



Worship: 9:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.
Speaker: Mark Hanson-Kahn
Message: "Worship: The Apex of our Service"
Revelation 5:1-14

M/C: Tina Cheng
Worship Leader: Catherine Almario

Inter-High: 9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. – Library
Kids For Christ (KFC): 9:30 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.
Raynor Conference Room
Nursery: 9:30 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. Classroom #1

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR September 22, 2019

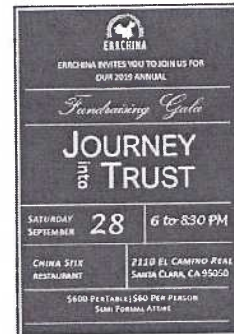
Alpha

Exploration of the faith in Jesus continues tomorrow evening, September 23 at 6:45 p.m. Please invite your family, friends, or co-workers via: www.orchardvalley.org/alpha, or talk to Glen & Karen Chew for details.

ERRC

Educational Resources and Referrals China sends Christian teachers to Chinese universities.

Are you interested in learning about missions in China? ERR China is hosting a banquet at China Stix Restaurant from 6 pm. to 8:30 pm. in Santa Clara on September 28, 2019. OVCC is sponsoring a table; it is free to attend. *Please see Norm Yuen for information about the dinner & Educational Resources & Referrals China.*



OVCC Membership Class Nov 3, 12-3 pm

Major decisions at Orchard Valley are made by the membership. If you are interested in or considering membership please talk to *Ron Wong* or *Steve Kim*.

All members are baptized. If you would like to know more about baptism please see *Pastor Mark*. We will have a series of messages on membership in October and a class for both current and new members on November 3.

OVCC Forerunners

At Orchard Valley we call 'Ushers,' 'Forerunners.' Forerunners are vital to making OVCC a welcoming place for worship! We have a special meeting for all OVCC Forerunners on Sunday, Oct 6, 11.30-1pm, with updates and new features. Please book the date. If you would like to help as a forerunner please talk to *Joanne Tong*.

Golf After Church (GAC)

Day & Date: Sunday, October 13, 2019 - Where: Sunken Gardens Golf Course, Sunnyvale - Tee Time: 2:00 pm on
Cost: \$23.50 per player, we are considered Sunnyvale residents due to OVCC location.

Who: Anyone who has not played since our last outing, anyone you know who wants to play, may.

Invite colleagues, co workers, fellow students, neighbors, casual acquaintances.

See *Ed Wong* for details

The Pack is Back! Register for the Silicon Valley MobilePack!

- Friday and Saturday, November 15 & 16 – four, fun-filled shifts
- New location: Bridges Community Church located at 625 Magdalena Ave, Los Altos, CA 94024
- **Register** <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/4090d44abae23a1f85-silicon3> (access code pack2019) - check your email for the link
- **Give** \$50 for food that each volunteer packs per shift & \$5000 Matching Fund will double your gift!

Eat at Panda Express on Sunday, October 6, 10a-10p and bring this, and Panda Express will donate 20%: <https://www.pandaexpress.com/en/fundraiser/flyer/275701> or print & bring a hard copy.

Revelation 5

5 Then I saw in the right hand of him who sat on the throne a scroll with writing on both sides and sealed with seven seals. **2** And I saw a mighty angel proclaiming in a loud voice, "Who is worthy to break the seals and open the scroll?" **3** But no one in heaven or on earth or under the earth could open the scroll or even look inside it. **4** I wept and wept because no one was found who was worthy to open the scroll or look inside. **5** Then one of the elders said to me, "Do not weep! See, the Lion of the tribe of Judah, the Root of David, has triumphed. He is able to open the scroll and its seven seals."

6 Then I saw a Lamb, looking as if it had been slain, standing at the center of the throne, encircled by the four living creatures and the elders. The Lamb had seven horns and seven eyes, which are the seven spirits of God sent out into all the earth. **7** He went and took the scroll from the right hand of him who sat on the throne. **8** And when he had taken it, the four living creatures and the twenty-four elders fell down before the Lamb. Each one had a harp and they were holding golden bowls full of incense, which are the prayers of God's people. **9** And they sang a new song, saying:

"You are worthy to take the scroll
and to open its seals,
because you were slain,
and with your blood you purchased for God
persons from every tribe and language and people and nation.

10 You have made them to be a kingdom and priests to serve our God,
and they will reign on the earth."

11 Then I looked and heard the voice of many angels, numbering thousands upon thousands, and ten thousand times ten thousand. They encircled the throne and the living creatures and the elders. **12** In a loud voice they were saying:

"Worthy is the Lamb, who was slain,
to receive power and wealth and wisdom and strength
and honor and glory and praise!"

13 Then I heard every creature in heaven and on earth and under the earth and on the sea, and all that is in them, saying:

"To him who sits on the throne and to the Lamb
be praise and honor and glory and power,
for ever and ever!"

14 The four living creatures said, "Amen," and the elders fell down and worshiped.

NOTES:

Spend time outdoors, in the fresh air, with a notepad. Write down all the good things that you can notice and then turn every one of those good things into a reason to thank God.

Find a quiet private space and open your Bible to any psalm, and ask yourself: what is this psalm telling me about God. Ask: God, who are you? Then praise God for who He is.

Create culture by sitting down with a friend, or texting a friend, and share with that friend one thing that you learned or observed about God this week.