

# CALENDAR UPDATE

## ONGOING EVENTS

Tuesday Evenings Men's Bible Study—7:00pm—VCOC building—Teen Class Room  
 Tuesday Evenings Ladies Bible Study—7:00pm —VCOC building—Ladies Classroom, Contact Whitney Kazmierczak

## UPCOMING EVENTS

December 6, 2021 –May 16, 2022 Valley Bible Institute—Sunset Class, Via Zoom—Life of Christ—On Mondays—7:00-8:00pm—Contact Adam Hanshew  
 Now until..... AIM Camp Adventure Fundraisers, March 4<sup>th</sup>—See Insert—Contact Pam Elledge—Sign Up Sheet in the Foyer  
 March 5 Teachers Workshop 9:00am until....Contact Shaphan and Autumn Collins  
 March 12-17 AIM Camp Adventure, Lubbock TX, —Contacts Jason and Jennifer Gardner  
 April 8-10 Alaska State Lectureship, Pointed Parables—Anchorage church of Christ, and along with that will be a Spiritual Enrichment Workshop on April 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> Information and registration forms are on the table in the foyer or you may register online at [www.ancoc.org](http://www.ancoc.org)

## FAREWELL FELLOWSHIP FOR MISSION TEAM MEMBERS

**Beth Chesser** and **Sydney Miller** are completing their Mission field time. There is a Farewell Fellowship at the Valley church of Christ building on **Sunday, February 27<sup>th</sup>, 5:30pm**. Please bring your favorite finger food to share. If you have questions please contact Mike at 907-521-1326. There are Alaska Books on the table in the foyer. Please take a few minutes and sign each book. Beth and Sydney leave March 4<sup>th</sup>.

- **HEALTH CONCERNS: Sandra Crockett**, Scott's mother; **Catherine Endersby**, Shannon Ross' grandmother; **Jessica Gipson**; **Hanna Cross**, Tim Caraway's niece, degenerative joint disease; **Jean Hess**, Bruce's mother; **Aspen Kuenning**; **Richard Larson**, Meredith Porter's father health concerns and cancer; **Margaret Parker**; **Rocky Murrill**; **Kim Delph**, **Madalyn Naler** and **Laurie Salyer** chronic pain and other health issues; **Connie Stringer**. The following are suffering from cancer; **Donna Becker** Julie Kirn's sisters; and her nieces husband **Lynn**; **Jackie Dowdy**, Jason's mother; **Xavier Felon**, Stephen Teamer's Cousin; **Nancy Hanshew** continuing cancer treatment; **Dean Johnson**; Maggie Kofstad's brother **Gary**; **Patty Paris**, Dana Keller's cousin; **Alice Thorne**, Gary Skan's sister; **David Worrell**, Johnny Carrington's nephew.
- Continue to pray for **Derek Berg**; **Ed Cook and Family**, **Bonnie Murrill**, **Jayden Scott**, **Monte Grow**.

