

CALENDAR UPDATE
ONGOING EVENTS

Table with 2 columns: Event Name, Details. Rows include Tuesday Evenings (Men's Bible Study), Thursday Evenings (Palmer Small Group), Sunday Evenings (McGill/Reichel Small Group), and specific dates in September 2022 and January.

Area-wide Youth Devotional

- Who: 7th-12th graders
 - What: Area-wide Youth Devotional
 - When: 1 January, 2:30-5:30PM
 - Where: Anchorage church of Christ
 - Why: Spiritual growth and unity amongst the area's youth
 - POC: Alex Hess (& Scott Masten)
 - Note: We will leave from the VCOC building immediately following Bible Class and will plan to stay for the evening assembly at Anchorage church of Christ following the area-wide; expected arrival back to the VCOC building is ~8:30PM. Please let Alex or Leah know if you would like a ride.
- 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; Margaret Parker. The following are suffering from cancer; Jackie Dowdy, Jason's mother; Xavier Felon, Stephen Teamer's Cousin; Nancy Hanshew continuing cancer treatment; Dean Johnson; Maggie Kofstad's brother Gary; Richard Lawson; Patty Paris, Dana Keller's cousin; Alice Thorne, Gary Skan's sister.
 - Continue to pray for Derek Berg, Ed Cook, 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:

- Bart Daniel is back home in Alaska. He is continuing his recovery.
- Bonnie Burkhardsmeyer and Maggie Kokstad's knee replacement surgeries went well. They are both doing therapy and continuing their recovery.
- Dawn Underwood is recovering from back surgery. Please keep her in your prayers.
- Please be in prayer for Stephen Spurlin. He had a bad fall at his worksite resulting in a broken hip and foot.
- Please be in prayer for Loren and Penny Hollingsworth they are in the Mission Field in Thailand.
- Please keep the Smith Family, James, Andrea, Clara, Lydia and Gideon, in your prayers as they are in the Mission Field in Albania.
- Continue to pray for Victoria Mosely, as she makes progress with her therapy.
- Please be in prayer for Mike Riner as he has many challenges.
- Keep Josephine Goyer in your prayers. She is experiencing health issues and has a fear of losing her faith. She could use encouragement with cards, letters and phone calls.
- Addie Williams that she has a safe pregnancy and delivers a healthy baby.
- Fletcher Collins ongoing health issues.
- Michael Street ongoing medical and health issues.
- Please be in prayer for Brent and Brenda Noe, Patricia Houser and Tim and Kelly Caraway. They are teaching in Deering.
- Please be in prayer for the Safe Families Ministry, for those serving, and for those who need its service.
- We have three young adults in the Mission Field: Trisha Gardner, Albuquerque, New Mexico, Kinley Scott, Apaxco, Mexico and Rebekah Blain, Mexico City, Mexico. Please keep all in your prayers as they spread Gods word around the world.
- Karmen Farrell is in the Adventures in Missions program (AIM) in Lubbock, Texas.
- 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

Table with 3 columns: Service, January 1, 2023, January 8, 2023. Rows include Opening Prayer, Song Leader, Scripture Reading, Prayer, The Lord's Supper, In Charge, Assist, Scripture Reading Lesson, Closing Prayer, and Announcements.

WEDNESDAY ASSEMBLY

Table with 3 columns: Service, January 4, 2023, January 11, 2023. Rows include Opening Prayer, Song Leader, Devo (5 Min), Class Lesson, and Closing Prayer.



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

Jan 1—Brunner, Collins R, Crockett—Kitchen; Decker C, Decker L—Fellowship Hall
Jan 8—Delph, Dowdy, Finley—Kitchen; Desjarlais, Elledge—Fellowship Hall

DEACONS

Advanced Bible Education—Adam Hanshew
Benevolence—Jason Gardner
Education—Shaphan Collins
Building and Grounds—
Business/Finance—Jud Scott
Fellowship—Scott Crockett
Missions—
Online Ministry—Brady Kuenning
Prison Ministry—
Seniors—Jarrett Finley
Services—Rocky Murrill
Youth—Alex Hess



JOIN US FOR A RECEPTION TO
CELEBRATE OUR WEDDING

JANUARY 7, 2023 AT 2PM
CAKE AND COFFEE PROVIDED

Sydney Miller
+
Landon Ubrig

Valley church of Christ fellowship hall

Cards and gift cards only as they are going back to
Texas.

Registered at Amazon and Bed Bath and Beyond if
you would like to send gifts.



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	12-18-2022	12-25-2022
Assembly	193	161
Bible Class	129	No Classes
Weekly Contribution	\$7500	\$4372
Budget	\$7365	
Wednesday	102	130

THE BIBLE HAS MUCH TO TEACH THOSE

... One Baptism ...
(Part I)

In Ephesians 4:5 the Bible teaches us that for the church there is ONE BAPTISM. Lets learn what Baptism is and what it does. In Acts 8:36-38 we see that Baptism is immersion in water. The word Baptism in the original Greek means “immerse”. The Bible teaches a great deal about it.

- Jesus clearly taught that it was necessary – **Mark 16:16**
- Jesus taught His followers to perform it and teach everyone. – **Matthew 28:19-20**
- Jesus exemplified it – **Matthew 3:13-17, Mark 1:9-11**
- The Apostles taught it at their first opportunity – **Acts 2:19-42**
- They taught that it would apply to everyone – **Matthew 28:19, Acts 2:38-39**
- They taught that its necessity would continue for all time – **Acts 2:39**
- It was applied in all conversions even when Apostles were surprised – **Acts 10:47-48**
- The History of Early church growth (Acts) gives many examples - **Acts 2:24; 8:12, 13, 38; 9:18; 10:48; 16:15, 33; 18:8; 19:5**
- Sometimes Baptism was commanded by the teacher – **Acts 22:16**
- Sometimes Baptism was requested by the student – **Acts 8:36**
- It was such a natural part of the teaching that sometimes it wasn’t even mentioned in the written Word; but it was obeyed - **Acts 8:12-13,8:35-38; 16:15, 16:31-33, 18:8**

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



January 1, 2023

“But the Lord said to Samuel, ‘Do not look at his appearance or at the height of his stature, because I have rejected him; for God sees not as man sees, for man looks at the outward appearance, but the Lord looks at the heart.’”
1 Samuel 16:7

SCHEDULE OF ASSEMBLIES

- Sunday:
- Assembly.....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
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