

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
Tues, Thurs Evenings	Strong Women Workout—4:30-5:30pm—See Chantal Kinney
Tuesday Evenings	Men's Bible Study—7:00pm—VCOC building
Tuesday Evenings	Ladies Bible Class—7:00pm—VCOC building in the Ladies class room—Contact Lizzie Price
Wednesday Evenings	Valley Bible Institute Class—Basics of Christian Counseling—7:00-8:30pm—VCOC building
Thursday Evenings	Eagle River Home Group rotating locations—6:00pm—Contact Evan at 214-662-8866 or ebcarnson26@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
3rd Saturday of the Month	Saturday Ladies Group—11:00am—VCOC building—Contact Bonnie B. or Tony Freeman

UPCOMING EVENTS

April 14	Teachers Meeting after Bible class in the Auditorium
April 19	Girls Gals & Grannies—VCOC Building—4:00-6:00pm Contact Lizzie Price
April 19	Pre-Teen Group—VCOC building—6:00pm Contact Pam Elledge
April 20	Young Men's Group (Age 15-25)—7:00pm VCOC building—Contact Drew Hanson
April 26-28	Alaska Statewide Lectureship—Juneau—Register on line at www.juneaucocf.org
May 3-4	Ladies Retreat Anchorage church of Christ—Registration Forms are on the table in the Foyer or register on line at anccoc.org/upcoming-events
May 4-5	Chris Swinford from Sunset International Bible Institute will be facilitating a Leadership Workshop—Details to follow.
June 17-21	Vacation Bible School—God Keeps His Promises

“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:

- **Madalyn Naler** is fighting an infection.
- Please keep **Herschel and Beatrice Ingram** in your prayers..
- Continue to pray for Jason Murphy's mother, **Margaret Parker**.
- **Micah Morris** is dealing with pregnancy complications.
- **Buffy Wilson**, sister of Layne McDowell is in treatment for cancer in Abilene, Texas.
- Continue to pray for **Ed Cook and family**.
- **Anchorage church of Christ** search for a minister.
- **Titus Caraway, Dorothy O'Neill and Isaac Kuenning** are in the mission field. Phoenix Arizona and Northern Ireland respectively. **Paul Walton** AIM Lubbock TX and is preparing for his Mission assignment in Albuquerque, New Mexico.
- Continue to pray for **Fletcher Collins** ongoing health issues.
- Continue to pray for **Michael Street** ongoing medical 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: Sandra Crockett; Jim Decker**, Craig's father is in hospice care; **Jessica Gipson; Bea Long**, Karen Williams' mother; **Hanna Cross**, Tim Caraway's niece, degenerative joint disease; **Wilma Habig**, health: **Jean Hess**, Bruce's mother; **Martha Lewis; Jeff Reichel's father Clark; Laurie Salyer**, chronic pain. 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; **Bryce Kirn; Vickie McMillen**, Pam Elledge's aunt; **Patty Paris**, Dana Keller's cousin; **Tia Worrell**, Johnny Carrington's niece.
- Continue to pray for **Derek Berg; Jim Cato; Jeff Fowler; Audrey Maze, Dorothy and Doreen** Julie Kirn's sisters; **Bonnie Murrill; Lillian Schoonmaker, Jayden Scott; Rhonda**, the Hollingsworth's daughter.

Contentment isn't getting what we want but being satisfied with what we have.

Not that I am speaking of being in need, for I have learned in whatever situation I am to be content. Philippians 4:11 ESV



SUNDAY ASSEMBLY

April 14, 2019

April 21, 2019

Greeters:

Opening Prayer	Mark Keller	Jud Scott
Song Leader	Stephen Teamer	Adam Kuenning
Scripture Reading	Aaron Morris	Drew Hanson
	Book of Obadiah	Colossians Chapter 1
Prayer	Rocky Murrill	Dave Rambow
The Lord's Supper		
In Charge	Gary Lee	Loren Hollingsworth
Assist	William Long	Jeff Porter
Assist	Craig Elledge	Jarrett Finley
Assist	Chris Woods	Aaron Morris
Assist	Bill Hales	Michael Rosebeary
Scripture Reading	Michael Salyer	Michael Salyer
Lesson	Loren Hollingsworth	Michael Katkus
Closing Prayer	David Wolfe	Randy Tyler
Announcements	Scott Crockett	Scott Crockett

PRISON MINISTRY—22 in attendance April 7

WEDNESDAY —7:00pm—Singing/Devotional and Bible class.
 April 17—Devo, Rocky Murrill; Song Leader, Jeremiah Collins
 April 24—Devo, Benjamin Rorman; Song Leader, Stephen Teamer



ATTENDED NURSERY

For your convenience we offer an attended nursery in room #3 for children age 2 and under. There is a training room for older children at the back of the auditorium.



