

Tri-Valley Church of Christ
February 14, 2021

Family News



Sundays at 10 am our four-week Zoom Bible class on discipleship continues. Each Sunday we are watching a short, engaging video about the life and teachings of Jesus, then talking about how this will help us grow as his followers. These sessions are also designed to equip us to fulfill Christ's great commission to go and make disciples.

Interested? Click the following link to join the class on Sunday: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/9254474333> We begin and end with prayer, and each class is only 40 minutes long, so please sign on a few minutes before 10am so we can start right on time. Hope to see you there!



DISCUSS TOGETHER 2

Here are our discipleship questions for this week. Discuss these with your family or friends, or pray about them and think about them, being open to God's response to your prayer.

- Read **Psalm 33** and write a **Response Prayer**.
- List all of the things in your life that you can praise God for.
- How well do you balance appreciating the good and acknowledging the bad in your life?
- Describe how you will intentionally praise God's wisdom, creation, and providence this coming week.



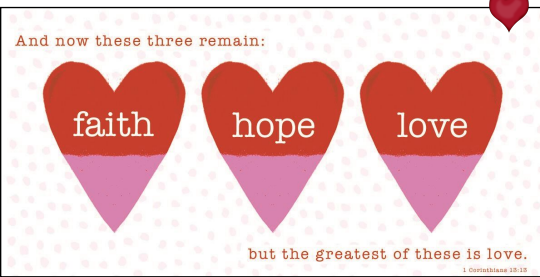
Life definitely throws us curveballs. It's hard to know if we're prepared, or even how to prepare, for what will come our way. Fortunately, the book of Psalms contains instruction, prayers, and praises for any potential circumstance. During this series we will study the different types of psalms, learn about the nature of God and his great love for us, and develop our voices for praying and singing to the Lord.

While each Sunday's sermon will focus on one specific psalm, you're invited to read and pray five psalms a day throughout this series. This week's reading schedule is here. In one month, we'll have prayed all the psalms, cultivated expressions of faith that will draw us closer to the Lord, and equipped ourselves to be **ready for anything!**

JOIN US!

Let's read and pray the Psalms this week!

- February 14: Psalms 66-70
- February 15: Psalms 76-80
- February 16: Psalms 81-85
- February 17: Psalms 86-90
- February 18: Psalms 91-95
- February 19: Psalms 96-100
- February 20: Psalms 101-105



Let's Worship Together!

WELCOME

RB-66 Doxology

CALL TO WORSHIP

RB-03 Hallelujah, Praise Jehovah

The Hippo Song

SCRIPTURE: Psalm 8:1-9

RB-215 How Majestic Is Your Name

RB-57 Great Is Thy Faithfulness

COMMUNION

MESSAGE: "When The World's All As It Should Be" (Psalm 33)

WB-13 Blessed Be Your Name

SIGN IN TO WORSHIP SUNDAYS @10:45AM
<https://trivalleychurch.online.church/>

Come for our pre-worship time together to enjoy a slide show and chat with church family and friends.

Love is patient
Love is kind
it does not envy
it does not boast
IT IS NOT PROUD
Love is not rude or selfish
it can not be easily angered
LOVE always protects
always trusts
always perseveres
LOVE NEVER FAILS

PRAY FOR ONE ANOTHER

Let's keep praying daily for each other.

- Thank God for all His blessings and His love for us!
- Pray for comfort for those who have suffered difficult losses.
- Pray for God's healing touch for the sick and wounded.
- Pray for lasting hope as we live in this fallen world.
- Pray for deeper connection with Jesus and with one another.
- Pray for those who are lonely and isolated.
- Pray that we can experience true joy even in times of lament.
- Pray for those who may need a job or a home.
- Pray for our leaders to have hearts of wisdom and discernment of God's will.
- Pray for the specific requests that have been shared lately.
- Thank God for our loved ones - friends and family!

James 5:16 says, "Confess your sins to each other and pray for each other so that you may be healed. The prayer of a righteous person is powerful and effective." Praise our God for answered prayers!

Unit 29: The Early Church



This Week's Topic:

Doers of the Word (James 1-2)

Story Point:

James said that faith without works is useless.

Big Picture Question & Answer:

Q: What is the church?