*“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 be in prayer for **all the church family members in the valley and around the world that are suffering from Covid and its effects**.
- **Carolyn Allen** was scheduled for hip replacement surgery on February 25<sup>th</sup>. No update as of bulletin printing. Please keep Carolyn and her husband Bill in your prayers.
- Carmon Rorman is continuing her recovery after a stay in the hospital.
- Please be in prayer for **Adam Hanshew** and **family** as he is scheduled for cancer surgery on March 2<sup>nd</sup>.
- **Kim Delph** is scheduled to have a bi-lateral spinal block on March 2<sup>nd</sup>. Please keep her in your prayers.
- **Rhea Kale** is doing well and wants to thank everyone for all the prayers. She hopes to be back to attending in person assembly soon.
- Please be in prayer for **Lyndi Houser** she will be traveling to Seattle for open heart surgery.
- Please be in prayer for Carol Kuenning's parents, **Brady** and **Clara**, they are experiencing health issues.
- **Jim Cato**, **Sarah Gallegos** are dealing with some medical issues.
- Please be in prayer for **Deirdre Daniel** as she continues her recovery.
- Please be in prayer for **Michael** and **Carita Rosebeary** as they are having some health issues.
- Please be in prayer for the **Safe Families Ministry**, for those serving, and for those who need its service.
- **Carita Rosebeary** that she has a safe pregnancy and delivers a healthy baby.
- Keep **Josephine Goyer** in your prayers. She is experiencing health issues.
- Please be in prayer for **Brent** and **Brenda Noe** and **Patricia Houser** they are teaching in an outlying village.
- **Fletcher Collins** ongoing health issues.
- **Michael Street** ongoing medical and health issues.
- **Rebekah Blaine**, **Trisha Gardner** and **Kinley Scott** are in the Adventures in Missions Program in Lubbock TX.
- **Adam Kuenning** is in the Mission Field in Brazil.
- Please be in prayer for our **Mission Team** as they spread Gods word in the Valley and around the State.
- 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

	<b>February 27, 2022</b>	<b>March 6, 2022</b>
Opening Prayer	Scott Crockett	Troy McGill
Song Leader	Bryan Wolfe	Rocky Murrill
Scripture Reading	Daniel Noe	Jason Dowdy
	Zechariah Chapter 6	Zechariah Chapter 7
Prayer	Jarrett Finley	Harrison McGill
The Lord's Supper		
In Charge	Jimmy Adams	Jason Gardner
Assist	Nathan Gardner	Randy Tyler
Assist	Howard Blaine	Joseph Potter
Assist	Luke Gardner	Ben Rorman
Assist	Tyler Williams	Alex Galbier
Assist	Jud Scott	Johnnie Hill
Scripture Reading	Craig Elledge	Jason Murphy
Lesson	Loren Hollingsworth	Michael Katkus
Closing Prayer	Troy McGill	Shaphan Collins
Announcements	Scott Crockett	Scott Crockett

## WEDNESDAY ASSEMBLY

	<b>March 2, 2022</b>	<b>March 9, 2022</b>
Opening Prayer	Randy Tyler	Chuck Sutton
Song Leader	Rocky Murrill	Ales Galbier
Prayer	Tyler Williams	David Elledge
Scripture Reading	Drew Hanson	Joseph Potter
Lesson	Howard Blaine	James Smith
Closing Prayer	Jeremiah Collins	Ian Keller



## 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

Feb 27—Murrill, Naler, Noe D—Kitchen; Porter, Reichel—Fellowship Hall  
 Mar 6—Scott, Smith J, Sutton—Kitchen; Williams, Adams—Fellowship Hall

## DEACONS

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

# CAMP ADVENTURE FUNDRAISER!

## **PARENTS NIGHT OUT!**

- ♥ **March 4th**
- ♥ **Drop-off children from 6-10pm at VCOC building**
- ♥ **Activities, snacks and care provided (Ages 2+)**

**DONATIONS WELCOME!**

**See Pam Elledge for Details**

**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.



<u>“I will show my faith by my works.”</u>		
For the Week Beginning	02-13-2022	02-20-2022
Service	179	167
Bible Class		107
Weekly Contribution	\$8162	\$7416
Budget	\$7365	
Wednesday	Cancelled-Weather	130

**... .. 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 1<sup>st</sup> 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



February 27, 2022

*For the grace of God has appeared, bringing salvation to all men, instructing us to deny ungodly and worldly desires and to live sensibly, righteously and godly in the present age, looking for the blessed hope and the appearing of the glory of our great God and Savior, Jesus Christ, who gave Himself for us to redeem us from every lawless deed, and to purify for Himself a people for His own possession, zealous for good deeds.*  
 Titus 2:11-14

**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 —907-354-3011  
 and Michael Katkus—907-521-1326  
 Elders: Rick Collins, Kirklin Kinney, Robert Kuenning