### **CALENDAR UPDATE**

ONGOING EVENTS

#### "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:

Men's Bible Study-7:00pm-VCOC building-Teen Class Room **Tuesday Evenings 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. Starts September 17 at the Reichel's home Young Adult Group meets at 5:00pm on Sunday evenings with Sunday Evenings rotating locations. Mike Katkus is the contact. UPCOMING EVENTS September Youth Schedule—See Insert September 18-2023 Valley Bible Institute—Sunset Class, Via Zoom— Acts of the Apostles, September 18, 2023-April 1, 2024-On Mondays-April 1, 2024 7:00-8:00pm—Contact Adam Hanshew September 29-30 Fall Family Share Event—See Insert for details— Contact Tamika Dowdy October 10 Budget Meeting A Bible Seminar, Healing Hurting Families, East Homer church October 15-18 of Christ—Guest Speaker: Donnie Bates, Bear Valley Institute October 20-21 Men's Retreat Anchorage—More information to come October 27-29 Ladies Retreat VCOC-More information to come

- 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, 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; Dean Johnson; Maggie Kofstad's brother Gary; Richard Lawson; Alice Thorne, Gary Skan's sister.
- Continue to pray for Derek Berg, Ed Cook, Bonnie Murrill, Jayden Scott.

•	Gary Elmore, former member at the Valley, blood infection. Please keep
	him in your prayers.

- Please keep **Dorothy O'Neill's mother Christy** in your prayers. As of last word she was in ICU. Mat-Su Regional.
- Nathan Gardner's mom, Lorraine, has been diagnosed with cancer and is expected to have surgery soon. Please keep the family in your prayers.
- Please be in prayer for Lauri Bowers brother, Tom. He is suffering from cancer and now has severe radiation burns.
- Please be in prayer for **Brent Noe's father.** He continues to have strokes and body and memory are failing quickly.
- Please keep **Monte and Janet Grow** in your prayers. Monte is having health issues.
- Please keep **Sandy Shacklett and her family** in your prayers. They are having some particularly difficult situations in their lives.
- Please keep John and Betty Carrington in your prayers. John is having health issues. He is at home gaining strength.
- Kim Delph requested prayers for her **Brother's family** for a very serious on going situation.
- Josephine Goyer is in need of encouragement and motivation. Please keep her in your prayers.
- Fletcher Collins ongoing health issues.
- Michael Street ongoing medical and health issues.
- Brent and Brenda Noe, Patricia Houser and Tim and Kelly Caraway are in Deering for the school year.
- Please be in prayer for **Mykaela (McMullen)** Lee that she has a safe pregnancy and delivers a healthy baby.
- Please be in prayer for the **Safe Families Ministry**, for those serving, and for those who need its service.
- 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 our four young adults, Kyah Morris, Makenna Paine, Joseph Potter and Joshua Gardner, in the AIM (Adventures in Missions) program at Sunset International Bible Institute in Lubbock, Texas.
- We have one young adult in the Mission Field: **Kinley Scott**, Apaxco, Mexico. Please keep her in your prayers as she spreads 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.

#### SUNDAY ASSEMBLY

200	September 17, 2023	September 24, 2013		
<b>Opening Prayer</b>	Layne McDowell	Alex Hess		
Song Leader	Isaac Kuenning	Adam Kuenning		
Scripture Reading	Craig Decker	Jason Murphy		
	Matthew 25:1-30	Matthew 25:31-46		
Prayer	Howard Blaine	Wilson Hess		
The Lord's Supper				
In Charge	Loren Hollingsworth	Craig Decker		
Assist	Russ Bunyard	Logan Decker		
Assist	Luke Gardner	Grayson McDowell		
Assist	Jason Murphy	Patrick Naler		
Assist	Scott Williamson	Tyler Williams		
Assist	Drew Hanson	Jerry Berg		
Scripture Reading	Jason Dowdy	Tyler Williams		
Lesson	Mike Katkus	Robert Kuenning		
Closing Prayer	Michael Rosebeary	Chuck Sutton		
Announcements	Scott Crockett	Scott Crockett		

#### WEDNESDAY ASSEMBLY

	September 20, 2023	September 27, 2023
Opening Prayer	David Elledge	Tyler Williams
Song Leader	Logan Decker	Daniel Noe
Devo (5 Min)	Jason Gardner	Craig Decker
Class Lesson	Jeff Smith	Loren Hollingsworth
Closing Prayer	Tyler Williams	Jason Murphy

#### ATTENDED NURSERY

For your convenience we offer an attended nursery in room #3 for children age 3 and under. There is a training room for older children at the back of the auditorium.

