

Dear Friend in Christ,

We would be very pleased to have you join our Sunday morning worship on Zoom by using the following instructions.

Please use these phone numbers and links between 10:15am and 10:30am Central Time. You can join in one of two ways:

#### By computer, smart phone or tablet:

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86757133623?pwd=OTFUQWJvU21MMmR6bkY5 SitpelR1UT09

By Phone: 1 (312) 626 6799 ID 867 5713 3623, Passcode 205879

(If you need a live link to the Worship link, you can go to the homepage of our website at <a href="www.vccbhm.org">www.vccbhm.org</a> and click on "Links to Zoom" then click on the Sunday Worship link.)

I look forward to seeing you on Sunday!

Christ's and yours,
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## Valley Christian Church Second Sunday after Pentecost

	June 19, 2022	
PRELUDE	"Be Still, My Soul"	Margaret Cox Pianist
ANNOUNCEME	NTS	Whitney Devine Worship Leader
CALL TO WORSHIP (RESPONSIVE)	Good Morning!  Good Morning!  Welcome to the house of the Lord.  Let us celebrate together.  In joy and praise we come.  We would give thanks for life.  In Jesus Christ we have life, even in death.  It is a day of rejoicing in the Lord.  Life up your hearts, give thanks, praise the  Lord, for He has been gracious to us.  We would celebrate our life together  Celebrate our faith  Celebrate our hope in Jesus Christ.	Whitney Devine Worship Leader
HYMN OF PRAISE	"Holy, Holy, Holy"  Holy, holy, holy, Lord God Almighty!  Early in the morning our song shall rise to thee  Holy, holy, holy, merciful and mighty  God in three Persons, blessed Trinity!	Hymn 4 Verses 1, 2, 4

Holy, holy, holy, all the saints adore thee
Casting down their golden crowns around the glassy sea
Cherubim and seraphim falling down before thee
God ever living, through eternity.

Holy, holy, holy, Lord God Almighty!
All thy works shall praise thy name In earth and sky and sea
Holy, holy, holy, merciful and mighty
God in three Persons, blessed Trinity!

OPENING PRAYER		Whitney Devine Worship Leader
CHILDREN'S MESSAGE	"The Fathers Among Us"	Rev. John Gregory
SHARING JOY	S AND CONCERNS	Rev. John Gregory
PASTORAL PRAYER		Rev. John Gregory
SCRIPTURE	Exodus 19:1-9a	Whitney Devine Worship Leader
MESSAGE	"Valley Comes to Mount Sinai"	Rev. John Gregory
ANTHEM	"Love Is" By Reinhardt	Solo by Jan Watts
CALL TO OFFERING	Share your financial offering with the church by offering plate, by mail or bring it by the church office. Thank you for your love gifts.	Whitney Devine Worship Leader
	Our deacons will come by each pew to receive the offering. Simply place your offering and any contact/prayer cards into the plate when it is offered to you. Please do not pass the plate.	
OFFERTORY	"How Great Thou Art"	Margaret Cox Pianist
DOXOLOGY	Praise God from whom all blessings flow, Praise Him all creatures here below Praise Him above ye heavenly host Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost	
OFFERTORY PRAYER		Whitney Devine Worship Leader
CALL TO COMMUNION		Rev. John Gregory

COMMUNION **PRAYER** 

Conclude by praying together the Lord's Prayer

Ted Stuckenschneider Elder

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

**HYMN OF** 

INVITATION

Hear the words of Jesus when He said, "Take and eat, this is my body, broken for you. Take and drink, this is the cup of the covenant poured out for you."

Our deacons will come by each pew to serve you individually wrapped communion elements. Please partake of communion together when the pastor says "take eat and take drink"

Rev. John Gregory

"The God of Abraham Praise"

Hymn 24 Verses 1-3

The God of Abraham Praise All praised be the Name Who was, and is, and is to be, Is still the same; The one eternal God ere, all that now appears; The First, the Last, beyond all thought through timeless years!

God's spirit flowing free, high surging where it will -In prophet's word it spoke of old -Is speaking still. Established is God's law, and changeless it shall stand, Deep writ upon the human heart, on sea or land.

God has eternal life implanted in the soul. God's love shall be our strength and stay, while ages roll. Praise to the Living God! All praised be the Name, Who was, and is, and is to be, is still the same!

BENEDICTION I look to the mountains: where will my help come from? My help comes from the Lord who made heaven and earth. My faith in Jesus will keep me filled with hope and compassion. The presence of the Holy Spirit will guide me in truth and the future.

