



## 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 | November 5, 2023**

**Liturgist: Brad Voyles | Sermon: Roger Collins**

**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**

Lord, into your most holy presence we now come. Calm our anxious spirits. Remove the distractions that would keep us from seeing you with eyes of faith. Break down the walls of separation that we have built to keep you from softening our callous hearts. Lead us in joy and celebration of the only reality worth knowing, that you love us as we are. Free us from the cares of this world so that we will be able to obey joyfully. We submit to your claim and call on our lives this day and every day so that we become daily a sacrifice of praise. We pray in the peerless name of Christ. Amen.

#### **Welcome and Greeting**

#### **Meditation: 1 Samuel 3:6-10 | Cassandra Jones**

And the Lord called again, "Samuel!" and Samuel arose and went to Eli and said, "Here I am, for you called me." But he said, "I did not call, my son; lie down again." Now Samuel did not yet know the Lord, and the word of the Lord had not yet been revealed to him. And the Lord called Samuel again the third time. And he arose and went to Eli and said, "Here I am, for you called me." Then Eli perceived that the Lord was calling the boy. Therefore Eli said to Samuel, "Go, lie down, and if he calls you, you shall say, 'Speak, Lord, for your servant hears.'" So Samuel went and lay down in his place. And the Lord came and stood, calling as at other times, "Samuel! Samuel!" And Samuel said, "Speak, for your servant hears."

*\* Please stand as you are able.*

**\*Call to Worship: Psalm 106:1-5**

L: Praise the Lord! Oh give thanks to the Lord, for he is good, for his steadfast love endures forever!

**ALL: Who can utter the mighty deeds of the Lord, or declare all his praise? Blessed are they who observe justice, who do righteousness at all times!**

L: Remember me, O Lord, when you show favor to your people;

**ALL: Help me when you save them, that I may look upon the prosperity of your chosen ones, that I may rejoice in the gladness of your nation, that I may glory with your inheritance.**

L: This is the Word of the Lord!

**ALL: Thanks be to God!**

**\*Song of Adoration: Arise, My Soul, Arise | 305**

1 Arise, my soul, arise, shake off your guilty fears: the bleeding Sacrifice in my behalf appears: before the throne my Surety stands, before the throne my Surety stands, my name is written on his hands.

2 He ever lives above, for me to intercede, his all-redeeming love, his precious blood to plead; his blood atoned for every race, his blood atoned for every race, and sprinkles now the throne of grace.

3 Five bleeding wounds he bears, received on Calvary; they pour effectual prayers, they strongly plead for me. "Forgive him, O forgive," they cry, "Forgive him, O forgive," they cry, "nor let that ransomed sinner die!"

4 My God is reconciled; his pardoning voice I hear; he owns me for his child, I can no longer fear; with confidence I now draw nigh, with confidence I now draw nigh, and "Father, Abba, Father!" cry.

**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.**

## **Confession of Sin & Assurance of Grace:**

**ALL:** Gracious God, we confess that we have longed too much for the comforts of this world. We have loved the gifts more than the giver. In your mercy, help us to see that all the things we pine for are shadows, but you are substance; that they are quicksands, but you are mountain; that they are shifting, but you are anchor. We plead your forgiveness on the merits of Jesus Christ. Accept his worthiness for our unworthiness, his sinlessness for our transgressions, his fullness for our emptiness, his glory for our shame, his righteousness for our dead works, his death for our life. We pray in Jesus' name. Amen.

*(Time of silent confession)*

L: Behold, the eye of the Lord is on those who fear him, on those who hope in his steadfast love, that he may deliver their souls from death and keep them alive in famine. Our soul waits for the Lord; he is our help and our shield. For our heart is glad in him, because we trust in his holy name. Let your steadfast love, O Lord, be upon us, even as we hope in you.

**\*Song of the Month: Only a Holy God (See page 7.)**

**Series Title: The Believing Church in an Unbelieving World**

"To Know the Love of Christ" | Ephesians 3:14-21

**\*Song of Response: Lord, You are Good! (See page 8.)**

## **Sacrament of Communion**

**\*Doxological Hymn: Arise, O God, and Shine | 442 (final stanza with Amen)**

4. To God, the only wise, the one immortal King, let hallelujahs rise from every living thing: let all that breathe, on every coast, praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost, praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen!

## **Offertory Prayer, Offering, and Opportunities to Serve**

**\*Sending Hymn: Fairest Lord Jesus | 170**

1. Fairest Lord Jesus, Ruler of all nature, Son of God and Son of Man! Thee will I cherish, thee will I honor, thou, my soul's glory, joy, and crown.

2. Fair are the meadows, fair are the woodlands, robed in the blooming garb of spring: Jesus is fairer, Jesus is purer, who makes the woeful heart to sing.

3. Fair is the sunshine, fair is the moonlight, and all the twinkling, starry host: Jesus shines brighter, Jesus shines purer than all the angels heaven can boast.

4. Beautiful Savior! Lord of the nations! Son of God and Son of Man! Glory and honor, praise, adoration, now and forevermore be thine.

**\*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 people will say...*

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

---

**Questions for Reflection: Ephesians 3.14-21**

1. How do you usually pray for one another?

2. When you pray for the spiritual life of others, what do you ask?

3. What gives you confidence when you pray for Christ's church?

## **Today at CVPC**

The **Finch and Marr Growth Groups** are in Overflow  
The **Youth Group** meets tonight from 5:00-7:00 pm.  
**Kid's Corner** tonight from 5:00-6:00 pm.