#### FELLOWSHIP MEAL CLEAN-UP SCHEDULE

Sept 17—Owens, Paine, Porter—Kitchen; Reichel, Rosebeary—Fellowship Hall Sept 24— Berg, Spurlin, Williams, Kitchen; Rorman, Scott—Fellowship Hall

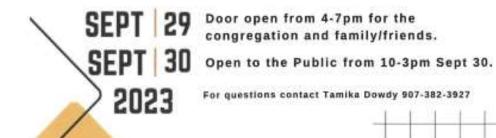
#### DEACONS

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

# VALLEY CHURCH OF CHRIST FAMILY

Drop off your gently used clothing, books, linen, kitchenware, toys, sporting goods, or tools to the VBI Room, now through September 28th,

1125 Majestic View Circle., Wasilla, AK 99654



#### YOUTH SCHEDULE SEPTEMBER

**UPDATED** 24 September 6:30-8:30PM —TNT will be at the Hess home (335 N Roy Circle, Palmer). Food will be provided. Bring your Bible.

29 September, 6:15-10:00PM (ish), Palmer-Wasilla HS Football Game. We'll be cheering on two of our own as Grayson and Eli face off on the gridiron. We'll plan to meet at the church building at 6:15PM, head to the game, then have dessert at our house (335 N Roy Circle, Palmer) following the game. If you are riding the van, please let me know.

1 October, Area-wide at Anchorage church of Christ. We'll leave from VCOC after Bible class and return about 6:30PM. Food provided. Bring your Bible.



Use the QR code to the left to stay connected with the Valley Youth Group events on WhatsApp— Contact Alex Hess for more details 850-381-4907 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 Beginning09-03-202309-10-2023Assembly221228

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Bible Class		116		
Weekly Contribution	\$6749	\$4037		
Budget \$7832				
Wednesday	95	86		

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#### THE BIBLE HAS MUCH TO TEACH THOSE WHO WANT TO FOLLOW CHIRST:

**Christ's church is clearly identified** - *The churches of Christ salute you*. - Romans 16:16, 1Corinthians 1:2

The church is His Body – Ephesians 1:22-23

Authority is from Jesus & through His Word – Matthew 28:18-20, 2Timothy 3:14-17, James 1:17-21

**The Gospel is the "Good News" of God** – 1Corinthians 15:1-5, Matthew 28:1-10, Romans 3:21-24

Old Testament Prophecy is fulfilled in Jesus Christ – Genesis 3:15 >1John 3:8, Jeremiah 31:31-34 > Hebrews 7:18-28

We can know that Jesus is the Christ (Messiah) from God – John 20:30-31, 1John 5:13

How can we come to be a follower (disciple) of Jesus as the Bible teaches?

- Hear & obey the Word of God – Romans 5:17& 10:17, John 5:19, 2Thessalonians 1:8, Matthew 7:24-27

- Believe – Hebrews 11:6, Mark 16:15-16, John 20:24-31

- Repent – Acts 2:37-38, Acts 17:30, Acts 26:20

- Confess Matthew10:32, Luke 12:8, Acts 8:36-37
- Be Baptized –

Purpose – Acts 2:38, 22:16, Mark 16:15-16, Colossians 2:12, Galatians 3:26-29 Action – Acts 8:35-39, Romans 6:3-11 God adds those baptized to His church – Acts 2:42-47

**Our Christian walk with Christ** – Ephesians 5:1-21, John 1:7-2:6, James 1:27

We completely rely on Jesus Christ – Acts 4:12

## **VALLEY CHURCH OF CHRIST**

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



## September 17, 2023

Therefore I urge you, brethren, by the mercies of God, to present your bodies a living and holy sacrifice, acceptable to God, which is your spiritual service of worship. And do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind, so that you may prove what the will of God is, that which is good and acceptable and perfect. Romans 12:1-2

#### 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 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