



June 26<sup>th</sup>, 2022

# West Valley Presbyterian Church

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*This morning's theme: Good News for the Whole World*

## Called to Worship

### **Call to Worship: Psalm 105:1-3**

Leader: Oh give thanks to the LORD; call upon his name; make known his deeds among the peoples!

**All: Sing to him, sing praises to him; tell of all his wondrous works!**

Leader: Glory in his holy name; let the hearts of those who seek the LORD rejoice!

### **Come Ye Sinners**

Come ye sinners poor and wretched  
Weak and wounded sick and sore  
Jesus ready stands to save you  
Full of pity joined with power  
He is able, He is able  
He is willing; doubt no more

Come ye needy, come and welcome  
God's free bounty glorify  
True belief and true repentance  
Every grace that brings you nigh  
Without money, without money  
Come to Jesus Christ and buy

Come ye weary heavy laden  
Bruised and broken by the fall  
If you tarry till you're better  
You will never come at all  
Not the righteous, not the righteous  
Sinner Jesus came to call

Let not conscience make you linger  
Nor of fitness fondly dream  
All the fitness He requires  
Is to feel your need of Him  
This He gives you, this He gives you  
Tis the Spirit's rising beam

Lo! The Incarnate God, ascended  
Pleads the merit of His blood  
Venture on Him; venture wholly  
Let no other trust intrude  
None but Jesus, none but Jesus  
Can do helpless sinners good

**Scripture Reading: Isaiah 49:5-6**

Confessing our Sin

**Prayer of Confession**

**Eternal Light, shine into our hearts. Eternal Goodness, deliver us from evil. Eternal Power, be our support. Eternal Wisdom, scatter the darkness of our ignorance. Eternal Pity, have mercy upon us, that with all our heart and mind and soul and strength we may seek Your face and be brought by your infinite mercy to Your holy presence, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

**Words of Assurance: Acts 10:43**

To him all the prophets bear witness that everyone who believes in him receives forgiveness of sins through his name.

Celebrating the Gospel

**Lord Have Mercy**

For what we have done and left undone  
We fall on Your countless mercies  
For sins that are known and those unknown  
We call on Your name so holy  
For envy and pride, for closing our eyes  
For scorning our very neighbor  
In thought, word, and deed, we've failed You, our King  
How deeply we need a Savior

*Lord have mercy, Christ have mercy  
Lord have mercy on us (x2)*

For what You have done, Your life of love  
You perfectly lived, we praise You  
Though tempted and tried, You fixed Your eyes  
You finished the work God gave You  
And there on the tree, a King among thieves  
You bled for a world's betrayal  
You loved to the end, our merciful friend  
How pure and forever faithful

For hearts that are cold for seizing control  
For scorning our very Maker  
In thought, word, and deed, we've failed You, our King  
How deeply we need a Savior

**Announcements** (see p. 7)

**Testimony:** Stef Moore

**Pastoral Prayer**

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

**The Lord's Prayer**

**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.**

**Greeting & Kids Ministry** – *Sunday school is available for PreK – 3rd grade during the sermon.*

**Thou Lovely Source of True Delight**

Thou lovely source of true delight  
Whom I unseen adore  
Unveil Thy beauties to my sight  
That I might love Thee more,  
Oh that I might love Thee more.

Thy glory o'er creation shines  
But in Thy sacred Word  
I read in fairer, brighter lines  
My bleeding, dying Lord,  
See my bleeding, dying Lord

'Tis here, whene'er my comforts droop  
And sin and sorrow rise  
Thy love with cheering beams of hope  
My fainting heart supplies,  
My fainting heart's supplied

But ah! Too soon the pleasing scene  
Is clouded o'er with pain  
My gloomy fears rise dark between  
And I again complain,  
Oh and I again complain

Jesus, my Lord, my life, my light  
Oh come with blissful ray  
Break radiant through the shades of night  
And chase my fears away,  
Won't You chase my fears away

Then shall my soul with rapture trace  
The wonders of Thy love  
But the full glories of Thy face  
Are only known above,  
They are only known above

Consecrated by the Word

**Scripture Reading: Acts 15:1-35**

**Message: The Mission Clarified**

**Pastor Mark Howard**

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We were fools in our rebellion,  
With our hunger strike of pride.  
We were sick and growing closer  
To the death we should have died.  
Then he heard of our condition,  
And he called us by our names;  
And the God of glory took away our shame.

We were far out on the ocean,  
Making wealth and chasing dreams,  
But the waves of great destruction  
Brought us tremb'ling to our knees.  
Then we cried like drunken sailors  
To the only One who hears,  
And the God of comfort took away our fears.

**Tithes and Offerings**

*An offering box is available near the exit. Alternatively, please consider giving online at [westvalleypres.org/give](http://westvalleypres.org/give). For more info visit the “giving info” link on our website.*

Compelled to Go Out

**Commission: Matthew 9:37-38**

Jesus said to his disciples, “The harvest is plentiful, but the laborers are few; therefore pray earnestly to the Lord of the harvest to send out laborers into his harvest.”

**Benediction: 2 Corinthians 13:14**

May the grace of the Lord Jesus Christ and the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

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***WELCOME!*** *If you are new to West Valley, we are glad you joined us this morning. Please scan this code or visit [westvalleypres.org/welcome](http://westvalleypres.org/welcome) to fill out our welcome card.*



## This week:

- Today:**           **Youth Group** – 6:00pm in the choir room  
                          **Zoom Prayer Meeting** – 8:00pm-8:30pm
- Saturday:**       **Women’s Bible Study** – 8:00am via Zoom & at the  
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## Announcements

**Summer Sunday School Teachers Needed!** - Please email Karen at [wvkids@westvalleypres.org](mailto:wvkids@westvalleypres.org) if you are interested in teaching this summer. This is a great time to try it out! All clearances need to be up to date in order to teach.

**Slides Volunteers Needed!** – Could you be part of a team to help run slides on Sundays? Training will be provided! If you are interested, email Daniel Kreycik at [dkreycik@gmail.com](mailto:dkreycik@gmail.com).

**Good News Club** – The Goonewardenes are hosting Good News Club for kids ages 4-12 starting *Tuesday, June 28 - Friday, July 1 from 10:30am – 12:00pm*. Come any day you are able! The pool will be open for swimming after 12:00. Location: 3709 Pheasant Hill Dr., Allentown. Please RSVP to Joanne at 610-762-8633.

**Youth Group** – Sundays at 6:00pm in the choir room. For more info contact the Geigers at [youth@westvalleypres.org](mailto:youth@westvalleypres.org).

**Summer Open House** – Beginning in July, join us Wednesday nights from 6pm-8pm at the Howards for an informal time of snacks and fellowship. All ages welcome! We are looking for hosts for August. If you are interested email [office@westvalleypres.org](mailto:office@westvalleypres.org).

**Sunday Zoom Prayer Meeting** - Every Sunday from 8:00pm-8:30pm, join us via Zoom to pray for the world, the nation, and the church. Dial (646) 558-8656 and enter meeting code 820 8319 4443.

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This Month's Memory Verse

*But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, self-control; against such things there is no law.*  
- Galatians 5:22-23

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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)  
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