

June 2026 Worship Guide

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This booklet contains the outline for each worship service during the month of June 2026.

If you are not able to attend in person, you can watch online on our website and YouTube channel. Even if we are not worshipping in the same building, we are still one body, one family, we are brothers and sisters in Christ Jesus. Look up the scriptures referenced in the following pages; pray the words, and claim the promises for you and your family.

Dear Cherryvale Church Family,

As we enter the month of June, we find ourselves standing in a beautiful season within the life of the Church. The Easter season has carried us through resurrection hope, Ascension reminds us that Christ reigns even now, and Pentecost proclaims that the Holy Spirit is still at work among God's people today. This time of year often feels full of transition. School years come to an end, summer schedules begin, vacations are planned, gardens are planted, and the rhythms of life begin to shift. Yet in the middle of changing seasons, the faithfulness of God remains constant.

One of the things Scripture continually reminds us is that God does not merely meet us in extraordinary moments, but also in ordinary faithfulness. The Spirit is at work not only in dramatic moments like wind and fire at Pentecost, but also in daily acts of prayer, worship, kindness, encouragement, service, and love. God continues forming His people week by week, conversation by conversation, and act of grace by act of grace.

As a church family, I want to encourage us not to drift spiritually during the summer months. It can be easy for routines to change and for worship and prayer to slowly move to the margins. But this is also a wonderful season to deepen our walk with Christ:

- to spend time in Scripture,*
- to reconnect with prayer,*
- to worship faithfully,*
- to invite others into fellowship,*
- and to look for ways to serve our neighbors with the love of Christ.*

The Church is not simply a building we attend, it is a people being shaped together by the presence of God. Every time we gather, pray, sing, serve, or share in Holy Communion, we are reminded that we belong to Christ and to one another.

Thank you for the many ways you continue to serve, encourage, and care for one another here at Cherryvale. I am grateful for your faithfulness, your generosity, and the ways I continue to see God at work through this congregation.

As we move into June, may we remain open to the leading of the Holy Spirit. May we continue growing as disciples of Jesus Christ. And may we be people who carry the peace, hope, and love of Christ into our homes, workplaces, and community.

Grace and Peace,

Pastor Jonathan Greer

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June Worship

June 7

Scriptures to read and meditate on: Gen 12:1-9; Ps 33:1-12; Rom 4:13-25; Matt 9:9-13, 18-26

Call to Worship

Come, all who are weary from the journey. Come, all who are searching for direction and hope. God called Abram to leave behind what was familiar and walk by faith toward promise. We come as God still calls His people today. Come and worship the One who calls us forward in faith. We come to follow the God of promise. Come and worship the One who blesses so that we may be a blessing. We come to worship because we trust in the faithfulness of God.

Prayer of Confession

Gracious God, You call us to walk by faith, yet we cling to what is familiar. You call us toward trust, yet we fear uncertainty. You call us to be a blessing, yet we often turn inward toward ourselves. Forgive us when we resist Your leading. Forgive us when fear becomes greater than faith. Forgive us when we fail to trust Your promises. Form us again as Your people. Teach us to follow where You lead, to trust what we cannot yet see, and to live as people shaped by Your grace and promise.

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Faithful God, we thank you for this holy mystery in which you have given yourself to us. You have blessed us with every good gift. As Abram was called to become a blessing to the nations, so You call us to offer ourselves in joyful service to You. Receive our gifts today. Use them for the work of Your kingdom, that others may come to know Your grace, mercy, and promise. Grant that we may go into the world, standing on Your promises, as we give ourselves for others in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

June 14

Scriptures to read and meditate on: Gen 18:1-15 (21:1-7); Ps 116:1-2, 12-19; Rom 5:1-8; Matt 9:35-10:23

Call to Worship

God welcomes us today with grace and mercy. The God who brought laughter out of barrenness and life out of impossibility calls us into worship. Nothing is too wonderful for the Lord. When Abraham and Sarah could not imagine how God's promise could come true, God remained faithful. Nothing is too wonderful for the Lord. When fear and doubt cloud our hearts, God continues to speak hope. Nothing is too wonderful for the Lord. Come and worship the God who keeps covenant through every generation. We come to joyfully praise the God of promise and new life.

