


CALENDAR UPDATE

ONGOING EVENTS

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| Sunday Evening | Home Group at the Munsell’s— Pot Luck Fellowship Meal, 5:30pm |
| Tuesday Evenings | Men’s Bible Study —7:00PM |
| Wednesday Evenings | VBI Class—New Testament Greek 7:00pm, at the Williams’ Home |
| Wednesday Evenings | Knik Goose Bay Home Group at the R. Kuenning’s— 6:00pm Pot Luck Dinner, 7:00pm Devo |
| Wednesday Evening | Home Group at the Kinney’s, May 11, 6:00pm |
| Thursday Evenings | Home Group at the B. Kuenning’s—6:00pm |


UPCOMING EVENTS

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| May 14 | Wedding Reception/Potluck for Nistor and Mea Katkus—See Insert |
| May 15 | Small Group Leaders Meeting—After Class |
| May 22 | TNT place TBA |
| May 28-29 | Young Adult Camping Trip |
| July 4-8 | Primary Week Midnight Sun Bible Camp |
| July 10-15 | Junior Week Midnight Sun Bible Camp |
| July 17-23 | Senior Week Midnight Sun Bible Camp |
| July 29-31 | Young Adults Retreat Midnight Sun Bible Camp |
| August 12-14 | Statewide Family Camp #1 Midnight Sun Bible |
| September 9-11 | Statewide Family Camp #2 Midnight Sun Bible |



HAPPY MOTHER’S DAY

May God bless all the Mothers
That give of themselves
And tend to their household needs
Before the needs of ‘self’
For they are there with comfort
For each child’s broken heart
Bringing them to God in prayer
With His love to impart.
By M.S. Lowndes



“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 pray that the completion of the church building on E Majestic View Circle progresses in a timely manner and for the Church Expansion effort.
 - The **Shipley’s** as they travel to their new home.
 - **Matt LaBuda**, Rocky and Bonnie Murrill’s grandson, infection.
 - Thank you for the prayers for baby **Fletcher Collins**. Continue to pray for his ongoing health.
 - GK Kinney requested prayers for her brother-in-law, **Wayne Bush**, who is dealing with pneumonia.
 - Please keep **Breanna Baldwin** in your prayers.
 - **Kristin Halsell**, friend of Bruce Hess, dealing with cancer.
 - **Xavier Freelon** Stephen Teamer’s 16 year old cousin dealing with cancer.
 - **Jeff Jaworski**, from Anchor Point, recovering from an injury to his foot.
 - Marsi Beltran requested prayers for her sister, **Mallory**, who is dealing with addiction and is pregnant.
 - **Wendy Pruitt** health issues.
 - **Leilani McElhaney**, Blake and Malaki Murrill’s mother, is undergoing treatment for stage 2 cancer.
 - **T.J. Reichel** Mission assignment in Grass Valley, California.
 - **George Katkus** and **Kayla Caraway** are home for a few weeks until they go to their mission fields. George leaves for Phoenix, AZ May 27and Kayla leaves for Northern Ireland May 24.
 - **Emily Baldwin**, daughter-in-law of Sandy Baldwin; **Maria Franklin; Mea Katkus; Tara Henry**; that they have safe pregnancies and deliver healthy babies.
 - **HEALTH CONCERNS:** Members of Bonnie B. family, **Nathan, Kyle and Jason; Joy Bowlus**, Bob’s mother, congestive heart failure; **Hanna Cross**, Tim Caraways niece, degenerative joint disease; **Earlene**, Oletta Spurlin’s sister cancer; **Alyssa Ferguson**, friend of the Crockett’s, cancer; **Wilma Habig; Renee Haggen**, friend of the Murrill’s stage 4 cancer; **Rick Hess**, Bruce’s father, heart problems; **Dean Johnson; Hans and Donna Becker**, Julie Kirn’s brother-in-law and sister cancer; **Doreene**, Julie Kirns sister; **Martha Lewis; Bonnie Murrill; Greg Niesen**, Cancer; **Mark Seidl, Beth Shipley**, David’s mother, cancer; **Chester Webb, LE Wyrick**.
 - 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

| | May 8, 2016 | May 15, 2016 |
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| Opening Prayer | Adam Hanshew | Mark Keller |
| Song Leader | Stephen Teamer | James Smith |
| Scripture Reading | Etienne Kinney | Jason Dowdy |
| | Acts 4:23-37 | Acts 5:1-16 |
| Prayer | Paul Boquet | James Cato |
| The Lord’s Supper | | |
| In Charge | Dave Williams | Gary Lee |
| Assist | Ron Burkhardtsmeier | Jarrett Finley |
| Assist | Tom Freeman | Scott Owen |
| Assist | James Smith | Shaphan Collins |
| Assist | James Cato | C Woods/Forbis |
| Scripture Reading | Alex Hess | Matthew Henry |
| Lesson | Robert Kuenning | Mike Katkus |
| Closing Prayer | Rocky Murrill | Randy Tyler |
| Announcements | Scott Crockett | Scott Crockett |

PRISON MINISTRY

May 8 Stephen Teamer May 15 Jim Cato

WEDNESDAY Home Groups—See Calendar Update



ATTENDED NURSERY

For your convenience we offer an “as needed” attended nursery downstairs for children age 2 and under and a nursery/ training room to the left of the baptistery .