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

Albert Leavengood | November 5

Dan Davis | November 10

Lynda Henry | November 11

**Serving Saints:** Come be the hands and feet of the church on November 11 at 8:30 am. Please meet at the church.

**Radmacher Baby Shower:** Ladies, come celebrate the Radmacher's coming baby on November 11 at 10:00 am. They are registered on Amazon.

**Thanksgiving House to House:** Join us Sunday, November 19 following the worship service for a time of gathering in homes. Sign up in the foyer or online. See Karen Leavengood with any questions.

**Prayer Time:** join us for a time of prayer immediately following the service on Sunday, November 12 in the Manse.

**Villa Way Thanksgiving:** Help provide our friends at Villa Way with a Thanksgiving Dinner on November 20 from 1-3 pm at the Villa Way Pavillon. Please sign up in the foyer to help provide food. Contact Barb Michal or Alice Sikkema with questions.

**Advent Breakfasts:** Join us Sunday mornings at 9:00 am in December in lieu of Sunday school for our annual Advent Breakfasts.

**Thank you from the Pastors:** Pastor Dennis and Pastor Roger would like to thank everyone for his care and appreciation to them through the cards of encouragement and the gifts given during the month of October.

**Venmo:** You are welcome to tithe on Venmo **@CVPC\_1**.

---

**Visitors, we welcome you to CVPC!**

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



Visit the website at [chattvalleypca.com](http://chattvalleypca.com).

To get on the church email list, contact Emily: [secretary@chattvalleypca.com](mailto:secretary@chattvalleypca.com).

## Upcoming at CVPC

	<b>November 5-11</b>	<b>November 12-18</b>
<b>SUNDAY:</b>	9:00 am   Sunday School 10:30 am   Worship 4:00 pm   Missions Meeting 5:00 pm   Youth Group 5:00 pm   Kid's Corner	9:00 am   Last Sunday School 10:30 am   Worship 12:00 pm   Prayer Time 12:00 pm   Y'all Come Lunch 5:00 pm   Youth Group 5:00 pm   Kid's Corner
<b>MONDAY:</b>	10:00 am   Mom's Group 4:30 pm   Manse Reserved 5:30 pm   Monday Night Music 8:00 pm   Diaconate Meeting 8:30 pm   Session Checkpoint	4:30 pm   Manse Reserved 5:30 pm   Monday Night Music
<b>TUESDAY:</b>	7:00 pm   WLT Meeting	6:30 pm   Staff Meeting
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>		
<b>THURSDAY</b>		
<b>FRIDAY</b>		
<b>SATURDAY:</b>	7:00 am   Men's Bible Study 8:30 am   Serving Saints 10:00 am   Baby Shower 10:00 am   Food Network Meeting	7:00 am   Men's Bible Study 10:00 am   Food Network Meeting
<b>Elder On Call</b>	BradVoyles@chattvalleypca.com	
<b>Deacon On Call</b>	SamTownes@chattvalleypca.com	
<b>Overflow</b>	Finch & Marr Growth Group	Chaplin Growth Group
<b>Youth Group</b>	Youth Group in the Gym	Youth Group in the Gym
<b>Nursery:</b> <b>Sunday School</b>	Jen Finch, Gerald Collins	Lucie Chaplin, Kelli Voyles
<b>Nursery:</b> <b>Worship</b>	Paula Lynch, Lauren Williamson, Amy Brown, Daniel Dukes	Rob Chaplin, Karen Leavengood, Kathryn Leavengood, Elizabeth Dukes

# BB60 Only a Holy God

♩ = 148 No Refrain after Stanza 1  
Final Refrain 2x

Farren, Robinson, Smith, Thompson/arr. Finch

Bm D G D Bm D

1. Who else com mands all the hosts of hea-ven? Who else could make ev-'ry  
2. What oth - er beau - ty de - mands such prai - ses? What oth - er splen - dor out  
3. What oth - er glo - ry con - sumes like fire? — What oth - er pow - er can  
4. Who else could res - cue me from my fail - ings? Who else would of - fer his

5 G D Bm D G D G A

king bow down? Who else can whis - per and dark - ness trem - bles? *On - ly a Ho - ly*  
shines the sun? What oth - er maj - es - ty rules with jus - tice?  
raise the dead? What oth - er name re - mains un - de - feat - ed?  
on - ly Son? Who else in - vites me to call Him Fa - ther?

11 D(add2) D Bm G D A Bm G

God! Come and be - hold Him, the One and the On - ly. Cry out, sing Ho - ly, for -

19 D A/C# Bm G A

ev - er a Ho - ly — God. Come and wor - ship the Ho - ly

22 Bm G A Bm/D

God. Come and wor - ship our Ho - ly God.

# BB56 LORD, You Are Good!

Intro and Turn Around: First Four Bars 2x

I.Houghton/arr. Finch

F C/F Eb/F Bb/F

Lord, You are good and Your mer-cy\_ en-dur eth\_ for - ev - er.

5 F C/F Eb/F Bb/F

Lord, You are good and Your mer-cy\_ en-dur- eth\_ for - ev - er.

9 Bb C/Bb Bbm7 Eb/Bb

Peo ple from ev-er - y na tion and tongue, from gen-er-a- tion to gen er - a-tion. We

13 F F/A C7 Eb(add2) Bb(add2) F F/A

wor - ship You!\_ Hal-le-lu - jah! Hal - le-lu - jah! We wor - ship You!

18 C Eb 1. Bb(add2)

— for who You are. — 'cause You are\_ good\_

22 2. Bb(add2) Fm7

4 times to end 'cause You are\_ good\_ all the time!\_

24 Bbm7 Fm7 Bb(add2)

— All the time\_ You are\_ good\_