

CALENDAR UPDATE

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| Sunday Evenings | Home Group hosted by the J. Smiths, 6:00pm , at the home of Jarrett and Amber Finley |
| Tuesday Evenings | Men's Bible Class at the Crockett's 7:00pm |
| Friday Evenings | Home Group hosted by the Salyers, 7:00pm |
| September 6-8 | Youth Retreat-MSBC-Registration Forms are in the Foyer |
| September 8 | Ladies Retreat Meeting 12:10pm in the VBI/Teen Room |
| September 13-14 | Anchorage Men's Retreat MSBC-Registration Forms are in the Foyer |
| September 21 | Ladies Retreat Craft Day |
| October 4-5 | Ladies Retreat-Valley |



ALASKA BOOK FOR CB AND JEAN

Please take a few minutes to sign the Alaska book for CB and Jean Wise. They are scheduled to leave Alaska on September 16.

The **FALL YOUTH RETREAT** is this Friday through Sunday, September 6-8, at MSBC. This retreat is for all those who are now in grades 7-12. The deadline to register and pay the \$25 fee per person is Wednesday, September 4. Registration forms are in the foyer.

MEN'S RETREAT

Men, join your brothers from around the state at Midnight Sun Bible Camp on Friday and Saturday, September 13 and 14, for Anchorage's **annual Men's Retreat**. Various Alaskan speakers will speak on "Evangelism in Alaska". The fee is \$20 and the registration deadline is September 11. Registration Forms are in the Foyer. If you need more information or have question contact the Anchorage church of Christ at 907-272-7584

LADIES RETREAT CRAFT DAY

Saturday, September 21 at the Church Building from 10:30am until we disperse, a good time of crafting for the Ladies Retreat. All ladies are welcome. If you have questions or need more information contact Ramona Lee.

- Continue to pray for Derek Berg; Lauri Bowers mother, Florence, nursing facility; Hannah Filopvich; Aspen Kuenning; Audrey Maze, Lois Straight and Dorothy, **Julie Kirn's sisters**; Bonnie Murrill, Tevin Payne, Jeff Reichels father, Clark; Lillian Schoonmaker, Jayden Scott, Carol Seidl, Milorad Stojanovich, Michael Street, Eric Wroe, Jessica Cooks brother-in-law, ALS.

"And pray in the Spirit on all occasions with all kinds of prayers and requests". Ephesians 6:18

PRAYER REQUEST

As you pray, please remember those listed below:

- Please continue to pray that the Church Expansion Project progresses smoothly.
- As of the bulletin printing Frank Houser is in ICU at the hospital on JBER.
- Ahanu Kinney recovering from a broken collar bone.
- Bryce Kirn's brother**, Mervin, recovering from triple bypass surgery.
- Lincoln Weaver recovering from heart surgery.
- CB and Jean Wise as they prepare for their move.
- Christy Woods requested prayers for her brother and sister-in-law, Russ and Lindsay Wallace. Lindsay is having difficulties with her pregnancy. Lindsay is home now on bed rest.
- Scott Crockett's mother** continuing recovery from surgery.
- Rick Owens, long time builder of churches in Mexico.
- Melinda Crockett asked for prayers for the physical and spiritual health of her father Richard Yaeger.
- Rocky and Bonnie Murrill asked for prayers for their nephew Craig Tolman.
- Debbie Wighs a friend of the Elledges from Fairbanks undergoing treatment for cancer.
- Adam Hanshew's mother**, Eva Mikell, undergoing cancer treatments.
- Steven Baldwin, Isaac Niesen as they serve our country.
- HEALTH CONCERNS: Linda Gipson, Daniels mother; Jessica Gipson; Phyllis Godsoe, **Joe's mother**; Wilma Habig, Dean Johnson, Martha Lewis, Doug McMullen, Mark Seidl, Elizabeth Wallace, Chester Webb.
- Katie Cannon, Brandolynn Collins, Jennifer Gardner, Karli Murrill and Andrea Smith that they have safe pregnancies and deliver healthy babies.
- Beta and Mike and Annie Katkus, Ben and Jazmin Baker serving God in their respective fields (i.e. Utah, Sunset, Mexico).
- We have many members of our family traveling.
- Pray for our family members to walk worthy of our calling.
- Pray for our Country and its leaders that they may lead us in a way that is pleasing to God.



SUNDAY ASSEMBLY

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| | September 1, 2013 | September 8, 2013 |
| Opening Prayer | Kirklin Kinney | CB Wise |
| Song Leader | Brady Kuenning | David Wolfe |
| Scripture Reading | Scott Crockett | Ahanu Kinney |
| | Matthew 20:20-34 | Matthew 21:1-22 |
| Prayer | Michael Miller | Shaphan Collins |
| The Lord's Supper | | |
| In Charge | Dave Rambow | Jeff Reichel |
| Assist | Jerry Berg | Milorad Stojanovich |
| Assist | Tom Freeman | Gary Harris |
| Assist | Bill Hales | Stephen Spurlin |
| Assist | Ron Burkhardtsmeier | Daniel Schramm |
| Scripture Reading | Riley Scott | George Katkus |
| Lesson | Robert Kuenning | Robert Kuenning |
| Closing Prayer | Jud Scott | Monty Howes |
| Announcements | Scott Crockett | Scott Crockett |