A: The church is all Christians everywhere, who gather together in their communities to worship and serve God.

Key Passage for Kids

In Christ we, though many, form one body, and each member belongs to all the others.

Romans 12:5



WCGC 2021

This year our WCGC is based on the book of **Esther** and will be entirely online! We will be offering 3 pre-recorded sessions, a video prayer trail, and our ever-popular Energizer tool! You can do this on

your own, with friends or with a church group (you can plan a Zoom meeting and share the screen so you can watch together). **WE WILL POST EVERYTHING ON FEBRUARY 19th.** There will be no live events, so you are free to access it anytime that works for you. Can't wait to share with y'all what God has been putting on our hearts "for such a time as this."



PRAY FOR HAMIDOU

Please keep praying for Hamidou, and please keep giving each month to help fund his education and basic needs in Burkina Faso.

Send your contributions to Justin Garza at TVCC, 4481 East Avenue, Livermore CA 94550.

If you would like to write to Hamidou, please contact Justin for more information about where to send your letter so Hamidou will receive it.

TEEN DEVO NIGHT

Our Teen Devo will meet this **Thursday, February 11 at 7pm.** Bring your Bible and come prepared to share in encouraging faith-based discussions as we continue exploring our Gospel series. Brittany will be logging in at 6:30pm for hangout time with those who may show up a little early. See you then!



TEEN ZOOM MOVIE NIGHT

Friday, February 19 at 7pm we'll see the 2010 Disney computer-animated musical adventure film, *Tangled*. Rapunzel has been locked away in a tall tower since she was stolen as a baby by an ancient hag. Her magical long blonde hair has



the power to provide eternal youth, and the evil witch uses this power to remain young while she pretends to be the girl's mother. By the age of 18, Rapunzel is overwhelmed with curiosity about the outside world, and wonders each year about the mysterious lanterns she sees in the sky on her birthday. When the charming bandit Flynn uses her tower as a refuge, she asks him to help her escape and explore. Fun for all ages - siblings welcome. Bring your movie snacks and come chat with friends while you watch. See you then!

ONLINE WORSHIP HIGHLIGHTS FROM LAST WEEK, 2/7/21

If you missed any of last week's online service and want to view it, click the link to view on YouTube: <https://youtu.be/UTsjgARTITg>. Here are some highlights from last week's service:

- In our pre-slide show we enjoyed seeing the video teaching from our **Sunday 10am online Zoom Bible class on Discipleship**. If you would like the opportunity to share in these discussions with your fellow believers, please come to our Zoom meetings here: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/9254474333>. We also enjoyed hearing and singing along with "More Precious Than Gold" before viewing our current announcements. In our post-worship slide show, we enjoyed an update from **Lisa P.** about our upcoming West Coast Girls Conference, which will be released on February 19!
- We were welcomed to worship by **Mikayla G.** who read to us from Psalm 18:1-3. Great to see your smiling face, Mikayla!
- Thank you, **Rachel M.** for uplifting our spirits with your ASL translations while we sang worship songs based on Psalms.
- **Greg B.** shared some special communion thoughts from Colossians 2 as we remembered the great gift of Jesus' sacrifice for us - His death on the cross canceled the record of our sins. When we are in Christ, God forgives us for our sins and we can remain connected to Him, living a free and peaceful life.
- **Jacob P.** introduced our series on Psalms with a detailed overview of this songbook of the Bible, looking ahead to what we can expect to find there: songs of prayer, praise, and instruction. **Bill A.** read our scripture passage, Psalm 1, during the message. This Psalm gives us a good explanation about "Why read the Psalms?" and invites us into the blessing of meditating on the law of the Lord. Our lesson was concluded with a beautiful musical rendition of Psalm 1 by the group *Poor Bishop Hooper*.

We appreciate everyone who helps with our online worship services in any way, and we're thankful for everyone who signs in to worship with us each week. We have people from many places who participate, from local residents to out-of-state friends and family, and even believers in other countries! We love to see each of your names and comments in the chat. It's very encouraging to know we are all connected this way, and are devoted to worshipping and serving our beloved Lord together! If you haven't yet been logging on to our 10:45am services on Sundays, **please come join us to worship - you'll be glad you did.**

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