

CALENDAR UPDATE

ONGOING EVENTS

Sunday Evening	Home Group at the Munsell's— Pot Luck Fellowship Meal, 5:30pm
Monday Evenings	VBI Class—Hebrews, 7:00pm, at the Williams' Home Next Class January 18
Tuesday Evenings	Men's Bible Study —7:00PM
Wednesday Evenings	VBI Class—Revelation, 7:00pm, at the Williams' Home
Wednesday Evenings	Knik Goose Bay Home Group at the R. Kuenning's—6:00pm Pot Luck Dinner, 7:00pm Devo
Wednesday Evenings	Home Group at the Scott's—Meal at 5:30pm, Bible Study to Follow
Thursday Evenings	Home Group at the B. Kuenning's—6:00pm

UPCOMING EVENTS

January 17	TNT at the Scott's—Boys Snacks, Girls Drinks
January 31	TNT at the Forbis'—Boys Drinks, Girls Snacks
February 19-20	Anchorage Ladies Retreat—"Awakening our Senses"
April 21-24	Lectureship—Anchorage church of Christ—Philippians 1-21

UPDATE ON MIDNIGHT SUN BIBLE CAMP

No date changes—Grade split changes

Primary Week: 1st—5th grades

Junior Week: 6th—8th grades

Senior Week: 9th—12th grades



This is different than what was announced earlier. If you have any questions, you can contact Bob Hoffman at MSBC@gci.net or Jason Gardner.

The other change is that there **will not be a Valley Family Camp and an Anchorage Family Camp. We will have Family Camp #1 on Aug. 12-14 and Family Camp #2 on Sept. 9-11.** (This is not Labor Day week-end). Anybody from any congregation and friends are welcome to attend either or both of the Family Camps. This is open to the whole state church family and friends. What a great way to introduce Mid-night Sun Bible Camp to those that don't know about it. There are still details to be worked out, but this will give you a heads up. Come prepared to have a great time with your family in the most beautiful place in the world. Registration forms should be available during Lectureship & Youth Forum in April for all weeks and weekends.

"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 pray that the completion of the church building on E Majestic View Circle progresses in a timely manner and for the Church Expansion effort.
- **Maggie Kofstad** is scheduled for knee surgery on January 19.
- Oletta Spurlin's sister, **Earlene**, has had her cancer return and spread in her body. She is in the hospital in Lubbock, Texas.
- Arianna Jackson's mother, **Phyllis Thomas**, had a stroke last week and was in and out of hospital. She still has symptoms from the stroke.
- **Renee Hagge** friend of the Murrill's stage 4 cancer.
- Wilma Habig requested prayers for her sister, **Dana Leatherwood**, who lives in California. She is on bedrest due to heart problems.
- **Diane Wise's** recovering from eye surgery.
- **LeiLani McElhaney**, Blake and Malaki Murrill's mother, is undergoing treatment for stage 2 cancer.
- **LE Wyrick** health concerns.
- **T.J. Reichel** as he transitions to his new Mission assignment in Grass Valley, California.
- **Marie Elnan** recovering from surgery.
- Please keep **Sandy Baldwin** in your prayers. She is visiting family. Stay in touch via Facebook or Cell.
- **Greg Niesen** as he deals with cancer.
- **Steven Baldwin, Isaac Niesen** as they serve our country.
- **George Katkus** and **Kayla Caraway** in the AIM program. George's mission field will be Phoenix, AZ and Kayla's will be in Ireland.
- **Loren and Penny Hollingsworth** mission field.
- **Brandolynn Collins; Kristina Collins; Brianna Forbis**, daughter-in-law of Nate and Natalie Forbis; **Leila Lopez** that they have safe pregnancies and deliver healthy babies.
- **HEALTH CONCERNS:** Members of Bonnie B. family, **Nathan, Kyle and Jason; Joy Bowlus**, Bob's mother, congestive heart failure; Lauri Bower's brother, **Rob Rettke; Shawna Barnes**, friend of Carol Bradley, cancer; **Hanna Cross**, Tim Caraways niece, degenerative joint disease; **Alyssa Ferguson**, friend of the Crockett's, cancer; **Wilma Habig; Rick Hess**, Bruce's father, heart problems; **Dean Johnson; Hans and Donna Becker**, Julie Kirn's brother-in-law and sister cancer; **Martha Lewis; Bonnie Murrill, Mark Seidl, Lincoln Weaver, Chester Webb.**
- 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