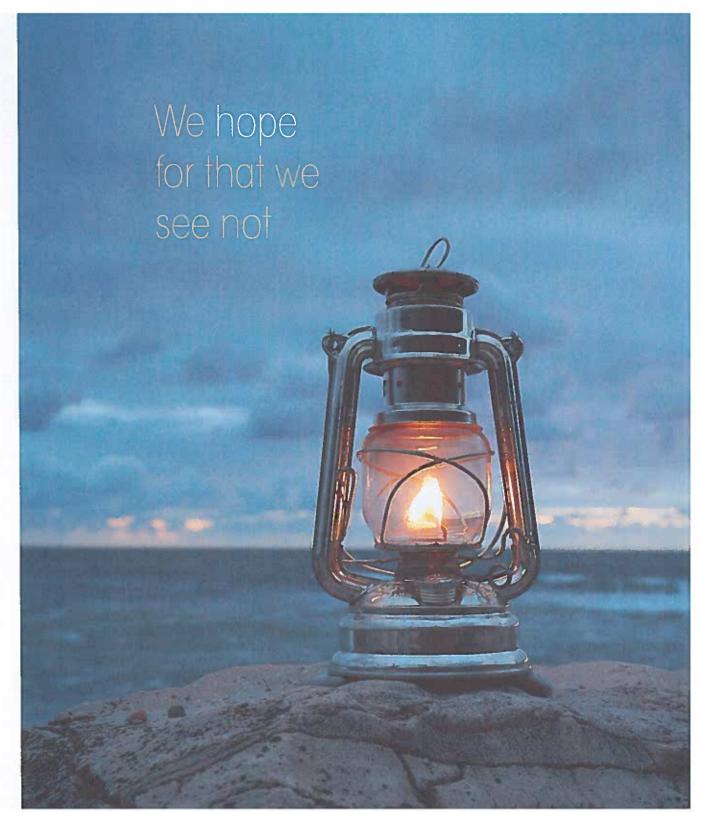
Rev. John Gregory

**POSTLUDE** 

"Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty"

Margaret Cox Pianist

You are warmly invited to join us for light refreshments in the church parlor after worship.



## Life in the Valley

Sunday, June 19 Father's Day

10:30 am: Valley Worship (Sanctuary) Bill and Jan Watts' Anniversary

Monday, June 20 Voice Deadline

8:00 am Manna Market Prep (Fellowship)

Tuesday, June 21 Summer Begins

2:00 pm Manna Market Sale (Fellowship) 6:30 pm Adult Sunday School Class by Zoom

Ted Stuckenschneider's Birthday

Wednesday, June 22 6:30 pm Choir Practice (Choir Room)

7:30 pm Bell Choir (Choir Room)

Saturday, June 25 8:00 am Regional Convocation Workshop (Mount Calvary Missionary

Christian - Tuskegee)

Sunday, June 26 10:30 am: Valley Worship (Sanctuary)

Our Disciples of Christ congregation to be in prayer for this week is Mount Calvary Missionary Christian Church in Tuskegee, Alabama

Please also be in prayer for our sister congregation, Macedonia Christian Church

Church office hours: 8:00 am - noon, Monday - Friday
Pastor Edd's office hours: 8:00 am - noon, Monday - Wednesday

#### Today's Servers

ELDER: Ted Stuckenschneider WORSHIP LEADER: Whitney Devine GREETERS: Ted Stuckenschneider and Jean Thrasher/Lola Kiser DEACONS: Team 1 – Captain: Carolyn Nunnelly Members: Terry Nunnelly and Beth Collier OPEN: Pastor CLOSE: Stewart Draper COFFEE FELLOWSHIP: Peggi Zinser

### Anthem

Jan Watts' Solo

# "Love Is" By Reinhardt

If I walk with the Lord all my days, read the good book and follow in his ways, And if I praise his name in everything I do, but don't have love, I do nothing. If I give all I own to the poor and bring ten thousand souls to heaven's door, And if I heal the sick or cause the blind to see, but don't have love, I do nothing.

Love is patient and kind; love never minds, always helpful, faithful and true.

Love is quiet and strong; love is the song of the kingdom,

And God gives it, gives it all to you.

If my faith is as deep as the ocean, and my heart overflows with devotion, And if I preach the word or witness to the truth, but don't have love, I am nothing.

Love is patient and kind; love never minds, always helpful, faithful and true.

Love is quiet and strong; love is the song of the kingdom,

And God gives it, gives it all to you.

