

West Valley Church of Christ – September 8, 2024

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Sunday Bible Study: 9:30 a.m.
Sunday Worship: 10:30 a.m.
Wednesday Devotional: 6:30 p.m.

PRAY-BELIEVING GOD IS WITH US



The question that is being asked today is, “Why are people still getting the corona-virus?” We do not have a perfect answer for that, but it is happening before our eyes. I could not tell you why people get the flu, pneumonia, respiratory infections, heart attacks, or have other tragedies. I do not know why children and adults come down with cancer. I do not know, and no one can with certainty know, that which God has not revealed to us. We do know we live in a world filled with germs, and other such things that are not beneficial to our physical health. I also know that no nation or person is exempt from suffering. Why do terrible things happen? The Scripture does not give us affirmative answers to many of our questions. As believers, we understand we live in a world that has a serious sin problem and understand what God has done to prove the world an opportunity to be healed of sin’s condemnation. We are reminded to pray in our pain. When suffering comes to us, to a country, to a nation, we need to pray believing God is with us. Prayer does not mean we will not get sick and suffer. What prayer will do, is show our dependence on God who has promised to be with us to the end of the age (Matthew 20:20).

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