

Thank you to our guest brass quartet:

Jorge Machain - Trumpet I, Matthew Wright - Trumpet II,
Davwid Mzyk - Trombone I, Chandler Sison - Trombone II

In Need of Prayer

Judy Aitken, Becky Aldridge, Fred Bratschie, Bill Carlston,
Bob & Joan Clark, Rich Crandall, Rosamaria Duenas, Pennie Everhart,
Terry Glaser, Rosa Gonzales, Charlene Harper, Dolores Harris,
Georgie Hooks, Pam Kodey, Gary & Dorell Koon, Carole McKinnis,
Beth More, Terri Murphy, Maggie O'Donnell, Alice Oiler, Mary Phillips,
Aminta Santanilla, Marceil Scott, Dr. Bill Stephan, Karlie Stuhmer,
Barbara & Marty Swartout, Katharyne Taylor, Sharon Wilson, and
Dick Wohletz

**Please call the church office to let our staff and pastors know
of changes or of others who are sick, in the hospital or are in
need of prayer.**

Weekly Activities

- **Sundays - Adult Sunday School In-Person and ZOOM Class 9:00 a.m.** Now studying **Paul's Pastoral Epistles**. Meet in Room 16 or ZOOM at <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87878555037>.
- **Sundays - Adult Bible Study In-Person Class 9:00 a.m.**
Meet in Room 12.
- **3rd Sundays - Cancer Support Group 9:15 a.m.** Meet in Room 14
- **Sundays - Praise Team Rehearsal at West 9:30 a.m.**
- **Sundays - Grace Kids In-Person Sunday School 9:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.** Kids will join worship and attend Sunday School returning to the classroom for fun, friendship, crafts and sharing a Bible Story.
- **Tuesdays - Coffee and Conversation ZOOM check-in 9:00 a.m.**
Contact the church office at lynne@gracepcvlv.org to get the link to join in.
- **3rd Tuesdays - Instrumental Group Rehearsal at West 6:00 p.m.**
- **Wednesdays - Youth In-Person 6:00 p.m.** Meet in the Knox House.
- **Wednesdays - Beginners Bells 6:00 p.m.** Meet in the Sanctuary
- **Wednesdays - Chancel Choir Rehearsal 7:15 p.m.** Meet in the Sanctuary
- **Thursdays - ZOOM Bible Study with Pastor Jim 10:00 a.m.**
Please email Pastor Jim at jimhh@gracepcvlv.org to get the link to join.
- **Fridays - Zoom GIFTS (Women's Bible Study) meeting 9:30 a.m.**
Contact Tiffany Palumbo at tiffdane@juno.com for details.
- **Fridays - "It's a Guy Thing" (Men's Coffee Fellowship) 9:30 a.m. at West**

Grace

Presbyterian Church

Central Campus



November 21, 2021 – 10:30 a.m.

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Order of Worship

** Indicates stand if you are able. Please silence cell phones.*

PRELUDE *King Arthur...H. Purcell*
Dr. David Dorway-organ

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

INTROIT *Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee...arr. D. Burgess*
Chancel Choir

CALL TO WORSHIP

One: The head that once was crowned with thorns

All: Is crowned with glory now;

One: For life and health His cross was borne;

All: To Him our lives we vow.

One: The highest place that heaven affords

All: Is His by sovereign right.

One: Yet here for us the Lord of Lords

All: Is pleased to grant His light.

*HYMN # 90 *Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee*
(vs 1, 2, 4)

*PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Beckoning God, You invite us to walk the narrow path and to live lives worthy of the gospel. Yet how often we hold a grudge, sustain a pout, harbor a complaint. We are preoccupied with our hurts and absorbed in the little injustices done to us. We neglect our high calling to visit the sick, care for the poor, feed the hungry, confront the oppressors and work for the new reign of God. Open our eyes and strengthen our wills to care for the ill, to shelter the homeless and provide security for the abused, to feed the hungry and to pester those in control of systems and institutions to care for the wellbeing of all their citizens. Let our lives be worthy of Christ the King, the Prince of Peace, the Redeemer of all. In Jesus' name, Amen.

*ASSURANCE OF PARDON

HYMN # 185 *Jesus Loves Me (vs. 1)*
(Kindergarten-5th grade children may come forward)

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

PRESENTATION OF BIBLES

SPECIAL MUSIC *When At Night I Go to Sleep...E. Humperdink*
Sierra Johnson, soloist

BAPTISM Ellie Yoneko Huff
Parents, James and Ashley Huff
*The Shawl Ministry welcomes Ellie to our church family
with the presentation of a baby blanket.*

ANTHEM *God Is Our Refuge and Strength...A. Pote*
Chancel Choir, Lisa Elliott-director

PASTORAL PRAYER

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH **Apostles' Creed**
(see front inside cover of hymnal)

OFFERTORY *I Am Not My Own...C. Courtney*
Chancel Choir

SCRIPTURE READING: 1 Thessalonians 5:1-11

SERMON Pastor Jim Houston-Hencken
"Living as Children of the Light"

*HYMN # 790 *We Gather Together*
(vs 1, 2, 3)

BENEDICTION

*HYMN # 232 *God Be With You*

POSTLUDE *Hornpipe from "Water Music"...arr. D. Smith*
Brass Quartet