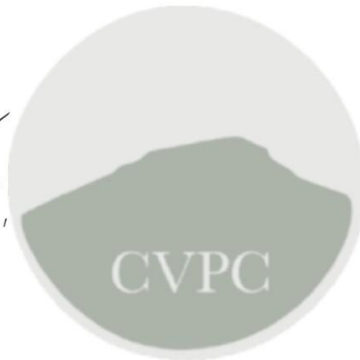


Vision

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

February 6, 2022

Liturgist: Brad Voyles | Sermon: Rev. Dennis Louis

Worship Leader: Scott Finch

Meditation: Psalm 118:1-18 | Reader: Colby Finch

Oh give thanks to the Lord, for he is good; for his steadfast love endures forever! Let Israel say, "His steadfast love endures forever." Let the house of Aaron say, "His steadfast love endures forever." Let those who fear the Lord say, "His steadfast love endures forever." Out of my distress I called on the Lord; the Lord answered me and set me free. The Lord is on my side; I will not fear. What can man do to me? The Lord is on my side as my helper; I shall look in triumph on those who hate me. It is better to take refuge in the Lord than to trust in man. It is better to take refuge in the Lord than to trust in princes. All nations surrounded me; in the name of the Lord I cut them off! They surrounded me, surrounded me on every side; in the name of the Lord I cut them off! They surrounded me like bees; they went out like a fire among thorns; in the name of the Lord I cut them off! I was pushed hard, so that I was falling, but the Lord helped me. The Lord is my strength and my song; he has become my salvation. Glad songs of salvation are in the tents of the righteous: "The right hand of the Lord does valiantly, the right hand of the Lord exalts, the right hand of the Lord does valiantly!" I shall not die, but I shall live, and recount the deeds of the Lord. The Lord has disciplined me severely, but he has not given me over to death.

Call to Worship: Psalm 118:19-29

L: Open to me the gates of righteousness, that I may enter through them and give thanks to the Lord. This is the gate of the Lord; the righteous shall enter through it.

ALL: I thank you that you have answered me and have become my salvation. The stone that the builders rejected has become the cornerstone. This is the Lord's doing; it is marvelous in our eyes.

L: This is the day that the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad in it. Save us, we pray, O Lord! O Lord, we pray, give us success!

ALL: Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord! We bless you from the house of the Lord. The Lord is God, and he has made his light to shine upon us.

L: Bind the festal sacrifice with cords, up to the horns of the altar! You are my God, and I will give thanks to you; you are my God; I will extol you.

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

L: This is the Word of the LORD!

ALL: Thanks be to God.

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

1. We lift up as our shield God's name, the strong name of the Trinity, by invocation of the same: the Three in One and One in Three, our Rock and Tower, God of Light, Eternal Father, Spirit, Word; we claim the name of grace and might: salvation is of Christ the Lord.

2. Immanuel, incarnate Lord, from Mary's womb was given breath, was baptized at the Jordan's ford, and gave his life to conquer death. He rose triumphant from the tomb, was lifted to the Father's throne to come on God's dread day of doom and bring salvation for his own.

3. By faith we claim his grace today: the pow'r of God to hold and lead, his eye to watch, his might to stay, his ear to hearken to our need; the wisdom of our God to teach, his hand to guide, his shield to ward, the word of God to give us speech, his heav'nly host to be our guard.

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

Public Reception of Members

Charlie & Amy Brown, Isaac Grady, Avery & Emily Radmacher, and Thad and Ale Townes

Song of Preparation: Lord Have Mercy (see back page)

Sermon: "A Thankful Spirit"

Word: Colossians 1:3-12

Song of the Month: Hallelujah, Praise Jehovah | 110

1. Hallelujah, praise Jehovah, from the heavens praise his name;
praise Jehovah in the highest, all his angels, praise proclaim.
All his hosts, together praise him, sun and moon and stars on high;
praise him, O ye heavens of heavens, and you floods above the sky.

Refrain: Let them praises give Jehovah, for his name alone is high,
and his glory is exalted, and his glory is exalted,
and his glory is exalted, far above the earth and sky.

2. Let them praises give Jehovah, they were made at his command;
them forever he established, his decree shall ever stand.
From the earth, O praise Jehovah, all you seas, you monsters all,
fire and hail and snow and vapors, stormy winds that hear his call. [Refrain]

3. All you fruitful trees and cedars, all you hills and mountains high;
creeping things and beasts and cattle, birds that in the heavens fly,
kings of earth, and all you people, princes great, earth's judges all;
praise his name, young men and maidens, aged men, and children small. [Refrain]

Prayers of the People

Doxological Hymn: Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow | 731

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise him all creatures here below;
praise him above, ye heav'nly hosts; praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen!

Offertory Prayer, Offering, & Opportunities to Serve

The Sending Hymn: Take Time to Be Holy | 537

1. Take time to be holy, speak oft with thy Lord;
abide in him always, and feed on his Word.
Make friends of God's children; help those who are weak;
forgetting in nothing his blessing to seek.
2. Take time to be holy, the world rushes on;
spend much time in secret with Jesus alone.
By looking to Jesus, like him thou shalt be;
thy friends in thy conduct his likeness shall see.
3. Take time to be holy, let him be thy guide,
and run not before him, whatever betide;
in joy or in sorrow, still follow thy Lord,
and, looking to Jesus, still trust in his Word.
4. Take time to be holy, be calm in thy soul;
each thought and each motive beneath his control;
thus led by his Spirit to fountains of love,
thou soon shalt be fitted for service above.

