



*Building a community of forgiveness, purpose and hope in Jesus Christ*

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January 13, 2019

10:15 a.m.

**ORGAN PRELUDE**

Brethren, We Have Met to Worship    arr. C. Hamlin  
*Randy Woods, Minister of Worship & Music*

**WELCOME**

*Don Pullen, Associate Pastor*

**CALL TO WORSHIP**

Hymnal Reading #294—Let Us Sing to the Lord

**\*SING GOD'S PRAISE**

Hymn #319—Praise to the Lord, the Almighty

## SCRIPTURE LESSON

David's God: King and Shepherd

Psalm 89:8-13; 93:1; 84:11; 23

*LEADER: David Pavey, Assistant Pastor*

**LEADER:** You asked to see God; to know what he is like. I have seen him in many ways. I have seen his power unleashed like a storm and set great forces into motion.

**MEN:** You are mighty, O Lord, and your faithfulness surrounds you.

**WOMEN:** You rule over the surging sea;

**CHOIR:** When its waves mount up, you still them.

**MEN:** The heavens are yours,

**WOMEN:** And yours also the earth;

**CONGREGATION:** You founded the world and all that is in it.

**MEN:** You created the north and the south;

**WOMEN:** Mounts Tabor and Hermon sing for you at your name.

**MEN:** Your arm is endued with power;

**WOMEN:** Your hand is strong,

**CONGREGATION:** Your right hand is exalted.

**LEADER:** What is God like? To what shall I compare him? Oh, I have seen him and I know him. To me...

**CHOIR:** The Lord is robed in majesty and armed with strength.

**CONGREGATION:** The Lord God is a sun and shield.

**WOMEN:** The Lord bestows favor and honor.

**CONGREGATION:** No good thing does he withhold for those whose walk is blameless.

**LEADER:** The God I served as a boy was the shepherd's God. Today, he is still the loving One who is called the Good Shepherd.

**CONGREGATION:** The Lord is my shepherd, I shall not be in want.

**MEN:** He makes me lie down in green pastures,

**WOMEN:** He leads me beside quiet waters,

**CONGREGATION:** He restores my soul.

**LEADER:** He guides me in the paths of righteousness for his name's sake.

**CHOIR:** Even though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil.

**CONGREGATION:** For you are with me.

**MEN:** Your rod and your staff, they comfort me.

**LEADER:** Our Shepherd-King receives us at his table and protects us.

**CONGREGATION:** You prepare a table before me in the presence of my enemies.

**WOMEN:** You anoint my head with oil;

**MEN:** My cup overflows.

**LEADER:** Even as a young shepherd, I was aware of God's covenant, his unfailing love.

**CONGREGATION:** Surely goodness and mercy will follow me all the days of my life.

**LEADER:** And I will dwell in the house of the Lord

**ALL:** Forever.

### **CHORAL MINISTRY**

The Lord's My Shepherd (Psalm 23) R. Boud  
*piano accompanist, Ronald Boud (Estuary)*

### **PRAYER OF PRAISE & PETITION**

*David Nesselrode (Fort Myers)*

### **GIVING OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS**

### **ORGAN OFFERTORY**

Fellowship Medley arr. L. Leatherman  
Blest Be the Tie That Binds, The Family of God  
I Love You with the Love of the Lord, The Bond of Love

**SHEPHERD THE FLOCK, 1 Peter 5:1-5**

*Andy Hawkins, Senior Pastor*

**\*SING GOD'S PRAISE**

Hymn #289—The Servant Song

**\*BENEDICTION**

*David Pavey, Assistant Pastor*

**ORGAN POSTLUDE**

Concluding Voluntary in C Major C. Vincent  
*Randy Woods, Minister of Worship & Music*

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## For Your Information

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**THIS SUNDAY** Pastor Andy will begin a two message series featuring biblical shepherding. As The Village Church begins the new Elder Shepherding Ministry, it is important that our fellowship understand the biblical mandate for shepherding, as well as the responsibilities and boundaries for Elders and congregation alike. The first message is entitled "Shepherd the Flock!" from 1 Peter 5.1-5. In the evening our first Season of Praise concert featuring The King's Brass will take place.

**TIM ZIMMERMAN & THE KING'S BRASS** concert will be tonight at 6:15 p.m. and will include classic hymn arrangements with a contemporary flair. The King's Brass features trumpets, trombones, tuba, percussion, and keyboards which blend together to create a time of innovative worship enjoyed by all generations. Based out of Fort Wayne, IN, The King's Brass is comprised of professional musicians from across the country and play over 120 concerts per year. The King's Brass offers an unforgettable concert experience. The Village Church is pleased to make this music ministry a free gift to our community; no ticket is needed. The Orchard Alliance is pleased to support The Village Church and partially sponsor the Season of Praise concert series. This is just one example of how we're serving the Kingdom together.

**NEXT SUNDAY** Pastor Hawkins will conclude his two message series on biblical shepherding. The message will be entitled "Discerning Sheep" based on Hebrews 13. Having examined the role and responsibility of local church elders in shepherding the flock, we turn our attention to the congregation's unique contribution to the shepherding ministry. In the evening service

we'll hear from a group from our church who are mentors with Crossroads Prison Ministry. They are touching lives of those incarcerated by helping them learn about Jesus through Bible study correspondence lessons. Pastor Don will lead the service.

**STUDY WITH THE PASTOR** -- Anyone who is participating or would like to participate in Study with the Pastor by using the Scripture Union devotional Encounter with God are invited to an interactive gathering tomorrow morning, January 14, at 10:15 a.m. in the Hospitality Room. Bring a favorite observation or blessing you have received from the devotional to share with the group, or even a question for the Pastor. Materials are available; the cost is \$5 per quarter.

