

# CALENDAR UPDATE

May 4	TNT at the Huffstutlers Boys Drinks, Girls Snacks
May 2,3,4	Alaska State Lectureship-Living Stones 1 Peter 2:4-10
May 9	Christian Basics Class at the Goodmans 10:00am
May 10	Graduation Open House Celebration for James Smith—See the Bulletin Board for Detailed Information
May 16	Senior Banquet-Anchorage
May 18	VBS Meeting
May 18	Building Contribution
May 18	TNT at the Reichels Boys Snacks, Girls Drinks
May 18	Bridal Shower for Aspen Spurlin
May 18-21	Gospel Meeting South Anchorage church of Christ, Clyde M. Woods is the speaker
May 31	Spurlin-Kuenning Wedding

Senior Banquet 2008  
 ATLANTIS Journey to the Bottom of the Sea  
 Friday May 16  
 6:30pm (Anchorage)  
 Couple \$25.00, Single \$15.00  
 Graduating Seniors Free  
 9-12th grade and adults may attend  
 For more information see Jeff or Beth Reichel



Bridal Shower  
 You are invited to a Bridal Shower for  
 Aspen Spurlin on May 18, 2008,  
 4:00pm at the Cannon's Home.



**SAFETY NOTICE**  
 ALL EXITS MUST BE CLEAR OF FURNITURE  
 AND OTHER ITEMS INSIDE AND OUT.

*“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:

- **Wendy Pruitt** recovering from successful surgery. Welcome home Wendy and Perry.
- **Diane Wise** recovering from successful surgery.
- **Lucille Maxson**, Kathleen Godsoe's mother, is home from the hospital.
- The **Lectureship** and those traveling to attend.
- **The Bakers** visiting Ben.
- **Jack Lacy** health.
- **Kaylee Hoff** family matters.
- **Billie Whitfield** and the Wolfe family as they deal with her ongoing medical conditions.
- **Dani Cato and her AIM teammates** as they spread the word in Childress Texas.
- **Ben Baker and his AIM teammates** in Mexico as they spread the Word.
- **Tanya Garrett, Casey Goodman, and Amanda Williams** that they have safe pregnancies and deliver healthy babies.
- Continue to pray for **LeiLoni Bowlus, Mable Howes, Lyla Inman, Chloe Littlefield, Bonnie Murrill, Sarah Muslin, Ruth and Pat Riley, Lillian Schoonmaker, Jacquie vanSchoick, Chester and Ada Webb.**
- 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.

**VBS**  
 Date: July 28-August 1  
 Theme: Building Christian Character  
**We need teachers and many other volunteers.**  
 Please see Bill Williams if you would like to help.



## SUNDAY ASSEMBLY



<p>Opening Prayer          Song Leader          Scripture Reading</p> <p>Prayer  <b>THE LORD'S SUPPER</b>          In Charge          Assist          Assist          Assist          Scripture Reading          Lesson          Closing Prayer          Announcements          Greeters</p>	<p><b>May 4</b>          Robert Kuenning          Rick Collins          Pete Baker          Acts 7:17-34          Caleb Austin</p> <p><b>May 7</b>          Isaac Kuenning          Rocky Murrill          Chuck Sutton</p>	<p><b>May 11</b>          Jim Nelson          Bruce Hess          Brady Kuenning          Acts 7:35-53          Adam Hanshew</p> <p><b>May 14</b>          Adam Kuenning          Dave Williams          TBA</p>
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**WEDNESDAY** **May 7** **May 14**  
 Song Leader Isaac Kuenning Adam Kuenning  
 Song Leader Rocky Murrill Dave Williams  
 Devo Chuck Sutton TBA

### CLEAN-UP SCHEDULE

**Upstairs (Coffee and Dessert Areas) Downstairs**  
 May 4 Baker, Lee Attaway, Kuenning  
 May 11 Baldwin J, Lynch Berg, McLay  
 May 18 Bowlus, Munsell Bridwell, Murrill  
 Downstairs clean-up people need to be downstairs by 12:15pm to have enough time to clean-up)

### ATTENDED NURSERY

We have an attended nursery downstairs for children age 4 and under during services if you desire to use it.  
 Those attending the Nursery-  
 May 4 Stacie Finley and Josie Collins  
 May 11 Craig and Tammie Huffstutler  
 May 18 Ryan and Breanna Baldwin



### ELDERS

C.B. Wise, Robert Kuenning and Dave Williams

### DEACONS

Jim Cato—Maintenance  
 John Katkus—Missions  
 Rocky Murrill—Services/Fellowship  
 Greg Niesen—Business and Finance  
 Jeff Reichel—Youth  
 Chuck Sutton—Education  
 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. Please plan on joining us for lunch. 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 back of each chair. After you have filled out the card please put it in the contribution plate.**

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

**... One Baptism ...**<sup>Eph 4:5</sup>  
(Part II)

Baptism was taught to the early church in a great variety of ways.

