

CALENDAR UPDATE

ONGOING EVENTS

Sunday Evening	Home Group at the Munsell's— Pot Luck Fellowship Meal, 5:30pm, Devotional at 6:30pm—Contact Scott Crockett at 928-5017
Monday Evenings	Valley Bible Institute Class, The Christian Home, 7:00-8:30pm, VCOC building, Begins September 10
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, Distinctive Nature of the Church, VCOC Building, April 11-July 11
Thursday Evenings	Eagle River Home Group rotating locations—6:00pm—Contact Evan at 214-662-8866 or ebcason26@gmail.com
Thursday Evenings	Palmer Home Group rotating locations—6:00pm —Contact Michael Katkus at 907-521-1326
Every other Friday Evening	KGB Home Group rotating locations—6:00pm potluck dinner, 7:00pm Devotional—Contact Tanya Scott at 907-982-5706

UPCOMING EVENTS

April 30	Home School Annual Science and Project Fair—Set-up 11:30am, Finger-food lunch 12:00pm—Presentations 1:00pm. Contacts Nathan and Cheril Gardner
May 4-6	Youth Forum sponsored by Anchorage church of Christ held at VCOC Building. Host families needed for boys and girls. Contacts Jason and Jennifer Gardner.
May 5	Family Baby shower honoring Nistor and Mea Katkus. See below for details
May 6	VBS Meeting after Bible Class in the Auditorium
June 18-22	VBS, VCOC Building—Discovering God's Design

BABY SHOWER

You are invited to a family baby shower honoring Nistor and Mea Katkus on May 5, 2018 at 2:00pm at the home of Mike and Annie Katkus (2652 W Bailey Avenue, Wasilla). Nistor and Mea are expecting a baby boy, Ezra, around June 1st. They are registered online at Amazon.com but are mostly in need of baby boy clothes, diapers, wipes and a bassinet. For directions to the Katkus home call Mike at 907-521-1326 or Annie at 907-521-1327.



“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 Morphew family in your prayers their son, **Carter**, has been transferred to Providence and is doing well.
- **Mark Keller** is dealing with some medical issues.
- **Eielson church of Christ** search for a minister.
- Valerie Long requested prayers for her brother, **John**, who is struggling with different things in life..
- **Sandra Crockett**, Scott's mother, health issues.
- **Jason Gardner** is being treated for a blood clot.
- **Jim Decker**, Craig's father, health continues to decline and needs constant care.
- **Leland Keller**, Mark's father, deteriorating health.
- **Wilma Habig** health.
- **Robert Bowlus and family** as he is working in S Korea.
- **Lynda Elmore, Bryce Kirn, Brent Noe and Glenn Smith** are being treated for cancer.
- Please keep **Breanna Baldwin** and **Karli Murrill** in your prayers.
- **Annie Katkus** and **Mea Katkus** that they have safe pregnancies and deliver healthy babies.
- Continue to pray for **Michael Street** ongoing medical issues.
- Continue to pray for **Fletcher Collins** ongoing health issues.
- 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.
- **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 Caraway's niece, degenerative joint disease; **Rick Hess**, Bruce's father; **Martha Lewis, Mark Seidl**. The following are suffering from cancer **Catherine Endersby**, Shannon Ross' grandmother; **Xavier Felon**, Stephen Teamer's Cousin; **Dean Johnson; Hans and Donna Becker**, Julie Kirn's brother-in-law and sister; **Vickie McMillen**, Pam Elledge's aunt; **Patty Paris**, Dana Keller's cousin; **Tia Worrell**, Johnny Carrington's niece.
- Continue to pray for **Derek Berg; Ed Cook cancer in remission; Audrey Maze, Dorothy and Doreen** Julie Kirn's sisters; **Bonnie Murrill; Tevin Payne;** Jeff Reichel's father, **Clark; Lillian Schoonmaker, Jayden Scott**.