Benediction: Numbers 6:24-27

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: Colossians 1:1-14

1. Read Col. 1:3; 11-12; 2:6-7; 3:15-17; 4:2-6. What do these passages communicate about cultivating a heart of thanksgiving?
2. In Col. 1:3-14, list all the things Paul was thankful for when he heard Ephapras' report about in the church of Colossae? How should this shape our understanding of what we give thanks for?
3. Paul wrote the book of Colossians while in a Roman prison. What does this fact tell us about cultivating a heart of thanksgiving?
4. Describe the relationship between prayer and thanksgiving in this passage? Are your prayers filled with thanksgiving? If not, why do you think that is the case?
5. For the next week, commit to giving thanks to God for at least three things every day. If you can, journal or take a mental note of your experience doing this. Have you noticed a significant change in your mindset?
6. When Christians have a spirit of thankfulness, what does this communicate about God? Read Psalm 136 for context.

Today at CVPC

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

Youth Superbowl Party from 6-8pm. Please bring a snack to share.

Announcements

Y'all Come: The Townes/Finch families would like to welcome you for a time of food and fellowship after the morning service on 2nd and 4th Sundays beginning in February. The meal is welcome to anyone and it will always be "y'all come as you're able." We ask that you bring a side to share, and if you forget, please come anyway. We will gather in the gym.

Youth Babysitting: The Youth will offer another fundraiser opportunity. You are welcome to drop off your children at the church on Saturday, February 19 between 5-8pm. Please leave a donation toward youth camp expenses.

House to House Fellowship: Everyone is encouraged to attend our first House to House Fellowship Luncheon of the year on Sunday, February 20 following the worship service. Sign-up in the church foyer or online.

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

Jennie Williams | Feb 14
Rachel Staven | Feb 15
Levi Wallick | Feb 17
Candace Parham | Feb 23
Daniel Dukes | Feb 23
Chad Dukes | Feb 25
Steve Topping | Feb 27
Isabel Kennedy | Feb 27
Katherine Pool | Feb 28

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Coming Up at CVPC

	Week of February 14-20	Week of February 21-27
MONDAY	3:30PM: Monday Music 4PM: Manse Reserved	3:30PM: Monday Music 4PM: Manse Reserved
TUESDAY	6PM: Session Meeting	
WEDNESDAY	10AM: Women's Bible Study 5:30PM: Chaplin Growth Group 6PM: Women's Evening Bible Study 6PM: Louis Growth Group 6PM: Voyles/Townes Growth Group	10AM: Women's Bible Study 5:30PM: Chaplin Growth Group 6PM: Women's Evening Bible Study 6PM: Louis Growth Group 6PM: Voyles/Townes Growth Group
THURSDAY	6PM: Kennedy Growth Group	6PM: Kennedy Growth Group 6PM: Marr Growth Group 6PM: Trail Life
FRIDAY		
SATURDAY	7AM: Men's Bible Study 12PM: Manse Reserved 5PM: Youth Babysitting Fundraiser	7AM: Men's Bible Study 10AM: Food Network
SUNDAY	No Sunday School (H2H) 10:30AM: Worship 12PM: House to House Fellowship No Youth Group (H2H)	9 AM: Sunday School 10:30AM: Worship 12PM: Y'all Come Lunch 5PM: Youth Group 5PM: Leavengood Growth Group
Elder on Call	Brad Voyles bradvoyles@chattvalleypca.com	
Deacon On Call	Bobby Dueitt bobbydueitt@chattvalleypca.com	
Overflow	Kennedy	Leavengood/Collins
Greeters	Collins Family	Davis Family; Duble Family
Youth	No Youth (Winter Break)	Youth at Church
Nursery: SS		Jemima Ragland
Nursery: Worship	Joe Moore, Leah Smith, & Sydney Ibach	David Marr, Jessica Hansen, & Robin Hansen

BB 015 Lord Have Mercy

Kyrie Eleison, Christe Eleison, Kyrie Eleison

S.Merkel

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Introduction & Interlude

1. Je - sus, I've for - got - ten all the Words that You_ have spo - ken
 2. I have built an al - tar where I wor - ship things of man;_
 3. I have longed to know You and love all Your ten - der mer - cies

Prom - is - es that burned with - in my heart_ have now grown dim; With a
 I have tak - en jour - neys that have drawn_ me far from You; So_
 as a riv - er flow - ing with for - give - ness with - out end; So I

doubt - ing heart I fol - low in the paths of earth - ly wis - dom;
 now I am_ re - turn - ing to Your mer - cies ev - er flow - ing;
 bow my heart be - fore_ You in the good - ness of_ Your pres - ence,

For - give me for my un - be - lief, and re - new the fire a - gain._____
 Please, par - don my trans - gres - sions, help me love Your Name a - gain._____
 Your grace for - ev - er shin - ing like a bea - con in_ the night._____

Lord have mer - cy; Christ have mer - cy; Lord have mer - cy; on me;_____

Lord have mer - cy; Christ have mer - cy; Lord have mer - cy; on_ me_____