

The Vine

I am the vine; you are the branches...John 15:5

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No one likes to feel powerless. It makes you feel like you have no options. It makes you feel hopeless. It makes you feel inferior and weak. It makes you feel as if you have no control over circumstances.

So often we are inclined to try to assert power in order to regain some control. We want to feel in charge. Sometimes, we forget we serve an all-powerful God. We begin to push God aside and try to accomplish everything in our own strength.

Jesus knows our weaknesses. He knows our struggles. He understands the pressure we are under and the temptations we are faced with. Whether it is financial worries, relationship strains, temptations to sin, or any other fears and anxieties, Jesus gets us. He has experienced everything we could experience and emerged victorious.

The Bible tells us over and over not to worry or fear. It is not because our problems aren't real. It is because God loves us and he is powerful enough to handle our problems. We are more than conquerors through him who loved us because Jesus's power is unlimited, and because he is for us, he is always there to help us.

Remember, the power of God that is available to us isn't some magic spell that will give us what we want. God will help and empower us in the way he knows is best.

Like Paul, who asked for his thorn in the flesh to be removed, we must be content when God says know to what we want. It is in those times that the power of God shines through our weakness. So Paul proclaimed, *Therefore I will boast all the more gladly of my weaknesses, so that the power of Christ may rest upon me. (2 Corinthians 12:9b)*

This month's readings will show us God's power and the power we have through faith in him.

As always, read, meditate on, and pray over the following verses. If you have extra time, read the context and look up related references. The goal is to understand and live a life that the power of Christ works through you.

Mike

30 Days of Power

- June 1: Genesis 1
- June 2: Exodus 14:13-31
- June 3: Deut. 7:17-26
- June 4: Deut 10:12-22
- June 5: 1 Chron 29:10-19
- June 6: Job 37
- June 7: Psalm 18:1-19
- June 8: Psalm 29
- June 9: Psalm 145
- June 10: Isaiah 40:21-31
- June 11: Matthew 9:18-34
- June 12: Mark 5
- June 13: Luke 5:12-26
- June 14: John 6:1-21
- June 15: John 11:38-44
- June 16: Matthew 27:32-28:10
- June 17: Mark 16:1-8
- June 18: Luke 24:1-35
- June 19: John 20
- June 20: Acts 1:1-11
- June 21: Rom. 8:9-11, 31-39
- June 22: 1 Cor 1:18-31
- June 23: 2 Cor. 12:1-10
- June 24: Ephesians 1:15-23
- June 25: Ephesians 3:14-21
- June 26: Ephesians 6:10-20
- June 27: Hebrews 1
- June 28: Revelation 1:9-20
- June 29: Revelation 19:11-21
- June 30: Revelation 20

Bonus verses: Neh 8:10; Zeph 3:17; Romans 1:4, 16; 1 Cor 6:14; 2 Cor 4:7; 2 Cor 10:4; Phil 3:10, 21; Phil 4:13; 2 Tim 1:7; 2 Pet 1:3



Church Work Day

On June 18th, we will have a church work day. There are several small projects we need to work on from painting, staining, digging up the sump pump drain pipe and installing smoke detectors. Any help would be appreciated. We will start at 8:00 a.m. If there is inclement weather we will reschedule to June 25th.

thank you

To all who donated items and time for the garage/bake sale, a big thank you. The proceeds will be used for supplies for the School Supply give away.



Women of Faith, a local Bible Study group, is hosting a Faith-Health Fair, Saturday, June 11th, 3p.m.-7p.m, at the City Park. There will be food trucks, games, informational booths on JF county services, and JF county churches. The purpose is to reach out to families to make them aware our churches are still alive and well after the pandemic as well as other help agencies in our county.

Aisha and Rhonda are hosting a bubble booth to represent VFCC. The evening will conclude with a gospel concert beginning at 6 p.m.

Any help to represent our church would be appreciated see Rhonda to volunteer.

Plan to attend for an evening of enjoyment for all ages.