SUNDAY ASSEMBLY

	April 29, 2018	May 6, 2018
Opening Prayer	Layne McDowell	Jud Scott
Song Leader	Jason Dowdy	T.J. Reichel
Scripture Reading	Daniel Moseley Ezra 8:1-20	Alex Hess Ezra 8:21-36
Prayer	Randy Tyler	Jarrett Finley
The Lord's Supper		
In Charge	Chuck Sutton	James Smith
Assist	Adam Kuenning	Craig Decker
Assist	Jerry Berg	Riley Scott
Assist	Patrick Naler	Michael Rosebeary
Assist	Carter Thomas	Ahanu Kinney
Scripture Reading	Landon McDowell	Jordan Bertram
Lesson	Michael Katkus	Loren Hollingsworth
Closing Prayer	Gary Lee	Jeff Porter
Announcements	Scott Crockett	Scott Crockett

PRISON MINISTRY—13 in attendance April 22

WEDNESDAY —7:00pm—Singing/Devotional and Bible class.
May 2—Devo, Titus Caraway; Song Leader, Kirklin Kinney
May 9—Devo, Jason Gardner; Song Leader, Rocky Murrill



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.
April 29 TBD
May 6 TBD



FELLOWSHIP MEAL CLEAN-UP SCHEDULE

April 29—Porter, Pruitt, Reichel, Rosebeary
May 6—Ross, Scott, Smith, Spurlin

DEACONS

Scott Crockett—Fellowship
Jason Gardner—Youth
Adam Hanshaw—Advanced Bible Education
Mark Keller—Education
Brady Kuenning—Online Ministry
Daniel Morphew—Building and Grounds
Rocky Murrill—Services
Prison Ministry—Stephen Teamer
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. 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.



<u>“I will show my faith by my works.”</u>		
For the Week Beginning	04-15-2018	04-22-2018
Service	224	147
Bible Class		63
Weekly Contribution	\$8425	\$4020
Budget \$6460		Lectureship 108
Wednesday	125	148

THE NEW COVENANT

is

OUR WONDERFUL GIFT FROM GOD!!!

The Covenants are God’s contracts with man. The Scriptures show that through covenants God gave man His promises and how to live to receive those promises.

In Genesis 2:15-16 God had his first agreement with Adam & Eve in the Garden. He continually had a Covenant with all His peoples: Adam, Noah, Abraham, etc.

THE GREAT COVENANT WITH ISRAEL

The covenant through Moses was to guide the nation of Israel during the many years from the

FREEDOM from Egypt in EXODUS 19
to the

CREATION of CHRIST’S CHURCH in ACTS 2

This “Law of Moses” included the 10 Commandments and the daily rules for all the Jews.

- > The Law itself was PERFECT – Psalm 19:7-14, Psalm 119
- > Man could not and cannot completely obey the Law. We all fail. – Romans 3:10, 23
- > Failing in one part = failing in all of it. – James 2:10
- > The Law made nothing perfect – Hebrews 7:18-19

BUT –

- > Jesus came to fulfill the Law – Matthew 5:17
- > The Law led us to Christ – Galatians 3:23-29

GOD PROMISED A BETTER COVENANT!

“Behold, days are coming,” declares the LORD, “when I will make a new covenant...” Jeremiah 31:31

- > It’s a BETTER Covenant – Hebrews 8:6
- > It’s a Covenant of FAITH – Galatians 3:25-29
- > It’s a Covenant of HEART – Jeremiah 31:33
- > It’s a Covenant of FORGIVENESS – Jeremiah 31:34
- > It’s a Covenant of ONE SACRIFICE for all – Hebrews 10:11-12
- > It’s a Covenant that PERFECTS US! – Hebrews 10:14-17
- > It’s a Covenant that brings us to GOD Himself! – Hebrews 4:14-16, 10:21-25

**> IT’S A COVENANT BASED ON JESUS CHRIST HIMSELF!!! –
HEBREWS 10:10-12**

The Book of Hebrews teaches that

EVERYTHING

about the New Covenant is better!!!!

Read :

Deuteronomy 28:1-6, Jeremiah 31: 27-34, Hebrews Chs 3 - 10, Revelation 22:10-21

VALLEY CHURCH OF CHRIST

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



April 29, 2018

“He who has My commandments and keeps them is the one who loves Me; and he who loves Me will be loved by My Father, and I will love him and will disclose Myself to him.”
John 14:21 NASB

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
Church Office—907-357-3011
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Ministers: Robert Kuenning —354-3011
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Elders: Rick Collins, Robert Kuenning, Perry Pruitt
and Dave Williams