**MOVIE NIGHT** will be held tomorrow, January 14 at 6:45 p.m. in the Social Center. Join friends as you view "The Trial." After the horrific death of his wife and two sons, suicide seems to be the only escape for a small town attorney Mac McClain (Matthew Modine), until he's assigned a capital punishment case defending a young man accused of murdering the daughter of an influential local man that begins to transform his life. Plan to join in this uplifting performance.

**WOMEN'S CONNECTIONS INVITES YOU TO A LIVELY** and inspiring panel discussion on The State of the World. Come learn where missionaries and finances are being used as we continue the work of the Great Commission and seek to bring back the King. Invite a friend and join us at 10:00 a.m. on Wednesday, January 16, for refreshments, followed by the panel discussion.

**NEW GRIEFSHARE SEASON STARTING:** It hurts to lose someone! Find help at GriefShare. GriefShare is a friendly,

caring group of people who will walk alongside you through one of life's most difficult experiences. You don't have to go through the grieving process alone. Residents Jim and Judy Mayer lead our group that meets every Thursday at 1:30 p.m. for thirteen weeks, beginning this Thursday (1/17) in the Sabal Room at the Woodlands Commons. The sessions are 90 minutes and include video teaching and group discussion. Call the Mayers to register at 454-3139.

**HAVE YOU CONSIDERED** becoming a member of The Village Church? Join Pastor Andy for a membership class on Sunday, January 20, at 4:30 p.m. in the Hospitality Room. Attending the class does not obligate you in any way, but will be an opportunity to learn more about The Village Church and ask questions.

**MISSIONS REQUEST:** Please pray that God will untangle the visa problem that Wil and Katie, Janet Howard's grandchildren, are facing. The university where Wil studies in SE Asia has supported his master's thesis proposal but the immigration department insists Wil's intent is to make personal money while on a student visa. Pray that the university leaders who support Wil can clarify the situation to the local immigration officials so that his student visa can be renewed. The worst case scenario could be that Wil and Katie would be deported.



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# This Week at The Village Church

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## **SUNDAY — January 13**

6:15 pm Season of Praise — *The King's Brass* Sanctuary

## **MONDAY — January 14**

8 am, 4 and 8 pm *Sunday Morning Service Rebroadcast on SPTV Channel 13*

10:15 am Study with the Pastor Hospitality Room

10:15 am CE Committee Library

6:45 pm Movie Night — *The Trial* Social Center

## **TUESDAY — January 15**

8 am, 4 and 8 pm *Sunday Morning Service Rebroadcast on SPTV Channel 13*

8:15 am Stamp Ministry Stamp Room

1:15 pm WC Prayer for Missions Chapel

3:15 pm Celebration Ringers Choir Room

4:30 pm Alpha The Woodlands

7:00 pm Trailblazers Arbor Community Room

## **WEDNESDAY — January 16**

8 am, 4 and 8 pm *Sunday Evening Service Rebroadcast on SPTV Channel 13*

7:45 am Men's Bible Study Osprey Room

10:15 am Women's Connections — The State of the World Hospitality Room

2:15 pm Knitters Anonymous Osprey Room

5:45 pm Choir Rehearsal Choir Room

7:15 pm Prayer & Praise Sanctuary

## **THURSDAY — January 17**

8 am, 4 and 8 pm *Sunday Morning Service Rebroadcast on SPTV Channel 13*

1:30 pm	GriefShare	Sabal Room
2:00 pm	Stamp Ministry	Stamp Room
3:00 pm	Soul Keeping	Chapel
3:00 pm	Springs Bible Study	The Springs Private Dining Room
4:00 pm	Ministry Council	SP Administration Board Room

**FRIDAY — January 18**

*8 am, 4 and 8 pm Sunday Evening Service Rebroadcast on SPTV Channel 13*

8:15 am	Stamp Ministry	Stamp Room
1:30 pm	No Vespers	The Arbor
2:30 pm	No Vespers	King's Crown
3:30 pm	No Vespers	The Springs

**SUNDAY — January 20**

8:20 am	Elders' Prayer	Conference Room
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**CHRISTIAN LIFE STUDIES — 9:00 a.m.**

<u>Class</u>	<u>Location</u>
Drawing Near	Chapel
The Living Word	Library
Great Commission Crash Course	Hospitality Room

10:15 am Morning Worship — *Andy Hawkins* Sanctuary  
*(Recorded broadcast available Sunday afternoon at*  
*[www.VillageChurchShellPoint.org](http://www.VillageChurchShellPoint.org))*

4:30 pm	Membership Class	Hospitality Room
6:15 pm	Evening Worship & Fellowship — <i>Don Pullen</i>	Sanctuary



**SERIES: SHEPHERDS OF THE VILLAGE CHURCH**  
***Shepherd the Flock!***

**Text: 1 Peter 5.1-4**

**Speaker: *Andy Hawkins***

***The Village Church • January 13, 2019 • 10:15 a.m.***

**What's the Big Deal about \_\_\_\_\_?**

**The \_\_\_\_\_**

**The \_\_\_\_\_**

**Not ...**

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**Who's \_\_\_\_\_ ?**

**The Shepherd's \_\_\_\_\_**

# Save The Date

- Jan 13 The King's Brass Concert  
Jan 14 Study with the Pastor  
Jan 14 TVC Movie Night — The Trial  
Jan 15 Alpha begins  
Jan 16 Women's Connections — The State of the World  
Jan 17 GriefShare begins  
Jan 20 New Member Class  
Feb 4 Study with the Pastor  
Feb 10 Annual Congregational Meeting  
Feb 17-24 Global Impact Week

*A more extended list of upcoming events  
and the up-to-date church calendar  
is available at [www.VillageChurchShellPoint.org](http://www.VillageChurchShellPoint.org)*

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