Meaning and Purpose

Zechariah 14:1-9

August 17, 2014
Sunday Worship 8:00, 9:30 and 11:00 am

Rise & Sing

If you're alive and you've been redeemed, rise and sing, rise and sing.
If you've been touched by the mercy King, rise and sing, rise and sing.

If you were bound but now you're free, rise and sing, rise and sing.
Lift up a shout of victory, rise and sing, rise and sing.

Chorus: Our God is risen and reigning, and we're elevating the glory of our God and King.
Everybody rise and sing,

If in your heart rings a melody, rise and sing, rise and sing.
If you have tasted and you have seen, rise and sing, rise and sing. (Chorus 2x)

Let the redeemed of the Lord sing, hallelujah (Hallelujah).
Let the redeemed of the Lord sing, our God reigns (Our God reigns).
Let the redeemed of the Lord sing, hallelujah (Hallelujah).
Let the redeemed of the Lord sing, our God reigns (Our God reigns). (Chorus 3x)

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Forever Reign

You are good; You are good when there's nothing good in me.
You are love; You are love on display for all to see.
You are light; You are light when the darkness closes in.
You are hope; You are hope, You have covered all my sin.

You are peace; You are peace when my fear is crippling.
You are true; You are true, even in my wandering.
You are joy; You are joy, You're the reason that I sing.
You are life; You are life, in You death has lost its sting.

Chorus: Oh, I'm running to Your arms, I'm running to Your arms.
The riches of Your love, will always be enough.
Nothing compares to Your embrace, Light of the world, forever reign

You are more; You are more than my words will ever say.
You are Lord; You are Lord, all creation will proclaim.
You are here; You are here, in Your presence I'm made whole.
You are God, You are God of all else I'm letting go. (Chorus)

My heart will sing no other name Jesus, Jesus. (3x)

Chorus

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Prayer of Adoration

Connie Jordan-Haas

Please request large-print hymnals from ushers.
Assistive listening devices are available in the balcony from the Sound Technician.
A hearing loop is installed under the rear balcony. Please switch your hearing aid to T-coil.
Alleluia

Julianne Kim, Soloist

W.A. Mozart

Prayer of Confession/Assurance of Pardon

Connie Jordan-Haas

Keep Making Me

Underground Worship Team

God Sighting

Kristen Blee

Offering

Underground Worship Team

Offering

Paul Baloch

During the Offertory, please pass the Friendship Pad.

Scripture:
Zechariah 14:1-9

Sermon

Meaning and Purpose

Pete James

All Creatures of Our God & King

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All creatures of our God and King Lift up your voice and with us sing,
Alleluia! Alleluia!
Thou burning sun with golden beam, Thou silver moon with softer gleam!

Refrain: O praise Him! O praise Him!
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

Thou rushing wind that art so strong Ye clouds that sail in Heaven along,
O praise Him! Alleluia!
Thou rising moon, in praise rejoice, Ye lights of evening, find a voice! (Refrain)

Thou flowing water, pure and clear, Make music for thy Lord to hear,
O praise Him! Alleluia!
Thou fire so masterful and bright, That givest man both warmth and light. (Refrain)

Benediction

Postlude

Darrell Scott, organist
Prayers

Grieving: Tom Bauer (aunt); Jerry Brentlinger (wife, Polly); Denelle Freund (mother); Eleanor Hay (mother-in-law); Susan Kenney (father); Chet Lund (sister); the family of Kathrine Masyn; Debby Scozzie (sister-in-law Roxanne); Martha Sides (sister)

Hospitalized: Julia Kuykendall; Alex Main; Nassim Saliba; Thomas Bogar's friend Patricia; Nancy Eley's friends Kaylee (5) and Penny; Julie Knight's brother Jim; Kristin Krisko's brother; Michelle Rahal's cousin Nicole (21)

Facing Tests or Surgery: Mary Flounlacker's mother; Brad Miller's father

Homebound: Ellaveen Barmby

Ill or Convalescing: Emily Anderson (19); Jean Anspaugh; Beverly Bender; Patty Groce (Hospice); Erin Gilmore Hoffman; Wally Johnson; Anya Maggio (20); Jenn Maggio; Rory McDermott (11); Jen McIntyre; Kay Morrison; Megan Parker; Max Roos; Alice Winters (former missionary to Colombia supported by VPC); Roger Woodin;

