

# VILLAGES COMMUNITY CHAPEL

Prelude Catherine Ellacer

Call to Worship "Holy Ground" Chapel Choir

Welcome & Announcements Diana Hallock

\*Hymn "It Took a Miracle" Congregation

\*Silent Prayer

Anthem "Child of God" Chapel Choir

arr. Emily Crocker

Morning Prayer Doug Leonard

\*Hymn "Soon and Very Soon" Congregation

\*Doxology

\*Offertory Prayer

Offertory "La Cinquantaine" Tejus Iyer, viola

by Jean Gabriel-Marie Catherine Ellacer, piano

arr. Barbara Barber

Sermon "He Gets Us" Doug Leonard

\*Benediction "The Bond of Love" Congregation

We are one in the bond of love, We are one in the bond of love;

We have joined our spirit with the Spirit of God,

We are one in the bond of love.

Let us sing now, everyone, Let us feel His love begun;

Let us join our hands that the world will know

We are one in the bond of love.

Postlude "Marguerite Waltz" Tejus Iyer, viola by William Haesche Catherine Ellacer, piano

\*Please stand if able

### **SERMON TEXT**

## John 3:3 (NIV)

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3 Jesus replied, "Very truly I tell you, no one can see the kingdom of God unless they are born again.

#### Matthew 11:29-30

29 Take my yoke upon you and learn from me, for I am gentle and humble in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. 30 For my yoke is easy and my burden is light."

### 2 Timothy 3:16-17

16 All Scripture is God-breathed and is useful for teaching, rebuking, correcting and training in righteousness, 17 so that the servant of God may be thoroughly equipped for every good work.

#### Hebrews 4:12

12 For the word of God is alive and active. Sharper than any double-edged sword, it penetrates even to dividing soul and spirit, joints and marrow; it judges the thoughts and attitudes of the heart.

#### Isaiah 55:1-2

1"Come, all you who are thirsty, come to the waters; and you who have no money, come, buy and eat! Come, buy wine and milk without money and without cost. 2 Why spend money on what is not bread, and your labor on what does not satisfy? Listen, listen to me, and eat what is good, and you will delight in the richest of fare.

### John 17:20

20 "My prayer is not for them alone. I pray also for those who will believe in me through their message,

### John 17:22

22 I have given them the glory that you gave me, that they may be one as we are one—

### **Applications:**

God's divine power has given us everything we need for a godly life. He has given us his very great and precious promises, so that through them you may participate in the divine nature.

# THANKS TO TODAY'S VOLUNTEERS

HEAD USHER: Hal Hallock

USHERS / GREETERS: Hal & Diana Hallock

Colleen Merendino, Suzanne Fazzio

ALTAR: Jane Smith, Dick Schroeder

OFFICE SUPPORT: Teri Tyrrell, Christine Leisy

WEB MANAGER: Bill Travis

# THIS SUNDAY'S FLORAL ARRANGEMENT IS DONATED BY:

Suzy Kim: "Thank you for protecting us and for blessing our 50 years of marriage".

## JOIN US FOR FELLOWSHIP FOLLOWING THE SERVICE:

Preparation and Servers: Suzy Kim, Linda McCarley Cookies: Coleen Merendino, Carol Watkins

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

NEXT SUNDAY: Pastor Bill Hayden will be speaking.

**SAVE THE DATE**: The Chapel Hymn Sing is on Sunday, April 6th at 6PM. in the Conference Room. Plan to come, bring friends, select and sing some of your favorite hymns. Hymnals provided. Pie, coffee and fellowship will follow.

**WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP:** Our next meeting will be on Tuesday March 25 at 2pm in the conference room. As usual, please bring finger food to share.

**VOLUNTEERS:** are required to help with our Easter Cross. Please see insert.

**GRIEF SHARE:** Tomorrow, 17th March at 10.30am -12 noon in the Sequoia Room.

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March 16th 2025
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