DEACONS

Scott Crockett—Fellowship
Robert Bowlus—Prison Ministry
Jason Gardner—Youth
Adam Hanshew—Advanced Bible Education
Mark Keller—Education
Barry Munsell—Church Expansion
Rocky Murrill—Services
Jud Scott, James Smith—Missions
Chuck Sutton—Business/Finance
David Wolfe—Benevolence

- Continue to pray for **Derek Berg, Hannah Filopvich; Audrey Maze, and Dorothy**, Julie Kirn’s sisters; **The Neslund Family; Tevin Payne; Patty Paris**, Dana Keller’s cousin, cancer; Jeff Reichels father, **Clark; Nathan Rowe**, co-worker of Rob Baldwin, Injuries from car accident; **Lillian Schoonmaker, Jayden Scott, Michael Street**.

ANNOUNCEMENTS MAY 8, 2016

WEDDING RECEPTION/POTLUCK

Nistor and Mea Katkus were married in December and unable to have a reception at that time. The Church Family is invited to attend their Wedding Reception/Potluck on **Saturday May 14, 2:00pm** at the Best Western Lake Lucille Inn. Some food will be provided, but it is requested that you bring a potluck dish, dessert or finger food to share.

GRADUATIONS

We have 7 graduating from high school this year.

Titus Caraway, and **Isaac Kuenning**—Idea, Attwood Hall, Anchorage
May 24, 2:00pm

Riley Cook and **Etienne Kinney**—Mat-Su Career and Technical, Menard Sports Complex, May 10, 7:00pm

Justin Gibson—Valley Pathways, Menard Sports Complex, May 13, 1:00pm

Malina Harris—Mat-Su Central, Menard Sports Complex, May 12, 1:00pm

Dorothy O'Neill—Wasilla, Menard Sports Complex, May 12, 7:00pm



ALASKA BOOKS

There is an Alaska book on the table in the foyer, please take a few minutes to sign it for the Forbis Family. Their last Sunday is May 22.

MISSION NEEDS

The Mission Fund needs your help. Due to changes in our congregation and increased needs of our missionaries, **the mission budget is underfunded at the end of each month.** Please prayerfully consider giving one time or regular contributions. See James Smith if you would like to help or 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 that are 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.

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

BUILDING
Due to the generosity of the Janssen’s we are able to continue to meet at the Blue Lupine building on Sunday mornings. Services will be 10:00-11:30am. Classes will be 12:00pm to 12:45pm. No other events or activities will be held at this property.

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 | 04-24-2016 | 01-05-2016 |
| Service | 110 | 163 |
| Bible Class | 51 | 116 |
| Weekly Contribution | \$3633 | \$7272 |
| Budget \$6236 | | |
| Wednesday | Home Groups | Home Groups |

THE BIBLE HAS MUCH TO TEACH THOSE WHO WANT TO FOLLOW CHRIST:

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?

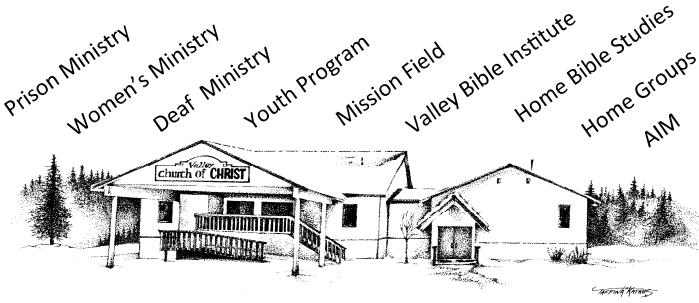
- **Hear & obey the Word of God** – Romans 5:17& 10:17, John 5:19, 2Thessalonians 1:8, Matthew 7:24-27
- **Believe** – Hebrews 11:6, Mark 16:15-16, John 20:24-31
- **Repent** – Acts 2:37-38, Acts 17:30, Acts 26:20
- **Confess** – Matthew10:32, Luke 12:8, Acts 8:36-37
- **Be Baptized** – Purpose – Acts 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

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



May 8, 2016

“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:
Service.....10:00AM—11:30AM
Bible Classes.....12:00PM—12:45PM
Wednesday:
Home Groups

Office Hours 9:00am-4:00pm Monday-Friday
Church Office—745-3011
Email: church@akvcoc.com
Website: www.akvcoc.com
Ministers: Robert Kuenning —354-3011, David Shipley —631-8990 and Michael Katkus—521-1326
Elders: Robert Kuenning, Dave Williams, Rick Collins and Perry Pruitt