- Jesus gave us Baptism as a clear part of our teaching the lost – **Matthew 28-18-20, Mark 16:16**
- Baptism was mostly described in relation to Christ – **Romans 6:3-7; 1Corinthians 1:13-17; Galatians 3:27; Colossians 2:12**
- Baptism was connected to Old Testament scriptures and events - **1 Corinthians 10:2, 1 Peter 3:20-21**
- It was presumed (known) that all in the church had been baptized - **Romans 6:3-5, 1 Corinthians 1:13-17; Galatians 3:27; Colossians 2:12 etc.**
- Peter taught what baptism isn’t - **1 Peter 3:21**
- Baptism was so second nature that it became to be emphasized and bragged about in the wrong way – **1 Corinthians 1:13-17**
- Baptism was used to describe not only our connection to Jesus but to His Body, the church – **1 Corinthians 12:13**
- Baptism was emphasized so much that some failed to move on to learn about more mature subjects as they should – **Hebrews 6:1-2**
- People were taught to get baptized right away – **Acts 22:16**
- Believers who hadn’t been, would be taught to be baptized correctly— **Acts 18:24 – 19:5**
- Baptism would be taught about both literally and symbolically – **Acts 8:35-38; John 3:3-5; 1John 5:5-7, Rom 6:3-5**
- The Bible CLEARLY says Baptism is required (!!!) – **Mark16:16; Acts 2:38; 22:16;1 Peter 3:21**
- **EPHESIANS 4:3-6** – The New Testament teaches that There is only ONE BAPTISM for the Christian.

**Don’t let traditions and added teachings mislead you.**

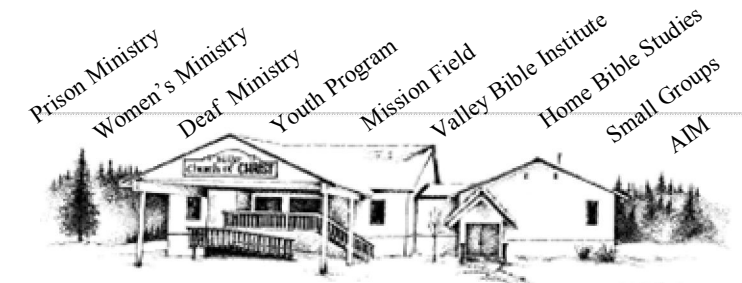
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Mission of Valley church of Christ

**...Make Disciples...**

Matthew 28:19



**May 4, 2008**

*Let love be genuine. Abhor what is evil; hold fast to what is good. Love one another in showing honor. Do not be slothful in zeal, be fervent in spirit, serve the Lord. Rejoice in hope, be patient in tribulation, be constant in prayer. Contribute to the needs of the saints and seek to show hospitality.*  
**Romans 12:9-13**

**SCHEDULE OF ASSEMBLIES**

- Sunday:  
Morning Assembly..... 10:00AM  
Fellowship Meal ..... 11:30AM  
Bible Classes..... 12:45 PM  
Wednesday:  
Bible Classes..... 7:00 PM

Office Hours 9:00am-4:00pm Monday-Friday  
Church Building—745-3011, Fax—745-3012

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Website: www.akvcoc.org  
Minister: Robert Kuenning —354-3011  
Evangelist: Bill Williams—354-3711

Elders:  
C.B. Wise, Robert Kuenning and Dave Williams

**REMINDER**  
As a courtesy to others PLEASE  
TURN OFF YOUR CELL PHONE.



<u>“I will show my faith by my works.”</u>		
<u>James 2:18</u>		
For the Week Beginning	4-20-08	4-27-08
Service	209	201
Bible Class	149	148
Contribution	\$5125	\$4774
Budget \$4224		
Wednesday Evening	111	100
Building Contribution		