

Order of Worship

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

PRELUDE *Jesus Loves Me...arr. A. Whitworth*
Barbara Jayne, pianist; Dr. David Dorway, organist

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

PASSING OF THE PEACE

INTROIT *Come, Thou Almighty King...arr. D. Bird*
Chancel Choir

CALL TO WORSHIP Stephen Taylor

One: Happy are those whose sins are forgiven.

All: Happy are those whose sins are cast away.

One: Rejoice in the Lord! Be glad!

All: Sing out! Shout for joy!

One: Rejoice in the Lord!

All: Rejoice! Amen!

*HYMN # 8 *Come, Thou Almighty King*

*PRAYER OF CONFESSION

We keep silent before You, Lord— we are afraid to confront our transgressions; we are terrified to face the reality of our brokenness; we feel as if the weight of the world were upon our shoulders; we no longer recognize ourselves or what we have become. Help us admit our sin and accept our imperfection. You are the sanctuary where distress cannot reach us. In Your steadfast love, forgive us. In Your healing, cleanse us. In Your Holy Spirit, restore us. In the name of our Savior, we pray. Amen.

*ASSURANCE OF PARDON

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

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

*HYMN # 712 *Be Still, My Soul*

ANTHEM *Shut De Do...arr. M. Hayes*
Chancel Choir, Dr. Lisa Elliott-director

PASTORAL PRAYER AND LORD'S PRAYER

OFFERTORY *Ave Verum...W.A. Mozart*
Dave Wood, soloist

PRAYER

*HYMN # 815 *Doxology*

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

SCRIPTURE READING: Matthew 4:1-11

SERMON Pastor Jim Houston-Hencken
"Lord over Evil"

*HYMN # 705 *It Is Well with My Soul*
(vs. 1, 2, 4)

BENEDICTION

*HYMN # 589 *Here I Am, Lord*
(Refrain)

POSTLUDE *Oh, for a Thousand Tongues to Sing...P. Manz*

Thank you to our guest pianist Barbara Jayne

In Need of Prayer

Judy Aitken, Jim & Becky Aldridge, Bill Carlston, Joan Clark, Rich Crandall, Corrie Dirickson, Rosamaria Duenas, Rosa Gonzales, Charlene Harper, Pam Kodey, Gary & Dorell Koon, Richard Lyle, Maggie O'Donnell, Stephani Martinez, Carole McKinnis, Beth More, Diane Morton, John O'Donoghue, Mary Phillips, Jerry Reeves, Marian Rogge, Dr. Bill Stephan, Jim & Ellen Stuhmer, Karlie Stuhmer, Barbara & Marty Swartout, Betty Wagstaff, Sharon Wilson, Neal Yanchisin, and Charlene Yule

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



Come one come all every Sunday to the Fireside Room for coffee, donuts and fellowship

Weekly Activities

- **Sundays - Adult Sunday School at 9:00 a.m.** in Room 16. “Lent in Plain Sight” - Next Week: “Bread”.
- **Sundays (except 3rd Sundays)- Adult Bible Study Class with Bill Carlston 9:00 a.m.** Meet in Room 14.
- **3rd Sundays - Cancer Support Group 9:15 a.m.** Meet in Room 14
- **Sundays - Praise Team Rehearsal 9:30 a.m.** Meet in the Chapel
- **Sundays - Grace Kids 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.
- **Sundays - Youth In-Person 4:00 p.m.** Meet in the Knox House.
- **3rd Tuesdays - Sarah Elizabeth 10:30 a.m.** Meet in the Fireside Rm.
- **Wednesdays - Chancel Choir Rehearsal 7:15 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.** Meet in the Sanctuary.
- **2nd Wednesdays - Saying Goodbye Gracefully 12:30 p.m.** Fireside Rm.
- **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.
- **Thursdays - Contemporary Choir Rehearsal 6:30 p.m.** in the Chapel
- **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.**

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March Donations:

Pasta and Spaghetti Sauce
Place in the “Little House” in the
Social Hall

Amazing Grace

March Donations:

Chapstick/Cough Drops
Place in the designated baskets in the
Narthex

Grace

Presbyterian Church

Traditional Worship



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