CVPC

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 | July 9, 2023 Liturgist: Scott Kennedy | Sermon: Dennis Louis Worship Leader: Joe Staven

*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

Our Father, you have drawn us in today because of your goodness and love. Left alone to our own understanding, we would be destitute and rebellious. Yet you have chosen to make us your children through the sacrifice of your only begotten Son. Your Holy Spirit continues to urge our minds and hearts towards your throne and here we are to hear from you. Be pleased to grace us with your presence and help us to delight in you. We pray these things according to your will in the name of Jesus. Amen.

Welcome and Greeting

Meditation: Ephesians 1:3-10 | Reader: Karen Collins

Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has blessed us in Christ with every spiritual blessing in the heavenly places, even as he chose us in him before the foundation of the world, that we should be holy and blameless before him. In love he predestined us for adoption to himself as sons through Jesus Christ, according to the purpose of his will, to the praise of his glorious grace, with which he has blessed us in the Beloved. In him we have redemption through his blood, the forgiveness of our trespasses, according to the riches of his grace, which he lavished upon us, in all wisdom and insight making known to us the mystery of his will, according to his purpose, which he set forth in Christ as a plan for the fullness of time, to unite all things in him, things in heaven and things on earth.

^{*} Please stand as you are able.

*Call to Worship: Psalm 48:9-14

L: We have thought on your steadfast love, O God, in the midst of your temple.

ALL: As your name, O God, so your praise reaches to the ends of the earth. Your right hand is filled with righteousness.

L: Let Mount Zion be glad! Let the daughters of Judah rejoice because of your judgments!

ALL: Walk about Zion, go around her, number her towers, consider well her ramparts, go through her citadels, that you may tell the next generation that this is God, our God forever and ever. He will guide us forever.

L: This is the Word of the Lord!

ALL: Thanks be to God!

*Song of Adoration: Praise to the Lord, the Almighty | 53

- 1. Praise to the Lord, the Almighty, the King of creation! O my soul, praise him, for he is thy health and salvation! All ye who hear, now to his temple draw near, join me in glad adoration.
- 2. Praise to the Lord, who over all things so wondrously reigneth, shelters thee under his wings, yea, so gently sustaineth! Hast thou not seen how thy desires ever have been granted in what he ordaineth?
- 3. Praise to the Lord, who doth prosper thy work and defend thee! Surely his goodness and mercy here daily attend thee; ponder anew what the Almighty will do, if with his love he befriend thee.
- 4. Praise to the Lord, who with marvelous wisdom hath made thee, decked thee with health, and with loving hand guided and stayed thee. How oft in grief hath not he brought thee relief, spreading his wings to overshade thee!
- 5. Praise to the Lord! O let all that is in me adore him! All that hath life and breath, come now with praises before him! Let the amen sound from his people again; gladly forever we adore him.

Prayer of Adoration & The Lord's Prayer

All: 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 Members: Charity Chaney, Mark, Tina, & Jenna Rawlston.

*Song of Preparation: What the Lord Has Done in Me (See page 7.)

Sermon: "No Bondage" | Word: Romans 8:9-13

*Song of Response: You Shall Go Out With Joy (See page 8.)

Prayers of the People

*Doxological Hymn: Holy, Holy, Holy | 100 (final stanza with Amen)

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

Offertory Prayer, Offering, & Opportunities to Serve

*Sending Hymn: The Sands of Time Are Sinking | 546

- 1. The sands of time are sinking, the dawn of heaven breaks, the summer morn I've sighed for, the fair sweet morn awakes; dark, dark, hath been the midnight, but dayspring is at hand, and glory, glory dwelleth in Emmanuel's land.
- 2. The King there in his beauty without a veil is seen; it were a well-spent journey though seven deaths lay between: the Lamb with his fair army doth on Mount Zion stand, and glory, glory dwelleth in Emmanuel's land.
- 3. O Christ, he is the fountain, the deep sweet well of love! The streams on earth I've tasted more deep I'll drink above: there to an ocean fullness his mercy doth expand, and glory, glory dwelleth in Emmanuel's land.
- 4. The bride eyes not her garment, but her dear bridegroom's face; I will not gaze at glory, but on my King of grace; not at the crown he gifteth, but on his pierced hand: the Lamb is all the glory of Emmanuel's land.

*Benediction: Psalm 121:7-8

The Lord will keep you from all evil; he will keep your life. The Lord will keep your going out and your coming in from this time forth and forevermore... so that all the peoples will say...

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

Questions for Reflection: Read Romans	8
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- 1. How would you describe the Holy Spirit based on what we read in Romans 8?
- 2. According to Romans 8:9-13, what does the Holy Spirit do in the life of the believer?

3. Do you sense the Holy Spirit at work in your life or the life of those around you?

Today at CVPC

The **Louis Growth Group** is in Overflow this week. The Louis Growth Group will host **Youth Group** at 5:00 pm. **Y'all Come Potluck Lunch** immediately following worship.

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

Cassandra Jones and Paton Williams | July 9 Ken Heet | July 10

Welcome the Shaver's New Baby:

There is a basket in the foyer for cards and gifts to welcome the Shaver family into our church and support them with their first baby, Ruthena.

Walk Together: Women of all ages and paces are invited to walk together from 8:00-9:00 am at the Chattanooga Valley Baptist track on Wednesday mornings.

Upcoming Baby Shower: Women of the church are invited to a baby shower for Krista Murphy on <u>Saturday</u>, <u>July 22 at 10:00 am</u>.

Visitors, we invite you to connect with CVPC!

Scan this code with your phone's camera. Or visit the website at chattvalleypca.com.



Feel free to email the elder or deacon on duty or the church secretary at secretary@chattvalleypca.com.

Connect by texting Pastor Collins your name. His number is (601) 317-3041.

Upcoming at CVPC

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	July 9-15	July 16–22	
SUNDAY:	8:00 am Folk Band 9:00 am Songs and Stories 10:30 am Worship 12:00 pm Y'all Come Luncheon 5:00 pm Youth Group with Louis Growth Group	9:00 am Songs and Stories 10:30 am Worship 5:00 pm Youth Pickleball	
MONDAY:	3:00 pm Piano Studio 4:30 pm Manse Meeting 8:30 pm Session Meeting	3:00 pm Piano Studio 4:30 pm Manse Meeting	
TUESDAY:	7:00 pm WLT Meeting	6:00 pm Session Meeting	
WEDNESDAY	10:30 am Villa Way Event		
THURSDAY			
FRIDAY			
SATURDAY:	7:00 am Men's Bible Study 8:00 am Growth Group Meeting 9:00 am Joint Leaders Meeting	7:00 am Men's Bible Study 10:00 am Baby Shower for Krista Murphy 10:00 am Food Network	
Elder On Call	scottkennedy@chattvalleypca.com		
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Overflow	Louis Growth Group	Kennedy Growth Group	
Greeters	Moore Family	The Jones	
Youth Group	Louis Growth Group Host Youth	Youth Pickleball	
Nursery: Sunday School	Theresa Louis, Gerald Collins	Jemima Ragland, Kelli Voyles	
Nursery: Worship	Krista Murphy, Rachel and Anna Staven	Barb Michal, Charlotte Thomas, Lexi Jones	

BB 027 What The Lord Has Done In Me

R.Morgan/arr. Finch



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BB 011 You Shall Go Out with Joy