	January 17, 2016	January 24, 2016
Opening Prayer	Jud Scott	Jason Gardner
Song Leader	David Wolfe	Riley Scott
Scripture Reading	James Smith Hebrews 11:17-31	Chuck Sutton Hebrews 11:32-40
Prayer	Ahanu Kinney	Monty Howes
The Lord's Supper		
In Charge	John Katkus	James Smith
Assist	Jeff Reichel	Robert Bowlus
Assist	Gary Lee	Shaphan Collins
Assist	Jason Dowdy	Jeremiah Collins
Assist	Bill Hales	Jarrett Finley
Scripture Reading	Paul Boquet	Jason Gardner
Lesson	David Shipley	Robert Kuenning
Closing Prayer	Chuck Sutton	David Wolfe
Announcements	Scott Crockett	Scott Crockett

PRISON MINISTRY

January 17 Stephen Teamer January 24 Jim Cato

WEDNESDAY Home Groups—See Calendar Update

ATTENDED NURSERY



For your convenience we offer an "as needed" attended nursery downstairs for children age 2 and under and a nursery/training room to the left of the baptistery.



DEACONS

Scott Crockett—Fellowship
Robert Bowlus—Prison Ministry
Jason Gardner—Youth
Adam Hanshew—Advanced Bible Education
Mark Keller—Education
Barry Munsell—Church Expansion
Rocky Murrill—Services
Jud Scott, James Smith—Missions
Chuck Sutton—Business/Finance
David Wolfe—Benevolence

- Continue to pray for **Derek Berg, Hannah Filopvich; Audrey Maze, and Dorothy**, Julie Kirn's sisters; **Larry Golden; Angelica Haakenson, Ansley Miller; The Neslund Family; Tevin Payne; Patty Paris**, Dana Keller's cousin, cancer; Jeff Reichels father, **Clark; Lillian Schoonmaker, Jayden Scott, Michael Street.**

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. 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 that are on the table in the foyer. After you have filled out the card please put it in the contribution plate or in the basket on table.

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

BUILDING
 Due to the generosity of the Janssen’s we are able to continue to meet at the Blue Lupine building on Sunday mornings. Services will be 10:00-11:30am. Classes will be 12:00pm to 12:45pm. No other events or activities will be held at this property.

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



<u>“I will show my faith by my works.”</u>		
For the Week Beginning	01-03-2016	1-10-2016
Service	193	192
Bible Class	120	116
Weekly Contribution	\$6339	\$6316
Budget	\$6236	
Wednesday	Home Groups	Home Groups

... 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 (!!!) – **Mark 16:16; 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.

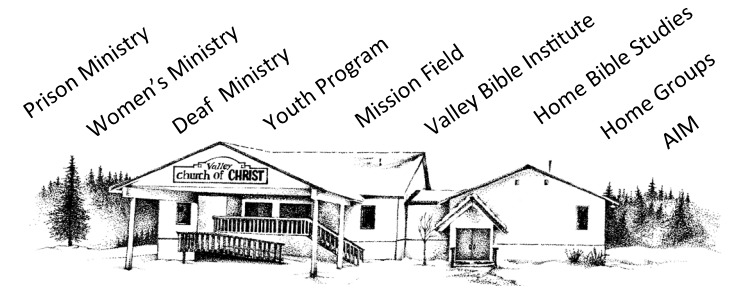
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Mission of Valley church of Christ

...Make Disciples...

Matthew 28:19



January 17, 2016

“Jesus came up and spoke to them saying, “All authority has been given to Me in heaven and on earth. Go therefore and make disciples of all the nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I command you; and lo, I am with you always, even to the end of the age.”
 Matthew 28:18-20

SCHEDULE OF ASSEMBLIES

Sunday:
 Service.....10:00AM—11:30AM
 Bible Classes.....12:00PM—12:45PM
 Wednesday:
 Home Groups

Office Hours 9:00am-4:00pm Monday-Friday
 Church Office—745-3011
 Email: church@akvcoc.com
 Website: www.akvcoc.com

Ministers: Robert Kuenning —354-3011, David Shipley —631-8990
 and Michael Katkus—521-1326
 Elders: Robert Kuenning, Dave Williams, Rick Collins
 and Perry Pruitt