Family and Friends: Ruth Anne Buterbaugh's cousin; William Buterbaugh's sister-in-law; Debbie Capp's father; Barbara Carlson's friend Rebekah; Grady & Barbara Carlson's sister-in-law Marcia; Beth Crowder's friend Rakesh(28); Ayaranna Darst's friend Mary & family; Denny Davis; Donna DeLanoy's mother; Karen Dunlop's & Neil Dunlop's niece Kathy; Stephanie Eberhart's friend Elam; Jennifer Fleisher's friend Lauren(4); Jay Flounlacker's brother Mark; Mary Flounlacker's father; Linda Gabris's friend Nancy; Charles Geschiere's father; Cole Granger's grandfather; Bonnie Grouge's first father-in-law, Allan Kerr (Hospice); Brian Janusek's mother; Karen Dunlop's & Neil Kemple's friend Mike; Sharon Lewis's husband (Howard); Cherie Luytjes's father and her brother Tom; Janet McKechnie's daughter-in-law; Patti Young Merfa's sister Nancy; Betsy Needham's friend Pat; Baker & Jane Richard's friend Pat; Wendy Rose's mother; Polly Schiff's cousin Robin; Wayne & Sue Shrader's daughter Kelly; Randy & Diane Schumacher's friend Robert; Lee Self's friend Joe; Jane Sibley's brother Jim and her friend's baby; Martha Sides's sister (Hospice); Patrick Sobolik's mother; Rebecca Stevenson's mother; Bev Strean's goddaughter; Catherine Taylor's cousin Marjorie; Bonny Tynch's father and mother; Hendrika Vande Kemp's sister Grace; Leslie Vereide's father

Other: Jade Zaharoff; Ayaranna Darst's friend Billy; Cherie Luytjes's friend Jeannette; Crossroads-Connection; the missing Nigerian schoolgirls; the people across the US hit hard by severe weather and other natural disasters; peaceful resolution of the conflicts in Africa, the Middle East, and the Ukraine; persecuted Christians in Egypt, Iraq, Pakistan and the Sudan;

Missions/Missionaries of the week: Jeremy & Zhannah Leib, Intervarsity International, Central Asia (International); Brian & Brooke Barnett, CRU, Hampton Roads, VA (National); Our Daily Bread, Fairfax (Local)

Praise God for the life of Luther Martin, who turns 93 on August 21 and Mary Louie Rubin, who turns 91 on August 24.

Please keep these military men and women in your prayers: Petty Officer 1st Class, USN Caitlin Addams, Andrew Hall, USA, Capt. Heather Ichord, 2nd Lt. Austin A. Leedy, Lt. Dan Marotto, Andrew Rohrback

Please continue to pray for the men and women serving in the military. We are in the process of updating and rebuilding this list. If you have someone that you would like to have included on the list, please call Linda Kemple in the church office (703-938-9050) or e-mail linda.kemple@viennapres.org.
**Announcements**

**New to VPC? Just follow these steps to get connected in no time!**

**Let us know who you are.**
Let us know who you are and how we can help you to find your way at VPC! Fill out the Friendship Pad in worship on Sunday or visit the Welcome Table found in the sanctuary lobby.

**Explore.**
Visit Grapevine Books and browse what some of our groups and classes are studying, as well as the latest in Christian books and gifts. The store is just around the corner from the Welcome Table!

**Connect Here.**
Visit the Connect Here table in the lobby on Sunday morning. Learn about all the groups at VPC where you can grow and serve with others. Ask questions, get information, and find what you need! Begin the journey of living into VPC’s mission of “Becoming like Christ together for the world.”

**Find out more, and even join VPC!**
The Invitation to the Journey Class is a three-week class that explores our mission statement, “Becoming like Christ Together for the World.” For more information or to register for future classes, contact Deb Crumbliss at 703.938.9050 x108. (Next Class: September 2014)

To find out more, go to viennapres.org/firststeps
or contact Shannon at shannon.jordan@viennapres.org or 703.938.9050 x123.

**Good Drivers Needed:** Volunteer to serve as a Friendship Class driver one Sunday a month.

Class members are dropped off prior to the 9:30 service.
We currently have multiple slots to fill.
Your help would be greatly appreciated.

Please contact Sandi McLauchlin, sandimcl@gmail.com or Tom Bauer, tabauer64@gmail.com for details.

**Youth Choir & Orchestra Workshop**

**Saturday, August 23, 9am-12pm in the Underground.**

Register by contacting Kerry Wilkerson at kerry.wilkerson@viennapres.org or 703.938.9050 x133
or register in the narthex the day of the event

For students 7th-12th grade.
Participants in the workshop will lead worship at all three services on Sunday, Aug 24!
THE STORY
READ THE STORY. EXPERIENCE THE BIBLE.
THE STORY sermon series begins September 7. 1st chapter reading begins September 1.

What is it?
The Story is an abridged, chronological Bible that reads like a novel. There are no verse references, and Scripture segments are seamlessly woven together with transition text into a single grand narrative.

Why read it?
The most common item found on American’s bucket lists? According to The Barna Research Group, 72 percent of all Americans say they want to “read the Bible all the way through.” The Story brings the Bible to you in a more accessible, easily understood way.

