



July 10, 2016

# West Valley Presbyterian Church

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*This morning's theme: Our access to God through Christ*

## Called to Worship

### **1 Peter 2:4-5**

As you come to Jesus, a living stone rejected by men but in the sight of God chosen and precious, you yourselves like living stones are being built up as a spiritual house, to be a holy priesthood, to offer spiritual sacrifices acceptable to God through Jesus Christ.

### **You Are Welcome Here**

*Holy Spirit of God draw near*

*You are wanted and welcome here*

*May Your presence be loved and feared*

*You are wanted and welcome here*

### **CHORUS:**

*There is no greater thing we could ask for  
than the presence of the Lord*

*Oh God let freedom reign*

*Your Spirit sets us free*

*We want to be where You are*

*[Repeat all with additional chorus]*

## Confessing our Sin

### **Hebrews 4:14-16**

Since then we have a great high priest who has passed through the heavens, Jesus, the Son of God, let us hold fast our confession. For we do not have a high priest who is unable to sympathize with our weaknesses, but one who in every respect has been tempted as we are, yet without sin. Let us then with confidence draw near to the throne of grace, that we may receive mercy and find grace to help in time of need.

### **Prayer of Confession**

**Almighty God, our heavenly Father, we have sinned against you and against our fellow men, in thought and word and deed, in the evil we have done and in the good we have not done, through ignorance, through weakness, through our own deliberate fault. We are truly sorry, and repent of all our sins. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, who died for us, forgive us all that is past; and grant that we may serve you in newness of life to the glory of your name. Amen**

### **Declaration: from Ephesians 2:18**

Through Christ we have access in one Spirit to the Father. So then you are no longer strangers and aliens, but you are fellow citizens with the saints and members of the household of God, built on the foundation of the apostles and prophets, Christ Jesus himself being the cornerstone.

## Celebrating the Gospel

### **You Alone Can Satisfy**

*I have bowed at the altar of the world and its lies  
Now I long to return to you You alone can satisfy  
I have wasted affections on the things you despise  
Now I long to return to you You alone can satisfy*

#### **CHORUS:**

*My bread of life You're my provider  
You fill my soul with living water  
Beneath your wing there is a shelter where I hide  
You alone can satisfy*

*There's no fortune or pleasure that this world can provide  
They have failed and they always will You alone can satisfy  
You're the treasure that I've found, You're the meaning of life  
You're my deepest desires fulfilled You alone can satisfy*

*[Chorus with repeat]*

## **Man of Sorrows**

*Man of Sorrows what a name for the Son of God, who came  
Ruined sinners to reclaim Hallelujah What a Savior*

*Bearing shame and scoffing rude in my place condemned He stood  
Sealed my pardon with His blood Hallelujah What a Savior*

*Guilty, vile, and helpless we Spotless Lamb of God was He  
“Full atonement!” can it be Hallelujah What a Savior*

*Lifted up was He to die “It is finished!” was His cry  
Now in Heav’n exalted high Hallelujah What a Savior*

*When He comes, our glorious King all His ransomed home to bring  
Then anew His song we’ll sing Hallelujah What a Savior*

## **Greeting and announcements**

*Welcome! Visitors, we’re so happy you joined us this morning. If you desire,  
please fill out a welcome card and place it in the offering plate as it’s being  
passed. We hope you enjoy your visit.*

## **Prayer for the congregation and the world**

Consecrated by the Word

### **Derek Coyle**

*Text: 1 Peter 2:4-10 (page: 1014)*

*Title: God’s Chosen People*

- 1. You are part of something bigger*
- 2. You are on the right side*
- 3. You are given a purpose*



## **In the Cross**

*Jesus keep me near the cross, there a precious fountain  
Free to all, a healing stream, flows from Calvary's mountain*

### **CHORUS:**

*In the cross, in the cross be my glory ever  
til my ransomed soul shall find rest beyond the river*

*Near the cross a trembling soul Love and mercy found me  
There the Bright and Morning Star sheds it's beams around me*

*Chorus*

*Near the cross I'll watch and wait, hoping, trusting ever  
Til I reach the golden strand, just beyond the river*

*Chorus*

## **Tithes and Offerings**

### **More than Conquerors**

*Your faultless blood has washed our sinned-stained hearts  
Your living word is changing who we are  
Your endless grace runs deeper than our faults  
Your true relentless love has conquered all*

*Nothing can prevail against the power of the Lord our God*

### **CHORUS:**

*In everything we are more than conquerors  
because of who you are and all you've done  
And everything has changed and death has lost its sting  
because you died and rose again for us.*

*Your perfect life restores us from the fall  
Your nail pierced hands reach out to heal us all  
Your empty grave has broken Satan's hold  
Your Spirit now renews and makes us whole*

*Nothing can prevail against the power of the Lord our God*

*Chorus*

*The story of my life will be: Jesus crucified and resurrected  
[Sing 3 times]*

*The story of my life will be: Jesus crucified and resurrected  
and resurrected*

*Chorus*

## Compelled to Go Out

### **Benediction: Numbers 6:24-26**

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.

*We welcome you to join us for coffee and refreshments following the service.*

## Community and Events

### This week at West Valley:

Monday: **Women in The Word**, 10:00am-11:30am (child care provided)

Thursday: **Men's Bible Study**, 7:30pm-9:00pm

### Upcoming Events:

July 23rd **WVPCA fun at Ricketts Glen State park!**  
Come camp for the weekend, or just day trip on Saturday. Waterfall hike Saturday morning, pot luck lunch, afternoon at the lake, cook-out, and campfire! Contact Kelly L., Liz Z. or Alice K. for details on camping or day tripping: 610-955-7852, agkim1997@gmail.com.

July 31st **Family Worship Service**  
**Library Opening**, following the service.

August 3rd **Women's Fellowship:** Join us at 10am for the play: The Little Mermaid at DeSale's Shakespeare Festival. Tickets are \$5 (ages 3 and up). Please see or contact Amy Miller or Annie Burdine for more information or to order tickets.

### Opportunities to Serve:

**Serve a meal at the Salvation Army** - in Bethlehem following the church service 7/24/16 and 8/21/16. See or contact Alice Kim for more information.

**Summer Kids Program Teachers:** Over the summer we take a break from our usual Sunday morning kids curriculum and run a program that requires little or no prep for teachers. If you have taught before or would like to try it out for the first time, please sign up via this link in the email or contact Derek at [WVKids@westvalleypres.org](mailto:WVKids@westvalleypres.org) for more info. Note: our child-protection policy requires we perform background checks for all teachers.

*More details regarding the events here at West Valley can be found on our website: [www.westvalleypres.org](http://www.westvalleypres.org).*

*To receive our weekly event email please contact [office@westvalleypres.org](mailto:office@westvalleypres.org).*

## Memory Verse

"I am the vine; you are the branches. If you remain in me and I in you, you will bear much fruit; apart from me you can do nothing."

-John 15:5

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