

CALENDAR UPDATE

ONGOING EVENTS

Sunday Evenings	Home Group at the Munsell's—5:30pm
Sunday Evening	Knik Goose Bay Home Group— 5:30pm R. Kuenning's
Monday Evenings	VBI Class —Starts January 12, 2015, Galatians— 7-8:30pm
Tuesday Evenings	Men's Bible Study NEXT Study January 6 @Crockett's 7:00pm
Wednesday Evenings	VBI Class—Starts January 7, 2015, I & II Thessalonians
Thursday Evenings	Home Group at the B. Kuenning's—6:00pm
Saturday Evenings	Young Adults Home Group at the Shipley's-6:00pm

UPCOMING EVENTS

December 31	New Year Eve Fellowship at the Katkus Home
May 1-3	Alaska Statewide Lectureship—Fairbanks

Jason and Jennifer Gardner and children have moved back to the Valley and will be working with us. Introduce yourself and get to know them. Welcome!

NEW YEAR FELLOWSHIP



WHEN: **December 31**
WHERE: Katkus Home,
2652 W Bailey Ave, Wasilla
TIME: **8:00PM-Midnight**

Bring your games and also snacks to share. There will be a Bonfire! You can bring your old Christmas tree (real) minus the decorations and/or wood (nothing with nails). No plastic. Park in the Menard Sports Complex parking lot south east corner .



Robert Bowlus in collecting money , now until December 28th, for a water well in Ethiopia. One well cost \$3000. There is a flyer on the bulletin board.

“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 **sale of the Blue Lupine building** moves forward **and** for the Church Expansion effort.
- **Mark Keller** has been diagnosed with cancer. He is scheduled for surgery on December 30th at Mat-Su Regional.
- **Peggy Thomasin**, Annie Katkus' grandmother, pneumonia.
- **Angelica Haakenson**, 11 year from Anchor Point. Serious car accident. Keep the entire family in your prayers as other family members have injuries.
- **Nate and Natalie Forbis** requested prayers for ongoing custody issues to be resolved in God's will.
- **Milorad Stojanovich** that the sale of his house progresses.
- **Carol Bradley** is in New Mexico recovering from a back procedure.
- Please keep the **Juneau and Sitka churches** in your prayers.
- **Greg Niesen** as he deals with cancer.
- **Steven Baldwin, Isaac Niesen** as they serve our country.
- **HEALTH CONCERNS: Fred Angerman**, ex-father-in-law of Gary Skan; **Natalie Forbis; Linda Gipson**, Daniels mother; **Stan and Phyllis Godsoe**, Joe's father and mother; **Wilma Habig, Dean Johnson, Martha Lewis, Mark Seidl, Elizabeth Wallace, Lincoln Weaver, Chester Webb.**
- **Emily Baldwin**, Jay and Sandy's daughter in law; and **Lindsay Teamer** that they have safe pregnancies and deliver healthy babies.
- **George Katkus** Alaska Military Youth Academy.
- **Ahanu Kinney** home for Christmas.
- **Loren and Penny Hollingsworth** in the mission field.
- **T.J. Reichel** home for Christmas..
- **Ben and Jazmin Baker** serving God in Mexico.
- We have many **members of our family** traveling.
- Pray for our **family members** to walk worthy of our calling.
- Continue to pray for **Derek Berg, Hannah Filipovich; Audrey Maze, and Dorothy**, Julie Kirm's sisters; **Kathy Moe**, daughter of Jesse and Clara Gray, cancer; **Bonnie Murrill, Tevin Payne; Patty Paris**, Dana Keller's cousin, cancer; Jeff Reichels father, **Clark; Lillian Schoonmaker, Milorad Stojanovich, Jayden Scott and Michael Street.**



SUNDAY ASSEMBLY

	December 28, 2014	January 4, 2015
Opening Prayer	Jarrett Finley	Chuck Sutton
Song Leader	TJ Reichel	David Wolfe
Scripture Reading	Isaac Kuenning	Jeff Reichel
	Psalm 126	Ecclesiastes 5
Prayer	Doug McMullen	Kirklin Kinney
The Lord's Supper		
In Charge	Robert Bowlus	Adam Hanshew
Assist	Adam Hanshew	Gary Harris
Assist	Rocky Murrill	Jerry Berg
Assist	Tom Freeman	Doug McMullen
Assist	Shaphan Collins	Nathan McMullen
Scripture Reading	Nate Forbis	Etienne Kinney
Lesson	David Shipley	Robert Kuenning
Closing Prayer	Brady Kuenning	Ahanu Kinney
Announcements	Scott Crockett	Scott Crockett

PRISON MINISTRY

December 28 Jay Baldwin **January 4** Jay Baldwin

WEDNESDAY

	December 31	January 7
Song Leader	Devo will be at the Katkus Home	Riley Scott
Song Leader		Rocky Murrill
Devo		TBA

CLEAN-UP SCHEDULE

Upstairs (Tables, Coffee and Dessert Areas)	Downstairs
December 28 Godsoe, Houser S	Katkus M, Hartley D
January 4 Kale, Katkus J	Hanshew, Kinney
(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 baptistery and a mother's room at the back of the auditorium.



DEACONS

Scott Crockett—Fellowship
Robert Bowlus—Prison Ministry
Adam Hanshew—Advanced Bible Education
Mark Keller—Education
Barry Munsell—Church Expansion
Rocky Murrill—Services
Jeff Reichel—Youth
Jud Scott, James Smith—Missions
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.



“I will show my faith by my works.”

For the Week Beginning	12-14-2014	12-21-2014
Service	201	157
Bible Class	128	101
Weekly Contribution	\$9177	\$3487
Budget	\$5840	
Wednesday	82	Family

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

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

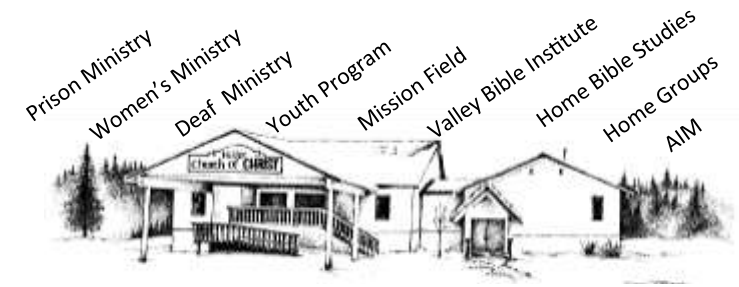
- Jesus gave us Baptism as a clear part of our teaching the lost – **Matthew 28-18-20, Mark 16:16**
- Baptism was mostly described in relation to Christ – **Romans 6:3-7; 1Corinthians 1:13-17; Galatians 3:27; Colossians 2:12**
- Baptism was connected to Old Testament scriptures and events - **1 Corinthians 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



December 28, 2014

“...choose for yourselves this day whom you will serve....But as for me and my household, we will serve the Lord.”
Joshua 24:15

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
 Church Building—745-3011, Fax—745-3012
 Email: church@akvcoc.com
 Website: www.akvcoc.com

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 and Michael Katkus—521-1326
 Elders: Robert Kuenning, Dave Williams, Rick Collins
 and Perry Pruitt