



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 | October 2, 2022

Liturgist: Albert Leavengood | 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: King of king and Lord of Lords, we are here today because of your grace. Your mercy has extended to us by giving us breath, by providing us with food and shelter, by enabling us to have gainful employment. We praise you for your steadfast care for us and for not leaving us alone. We need you in this hour but not as much as we can even begin to imagine. Give us eyes of faith and broaden our sense of awe and wonder so that we may leave changed. We pray these things for the sake of Jesus. Amen.

Welcome and Greeting

Meditation: 1 Timothy 6:3-16 | Reader: Cassandra Jones

If anyone teaches a different doctrine and does not agree with the sound words of our Lord Jesus Christ and the teaching that accords with godliness, he is puffed up with conceit and understands nothing. He has an unhealthy craving for controversy and for quarrels about words, which produce envy, dissension, slander, evil suspicions, and constant friction among people who are depraved in mind and deprived of the truth, imagining that godliness is a means of gain. But godliness with contentment is great gain, for we brought nothing into the world, and we cannot take anything out of the world. But if we have food and clothing, with these we will be content. But those who desire to be rich fall into temptation, into a snare, into many senseless and harmful desires that plunge people into ruin and destruction. For the love of money is a root of all kinds of evils. It is through this craving that some have wandered away from the faith and pierced themselves with many pangs. But as for you, O man of God, flee these things. Pursue righteousness, godliness, faith, love,

steadfastness, gentleness. Fight the good fight of the faith. Take hold of the eternal life to which you were called and about which you made the good confession in the presence of many witnesses. I charge you in the presence of God, who gives life to all things, and of Christ Jesus, who in his testimony before Pontius Pilate made the good confession, to keep the commandment unstained and free from reproach until the appearing of our Lord Jesus Christ, which he will display at the proper time—he who is the blessed and only Sovereign, the King of kings and Lord of lords, who alone has immortality, who dwells in unapproachable light, whom no one has ever seen or can see. To him be honor and eternal dominion. Amen.

Call to Worship: Psalm 80:1-7

L: Give ear, O Shepherd of Israel, you who lead Joseph like a flock. You who are enthroned upon the cherubim, shine forth.

ALL: Before Ephraim and Benjamin and Manasseh, stir up your might and come to save us!

L: Restore us, O God; let your face shine, that we may be saved! O Lord God of hosts, how long will you be angry with your people's prayers?

ALL: You have fed them with the bread of tears and given them tears to drink in full measure.

L: You make us an object of contention for our neighbors, and our enemies laugh among themselves.

ALL: Restore us, O God of hosts; let your face shine, that we may be saved!

L: This is the Word of the Lord!

ALL: Thanks be to God.

Hymn of Adoration: O Father, You Are Sovereign | 75

1. O Father, you are sovereign in all the worlds you made; your mighty word was spoken and light and life obeyed. Your voice commands the seasons and bounds the ocean's shore, sets stars within their courses and stills the tempests' roar.

2. O Father, you are sovereign in all affairs of man; no pow'rs of death or darkness can thwart Your perfect plan. All chance and change transcending, supreme in time and space, you hold your trusting children secure in your embrace.

3. O Father, you are sovereign the Lord of human pain, transmuting earthly sorrows to gold of heav'nly gain. All evil over-ruling, as none but Conqueror could, your love pursues its purpose —our souls' eternal good.

Song continued on the next page.

4. O Father, you are sovereign! We see you dimly now, but soon before your triumph earth's every knee shall bow. With this glad hope before us our faith springs up anew: our sovereign Lord and Savior, we trust and worship you!

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 God and Father, we have found ourselves this past week discontented with your providence and wishing we had a different set of circumstances in which to live. Whether it be those we live with, those we work with or those with study alongside, you have generously blessed us in Christ Jesus. Our hearts and minds are prone to wander and we feel it deeply. We pray that you would forgive us of our selfish sins and cleanse us from our iniquities. Create a clean heart within us and renew the joy of our salvation so that we may walk in newness of life. We pray that your Holy Spirit would be pleased to empower us in grateful obedience.

Time of silent confession.

L: Christian, you have been forgiven in Christ Jesus. Your sins are no more because the penalty has been fully paid and you have been given the righteousness of your Savior. Praise God for his indescribable gift.

Song of the Response: The Power of the Cross (See page 7.)

Sermon Series: "Ten Words to Live By: Tenth Commandment: Covet the Right Things"

Word: Exodus 20:17

Song of Response: Days of Elijah (See page 8.)

Sacrament of Communion

Doxological Hymn: All Creatures of Our God and King | 115 (final stanza)

5. Let all things their Creator bless, and worship him in humbleness, O praise him, alleluia! Praise, praise the Father, praise the Son, and praise the Spirit, three in one. O praise him, O praise him, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

Offertory Prayer, Offering, & Opportunities to Serve

Sending Hymn: Father, I Know That All My Life is Portioned Out For Me | 559

1. Father, I know that all my life is portioned out for me; the changes that are sure to come, I do not fear to see: I ask thee for a present mind, intent on pleasing thee.
2. I would not have the restless will that hurries to and fro, seeking for some great thing to do, or secret thing to know; I would be treated as a child, and guided where I go.
3. I ask thee for the daily strength, to none that ask denied, a mind to blend with outward life, while keeping at thy side, content to fill a little space, if thou be glorified.
4. In service which thy will appoints there are no bonds for me; my secret heart is taught the truth that makes thy children free; a life of self-renouncing love is one of liberty.