## **Blankets of Hope**

Mary Ellen & Bill Caughran	in honor of	Barbara Caughran
Andrea Clark	in honor of	Sarah Draper
Andrea Clark	in honor of	Sue Mohan
Beth Collier	in honor of	Vicki Deason
Margaret Cox	in honor of	My Children-Abby & Maggie
Margaret Cox	in honor of	My Grandchildren- Conner & Noah
Sarah & Stewart Draper	in honor of	Carol Speed
John Gregory	in honor of	Elizabeth Gregory
John & Elizabeth Gregory	in honor of	John & Valya Mobley
Ginny Guindon	in honor of	Ruth Ormond
Ginny & Ed Guindon	in honor of	Scotty McWhirter
Ginny & Ed Guindon	in honor of	Jessica Guindon
Ginny & Ed Guindon	in honor of	Rebecca Guindon McWhirter
Ginny & Ed Guindon	in honor of	Bill Gwaltney
Beverly & James Lakin	in honor of	Jamie Lakin Tillman
Beverly & James Lakin	in honor of	Joni Lakin
Beverly & James Lakin	in honor of	Rebecca Lakin
Beverly & James Lakin	in honor of	Mac Tillman
Beverly & James Lakin	in honor of	Abby Tillman
Sara Simon	in honor of	David Lambert
Sara Simon	in honor of	Tiffany Simon
Sara Simon	in honor of	Lauren Lambert
Sara Simon	in honor of	Brett Simon
Sara Simon	in honor of	Will Simon
Sara Simon	in honor of	Arcadia Simon
Carol Speed	in honor of	Sarah & Stewart Draper
Edd Spencer	in honor of	Stacy Cason
Edd Spencer	in honor of	Holly Fuqua
Edd Spencer	in honor of	Mary Pat Spencer
Mary Pat & Edd Spencer	in honor of	Lola Kiser
Jim Taylor	in honor of	5 Blankets
Peggi Zinser	in honor of	Taylor Ann Brent Garvey & Denton Garvey
Mary Ellen and Bill Caughran	in memory of	Martha Alcorn
Margaret Cox	in memory of	My Mother
Margaret Cox	in memory of	My Grandmother
Sarah & Stewart Draper	in memory of	Elizabeth & John Oliver

Sarah & Stewart Draper in memory of Frances & Leonard Draper Sarah & Stewart Draper in memory of Stephen Draper Ed Guindon in memory of Chauncey & Eva Free Ed Guindon in memory of Albert & Bertha Guindon Ginny & Ed Guindon in memory of Bill & Grace Guindon Ginny & Ed Guindon in memory of Mitzi Gwaltney **Ginny Guindon** in memory of Evelyn Lewis **Ginny Guindon** in memory of Robert & Pauline Oliver **Ginny Guindon** in memory of Cary & Florence Qwaltney Lola Kiser in memory of Mary E. Wood Lola Kiser in memory of Kathleen W. Kerr Lola Kiser in memory of Buel T. Kiser Lola Kiser in memory of Grace W. Kiser Lola Kiser in memory of H.P. Wood Lola Kiser in memory of Lola Wood Lola Kiser in memory of Mary Grace Harston James & Beverly Lakin in memory of J.W. Lakin. Jr. James & Beverly Lakin in memory of Glean Cowham Beverly & James Lakin in memory of Elizabeth Lakin Beverly & James Lakin in memory of Dorothy Cowham Beverly & James Lakin in memory of Dot Schneider Beverly & James Lakin in memory of Ethel M. Schneider Beverly & James Lakin in memory of Mac Schneider Pat & Billy McDaniel in memory of Jermey Stewart Pat & Billy McDaniel in memory of Rosa Sorrell Pat & Billy McDaniel in memory of Ruth McDaniel Carolyn & Terry Nunnelly in memory of Wayne Deason Judy & ClarenceSellers in memory of Flora & Jack Lint Judy & ClarenceSellers in memory of Mary & Clarence Sellers Sara Simon in memory of Bill Guindon Sara Simon in memory of Chauncy Free Sara Simon in memory of Eva Free Sara Simon in memory of Grace Guindon in memory of Stephen Draper Carol Speed **Edd Spencer** in memory of Monty Spencer Dana & Ted Stuckenschneider in memory of Emma-Gene Stuckenschneider in memory of Wynelle Hodges Dana & Ted Stuckenschneider Jean Thrasher in memory of Evans Family in memory of Jane Thomason Jan & Bill Watts