PRISON MINISTRY September 1 Keller September 8 Tyler

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| WEDNESDAY | September 4 | September 11 |
| Song Leader | Isaac Kuenning | Riley Scott |
| Song Leader | Rocky Murrill | Rocky Murrill |
| Devo | Ahanu Kinney | TBA |

CLEAN-UP SCHEDULE

Upstairs (Tables, Coffee and Dessert Areas) Downstairs
 September 1 Collins R, Collins S Collins J, Cook
 September 8 Crockett, Elledge Gardner N, Garrett
 (Downstairs clean-up people need to be downstairs by 12:15pm to have enough time to clean-up)



ATTENDED NURSERY

For your convenience we offer an "as needed" attended nursery downstairs for children age 2 and under, a **training room to the left of the baptistry and a mother's room at the back of the auditorium.**



DEACONS

Jim Cato—Prison Ministry
 Scott Crockett, Jud Scott, James Smith—Missions
 Adam Hanshew—Advanced Bible Education
 John Katkus—Fellowship
 Mark Keller—Education
 Barry Munsell—Church Expansion
 Rocky Murrill—Services/Fellowship
 Jeff Reichel—Youth
 Chuck Sutton—Business/Finance
 David Wolfe—Benevolence

Welcome to our Guests !
 We are honored to have you join us as we **worship our heavenly Father in “spirit and in truth”**. Your visit is important; so, stay around and fellowship with us. Please plan on joining us for lunch. If there is anything that we can do for you, let us know. Come again soon!

Visitors. Please fill out one of the visitor cards found in the pocket on the back of each chair. After you have filled out the card please put it in the contribution plate.

The Lord’s Supper is available after the service for those who may not have had the opportunity to partake earlier.

BUILDING
 The building is being used more and more. If you are planning a meeting or an event and want to use the building PLEASE see the secretary to schedule. This includes Saturday and Sunday as well as week days. **You don’t want to be disappointed when you arrive and someone else is already using the building.**

REMINDER
 As a courtesy to others
 PLEASE TURN OFF YOUR CELL PHONE.



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| <u>“I will show my faith by my works.”</u> | | |
| For the Week Beginning | 8/18/13 | 8/25/13 |
| Service | 194 | 202 |
| Bible Class | 120 | 135 |
| Contribution | \$6256 | \$6163 |
| Budget \$6408 | | |
| Wednesday | 97 | 108 |

... One Baptism ... Eph 4:5
 (Part II)

Baptism was taught to the early church in a great variety of ways.

- Jesus gave us Baptism as a clear part of our teaching the lost – Matthew 28:18-20, Mark 16:16
- Baptism was mostly described in relation to Christ – Romans 6:3-7; 1Corinthians 1:13-17; Galatians 3:27; Colossians 2:12
- Baptism was connected to Old Testament scriptures and events -1 Corinthians 10:2, 1 Peter 3:20-21
- It was presumed (known) that all in the church had been baptized - Romans 6:3-5, 1 Corinthians 1:13-17; Galatians 3:27; Colossians 2:12 etc.
- **Peter taught what baptism isn’t** - 1 Peter 3:21
- Baptism was so second nature that it became to be emphasized and bragged about in the wrong way – 1 Corinthians 1:13-17
- Baptism was used to describe not only our connection to Jesus but to His Body, the church – 1 Corinthians 12:13
- Baptism was emphasized so much that some failed to move on to learn about more mature subjects as they should – Hebrews 6:1-2
- People were taught to get baptized right away – Acts 22:16
- **Believers who hadn’t been, would be taught to be baptized correctly—** Acts 18:24 – 19:5
- Baptism would be taught about both literally and symbolically – Acts 8:35-38; John 3:3-5; 1John 5:5-7, Rom 6:3-5
- The Bible CLEARLY says Baptism is required (!!!) – Mark16:16; Acts 2:38; 22:16; 1 Peter 3:21
- EPHESIANS 4:3-6 – The New Testament teaches that There is only ONE BAPTISM for the Christian.

Don’t let traditions and added teachings mislead you.

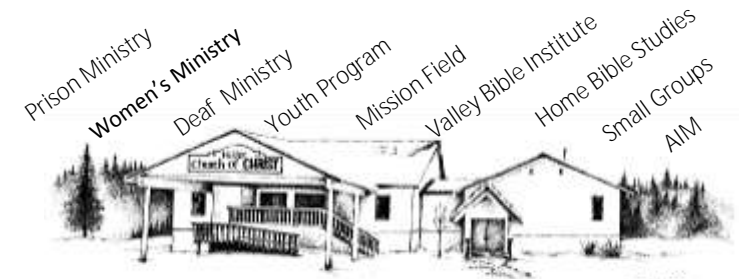
VALLEY CHURCH OF CHRIST

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Mission of Valley church of Christ

...Make Disciples...

Matthew 28:19



September 1, 2013

...and the prayer offered in faith will restore the one who is sick, and the Lord will raise him up, and if he has committed sins, they will be forgiven him. Therefore, confess your sins to one another, and pray for one another so that you may be healed. The effective prayer of a righteous man can accomplish much. James 5:15-16

SCHEDULE OF ASSEMBLIES

Sunday:
 Service.....10:00AM—11:30AM
Fellowship Meal11:30AM—12:30PM
Bible Classes.....12:45PM—1:30PM
 Wednesday:
 Bible Classes.....7:00 PM

Office Hours 9:00am-4:00pm Monday-Friday
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 Elders: C.B. Wise, Robert Kuenning, Dave Williams, Rick Collins and Perry Pruitt