



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 | February 4, 2024

Liturgist: Albert Leavengood | Sermon: 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**

Our Father, we are here because of your goodness to us in Christ Jesus. You have not only preserved our lives this past week but have been overwhelmingly generous by inviting us to your table not just as guests but as children who have been made worthy by the blood of the Lamb. We gather to give you praise, to offer petitions for others and yourselves, and to remember especially our identity in Christ. Draw us in the Spirit's tether so that we may know and love you more fully. We pray in Jesus' name. Amen.

Welcome and Greeting

Meditation: Revelation 7:9-14 | Reader: Melvin Hamdani

After this I looked, and behold, a great multitude that no one could number, from every nation, from all tribes and peoples and languages, standing before the throne and before the Lamb, clothed in white robes, with palm branches in their hands, and crying out with a loud voice, "Salvation belongs to our God who sits on the throne, and to the Lamb!" And all the angels were standing around the throne and around the elders and the four living creatures, and they fell on their faces before the throne and worshiped God, saying, "Amen! Blessing and glory and wisdom and thanksgiving and honor and power and might be to our God forever and ever! Amen." Then one of the elders addressed me, saying, "Who are these, clothed in white robes, and from where have they come?" I said to him, "Sir, you know." And he said to me, "These are the ones

coming out of the great tribulation. They have washed their robes and made them white in the blood of the Lamb.

***Call to Worship: Psalm 90:1-4; 12-17**

L: Lord, you have been our dwelling place in all generations. Before the mountains were brought forth, or ever you had formed the earth and the world, from everlasting to everlasting you are God.

ALL: You return man to dust and say, "Return, O children of man!" For a thousand years in your sight are but as yesterday when it is past, or as a watch in the night. So teach us to number our days so that we may get a heart of wisdom.

L: Return, O Lord! How long? Have pity on your servants! Satisfy us in the morning with your steadfast love, that we may rejoice and be glad all our days.

ALL: Make us glad for as many days as you have afflicted us, and for as many years as we have seen evil. Let your work be shown to your servants, and your glorious power to their children.

L: Let the favor of the Lord our God be upon us, and establish the work of our hands upon us;

ALL: Yes, establish the work of our hands!

L: This is the Word of the Lord!

ALL: Thanks be to God!

***Song of Adoration: Be Thou My Vision | 642**

1. Be thou my vision, O Lord of my heart; naught be all else to me, save that thou art thou my best thought by day or by night, waking or sleeping, thy presence my light.

2. Be thou my wisdom, and thou my true word; I ever with thee and thou with me, Lord; thou my great Father, I thy true son; thou in me dwelling, and I with thee one.

3. Be thou my battle shield, sword for my fight; be thou my dignity, thou my delight, thou my soul's shelter, thou my high tower: raise thou me heavenward, O power of my power.

4. Riches I heed not, nor man's empty praise, thou mine inheritance, now and always: thou and thou only first in my heart, High King of heaven, my treasure thou art.

5. High King of heaven, my victory won, may I reach heaven's joys, O bright heaven's sun! Heart of my own heart, whatever befall, still be my vision, O Ruler of all.

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, you have been our help in ages past, and we are gathered here because of your great faithfulness. Our hearts and minds have been weighed down by the sin that our world celebrates. When we see ourselves soberly, we realize the rebellion that still lives within us. We are most vulnerable to temptation when we are tired. Whether it is our irritability or our complaining or gossip, we confess that our need of Jesus' cleansing blood and the renewing power of your Holy Spirit. Lord have mercy. Christ, have mercy. Lord have mercy.

A time of silent confession.

L: Sing aloud, O daughter of Zion; shout, O Israel! Rejoice and exult with all your heart, O daughter of Jerusalem! The Lord has taken away the judgments against you; he has cleared away your enemies. The King of Israel, the Lord, is in your midst; you shall never again fear evil. On that day, it shall be said to Jerusalem: "Fear not, O Zion; let not your hands grow weak. The Lord your God is in your midst, a mighty one who will save; he will rejoice over you with gladness; he will quiet you by his love; he will exult over you with loud singing.

***Song of the Month: Complete in Thee (See page 7.)**

Sermon: "Walk in Love" | Ephesians 5:1-14

***Song of Response: King of Kings – Three in One (See page 8.)**

Sacrament of Communion

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

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, & Opportunities to Serve

***Sending Hymn: My Jesus, I Love Thee | 648**

1. My Jesus, I love thee, I know thou art mine; for thee all the follies of sin I resign. My gracious Redeemer, my Savior art thou; if ever I loved thee, my Jesus, 'tis now.

Song Continued on the next page.

2. I love thee because thou hast first loved me, and purchased my pardon on Calvary's tree. I love thee for wearing the thorns on thy brow; if ever I loved thee, my Jesus, 'tis now.

3. I'll love thee in life, I will love thee in death; and praise thee as long as thou lendest me breath; and say, when the death dew lies cold on my brow: if ever I loved thee, my Jesus, 'tis now.

4. In mansions of glory and endless delight, I'll ever adore thee in heaven so bright; I'll sing with the glittering crown on my brow: if ever I loved thee, my Jesus, 'tis now.

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. Amen ... so that all the peoples will say..

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

Question for Reflection: Ephesians 5:1-14

1. According to the Apostle Paul, we were born to imitate God (vs. 1). In what ways can we imitate God, and in what ways are we not able to imitate God? In what way does Ephesians 5:1-14 call us to imitate God (cf. Matt. 5:48)?

2. Why does Paul single out sexual sin, covetousness, and sins of speech specifically? What does Paul mean when he says those who practice these sins, "has no inheritance in the kingdom of Christ and God?"

