

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—Summer Schedule
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—The Christian Home—Class Begins 9/11/2019
Thursday Evenings	Eagle River Home Group rotating locations—6:00pm—Contact William at 281-723-6000 or williamrlong@gmail.com
Thursday Evenings	Palmer Home Group —Contact Michael Katkus at 907-521-1326
Every other Friday Evening	KGB Home Group at the Daniel's Home—Contact Antoinette Collins
3rd Saturday of the Month	Saturday Ladies Group—Will begin on November 16—11:30am-3:00pm—Contact Bonnie B or Tony Freeman

UPCOMING EVENTS

September 6-8	Game Retreat—Midnight Sun Bible Camp—Cancelled—To be rescheduled
September 7	Closing Midnight Sun Bible Camp for the Season. Help is needed.
September 21	Girls Gals and Grannies—VCOC building 4:00-6:00pm Contact Lizzie Price
October 11-13	Valley Ladies Retreat
October 18-19	Anchorage Men's Retreat

SYMPATHY

Please keep the LeMaster family in your prayers as they mourn the loss of Alan. He passed away at home in Gakona, AK last week after a very long struggle with his health. His wife Shirley is not planning a service right away, but asks for continued prayers for her and loved ones.

"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:

- **Madalyn Naler** has a severe infection. Pray that she will have healing.
- Please keep **Adelyn Stroud**, Tim and Kim Delph's granddaughter, in your prayers as she heals from a broken hand. She will be in a cast for 6-12 weeks.
- Continue to pray for **Norah Long** that her body is strong enough to heal properly and avoid treatment for TEC, a type of childhood anemia. Some of her counts have started to go up.
- **Fletcher Collins** will need two surgeries in the future.
- **Penny Hollingsworth** received her last treatment and will be re-evaluated in October.
- **Margaret Parker**, Jason Murphy's mother, continues to be in the hospital.
- Please keep **Steven**, Jeff Porter's brother, in your prayers he is having severe kidney issues.
- Continue to pray for **Wilma Habig**. She has many health issues.
- Please keep **Herschel and Beatrice Ingram** in your prayers.
- **Tabitha Moseley** that she has a safe pregnancy and delivers a healthy baby.
- Continue to pray for **Ed Cook and family**.
- **Titus Caraway, Isaac Kuenning and Paul Walton** are in the mission field. Phoenix Arizona, Northern Ireland and Albuquerque, New Mexico respectively.
- 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; **Catherine Endersby**, Shannon Ross' grandmother; **Jessica Gipson; Bea Long**, Karen Williams' mother; **Hanna Cross**, Tim Caraway's niece, degenerative joint disease; **Jean Hess**, Bruce's mother; **Martha Lewis; Jeff Reichel's father Clark; Laurie Salyer**, chronic pain. The following are suffering from cancer **Xavier Felon**, Stephen Teamer's Cousin; **Dean Johnson; Hans and Donna Becker**, Julie Kirn's brother-in-law and sister; **Bryce Kirn; Patty Paris**, Dana Keller's cousin; **Buffie Wilson**, Layne McDowell's sister; **Tia Worrell**, Johnny Carrington's niece.
- Continue to pray for **Derek Berg; Audrey Maze, Dorothy and Doreen** Julie Kirn's sisters; **Bonnie Murrill; Lillian Schoonmaker, Jayden Scott**.



Greeters:

	September 1, 2019	September 8, 2019
Opening Prayer	Kirklin Kinney	Jason Gardner
Song Leader	Jason Gardner	Rocky Murrill
Scripture Reading	Randy Tyler	Jeff Reichel
	Mark 8:1-21	Mark 8:22-38
Prayer	Gary Lee	Aaron Morris
The Lord's Supper		
In Charge	Loren Hollingsworth	Michael Salyer
Assist	Michael Salyer	Bill Hales
Assist	Patrick Naler	Troy McGill
Assist	Craig Elledge	Stephen Teamer
Assist	Jerry Berg	Bruce Hess
Scripture Reading	Bruce Hess	Jud Scott
Lesson	Robert Kuenning	Robert Kuenning
Closing Prayer	Monty Howes	Perry Pruitt
Announcements	Scott Crockett	Scott Crockett

PRISON MINISTRY— 19 in attendance August 25

WEDNESDAY —7:00pm—Singing/Devotional and Bible class.
September 4—Devo, Quentin Altman; Song Leader, David Desjarlais
September 11—Devo-Drew Hanson; Song Leader, Adam Kuenning



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

September 1—Munsell, Noe-Kitchen; Porter, Price-Fellowship Hall
September 8—Reichel, Rorman-Kitchen; Pruitt, Rosebeary-Fellowship Hall

DEACONS

Advanced Bible Education—Adam Hanshaw
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

Save the Date!

You are joyfully invited to the
Valley church of Christ
Ladies Retreat



October 11th-13th, 2019
Friday Evening 5:30
Saturday 9am – 2pm
Sunday Women's Class
12:45pm-1:30pm

We welcome you to join us!

In His love,
Your sisters at
Valley church of Christ
1125 Majestic View Circle,
Wasilla, Alaska - (907) 357-3011
Register at <https://www.akvcoc.com>

MIDNIGHT SUN BIBLE CAMP

Due to the continuing concerns of the Doshka Landing fire and the lack of an alternate escape route, **camp is now closed for the season. All remaining activities have or will be relocated or rescheduled.**

The original date of 9/7/19 to close camp will remain. **Help will be needed** to put away the toys of summer and prepare camp for winter. Details will follow next week. Any questions, contact Bob Hoffman. msbc@anccoc.org or call the Anchorage office 907-272-7584.

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 Nancy 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	08-18-2019	08-25-2019
Service	256	252
Bible Class	190	
Weekly Contribution	\$6604	\$5858
Budget	\$6785	
Wednesday	144	115

... .. 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

VALLEY CHURCH OF CHRIST

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



September 1, 2019

“Hear, O Israel! The Lord is our God, the Lord is one! And you shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your might.”
Deuteronomy 6:4-5

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
Email: church@akvcoc.com
Website: www.akvcoc.com
Ministers: Robert Kuenning —354-3011
and Michael Katkus—521-1326
Elders: Rick Collins, Robert Kuenning, Perry Pruitt