Prayer of Confession

Faithful God, You speak promises of life, hope, and renewal, yet we often respond with doubt and fear. Like Sarah, we sometimes laugh at what seems impossible. We trust our limitations more than Your power. We measure the future by our own understanding instead of by Your faithfulness. Forgive us when discouragement overcomes trust. Forgive us when disappointment hardens our hearts. Forgive us when we forget that nothing is too wonderful for You. Renew our faith. Teach us to trust Your promises even when we cannot yet see the outcome.

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Faithful God, You are the giver of every good and perfect gift. As You fulfilled Your promise to Sarah with joy and laughter, so You continue to pour grace and mercy into our lives. Receive these gifts, our tithes, and our offerings. Use them for the work of Your kingdom, that hope may rise where despair has taken root, and joy may flourish where hearts have grown weary. Send us from this place trusting not in what we can accomplish alone, but leaning on Your everlasting arms. For nothing is impossible for you. Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

June Worship

June 21

Scriptures to read and meditate on: Gen 21:8-21; Ps 86:1-17; Ps 17:1-7, 15; Rom 6:1b-11; Matt 10:24-39

Call to Worship

Come, all who are weary from the journey. Come, all who are searching for direction and hope. God called Abram to leave behind what was familiar and walk by faith toward promise. Come, all who are weary and searching for hope. Come, all who have known wilderness, uncertainty, or sorrow. The God who heard Hagar crying in the desert still hears the cries of His people today. When the world overlooks the forgotten, God sees them with mercy and compassion. The Lord is near to the brokenhearted. When fear and despair overwhelm us, God opens wells of hope in the wilderness. The God who sees us will not forsake us. Come and worship the God of grace and faithful love. We come to worship the Almighty Lord, who sees and hears His people.!

Prayer of Confession

Merciful God, You are the One who sees the forgotten, hears the cries of the hurting, and remains near in the wilderness. Yet too often we fail to trust Your presence. We confess that we become consumed by fear and anxiety. We overlook those who are suffering or cast aside. We think we are abandoned and alone instead of remembering that You are the God who sees. Forgive us when fear becomes despair and when we forget Your faithfulness in difficult seasons. Open our eyes to Your presence, renew our trust in Your mercy, and teach us to become people of compassion and hope.

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Gracious God, You are the One who sees us in every season of life and provides mercy even in the wilderness. Receive these gifts, our tithes, and our offerings. Use them to bring hope to the hurting, care to the forgotten, and the light of Christ to those walking through difficult places. As You opened a well in the desert for Hagar and Ishmael, open our hearts to trust Your provision and share Your compassion with others. Fill us with the blessed assurance that we are Your children, held in Your care and sustained by Your grace. Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

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## **June 28**

**Scriptures to read and meditate on:** Gen 22:1-14; Ps 13; Rom 6:12-23; Matt 10:40-42

### **Call to Worship**

Come, people of God, and worship the One who is faithful in every season. When the path is uncertain and the road is steep, God remains present with His people. Abraham trusted God upon the mountain. We come to place our trust in the Lord. God is our provider in times of fear and uncertainty. The Lord will provide. Come and worship the God whose mercy and faithfulness endure forever. We come to worship with faith, hope, and trust.

### **Prayer of Confession**

Faithful God, You call us to trust You even when the road ahead is uncertain, yet we often cling to fear instead of faith. Like Abraham, we are asked to place our lives in Your hands, but we struggle to surrender control. We want certainty instead of trust and comfort instead of obedience. Forgive us when anxiety overwhelms trust and when we doubt Your provision and care. Forgive us when fear keeps us from following where You lead. Teach us to trust You more deeply. Strengthen us to walk by faith even when we cannot yet see the outcome, and remind us that You are the God who provides. Amen.