FELLOWSHIP MEAL CLEAN-UP SCHEDULE

April 14—Delph, Dowdy—Kitchen; Elledge, Finley—Fellowship Hall
 April 21—Gardner J, Gardner N Kitchen; Garrett, Gipson—Fellowship Hall

DEACONS

Advanced Bible Education—Adam Hanshew
 Benevolence—David Wolfe
 Education—Shaphan Collins and Daniel Moseley
 Building and Grounds—Daniel Morphew
 Business/Finance—Jud Scott
 Fellowship—Scott Crockett
 Missions—James Smith
 Online Ministry—Brady Kuenning
 Prison Ministry—Stephen Teamer
 Services—Rocky Murrill
 Youth—Jason Gardner

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	03-31-2019	04-07-2019
Service	243	272
Bible Class	189	205
Weekly Contribution	\$6586	\$11988
Budget	\$6785	
Wednesday	135	121

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

(Part III)

What do we do with “FAITH ONLY” teaching?

Many teach today that “FAITH ONLY” is what saves us from our sins and brings us into Christ. Let’s look a bit at the “faith only” idea from the Bible.–

- > Jesus taught that Faith leads to Obedience - **Matt 7:21**
- > Jesus taught that Baptism must follow Faith for salvation to occur – **Mark 16:16**
- > Peter taught that once you know who Jesus is (faith), you must “repent and be baptized” to have your sins forgiven – **Acts 2:36-39**
- > Philip was teaching the Ethiopian about Jesus and when he wanted to be baptized, Philip checked his faith AND baptized him. – **Acts 8:35-38**
- > Paul told the jailer that he must have FATH and then he IMMEDIATELY baptized Him and his family.–**Acts 16:30-33**
- > The STRONG faith, and accurate knowledge of Apollos & the 12 Ephesian Disciples was NOT enough. They had baptism wrong and needed to be taught “*the way of God more accurately*” and be correctly baptized. – **Acts 18:24-19:5**
- > In Romans, Paul describes Baptism as something that they all did (**Rom 6:3**). When he later says salvation is for those who “*confess with your mouth Jesus as Lord, and believe in your heart that God raised Him from the dead*” in ch 10, he is comparing faith to following the Old Testament Law, not to being baptized.
- > James tells us plainly that faith MUST be active and obedient (**James 2:14-26**) or it is DEAD. It is clear that an obedient, active faith is not “earning salvation” but rather necessary to please God. (**Heb 11:6**)
- > One of the SIMPLEST and CLEAREST teachings on faith & baptism is found in Paul’s letter to the churches in Galatia (**Gal 3:26-28**): **“For you are all sons of God through faith in Christ Jesus. For all of you who were baptized into Christ have clothed your selves with Christ.”** This straightforward explanation is EXACTLY what Jesus taught in **Mark 16:16**.

- Faith always leads the way and must bring Obedience.
 - Baptism is our 1st step of obedience & completes our salvation by:
 - Putting on Christ – **Gal 3:27**
 - Having our sins forgiven – **Acts 2:38**
 - Having our sins washed away – **Acts 22:16**
 - Joining Christ in His death, burial, and resurrection- **Rom 6:3-7**
 - > Peter was even more blunt: “**...baptism now saves you...**” **1Ptr 3:21**
- And remember, it is only by God’s Grace that salvation is even possible:
“For by grace you have been saved through faith; and that not of yourselves, it is the gift of God; not as a result of works, so that no one may boast.” Eph 2:8-10

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



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“Truly, truly, I say to you, whoever believes in me will also do the works that I do; and greater works than these will he do, because I am going to the Father. Whatever you ask in my name, this I will do, that the Father may be glorified in the Son. If you ask me anything in my name, I will do it.” John 14:12-14ESV

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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Elders: Rick Collins, Robert Kuenning, Perry Pruitt