



# VILLAGE

P R E S B Y T E R I A N

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

**ORDER OF WORSHIP:**

**OCTOBER 6, 2024**

Welcome and Introduction

Call to Worship

1 John 4:1-6

Music

**SAVED MY SOUL**

Chorus

You my God have saved my soul  
I am Yours forevermore  
I won't be moved of this I'm sure  
You are my God and You saved my soul

I was lost when You came for me  
Held in chains by the enemy  
But You broke them in victory  
Now I'm free I am free

You're my joy and You are my hope  
I am saved by Your grace alone  
I will sing of Your love for me  
I am free I am free

Chorus

Now I stand with the Kings of kings  
He has paid for my every sin  
And from now through eternity  
I am free I am free

Chorus (x2)

Prayer of Invocation and 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.”

Sermon Text:

2 Kings 17:1-23

Music

**O GOD OF MERCY HEAR OUR PLEA**

O God, we've seen Your faithfulness  
You brought us from the wilderness  
But now our faith is frail and weak  
O God of mercy, hear our plea

When will You comfort our distress?  
How long until the promised rest?  
We cry to You from deepest need  
O God of mercy, hear our plea

Chorus

Abba, Father, our Redeemer  
In this barren land be our hope and strength  
Until glory we will trust and sing  
Abba, Father, hear our plea

We join creation's longing groan  
To take Your ransomed children home  
For then the eyes of all will see  
The God of mercy hears our plea

Chorus

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The God of mercy hears our plea

Chorus

Sermon: "Exile"

2 Kings 17:1-23

Music

**IT IS WELL**

When peace, like a river, attendeth my way,  
When sorrows like sea billows roll;  
Whatever my lot, Thou hast taught me to say,  
It is well, it is well with my soul.

Chorus

It is well with my soul,  
It is well, it is well with my soul.

Though Satan should buffet, though trials should come,  
Let this blest assurance control,  
That Christ hath regarded my helpless estate,  
And hath shed His own blood for my soul.

Chorus

My sin—oh, the bliss of this glorious thought!—  
My sin, not in part but the whole,  
Is nailed to the cross, and I bear it no more,  
Praise the Lord, praise the Lord, O my soul!

Chorus

And Lord, haste the day when the faith shall be sight,  
The clouds be rolled back as a scroll;  
The trump shall resound, and the Lord shall descend,  
Even so, it is well with my soul.

Chorus

## RECEPTION OF NEW MEMBERS:

Communicant Membership Questions to Randy and Jody Jones  
Pastoral Prayer for New Members

## THE LORD'S SUPPER

Invitation

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.

Confession of Sin

Almighty God, Heavenly Father, we thank you this morning for your word to us. We thank you for the clarity your word brings. We thank you for the way you hear and respond to your people when we cry out to you for help. We thank you for your mercy, your compassion, your love, and your patience. We thank you for the way you call us to seek your face. And we thank you that, for all who truly seek you, you promise that we will find you. Lord, we thank you for all of these things.

But we do also confess our sins. We confess that we are all guilty, at times, of thinking about our relationship with you in transactional terms. We confess that we are all guilty, at times, of being satisfied with your temporal blessings instead of pursuing the deeper blessing of knowing you. We confess that we are guilty, at times, of wanting what you can give us, more than simply wanting you. For all of these things, and many more, please forgive us.

Restore in us a zeal, a passion, a hunger, and a thirst, to know you better. May you give this to each of us as individual believers. And may you give this to us as a congregation collectively. And may the testimony of our church, for decades to come, be one of a group of believers who really hunger and thirst

for you more than the gifts you give. We ask all of these things, in the name of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. Amen!

Music

## OUT OF THE DEPTHS

Out of the depths, O Lord, I cry to You  
When I am tempted to despair  
Though I might fail to trust Your promises  
You never fail to hear my prayer  
And if You judged my sin  
I'd never stand again  
But I see mercy in Your hands

### Chorus

So more than watchmen for the morning  
I will wait for You, my God  
When my fears come with no warning  
In Your Word I'll put my trust  
When the harvest time is over and I still see no fruit  
I will wait, I will wait for You

The secret mysteries belong to You  
We only know what You reveal  
And all my questions that are unresolved  
Don't change the wisdom of Your will  
In every trial and loss  
My hope is in the cross  
Where Your compassions never fail

### Chorus

Assurance of the Gospel

Isaiah 55:1-7

Distribution of the Elements

Institution of the Lord's Supper

1 Corinthians 11:23-26

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Music

## ALL GLORY BE TO CHRIST

Should nothing of our efforts stand  
No legacy survive  
Unless the Lord does raise the house  
In vain its builders strive  
To you who boast tomorrow's gain  
Tell me what is your life  
A mist that vanishes at dawn  
All glory be to Christ

Chorus  
All glory be to Christ our king  
All glory be to Christ  
His rule and reign we'll ever sing  
All glory be to Christ

His will be done His kingdom come  
On earth as is above  
Who is Himself our daily bread  
Praise Him the Lord of love  
Let living water satisfy  
The thirsty without price  
We'll take a cup of kindness yet  
All glory be to Christ

Chorus

When on the day the great I Am  
The faithful and the true  
The Lamb who was for sinners slain  
Is making all things new  
Behold our God shall live with us  
And be our steadfast light  
And we shall e're his people be  
All glory be to Christ

Chorus

Benediction

Zephaniah 3:17

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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 front that you may feel free to use. We also have an online giving platform available at our website: [villagepres-verdae.com](http://villagepres-verdae.com).