

CALENDAR UPDATE

ONGOING EVENTS

Sunday Evening	Home Group at the Munsell's— Pot Luck Fellowship Meal, 5:30pm, Devotional at 6:30pm
Monday Evenings	Valley Bible Institute Class, History of Christianity, 7:00-8:30pm, VCOC building—Next Class January 8
Mon, Thurs	Strong Women Workout—See Chantal Kinney
Tuesday Evenings	Men's Bible Study —7:00pm—Morphew's Home
Wednesday Evenings	Valley Bible Institute Class, Wisdom Literature, 7:00-8:30pm, VCOC building
Thursday Evenings	Eagle River Home Group rotating locations—6:00pm— Contact Evan at 214-662-8866 or ebcason26@gmail.com
Thursday Evenings	Home Group at the B Kuenning's—6:00pm

UPCOMING EVENTS

December 17	TNT at VCOC Building, 5-8:00pm
December 23	Kids Breakfast—VCOC Building—See Insert
January 14	Girls Gals & Grannies, 2-6:00pm VCOC Building
January 21	TNT, 5-8:00pm VCOC Building
January 27	Winter Wonderland Dinner (Fundraiser for AIM Camp Adventure) 6:00pm, Contacts Jason and Jennifer Gardner
February 2-3	39th Annual Ladies Retreat, Anchorage church of Christ

- **HEALTH CONCERNS:** Joy Bowlus, Bob's mother, congestive heart failure; Linda Gipson, Daniel's mother-hospice care; Bea Long, Karen Williams' mother; Hanna Cross, Tim Caraways niece, degenerative joint disease; Wilma Habig, Martha Lewis, Wendy Pruitt, Mark Seidl, Chester Webb. The following are suffering from cancer Doris Ballard, GK Kinney's friend; Xavier Felon, Stephen Teamer's Cousin; Dean Johnson; Hans and Donna Becker, Julie Kirn's brother-in-law and sister; Leilani McElhaney Blake and Malaki Merrill's mother; Vickie McMillen, Pam Elledge's aunt; Patty Paris, Dana Keller's cousin.
- Continue to pray for Derek Berg; Audrey Maze, Dorothy and Doreen Julie Kirn's sisters; Bonnie Murrill; Tevin Payne; Jeff Reichel's father, Clark; Lillian Schoonmaker, Jayden Scott.

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

PRAYER REQUESTS

As you pray, please remember those listed below:

- Please keep the **Teamer and Hess families** in your prayers. Stephen and Alex are serving our country away from home at this time.
- **Lee Ames** is scheduled for knee surgery on December 12.
- **Jason Gardner** is scheduled for hip surgery on December 11.
- **Ronilee Lynch** is scheduled for hip surgery on December 13.
- Please keep the **church in Kodiak** in your prayers.
- **Harold Jones** is very ill and needs 24 hour nursing care at home his wife **Marcy** has cancer. They have been with the Kodiak church for many years.
- Doctors say the swelling and pain in **Michael Street's** left knee is likely bursitis.
- Nathan Gardner's mother, **Lorraine**, is recovering from quadruple bypass surgery.
- Family friend of the Long's, **Naomi Cohen**, has been diagnosed with cancer and has started treatment.
- **Wilma Habig** health.
- **Jessica Cook** medical issues. She is doing better.
- **Ed Cook** bone cancer. The Cooks are now in Seattle for Ed's treatments.
- **Robert Bowlus and family** as he is working in S Korea.
- Continue to pray for **Fletcher Collins** ongoing health issues.
- **Lynda Elmore** and **Bryce Kirn** are being treated for cancer.
- **Michael Street** continues his long painful recovery from right hip resection arthroplasty surgery.
- Please keep **Breanna Baldwin** and **Karli Murrill** in your prayers.
- **Valerie Long** and **Ashley Pruitt** that they have safe pregnancies and deliver healthy babies.
- **Loren and Penny Hollingsworth** mission field in Thailand.
- **Titus Caraway, Isaac Kuenning** and **Dorothy O'Neil** AIM.
- **Kayla Caraway** Mission assignments in Northern Ireland. Kayla is home for a visit.
- 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.

SYMPATHY

Our sympathy goes out to Sandy Baldwin and family. Sandy's father-in-law, **David Baldwin**, passed away last week. Please keep the family in your prayers.



