# April 11<sup>th</sup>, 2021 West Valley Presbyterian Church

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Called to Worship

This morning's theme: God's Kindness & Patience

## Call to Worship: Psalm 145:17-18

The LORD is righteous in all his ways and kind in all his works. The LORD is near to all who call on him, to all who call on him in truth.

## I Sing The Mighty Power Of God

I sing the mighty power of God that made the mountains rise That spread the flowing seas abroad and built the lofty skies I sing the wisdom that ordained the sun to rule the day The moon shines full at His command and all the stars obey

I sing the goodness of the Lord that filled the earth with food He formed the creatures with His Word and then pronounced them good Lord! How Thy wonders are displayed where'er I turn mine eye If I survey the ground I tread or gaze upon the sky

There's not a plant or flower below but makes Thy glories known And clouds arise and tempests blow by order from Thy throne While all that borrows life from Thee is ever in Thy care And everywhere that man can be thou God art present there

## Scripture Reading: Exodus 34:5-8

#### Confessing our Sin

## Prayer of Confession

God of peace: we confess before you the evil of our hearts; we acknowledge that we are too inclined toward anger, jealousy, and revenge, to ambition and pride, which often give rise to discord and bitter feelings. Too often have we thus both offended and grieved you. Forgive us this sin and permit us to partake of the blessing you have promised the peacemakers, who shall be called the children of God. Through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

## Words of Assurance: Psalm 103:11-13

As high as the heavens are above the earth, so great is his steadfast love toward those who fear him; as far as the east is from the west, so far does he remove our transgressions from us. As a father shows compassion to his children, so the LORD shows compassion to those who fear him.

## Thy Mercy My God is the Theme of My Song

Thy mercy my God is the theme of my song The joy of my heart and the boast of my tongue Thy free grace alone from the first to the last Hath won my affections and bound my soul fast

Without Thy sweet mercy I could not live here Sin would reduce me to utter despair But through Thy free goodness my spirits revive And He that first made me still keeps me alive

Thy mercy is more than a match for my heart Which wonders to feel its own hardness depart Dissolved by Thy goodness I fall to the ground And weep for the praise of the mercy I've found

Great Father of mercies Thy goodness I own And the covenant love of Thy crucified Son All praise to the Spirit whose whisper divine Seals mercy and pardon and righteousness mine

#### Pastoral Prayer

*I urge that supplications, prayers, intercessions, and thanksgivings be made for all people.* 1 Timothy 2:1–2.

#### <u>The Lord's Prayer</u>

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name. Your kingdom come, your 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 yours is the kingdom, the power and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

Consecrated by the Word

Scripture Reading: Proverbs 16:32

#### Message: An Under-Rated Might

**Rev. David Royes** 

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## <u>I Will Wait For You (Psalm 130)</u>

Out of the depths I cry to You In darkest places I will call Incline Your ear to me anew And hear my cry for mercy, Lord

Were You to count my sinful ways How could I come before Your throne Yet full forgiveness meets my gaze I stand redeemed by grace alone

> I will wait for You, I will wait for You On Your Word, I will rely I will wait for You, surely wait for You Till my soul is satisfied

So put your hope in God alone Take courage in His power to save Completely and forever won By Christ emerging from the grave

Now He has come to make a way And God Himself has paid the price That all who trust in Him today Find healing in his sacrifice.

> I will wait for You, I will wait for You Through the storm, and through the night I will wait for You, surely wait for You For Your love is my delight

#### His Mercy Is More

What love could remember, no wrongs we have done Omniscient, all-knowing, he counts not their sum Thrown into a sea without bottom or shore Our sins they are many, his mercy is more

> Praise the Lord, his mercy is more Stronger than darkness, new every morn Our sins they are many, his mercy is more

What patience would wait as we constantly roam What father so tender is calling us home He welcomes the weakest, the vilest, the poor Our sins they are many, his mercy is more What riches of kindness he lavished on us His blood was the payment his life was the cost We stood neath a debt we could never afford Our sins they are many, his mercy is more

#### Tithes and Offerings

An offering box is available near the exit. Alternatively, please consider giving online at westvalleypres.org/give. For more info visit the "giving info" link on our website.

#### Compelled to Go Out

#### Commission: Galatians 6:9-10

Let us not grow weary of doing good, for in due season we will reap, if we do not give up. So then, as we have opportunity, let us do good to everyone, and especially to those who are of the household of faith.

**<u>Benediction</u>:** Romans 15:5-6 May the God of endurance and encouragement grant you to live in such harmony with one another, in accord with Christ Jesus, that together you may with one voice glorify the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ.

**WELCOME!** If you are new to West Valley, we are glad you joined us this morning. Please fill out our welcome card on your phone at westvalleypres.org/welcome.

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#### This week:

Today:	Youth Group – 7pm-8pm on Zoom
Monday:	Prayer Meeting – 7pm-7:30pm via Zoom
	Parenting Seminar: Media Smarts – 8pm on Zoom
Tuesday:	Women's Bible Study: Daniel – 7:30pm
Thursday:	Men's Bible Study: Daniel – 7:30pm
Friday:	Prayer Call – 7am (see details below)
Saturday:	Women's Bible Study: James – 8 am via Zoom

#### Announcements

**Parenting Seminars** – Our first seminar on talking to kids and teens about Media Smarts will be tomorrow (4/12) at 8pm. Sign up now at westvalleypres.org/seminars!

**Young Adults Group** - the young adults fellowship will meet every other Sunday at 11am in the Fellowship Hall. For more info contact Anthony at falconeanthony525@gmail.com.

**Youth Group** – *Sundays, 7pm-8pm*. This evening the youth group will begin their study in the book of Daniel! Check your email for the Zoom link. (Not meeting this week!)

**Online Prayer Meeting** – *Every Monday, 7pm-7:30pm*. Email ellen@pearce.org for more info or check your email for the Zoom link.

**Friday Prayer Call** – *Every Friday, 7am.* Join us for this brief, 15minute dial-in prayer time to focus your heart on the Lord and seek his help! Just dial 515-604-9771 and enter code 636625 on Fridays at 7am.

**Women's Conference** - Save the date of *May 14 -15* for Biblical teaching on the elusive subject of *Contentment*. Options to join in-person or remote-from-home are available. Online registration coming soon. See Cherilyn Howard (cherilyn.whitney@gmail.com) for more details.

**Lehigh Valley Walk for Life** – Saturday, May 1<sup>st</sup> at 9am. For more info about how to participate in-person or virtually visit brighthopecenters.org.

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## Our mission: Growing disciples of Jesus at home, at work and in our communities through the Word, prayer and mutual encouragement

#### **Meeting Location**

9:30am at 1208 Brookside Rd, Wescosville (Bethany's Wescosville Campus) www.westvalleypres.org | 610-421-8066 | PO Box 3741, Allentown, PA 18106