3. The Apostle Paul wants us to "expose" these sins of the flesh. How do we go about exposing our sin and the sins of others in a redemptive way? What role does exercising wisdom play in exposing sin?

Today at CVPC

The **Voyles/Townes Growth Group** is in Overflow.
The **Youth Group** will meet tonight at 5pm.

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

Lexi Jones | February 9
Megan Westcott | February 10

Youth Fundraising Night: Join us this Saturday, February 10, at 5:30pm as we enjoy a night of fun and fellowship to raise money for camp this year. There will be a Chili Cook-off, Silent Auction, and Talent or Not Show. Check your email for sign-up links.

Youth Group & Super Bowl Party: The Youth Group will meet at 5:30pm on Sunday, February 11, for their regular weekly Bible study, followed by a Super Bowl viewing party until halftime. Please bring a snack to share!

House-to-House Fellowship: Join us for House-to-House Fellowship on Sunday, February 18, following morning worship. Sign up in the foyer. If you have questions, contact Karen Leavengood.

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.

To get on the church email list, contact the church secretary:
secretary@chattvalleypca.com.

Upcoming Events at CVPC

	February 4-10	February 11-17
SUNDAY:	9:00am Sunday School 10:30am Worship 4:00pm Missions Meeting 5:00pm Youth Group	9:00am Sunday School 10:30am Worship 12:00pm Y'all Come Potluck 5:30pm Youth Group & Super Bowl Party
MONDAY:	10:00am Mom's Group 4:30pm Manse Reserved 5:30pm Monday Night Music 8:00pm Diaconate Meeting	10:00am Mom's Group 4:30pm Manse Reserved 5:30pm Monday Night Music 5:30pm Hospitality Committee Meeting
TUESDAY:	7:00pm WLT Meeting	
WEDNESDAY	10:00am Women's Bible Study 5:00pm Women's Bible Study	10:00am Women's Bible Study 5:00pm Women's Bible Study
THURSDAY		
FRIDAY	7:00pm Church Gym Reserved	
SATURDAY:	7:00am Men's Bible Study 8:30am Serving Saints 5:30pm Youth Fundraising Night	7:00am Men's Bible Study
Elder On Call	albertleavengood@chattvalleypca.com	
Deacon On Call	garethjones@chattvalleypca.com	
Greeters	Vickie Granberry George Granberry Shari Collins Grady Collins	Vickie Granberry Elyse Carrillo Ashley Wallick Hattie Wallick
Ushers	Sam Townes & Lou Schimpf	Sam Townes & Jason Hill

Overflow	Voyles/Townes	Finch /Marr
Youth Group	Youth Group in the Gym	Youth Group in the Gym
Nursery: Sunday School	Lynda Henry, Kelli Voyles	Theresa Louis, Lucie Chaplin
Nursery: Worship	Rachel Staven, Anna Staven, Joli Moore, Daniel Dukes	Yvette Carrillo, Talia Carrillo, Jessica Hansen, Robin Hansen

BB62 Complete in Thee

Wolfe/Gray

Nyce/arr. Finch

♩ = 72

D(add2) A(add2) Bm⁷

1. Com - plete in Thee! No work of mine could take, dear Lord, the place of
 2. Com - plete in Thee, each need sup - plied, and no good thing to me de -
 3. Com - plete in Thee; no more shall sin, which Thou has con - quered, reign with -
 4. Dear Sav - ior when, be - fore Thy bar, all tribes and tongues as - sem - bled

4 G(add2) D(add2) A(sus4) D/F# G(add2) A(sus4) D(add2)

Thine. Thy blood hath par - don bought for me, and I shall stand com - plete in Thee! *Yea, just - ti*
 nied; since Thou my por - tion, Lord, will be, I ask no more; com - plete in Thee!
 in. Thy blood shall bid the tempt - er flee, and I shall stand, com - plete in Thee!
 are, a - mong the cho - sen I shall be, at Thy right hand, com - plete in Thee!

9 D(add2) A Bm⁷ G

fied! O bless - ed thought! And sanc - ti - fied, sal - va - tion wrought! Thy blood hath

13 D A(sus4) D/F# G A(sus4) D(add2) D

par - don bought for me, and glo - ri - fied I too shall be! _____

BB58 King of Kings--Three in One

No refrain between stanzas 1 & 2; 3 & 4

Ligertwood & Ingram/arr.Finch

♩ = 68

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1. In the dark - ness we were wait - ing with - out hope
 2. To re - veal the king - dom com - ing and to rec -
 3. And the morn - ing that you rose, all of heav -
 4. And the church of Christ; She soared when the Spir



— and with - out light. 'Till from heav - en you came run - ning there was mer -
 - on cile the lost, to re deem the whole cre - a - tion you did not
 - en held its breath 'Till that stone was moved for good for the Lamb
 - it lit the flame. Now this Gos - pel truth of old shall not kneel



- cy in your eyes. To ful - fill the law and pro - phets to a vir -
 — de spise the cross. For ev - en in your suf - f'ring, you saw to
 — had con - quered death. And the dead rose from there tombs and the an -
 — and shall not faint. By his blood and in his Name in his free



- gin came the Word. From a throne of end - less glo - ry to a cra
 — the oth - er side, know - ing this was our sal - va - tion Je - sus for
 gels stood in awe, for the souls of all who'd come to the Fa -
 - dom I am free for the love of Je - sus Christ who has res



- dle in the dirt. Praise the Fa - ther; Praise the Son; Praise the Spir - it;
 — our sake you died.
 - ther are re stored.
 - ur rect - ed me.



Three in One! God of Glo - ry; Maj - es - ty; Praise for - ev - er to The King of Kings!