM: Manse Reserved 7PM: Middle School Boys Bible Study	3PM: Monday Music 4PM: Manse Reserved 7PM: Middle School Girls Bible Study 7PM: Diaconate Meeting
Tuesday	6PM: CE Meeting	7PM: WLT Meeting
Wednesday	10AM: Women's Bible Study 5PM: Women's' Bible Study 5:30PM: Chaplin Growth Group 6PM: Voyles/Townes Growth Group 6PM: Louis Growth Group 6PM: Young Adult Fellowship Time	10AM: Women's Bible Study 5PM: Women's' Bible Study 5:30PM: Chaplin Growth Group 6PM: Voyles/Townes Growth Group 6PM: Louis Growth Group 6PM: Young Adult Fellowship Time
Thursday	6PM: Kennedy Growth Group	6PM: Kennedy Growth Group 6PM: Marr Growth Group 6PM: Trail Life
Friday		
Saturday	7AM: Men's Bible Study 5:30: Youth & St. Elmo Pres. Fellowship	7AM: Men's Bible Study 8AM: Serving Saints 10AM: Food Network
Sunday	9AM: Sunday School 10:30AM: Worship 12PM: Service Opportunities Luncheon 5PM: Youth Group 6:15PM: Pray For Me Campaign Meet & Greet	9AM: Sunday School 10:30AM: Worship 12PM: Y'all Come Dinner 5PM: Youth Group
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Overflow	Chaplin/S/W	Louis
Greeters	Brown Family	Bruce Family
Youth	Youth at Church	Youth at Church
Nursery: SS	Lucie Chaplin	Jemima Ragland
Nursery: Worship	Sydney Kennedy, Rachel Staven, & Anna Staven	Barb Michal, Krista Murphy, & Lexi Jones

BB 050 In the Fields of the LORD

arr. Finch/Staven

Am G/B C F G(sus4) G

1. In the fields_ of the LORD our work is rest. He is
 2. In the vine-yards of the LORD our work is light. He is
 3. In the gar - den of the LORD our work is sound. He is
 4. At the har - vest of the LORD the fields are white. He will

3 Am G/B C F G(sus4) G Am G/B C

mo-ving in our hands and feet to bless. In the fields_ of the LORD, in the
 tend-ing ev-'ry leaf and ev-'ry vine. In the vine-yards of the LORD, in the
 weav-ing ev-'ry thorn in - to a crown. In the gar - den of the LORD, in the
 wipe a-way the tears from ev-'ry eye. At the har - vest of the LORD, at the

With the violin...

Oooo_____

C/E F F G Am G/B C

fields_ of the LORD, in the fields_ of the LORD our work is rest. Hal-le-
 vine-yards of the LORD, in the vine-yards of the LORD our work is light.
 gar - den of the LORD, in the gar - den of the LORD our work is sound.
 har - vest of the LORD, at the har - vest of the LORD the fields are white.

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F Am F C/E Dm7 C F

lu - jah! Hal-le - lu - jah! Hal-le - lu - - jah! Final Refrain 2x

BB52 On Jordan's Stormy Banks I Stand

C. Miner/arr. Finch

E(add2) A(add2) E E

1. On Jor-dan's stor - my banks I stand, And cast a wish - ful
 2. All o'er those wide ex - ten - ded plains, Shines one e - ter - nal
 3. No chill ing winds nor pois onous breath, Can reach that health ful
 4. When shall I reach that hap - py place, And be for ev - er

5 B(sus4) B E(add2) A(add2) E E B(sus4) B

eye, To Canaan's fair and hap - py land. Where my po - sses sions
 day, There God, the Son for - ev - er reigns. And scat ters night a -
 shore. Nor sick ness, sor - row, pain and death, Are felt and feared no
 blessed When shall I see my Fa ther's face, And in his bos - om

9 1. E(add2) 2. E(add2) (Women) I am bound I am bound
 lie - - way. I am bound, I am bound, I am
 more. (Men)
 rest.

13 A B E (Women) I am bound
 bound for the pro mised land. I am bound, I am
 (Men)

16 B I am bound A B E E(add2) E(add2) E
 bound, I am bound for the pro-mised land.