Benediction: 1 Thessalonians 3:11-13

Now God himself and our Father, and our Lord Jesus Christ, direct our way unto you. And the Lord make you to increase and abound in love one toward another, and toward all men, even as we do toward you; to the end he may establish your heart unblameable in holiness before God, even our Father, at the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ with all his saints... so that all the peoples will say...

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

Questions for Reflection: Read Exodus 20:1-17

1. What does it mean to covet something (Read James 4:2, 1 John 2:15-17, and 1 Cor. 12:12 - 14:5 - the KJV uses the word covet in 1 Cor. 12:31)? Is coveting always a sin or are there things the Bible calls us to rightfully covet?
2. Compare and contrast the spirit of coveting found in 2 Kings 5:15-27 and the spirit of contentment found in Phil. 2:10-20. What is the main difference between the spirit of coveting and the spirit of contentment?

3. How does the first commandment inform how we should keep the tenth commandment? How does our union with Christ help us to find true contentment (cf. Gal. 2:20-21 and Phil. 2:10-20)?

Today at CVPC

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

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

The **Pray for Me Campaign Meet & Greet** will be in the Gym at 6:15pm.

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

Jon Abbott | October 2

Travis Wallick & David Murphy | October 3

Pam Kennedy | October 6

Hannah Dukes | October 9

Kid's Corner: In preparation for our Children's Lessons & Carols on Sunday, December 11, we will resume Kid's Corner on Sunday, October 16 to December 4 from 5-6pm in the Morse Classroom (no meetings on 11/20 and 11/27). Children K-5th Grade are welcomed and encouraged to participate.

Younger children may come if accompanied by a parent. If you have any questions, please contact Scott Finch.

New Women's Bible Study: Beginning October 8, Anemone Hansen will lead an eight-week study of *The Weight of Glory* by C.S. Lewis. All high school and college-aged women are invited. It will be held at the Hansen's house (5512 St. Elmo Ave.) from 7-9pm on Saturday evenings. Contact Anemone at (423)825-9984 or anemone.esther@gmail.com if you have any questions.

Service Opportunities Fellowship

Lunch: We encourage all new members, college students, and visiting families to attend a lunch immediately following the worship service on Sunday, October 23, to learn about ways to serve the body at CVPC. Please bring a dish to share.

Trunk or Treat: We are excited to partner 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. Contact Laura Dueitt with questions.

- Candy & chip bag donations
- Host a trunk
- Help with setting-up
- Help with serving and greeting

Coming Up at CVPC

	October 3-9	October 10-16
Monday	3PM: Monday Music 4PM: Manse Reserved 7PM: Middle School Girls Bible Study 7PM: Diaconate Meeting	3PM: Monday Music 4PM: Manse Reserved
Tuesday	7PM: WLT Meeting	
Wednesday	10AM: Women's Bible Study 5PM: Women's Bible Study 5:30PM: Chaplin GG 6PM: Voyles/Townes GG 6PM: Louis GG 6PM: Young Adult Fellowship Time	5PM: Women's Bible Study 5:30PM: Chaplin GG 6PM: Voyles/Townes GG 6PM: Young Adult Fellowship Time
Thursday	6PM: Kennedy GG 6PM: Marr GG 6PM: Trail Life	
Friday		
Saturday	7AM: Men's Bible Study 8AM: Serving Saints 10AM: Food Network 7PM: Women's Bible Study	7AM: Men's Bible Study 7PM: Women's Bible Study
Sunday	9AM: Sunday School 10:30AM: Worship 12PM: Y'all Come Dinner	9AM: Sunday School 10:30AM: Worship 5PM: Youth Group
Elder on Call	scottkennedy@chattvalleypca.com	
Deacon On Call	samtownes@chattvalleypca.com	
Overflow	Louis	Kennedy
Greeters	Bruce Family	Buchanan Family
Youth		Youth at Church
Nursery: SS	Jemima Ragland	Theresa Louis
Nursery: Worship	Barb Michal, Krista Murphy, & Lexi Jones	Ashley Townes, Tobin Smith, & Linda Schimpf

BB 004 The Power of the Cross

Keith Getty & Stuart Townend

Getty/Townend arr. Finch

Maestoso ♩ = 72

F/A G/B C C/E F G(sus4) G C(sus4) C(add2) C F/A G/B C C/G

Intro

1. Oh to see the dawn
2. Oh to see the pain
3. Now the day-light flees,
4. Oh to see my name

9 C G7/D C/E C F C/E Dm7 Fmaj7 G(sus4) G F/A G/B C C/G

of the dark - est day; Christ on the road to Cal - va - ry. Tried by sin - ful men,
 writ - ten on Your face Bear - ing the awe - some weight of sin. Ev' ry bit - ter thought,
 Now the ground be - neath Quakes as its Ma - ker bows his head. Cur - tain torn in two,
 writ - ten in the wounds, For through Your suf - f'ring I am free. Death is crushed to death,

Chorus & *Final Chorus

17 C(add2) G7/D C(add2)/E F C/E Fmaj7 G(sus4) G C/E F G/B

Torn and beat - en, then nailed to a cross of wood. This the pow'r of the
 ev' - ry e - vil deed Crown - ing Your blood stained brow. *This the pow'r of the
 dead are raised to life. "Fin - ished" the vic - t'ry cry.
 life is mine to live. Won'through Your self - less love!

25 C C/E F G/B C C/E F

cross: Christ be - came sin for us. Took the blame,
 cross: Son of God - slain for us. What a love,

32 D/F# G G/F C/E F G(sus4) G C(sus4) C(add2) C

— bore the wrath; We stand for - giv - en at the cross.
 — what a cost; We stand for - giv - en at the cross!

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!