

"WALKING IN THE FEAR OF THE LORD AND IN THE COMFORT OF THE HOLY SPIRIT, IT MULTIPLIED" - ACTS 9:31

WELCOME TO VILLAGE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH AT VERDAE!

We are excited that you have decided to join us this morning as we are now into our fourth year of worship here at Camperdown Academy. Please let us know if you have any questions, ideas, or suggestions. We hope to see you again soon!

TUESDAY NIGHT BIBLE STUDY AND PRAYER MEETING - We would love for you to join us at our normal Tuesday Night Bible Study and Prayer Meeting, which meets every Tuesday night at 6:30pm at Palmetto Family Orthodontics (501 Verdae Boulevard).

NURSERY SCHEDULE - Our nursery schedule for May and June is out. Thank you to everyone who has volunteered! The schedule is listed below:

May 15: Mary Ann Crout and Marianne Vanderford

May 22: Susan Crout and Heather Younts
May 29: Pam Foy and Robin Zarate
June 5: Melissa Knights and TBD

June 12: Brianne Lynch and Brantley Goforth

June 19: Claire Born and Katie Atkins

June 26: Denise Smith and TBD

July 3: TBD and TBD

ORDER OF WORSHIP: MAY 15, 2022

Welcome and Introduction

Call to Worship Hebrews 10:19-22

Music HOW FIRM A FOUNDATION

How firm a foundation, you saints of the Lord, is laid for your faith in his excellent Word! What more can he say than to you he has said, to you who for refuge to Jesus have fled?

Fear not, I am with you, O be not dismayed; for I am your God, and will still give you aid; I'll strengthen you, help you, and cause you to stand, upheld by my righteous, omnipotent hand.

When through the deep waters I call you to go, the rivers of sorrow shall not overflow; for I will be with you, your troubles to bless, and sanctify to you your deepest distress.

When through fiery trials your pathway shall lie,

my grace, all-sufficient, shall be your supply; the flame shall not hurt you; I only design your dross to consume and your gold to refine.

The soul that on Jesus has leaned for repose, I will not, I will not desert to his foes; that soul, though all hell should endeavor to shake, I'll never, no never, no never forsake.

Affirmation of Faith – The Apostles Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, and born of the Virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended into Hell. The third day He rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From there He will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy universal church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

Music HERE IS LOVE

Here is love vast as the ocean, Loving-kindness as the flood, When the Prince of Life, our ransom, Shed for us His precious blood. Who His love will not remember? Who can cease to sing His praise? He can never be forgotten Throughout heav'n's eternal days.

On the Mount of Crucifixion,
Fountains opened deep and wide;
Through the flood-gates of God's mercy
Flowed a vast and gracious tide.
Grace and love like mighty rivers
Poured incessant from above;
Heaven's peace and perfect justice
Kissed a quilty world in love.

Here is love that conquered evil: Christ, the firstborn from the grave; Death has failed to be found equal To the life of Him Who saves. In the valley of our darkness Dawned His everlasting light; Perfect love in glorious radiance Has repelled death's hellish night. That same love beyond all measure, Mocked and slain by hateful men, Lives and reigns in resurrection And can never die again.

Here is love for all the ages, Radiant Sun of Heav'n He stands, Calling home His Father's children, Holding forth His wounded hands.

Pastoral Prayer and 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. 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."

Music HALLELUJAH PRAISE JEHOVAH

Hallelujah, praise Jehovah, O my soul, Jehovah praise; I will sing the glorious praises Of my God through all my days. Put no confidence in princes, Nor for help on man depend; He shall die, to dust returning, And his purposes shall end.

Happy is the man that chooses Israel's God to be his aid;
He is blest whose hope of blessing On the Lord his God is stayed.
Heaven and earth the Lord created, Seas and all that they contain; He delivers from oppression, Righteousness He will maintain.

Food He daily gives the hungry, Sets the mourning prisoner free, Raises those bowed down with anguish, Makes the sightless eyes to see, Well Jehovah loves the righteous, And the stranger He befriends, Helps the fatherless and widow, Judgment on the wicked sends.

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Over all God reigns forever, Through all ages He is King; Unto Him, thy God, O Zion, Joyful hallelujahs sing.

Sermon: "Devote Yourselves To Prayer"

Colossians 4:2-4

Music BE THOU MY VISION

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.

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.

High King of Heaven, my victory won, May I reach Heaven's joys, O bright Heav'n's Sun! Heart of my own heart, whate'er befall, Still be my Vision, O Ruler of all.

Benediction

Colossians 3:15a, 16a

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^{*}We do consider giving to be part of our worship to God, and it is our conviction that we make an option available — especially for our members. While we do not pass a plate during our worship services yet, we do have an offering box in the back that you may feel free to use. We also have an online giving platform available at our website: villagepres-verdae.com.