THE STORY
Available at Grapevine books at a discounted price
Children’s, Teen and Adult editions available

Why talk about it?
Working in community to process the Bible will help you more fully connect your life to God’s plans. In that connection you can “become like Christ together for the world!”

Share & Connect
Small group
Micro groups
Bible studies
Classes
Devotionals

Connect your story to God’s story
General Announcements

VPC Preschool provides a spiritual and developmental education for children ages 2½ through 5. We still have spaces available in our 2½-year-old program for the 2014-15 school year. Please email or call the preschool office for more information: preschool@viennapres.org or 703.255.1419.

Marriage Prep classes will be held Sundays, September 14-October 5, 10:45-12:15, plus all morning on Saturday, September 20. These free sessions are required for those being married by our pastors, but open to others also. Based on enrollment, a decision will be made September 3 as to whether this session will be held. Mary Monie, 703.938.9050; enroll ASAP at viennapres.org under Marriage Preparation. Next seminar: January 2015.

Grapevine Books: Sunday, August 24, author, Annette Alabaster a longtime Vienna/DC metro resident and former VPC member, will sign her book, Shaken not Forsaken, between services, outside Grapevine Books. (Annette’s husband owns John Alabaster Watch & Clock Shop which has been in Vienna for 40 years.) Annette’s autobiography traces her journey of depression to a victorious and happy life and reflects upon God’s merciful hand in her life.

Grapevine has a new stock of MY STORY journals to connect your own story to God’s story—stop by and pick one up today!

Serve

Do you like working with people? Do you excel at helping others with information? Join our team of volunteers to staff the reception desk in the main church office. It’s fun and interesting! If you think you might enjoy this experience, please contact Mary Monie, mary.monie@viennapres.org or 703.938.9050 x110.

Confident with Computers? Please consider volunteering as a tutor in the ESOL Computer Lab one hour a week. Contact Deb Rymer for more information at deb.rymer@viennapres.org or 703-938-9050 x 102.

Committee for Helping Others (CHO): CHO is an all-volunteer organization that helps the needy in our local area. Monetary donations are especially needed. To donate food, clothing, or furniture or to give monetary donations, please visit cho-va.com.

CROP Walk Rally: for walkers and organizers Sunday, September 21, 2 pm. Contact Mary Ann Singlaub, masinglaub@verizon.net or Betty Rahal, betty.rahal@verizon.net. Save the date for the CROP Walk on Sunday, November 9, 2 pm. Proceeds go to fight hunger both locally and locations all over the world.

Mothers of College Students are invited to be a part of a dynamic prayer ministry designed to uphold college students. MomsHooPray and University of Praying Moms begin again this fall. Email Kathy Burleson kathyburleson1@gmail.com or Margaret Cundiff cundifffamily@yahoo.com for more information.

Connect

SWATT (Christian Fellowship for Seniors 55+): On September 10, Historical interpreter, Jenee Lindner will assume the personas of Clara Barton (founder of American Red Cross), Julia Ward Howe (writer of Battle Hymn of the Republic), and Sarah Tracy (caretaker of Mt. Vernon during the civil war) sharing each of their American heroine sagas. Hospitality begins at 12:00 with hors d’oeuvres in the Gathering Space followed by the Potluck Luncheon in the Great Hall at 12. We welcome newcomers! No reservation required. Bring a friend and a dish for 8 to share.
Get to know the VPC Pastors

Sundays, 10:30-noon, September 21 through October 5

Meet Pastors Pete, David, and Glenda. Ask questions and find out more about the VPC community. This is also the first step to join VPC as a member.

No RSVP required, just come as you are!

Backpacks for local kids!

VPC is partnering with Feed the Children to stuff 100 backpacks for Cunningham Park Elementary. Please pray with your family about sponsoring a backpack. $20 checks made out to VPC with ‘backpack’ in the memo line is all it takes! Then come August 31st to help stuff the pre-purchased supplies. Questions? Dee.m.fall@gmail.com

MEET THE AUTHOR

Anna Whiston-Donaldson

Friday, September 12, 7pm, Great Hall

Books available for pre-order at Grapevine Books.

