## **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 Thursday Evenings Palmer Small Group—The group will meet at 6:30pm and have rotating locations. Jeff Porter is the contact—907-290-0870 McGill/Reichel Small Group—530-7:30pm—This group will be Sunday Evenings at rotating locations. Contact Troy McGill or Beth Reichel September 2022-Valley Bible Institute—Sunset Class, Via Zoom— Romans, September 12, 2022-April 3, 2023—On Mondays April 2023 7:00-8:00pm—Contact Adam Hanshew March 5 Lectureship Meeting March 5 Finley hosted Youth Event—5:00-7:00pm—Please dress for outdoor activities and bring a drink (food provided)—1802 N Kendy, Palmer—Contact Jarrett Finley Karli Murrill and Chris Sherk's Wedding—6:00pm, March 10 VCOC building March 12 Spring Forward—Daylight Saving Time Begins March 17 and 18 VCOC Family Share Giveaway—See insert for more information—Items for Giveaway must be left in the VBI Room—Please note VBI Room is the only place to leave items. Contact Tamika Dowdy March 19 TNT at the Hess Home—5:00-7:30pm, 335 N Roy Circle, Palmer—bring your Bible and notebook—food will be provided 43rd Annual Ladies' Retreat—"Beauty and Truth"—Anchorage March 24-25 church of Christ—register online at www.anccoc.org—paper registration forms and info on table in fover April 14-16 Alaska State Wide Lectureship—Hosted by Valley church of Christ—Restored In Christ—1 Peter 5:10

- 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:

- Please keep Rob VanDussen in your prayers. He is dealing with health issues.
- Please keep the Rorman family in your prayers. Carmon is suffering from a serious heart condition.
- Please keep Wayne Ezell in your prayers he was scheduled to have a heart procedure on March 2<sup>nd</sup>.
- Stephen Spurlin continues to recover from a fall that required surgery.
- 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.
- 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.
- 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 God's word around the world.
- 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.



## **DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME BEGINS**

**Daylight saving** time begins on **Sunday March 12** at 2:00am, remember to turn your clock forward one hour before you go to bed on Saturday night.

#### SUNDAY ASSEMBLY

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Opening Prayer	Rocky Murrill	Chuck Sutton
Song Leader	Bruce Hess	Rocky Murrill
Scripture Reading	Mark Keller	Patrick Naler
	Matthew 5:21-48	Matthew Chapter 6
Prayer	Randy Tyler	Craig Decker
The Lord's Supper		
In Charge	Alex Galbier	Bart Daniel
Assist	Jerry Berg	John Katkus
Assist	Cale Garrett	Luke Gardner
Assist	Scott Williamson	David Elledge
Assist	Jim Cato	Shaphan Collins
Assist	Jeff Reichel	Nathan Gardner
Scripture Reading	Wilson Hess	Jason Murphy
Lesson	Robert Kuenning	Jeff Smith
Closing Prayer	Scott Crockett	Jason Gardner
Announcements	Scott Crockett	Scott Crockett

#### WEDNESDAY ASSEMBLY

	March 8, 2023	March 15, 2023
Opening Prayer	Chuck Sutton	Randy Tyler
Song Leader	Alex Galbier	Luke Gardner
Devo (5 Min)	Craig Decker	Bart Daniel
Class Lesson	Doug McMullen	Doug McMullen
Closing Prayer	Shaphan Collins	Jeremiah Collins

### 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

Mar 5—Dowdy, Elledge, Finley—Kitchen; Desjarlais, Galbier—Fellowship Hall Mar 12—Gallegos, Gardner n, Gardner J—Kitchen; Garrett, Gipson—

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



# FAMILY SHARE GIVEAWAY

MAROCI 17777 11AM-7PM FAMILY/FRIENDS

TAROLI 1871 10AM-3PM OPEN TO PUBLIC

All gently used clothing, bedding, household goods, books, toys, games, and tools are welcomed. Church members can bring their items beginning Sunday March 5th and MUST leave them in the VBI Class Room. (The class room is at the end of the hall.) Please note that the VBI Class Room is the only area where items can be left for the Family Share Giveaway.

Contact Tamika Dowdy if you have questions.

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."

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For the Week Beginning	02-19-2023	02-26-2023		
Assembly	199	214		
Bible Class		154		
Weekly Contribution	\$4884	\$6362		
Budget \$7365				
Wednesday	102	110		
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## THE NEW COVENANT

is

## **OUR WONDERFUL GIFT FROM GOD!!!**

The Covenants are God's contracts with man. The Scriptures show that through covenants God gave man His promises and how to live to receive those promises.

In <u>Genesis 2:15-16</u> God had his first agreement with Adam & Eve in the Garden. He continually had a Covenant with all His peoples: Adam, Noah, Abraham, etc.

## THE GREAT COVENANT WITH ISRAEL

The covenant through Moses was to guide the nation of Israel during the many years from the

FREEDOM from Egypt in <u>EXODUS 19</u> to the

CREATION of CHRIST'S CHURCH in ACTS 2

This "Law of Moses" included the 10 Commandments and the daily rules for all the Jews.

- > The Law itself was PERFECT Psalm 19:7-14, Psalm 119
- > Man could not and cannot completely obey the Law. We all fail.— *Romans 3:10, 23*
- > Failing in one part = failing in all of it. James 2:10
- > The Law made nothing perfect Hebrews 7:18-19

BUT -

- > Jesus came to fulfill the Law Matthew 5:17
- > The Law led us to Christ Galatians 3:23-29

## **GOD PROMISED A BETTER COVENANT!**

"Behold, days are coming," declares the LORD, "when I will make a new covenant..." Jeremiah 31:31

- > It's a BETTER Covenant Hebrews 8:6
- > It's a Covenant of FAITH Galatians 3:25-29
- > It's a Covenant of HEART Jeremiah 31:33
- > It's a Covenant of FORGIVENESS Jeremiah 31:34
- > It's a Covenant of ONE SACRIFICE for all Hebrews 10:11-12
- > It's a Covenant that PERFECTS US! Hebrews 10:14-17
- > It's a Covenant that brings us to GOD Himself! Hebrews 4:14-16. 10:21-25

## > IT'S A COVENANT BASED ON JESUS CHRIST HIMSELF!!! — HEBREWS 10:10-12

The Book of Hebrews teaches that

## **EVERYTHING**

about the New Covenant is better!!!!

#### Read:

<u>Deuteronomy 28:1-6</u>, <u>Jeremiah 31: 27-34</u>, <u>Hebrews Chs 3 - 10</u>, <u>Revelation 22:10-21</u>

## **VALLEY CHURCH OF CHRIST**

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



## March 5, 2023

"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:

Assembly	10:00AM—11:30AM
•	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