



Village Church

FOLLOWING JESUS FOR LIFE

September 6, 2026

10:30 AM

THE VILLAGE COMMUNITY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Approaching God in Praise and Prayer

+All who are able may stand

*As you enter this holy space and sacred time, please quiet your mind, meditate on the Scriptures,
and pray for the Holy Spirit to prepare you to worship the Living God.*

PRELUDE

Prelude on "Village Church"

Juan Carlos Acosta
Suzanne Shick, organ

WELCOME

The Rev. Janice Y. Cook

CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 90:1-4, 14, 17

Leader: Lord, you have been our dwelling place in all generations.

**People: Before the mountains were brought forth, or ever you had formed the earth and the world,
from everlasting to everlasting you are God.**

Leader: You turn us back to dust, and say, "Turn back, you mortals."

People: For a thousand years in your sight are like yesterday when it is past, or like a watch in the night.

Leader: Satisfy us in the morning with your steadfast love, so that we may rejoice and be glad all our days.

People: Let the favor of the Lord our God be upon us, and prosper for us the work of our hands.

Leader: Let us worship God!

+ HYMN 667

When Morning Gilds the Skies

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+ PRAYER OF CONFESSION

The Rev. Janice Y. Cook

God of all time, our Help in ages past, our Hope for years to come: You are coming in power to bring all nations under your rule. We confess that we have not expected your Kingdom. We have lived without regard for the ultimate concerns of life, and we have ignored signs of your peace all around us. Forgive us, merciful God, through the love you proclaimed by Jesus' death on the cross and his resurrection from the grave. Then, prepare your way in us, that we may live as ambassadors of your Kingdom. In Christ we pray. Amen.

+ MOMENT OF SILENCE FOR PERSONAL CONFESSION

+ ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

+ RESPONSE: HYMN 581

Gloria Patri

GREATOR EX

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;
as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, amen.

+ PASSING THE PEACE

Leader: May the peace of Christ be with you.

People: And also with you.

As the congregation shares personal greetings, children 5th grade and younger will meet their Sunday School leaders at the back of Sanctuary, and Youth 6th grade and older will gather in the Youth Room.

VILLAGE LIFE

Offering Ourselves to God

OFFERTORY	<i>O Master, Let Me Walk with Thee</i>	Phillip McIntyre Charles Frost, organ
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+ RESPONSE: HYMN 606	Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow	OLD HUNDREDTH
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Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures here below;
Praise him above, ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE & THE LORD’S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come; Thy 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 Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

Receiving God’s Word

ANTHEM	<i>It is Well with My Soul</i>	John Ness Beck Summer Choir Juan Carlos Acosta, director
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THE WORD READ	2 Timothy 4:6-15 (NT pg. 282)	Joan Osborne, lay reader
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Leader: The word of the Lord.
People: Thanks be to God.

THE WORD PROCLAIMED	"Come Before Winter"	The Rev. Dr. Jack W. Baca
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Responding to God’s Word

THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD’S SUPPER

We are the body of Christ and individually members of it.
We share one bread and one cup in remembrance of the body and blood of Jesus that was given for us.

Invitation	Words of Institution	Bread & Cup	Thanksgiving
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Our communion bread is gluten free, and grape juice is in the cup.

+ BENEDICTION

+ CHORAL BENEDICTION

May the God of Hope Go with Us

Jaco Sta
Chancel Singers

POSTLUDE

Rondo

Henry Purcell



*The flowers in worship today are given by Hanah Haight in memory of Barbara Church,
who is now somewhere over the rainbow.*

The Deacon of the Day, Perry Colapinto, can be found at the Welcome Table after service.

If you desire prayer, prayer ministers are available after worship. Please inquire at the Welcome Table.

We invite our first time visitors to stop by the Welcome Table on the Patio

This service is being livestreamed.

The Village Church Pastoral & Program Staff

The Rev. Dr. Jack W. Baca, Senior Pastor

The Rev. Janice Y. Cook, Executive Associate Pastor
Mary Thibodeau, Executive Administrator
Adrian Narlock, Director of Media Ministry
Christine Hecker, Director of Youth Ministry
Michelle Yuen, Director of Children’s Ministry
Matt LaFond, Children's Ministry Coordinator
Nancy Betts, Director of Preschool Ministry
Gretchen Scruggs, Director of Missions Ministry

Gustavo Coria, Facilities Manager
Juan Carlos Acosta, Director of Worship Ministry
Calieanne Grossheim, Asst. Director of Worship Ministry
Twyla Arant, Music Ministries Coordinator
Barbara Haran, Contemporary Worship Team Leader
Phyllis Graham, Bell Choir Director
Suzanne Shick, Organist
David Herman, Director of Adult Ministry



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BIBLE OR HYMNAL
DEDICATION

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2 Timothy 4:6-15 (NT pg. 282)

It Is Well with My Soul

When peace like a river attendeth my way,
When sorrows like sea billows roll
Whatever my lot, Thou has taught me to say,
It is well, it is well with my soul.
My sin, O the joy of this glorious thought,
my sin, not in part, but the whole
is nailed to the cross, and I bear it no more:
Praise the Lord, praise the Lord, O my soul!
And Lord, haste the day when my faith shall be sight,
the clouds be rolled back as a scroll:
The trumpet shall sound and the Lord shall descend,
“Even so” it is well with my soul.

Go Forth for God

May the God of hope go with us every day,
filling all our lives with love and joy and peace.
May the God of justice speed us on our way,
bringing light and hope to every land and race.
Praying, let us work for peace;
singing share our joy with all.
We all are working for a world that's new,
faithful when we hear Christ's call.