SUNDAY ASSEMBLY

	December 17, 2017	December 24, 2017
Opening Prayer	Kirklin Kinney	Etienne Kinney
Song Leader	Brent Noe	T.J. Reichel
Scripture Reading	Jason Dowdy John 18:1-24	Brady Kuenning TBD
Prayer	Stephen Teamer	Chris Woods
The Lord's Supper		
In Charge	Ahanu Kinney	Daniel Morphew
Assist	Daniel Morphew	Craig Decker
Assist	Jeff Porter	Jerry Berg
Assist	Shane Murrill	Monty Howes
Assist	Jeff Reichel	Matthew Lynch
Scripture Reading	James Smith	Matthew Henry
Lesson	Robert Kuenning	Robert Kuenning
Closing Prayer	Dave Rambow	Stephen Teamer
Announcements	Scott Crockett	Scott Crockett

PRISON MINISTRY—December 17, TBD—December 24, TBD

WEDNESDAY —7:00pm—Singing/Devotional and Bible class.
December 20—Devo, Craig Decker; Song Leader, Riley Scott
December 27—Devo, Jeff Reichel; Song Leader, Stephen Teamer



ATTENDED NURSERY

For your convenience we offer an attended nursery in room #2 for children age 2 and under. There is a training room for older children at the back of the auditorium.

Nursery Attendants: ; December 17, Donna Barnard
December 24, Andrea Smith

FELLOWSHIP MEAL CLEAN-UP SCHEDULE

December 17—Crockett, Decker, Delph, Dowdy
December 24—Elledge, Finley, Gardner J, Gardner N

DEACONS

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

REIMBURSEMENTS

If you purchased something for the building, class, kitchen etc. and need to be reimbursed fill out the reimbursement form, located on the table in the foyer, attach receipts and give to Chuck Sutton as soon as possible.

USE OF BUILDING

During this busy time of the year if you use the building, please clean up after yourself and return things as they were. Our cleaning folks don't come and clean after your events. Make sure all doors to the outside are locked. Thank You for your cooperation in this request.



ANNUAL KIDS BREAKFAST AND CRAFT DAY



When: Saturday, December 23, 2017, 9:00-11:00am

Where: Valley church of Christ Fellowship Hall

Who: Children ages 2 years-5th grade

Note: children ages 2-3 must be accompanied by a parent/adult

**Pancake breakfast will be at 9:15am. Craft stations will begin at 10:00am. Children should be picked up by 11:00am.

Please enter through the main doors of the building. Remove coats and winter gear before entering the Fellowship Hall.

ALL parents are welcome!!

There is a sign up sheet on the table in the foyer. A count is helpful for planning breakfast and crafts.

Contacts for event: Tony Freeman, Bonnie Burkhardtsmeier and Karen Williams



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 found in the pocket on the backs of the chairs or 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 in foyer.

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

BUILDING
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	12-03-2017	12-10-2017
Service	213	242
Bible Class	140	170
Weekly Contribution	\$9750	\$7739
Budget	\$6040	
Wednesday	140	137

SAVED BY HIS LIFE

Jesus appeared to John on Patmos. He declared that He was dead, but now He lives forevermore (**Revelation 1:18**). Jesus saves because of what He does now, qualified by what He did back then (**Hebrews 2:10**). Paul affirmed, “For if when we were enemies we were reconciled to God through the death of His Son, much more, having been reconciled, we shall be saved by His life” (**Romans 5:10 NKJV**). The suffering and death of Christ qualified Him to function as our High Priest before God at this hour.

Our Lord’s present ministry must be kept in mind as one ponders, “I have a Savior.” He is our Mediator (**1 Timothy 2:5**). He is our Advocate, face-to-face with the Father (**1 John 2:1**). He “always lives to make intercession” for us (**Hebrews 7:25**). His blood continues to cleanse us from all sin as we walk in the light (**1 John 1:7**).

Truly he saves to the uttermost (**Hebrews 7:25**). Christians were saved (past tense, **Romans 8:24**), are being saved (present tense, **1 Corinthians 15:2**). Have been saved (perfect tense, **Ephesians 2:5, 8**), and shall be saved (future tense, **Romans 5:9-10**) - wholly, completely, forevermore!

Jesus saves us from the penalty of sin (**Romans 8:1-3**). He delivers us from the fear of death (**Hebrews 2:15**). He saves us from the fear of judgment (**1 John 2:17-19**). He delivers us from the wrath to come (**1 Thessalonians 1:10**). We have a sympathetic high priest before the throne of grace (**Hebrews 4:15-16**) - at this hour.

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Mission of Valley church of Christ
...**Make Disciples**...Matthew 28:19



December 17, 2017

May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace as you trust in him, so that you may overflow with hope by the power of the Holy Spirit.
Romans 15:13

SCHEDULE OF ASSEMBLIES

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

Wednesday:
Bible Classes.....7:00PM

Office Hours 9:00am-4:00pm Monday-Friday
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and Dave Williams