### **Prayer of Thanksgiving**

Generous and faithful God, You are the giver of every good and perfect gift. As You provided for Abraham upon the mountain, so You continue to provide for Your people with grace and mercy. Receive these gifts, our tithes, and our offerings. Use them for the work of Your kingdom, that others may come to know the hope, peace, and provision found in Christ. Teach us to trust and obey You, with open hands and faithful hearts, remembering always that the Lord will provide. Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

# Bible Geography Word Search.

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**Bible Geography Word Search** - Find the **50** words or phrases relating to Bible Geography. Just for fun, or use as a teaching aide with your younger family members.

*Eden*

*Canaan*

*Israel*

*Judah*

*Samaria*

*Galilee*

*Judea*

*Jerusalem*

*Bethlehem*

*Nazareth*

*Egypt*

*Assyria*

*Babylon*

*Persia*

*Media*

*Mesopotamia*

*Aram*

*Syria*

*Phoenicia*

*Tyre*

*Sidon*

*Moab*

*Ammon*

*Edom*

*Midian*

*Philistia*

*Gaza*

*Ashkelon*

*Ekron*

*Gath*

*Damascus*

*Lebanon*

*Mount Carmel*

*Mount Sinai*

*Mount Zion*

*Jordan*

*Dead Sea*

*Sea of Galilee*

*Mediterranean Sea*

*Euphrates*

*Tigris*

*Goshen*

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# US Capital Cities Word Search.

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**US Capital Cities Word Search** - Find the **50** Capitals. To make it harder, just the state is listed below so you can cross them off as you find the capital.

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*Alaska*

*Arizona*

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*California*

*Colorado*

*Connecticut*

*Delaware*

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*Hawaii*

*Idaho*

*Illinois*

*Indiana*

*Iowa*

*Kansas*

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# Verona Food Pantry

This list is a guide line, any item you can give is welcomed.

Drop off at the office before the end of the month.

January - cereal and instant oatmeal cups

February - peanut butter and jelly jars

March - canned milk and dry milk powder

April - Mac n Cheese

May - canned meats and fish

June - canned fruit, fruit snacks and fruit cups

July - canned or boxed soup and soup cups

August - cereal bars / granola bars

September - peanut butter

October - canned pasta and pasta cups

November - anything thanksgiving

December - paper goods and personal hygiene items

In addition to the above list we are collecting Kleenex, Lysol wipes and hand sanitizer for the teachers and kids at AR Ware Elementary.

1. Everyone donates Kraft Mac & Cheese in the box, but it needs milk & butter which is hard to get from food banks.
2. Boxed Milk is a treasure. Kids need it for cereal, which they get a lot of.
3. Everyone donates pasta sauce & spaghetti noodles.
4. Canned Foods should be Pop Tops OR donate Can Openers.
5. Oil is a luxury needed for Rice a Roni which they get a lot of.
6. Spices, Salt & Pepper are a real gift.
7. Tea bags & Coffee are caring gifts.
8. Sugar & Flour are treats.
9. Important are fresh produce donated by farmers & grocery stores.

10. Seeds are great in spring & summer because growing can be easy for some.
11. Rarely is there fresh meat.
12. Tuna & Crackers make a good lunch.
13. Hamburger Helper goes nowhere without ground beef.
14. They get lots of peanut butter and jelly but NEED sandwich bread.
15. Butter or Margarine are good.
16. Eggs are a commodity!
17. Cake mix & Frosting makes it possible to make a child's birthday cake.
18. Dishwashing Detergent is very expensive & is always appreciated.
19. Feminine hygiene products are a luxury & women will cry over them.
20. Everyone loves Stove Top Stuffing.