MEET THE AUTHOR

The Great Steak Out

Men’s Steak Out

Monday, September 15, 7-8:30pm, Great Hall

Cost: $20 in advance, $25 at the door (includes steak dinner & program) $10 in advance, $15 at the door (for first-time guests or those in transition)

“Stepping Into the Unknown” with special guest, Frank Finelli, Managing Director, Carlyle Group

To register: phil.kratovil@viennapres.org

Children’s Concert

Saturday, September 20, 10am, Sanctuary

Justin Roberts & the Not Ready For Naptime Players

Cost: $10/person, ($15 at the door) $40/family; under 2yrs old FREE
Check out Justin’s website to see what you’re in for: justinrobertsmusic.com

Register and buy tickets at viennapres.org/events

Financial Peace University

9-week course begins September 10, 7-8:45pm

$95/family includes lifetime registration/membership and all materials

Register by Monday, September 8, at viennapres.org/financialpeace

Stop worrying about money and start your financial peace today!
Learn

Disciple I: One of the most effective and formative classes ever taught at VPC! This 34-week class starts Tuesday, September 16, 7-9pm. Class leader: Barbara Greig. Contact Shannon Jordan at shannon.jordan@viennapres.org

Growing Your Soul: In its eighth year at VPC! A nine-month small group experience of communion and spiritual formation. Application and assessment are required. Visit: viennapres.org/GYS for info.

Perspectives Class: Registration and Orientation Sunday, August 17, 5-7pm at Heritage Fellowship, 2501 Fox Mill Rd., Reston. Come learn more about this worldwide Christian movement! Questions: contact Debbie Jeffers at debbie.jeffers@verizon.net

Care

GriefShare: Fall session begins Sunday, September 7, 6-7:30pm. Support for those grieving the death of a loved one. Brochures available in narthex and gathering space, or contact GriefShare@viennapres.org

Passages: For those going through separation or divorce. Fall session begins Tuesday, September 16, 7-9pm. Contact passages@viennapres.org.

Christian Cancer Companions: Contact Rita Lockwood at 703.573.6168.

Widows’ Dinner Group: 3rd Monday each month. Contact Betty Little at 703.281.4118.

Widows’ and Widowers’ Luncheons: 3rd Saturday each month. Linda Waters, coordinator: 703.860.8685.

NewSpring: Hope for the sexually abused. Contact David Jordan-Haas at 703.938.9050 x116.


Renewing Prayer Training Class: 13-week training class begins Tuesday, September 9, 7-9pm. Cost of workbook: $21. Requirements: commit to attend all classes; completion of homework assignments; strict confidentiality. For more information about Renewing Prayer, please contact Chris Shenefiel at cshen@gracewalk.net or visit viennapres.org/ministries/careprayer/prayer_ministry

Presbyterian Women’s Circles

Are you seeking a deeper connection with other women of our church? Join a Circle! VPC has 7 circles which meet once a month at various times and places during the week for fellowship and Bible study. This year’s study is on II Corinthians.

Please contact Linda Kemple at 703.222.0752 or linda.kemple@verizon.net with questions or to get plugged in!
Sunday Mornings at VPC

Children’s Ministries Volunteer Opportunities

Sunday Mornings, 2014/2015 School Year:
Classrooms • Greeters • Drama/Worship •
Mid-week opportunities

Contact Karen Covell at 703.938.9050 x125 or karen.covell@viennapres.org or
Daryl Wright at 703.938.9050 x126 or daryl.wright@viennapres.org

To volunteer for the 2½ year-old Sunday school,
please contact Valerie Clark at valerie.clark@viennapres.org

Student Ministries Volunteer Opportunities

Sunday evening small group leaders (MOST needed)

Sunday Morning:
Underground greeters, Friendship team assistants,
breakfast set-up helpers (30 minutes),
Media center organizer (monthly, flexible).

Make a difference in a teen’s life and see the difference it makes in yours!

Children’s Room Assignments - Summer Schedule

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Student Ministries (Middle School/High School—Lower Level): will resume with Sunday school and Youth Groups beginning Sunday, September 7. We look forward to seeing old friends and making new friends!

VPC-U on Sunday Morning

Friendship Class: Room 109, 9:30am. For adults with intellectual disabilities. Teachers: Emmy Parker, Jamie and Andrea Strahan, Matt Thrasher.

200 Level Foundations Class: Room 203/204, 9:30am. Join us as we build on the twin foundations of scripture and friendship. No preparation required! John and Kathy Draper, 703.539.8300 or jkdraper@ymail.com

300 Level Beyond Basics: Please join us for a cup of coffee and fellowship in Room 205 Sunday mornings 9:30 to learn about C.S. Lewis, *The Great Divorce*. Allen McCarley and Jon Lochhauss are leading the discussion of this acclaimed book and its famous author. Contact: Kate Lund is the class coordinator.
Summer Worship Word Scramble

Hint: Things you can see from your seat

srhowpi __________ mdsur __________
llinteub __________ hcceulan __________
ewp __________ stpoar __________
aconlby __________ ileBb __________

(answer key on page 8)

How many words can you make from the word Sanctuary?

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Wish to talk about our worship services?
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What We Believe:
Jesus is Lord.
Scripture is our authority.
Everyone is called to discipleship.

Our Mission:
Becoming like Christ Together for the World.