

August 23, 2020

Kirk O' The Valley
Presbyterian Church



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The Beatitudes

10:00 a.m.

Welcome & Prayer - Pastor Len Tiso

Praise Music:- *"Let It Rise"* - Mark Bailey

Verse 1

Let the glory of the Lord
Rise among us
Let the glory of the Lord
Rise among us
Let the praises of the King
Rise among us
Let it rise

Verse 2

Let the songs of the Lord
Rise among us

Let the songs of the Lord
Rise among us
Let the joy of the King
Rise among us let it rise

Chorus

O let it rise
O let it rise

**Repeat Verse 1, Repeat Verse 2, Repeat Chorus,
Repeat Verse 1, Repeat Verse 2, Repeat Chorus, Repeat Chorus**

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Announcements - Pastor Len Tiso

Call To Worship - Pastor Len Tiso

Blessed are those who come seeking God's wisdom,
and looking to Jesus who alone can give a right perspective for life,
for Jesus has revealed a vision of a new reality, and opened to us a new way of seeing.
Blessed are those who look from Jesus' viewpoint, a total reversal from the viewpoint of
the world.

Let us look where he points,

Let us trust in him who gives us sightings of God's realm of simplicity, hope and
compassion.

Let us worship God whose grace draws us here and who enlightens our eyes. Amen.

Opening Hymn - "He Knows My Name" - Mark Bailey

Verse 1

I have a Maker
He formed my heart
Before even time began
My life was in His hand

Chorus

He knows my name
He knows my every thought
He sees each tear that falls
And hears me when I call

Verse 2

I have a Father
He calls me His own
He'll never leave me
No matter where I go

Repeat Chorus, Repeat Chorus, Repeat Chorus

Ending

He knows your name
He knows your every thought
He sees all those tear that falls
And He hears you when you call

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Scripture Reading - Pastor Len Tiso

Matt 5:10-12: ¹⁰“Blessed are those who are persecuted for righteousness’ sake, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven. ¹¹“Blessed are you when people revile you and persecute you and utter all kinds of evil against you falsely on my account. ¹² Rejoice and be glad, for your reward is great in heaven, for in the same way they persecuted the prophets who were before you.

Reader: This is The Word of the Lord

People: Thanks be to God.

Special Music - “Blessed Are” - Words & Music by Mark Bailey

Message - “Blessed Are the Persecuted” - Pastor Len Tiso

Response Hymn - “Blessed Are The Poor in Spirit” - Eric Cloud

Tune: BEACH SPRING **#422** (“God, Whose Loving Knows No Ending”)

Words: Norman Elliot - 1967

Verse 1

Blessed are the poor in spirit,
claiming nothing as their own
but as giv'n them by their Father
that his goodness may be shown.
Blest are they who share the sorrow
of their God's unchanging love;
they shall know his presence with them
and his promised comfort prove.

Verse 2

Blessed are the strong but gentle,
trained to serve a higher will,
wise to know the eternal purpose
which their Father shall fulfill.
Blest are they who with true passion
strive to make the right prevail,
for the earth is God's possession
and his purpose will not fail.

Verse 3

Blest are they who show their mercy
to the guilty and the poor,
for to them, set free from judgment,
shall be opened heaven's door.
Blessed, the sincere and truthful
from the lie's deception free,
for the God of truth and beauty
they in joy will surely see.

Verse 4

Blessed are the brave and peaceful,
bringing peace where'er they live,
God shall own them as his children
and through them his peace will give.
All for love and truth who suffer
in your God rejoice and sing;
he, the end of all your striving,
he, your Father, Lord and King.

The Lord's Prayer

People: 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, the power and the glory, for ever. Amen.

Celebration Video - Last Week's Baptism

Closing Song - "He is Exalted" - Mark Bailey

Verse

He is exalted
The King is exalted on high
I will praise Him
He is exalted forever exalted
And I will praise His name

Chorus

He is the Lord
Forever His truth shall reign
Heaven and earth
Rejoice in His holy name
He is exalted
The King is exalted on high

Repeat Verse, Repeat Chorus, Repeat Chorus

Ending

He is exalted
The King is exalted on high

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Benediction - Pastor Len Tiso

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Children's Ministry - We are having virtual Sunday School for our children. The current theme is "Indescribable.... Your Creator Has No Limits" Here is the schedule:

10:00 am - 10:05 am Music with Nathan (Words will be provided on the screen)

10:05 am - 10:20 am Preschool Sunday School

10:20 AM - 11:15 am Grade School Sunday School

For questions about Children's Ministries please email us at: childrensministries@kirkval.org

Offerings

Although we are not gathered in our sanctuary on Sunday mornings, we still have two ways to give:

1. Write a check, made out to the Kirk O'The Valley Presbyterian Church, with a designation in the bottom left corner for General Fund, or a specific fund. Mail it to:
Kirk O' The Valley Presbyterian Church
19620 Vanowen Street,
Reseda CA 91335.
2. Online... It only takes 5 minutes to setup
 - a. Go to the website: www.kirkval.org
 - b. Create your online profile.
 - c. Log in
 - d. Go to donations. Complete all information there.
 - e. Put in your donation and credit card info.
 - f. The money will be sent to the Kirk.
 - g. All online information is private and is not shared.

Please know that your generous offering is greatly appreciated and will keep the Kirk and its outreach alive and well. Thank you for your generosity!

Kirk Family Photos: Count Your Blessings - Keep connected with your Kirk family by sharing photos of what you and your family are doing during this time of stay safe at home. It is simple, snap a fun picture and tell us a little about the picture. Then email both to: fellowship@kirkval.org.

Make sure you visit the church blog to view the pictures. It can be found at the Kirk Website at www.kirkval.org. On the home page, click on the fellowship tab and use the drop down menu to find "Count Your Blessings"

Prayer - Please email us with any praise reports or prayer requests at fellowship@kirkval.org. We would love to pray alongside you!

Contact Us - If you are new to the Kirk, have questions about our community, and/or would like someone to contact you, please email us at fellowship@kirkval.org.

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