Men's Breakfast: Men's breakfast will be Saturday, June 11th, 8 a.m., Stan Farr will be cooking.

Pocket Change for Progress: Please continue saving your pocket change for VFCC youth programs and School Supply Project. There is a bucket for your change anytime, not just the third Sunday.

Past sermons are available online at www.valleyfallscc.org. If you cannot access them this way, you may ask Pastor Mike for a cd copy.

On line sermon opportunity: For those sheltering at home, church service will be available to live stream on YouTube (and Facebook). Also available on YouTube, previous services.

Don't forget to subscribe to Valley Falls Christian Church YouTube channel



Sermon Series, Scripture

June 05	Holiness Revelation 4:8-11
June 12	Seals Revelation 6:12-17
June 19	Father's Day Worship Revelation 7:9-12
June 26	Trumpets Revelation 8:1-5

June	Greeters Communion Prep	Scripture	Devotion	Servers	Nursery
05	Barret	Barret Rev 4:8-11	Jarret	Jay/Stan/ Jarret /Brian	Debbie/Abby
12	Spencer	Spencer Rev 6:12-17	Jarret	Jay/Stan// Steve / Jackson	Tiffany/Aleyna
19	R Mitchell	R Mitchell Rev 7:9-12	Jarret	Jay/Stan/ Ray /Chad	Brittany/Dakota
26	Farr	Farr Rev 8:1-5	Jarret	Jay/Stan/ Kyle /Clinton	Aisha/Rhonda

June communion devotion and prayer: Jarret Mitchell

Prayer Requests: Becky Arnold, Christy Arnold, Emma Dockweiler, Ukraine & Afghanistan, Lee Miller Family, Rob Elias Family, Francis Hosler Family Brenda Lloyd, Uvalde, TX

OUR SOLDIERS: Curtis Mitchell, Aaron Cook, Jacob Mitchell, Matthew Branam, Noe Garza, Gary Flack, Dayton Flack

Church Offerings:

Apr 03 \$ 5,970
Apr 10 \$ 635
Apr 17 \$ 1,651
Apr 24 \$ 1484

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<https://gyve.io/give/valleyfallscc>



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June Birthdays and Anniversaries

2 Eric O'Neill
TABITA MCAFEE
5 Donna Slavens
6 Carol Welborn
Brian & Lori Barrett (1992)
10 Sawyer Wistuba
Rowdy Wistuba
17 LeighAnna Moffet
Janet Strang
29 Stan & Donetta Farr (1974)
30 Kelly Heinen



FLAMING SPIRIT CAMP 2022 Schedule

	Registration Deadline	Camp Week
HS	May 22 nd	June 5-10
JR High	May 29 th	June 12-17
Jr.	June 5 th	June 19-23
Day Camp,	June 12 th	June 25
Middler &	"	June 26-28
1 st Chance	"	June 28-29

All registrations are online at:
www.flamingspirit.com

Last day to register to vote for the Primary, is June 10th, 2022.

In August, during the Primary, the Pro Life amendment "Value Them Both:" will be on the KS ballot.

For more information on this amendment to the KS Constitution go to; valuethemboth.com

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Wonderfully

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Psalm 139:14

RETURN SERVICE
REQUESTED

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You are welcome to join us!

Sunday Service times:

Bible Study (all ages) – 9:00 AM Worship – 10:00 AM Youth Group (grades 7-12) – 5:00 PM

Midweek: Bible Study-7:00 PM

Sunday	Monday	Wednesday	Thursday/Friday	Saturday
		1	2/3	4
5	6	8	9/10	11
5 PM – Youth Group	1:30 PM Sunflower Crafters			8 a.m. Men’s Breakfast 3 p.m.-7p.m. Faith-Health Fair
12	13	15	16/17	18
5 PM – Youth Group	1:30 PM Sunflower Crafters			8 AM Church Work Day
Father’s Day 19	20	22	23/24	25
No Youth Group	1:30 PM Sunflower Crafters			
26	27	29	30	
5 PM Youth Group	1:30 PM Sunflower Crafters			