

CALENDAR UPDATE

ONGOING EVENTS

Sunday Evening	Home Group at the Munsell’s— Pot Luck Fellowship Meal, 5:30pm
Monday Evenings	VBI Class—Psalms—7:00pm, at the Valley church of Christ building—Next class January 16, 2017
Tuesday Evenings	Men’s Bible Study —7:00pm—Valley church of Christ building
Wednesday Evenings	VBI Class—2 Corinthians, 7:00pm, at the Valley church of Christ building—Class begins on January 4, 2017.
TBA	Knik Goose Bay Home Group TBA
Thursday Evenings	Home Group at the B. Kuenning’s—6:00pm

UPCOMING EVENTS

December 18	Christmas Caroling—See Insert
December 18	TNT Christmas Celebration, J Gardner’s, 5:00pm
December 25	Assembly Only—No Potluck or Bible Classes
December 30-31	TNT—Lock In Anchorage church of Christ—See flyer on table in foyer
December 31	New Year Fellowship—Details to Follow
January 1	Normal Schedule for Assembly, Pot Luck and Bible Classes
April 7,8,9	Alaska Statewide Lectureship

BAPTISM

Matthew Lynch, Jim’s son, was baptized on Sunday, December 11. We praise God for his decision to obey and follow him.

ALASKA STATEWIDE LECTURESHIP

If you have not done so, please fill out a willing to serve form for the Lectureship. The forms are on the table by the office. When complete leave it on the table or give to Nancy. Thank You.

- Continue to pray for **Church in Kodiak, Derek Berg, Hannah Filopvich; Audrey Maze, and Dorothy**, Julie Kirn’s sisters; **Bonnie Murrill; Tevin Payne; Patty Paris**, Dana Keller’s cousin, cancer; **Wendy Pruitt**; Jeff Reichels father, **Clark**; **Lillian Schoonmaker, Jayden Scott**.

“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:

- Jennifer Gardner** is recovering from surgery.
- Michael Street** extreme hip pain. He has been cleared for surgery. Hip surgery is scheduled for December 27.
- Marilyn Dvorak**, Wendy Pruitt’s mother, recovering from knee replacement surgery.
- Virgie Kilgore**, Lindsay Teamers grandmother, is now out of the hospital and doing fine. Thank you for all the prayers.
- Valerie Long’s young cousin** complications from surgery.
- Sandy Baldwin requested prayers for her son **Steve** who will be working in Africa.
- Greg Niesen** cancer, not doing well.
- Continue to pray for **Michael and Carita Rosebery** that they may have strength and peace.
- Marie Elnan** recovering from surgery.
- Continue to pray for **Fletcher Collins**, ongoing health issues.
- Daniel Gipson requested prayers for his mother, **Linda**. She is in hospice care in Arkansas.
- Please keep **Breanna Baldwin** and **Karli Murrill** in your prayers.
- Loren and Penny Hollingsworth** mission field in Thailand.
- Dorothy O’Neill** Adventures in Missions.
- Kayla Caraway** and **George Katkus** Mission assignments in Northern Ireland, Phoenix, Arizona respectively.
- Autumn Collins** and **Lindsay Teamer** that they have safe pregnancies and deliver healthy babies.
- We have many **members of our family** traveling.
- Pray for our **family members** to walk worthy of our calling.
- HEALTH CONCERNS:** Members of Bonnie B. family, **Nathan, Kyle and Jason; David Baldwin**, Sandy’s father-in-law, health; **Joy Bowlus**, Bob’s mother, congestive heart failure; **Bea Long**, Karen Williams’ mother; **Hanna Cross**, Tim Caraways niece, degenerative joint disease; The following are suffering from cancer **Alyssa Ferguson**, friend of the Crockett’s; **Xavier Freelon**, Stephen Teamer’s Cousin; **Kristin Halsell**, friend of Bruce Hess; **Renee Haggen**, friend of the Murrill’s; **Dean Johnson; Hans and Donna Becker**, Julie Kirn’s brother-in-law and sister; **Alan LeMaster**, brother from Gakona; **Leilani McElhaney** Blake and Malaki Murrill’s mother; **Jill Mullins**, Bobbie Brophy’s daughter and **Beth Shipley**, David’s mother; **Rick Hess**, Bruce’s father, heart problems; **Doreene**, Julie Kirns sister; **Wilma Habig; Martha Lewis**; cancer; **Mark Seidl, Chester Webb**.



SUNDAY ASSEMBLY

	December 18, 2016	December 25, 2016
Opening Prayer	Jud Scott	Mark Keller
Song Leader	Scott Crockett	Stephen Teamer
Scripture Reading	Jeff Reichel	Tim Delph
	Acts 22:1-30	Luke 2:1-21
Prayer	Chuck Sutton	Shaphan Collins
The Lord’s Supper		
In Charge	Kirklin Kinney	Riley Scott
Assist	Tim Delph	Etienne Kinney
Assist	Shaphan Collins	Ahanu Kinney
Assist	Doug McMullen	Daniel Morphew
Assist	Jeff Porter	Kirklin Kinney
Scripture Reading	Jason Gardner	Paul Boquet
Lesson	Mike Katkus	Mike Katkus
Closing Prayer	James Smith	Randy Tyler
Announcements	Scott Crockett	Scott Crockett

PRISON MINISTRY—Dec 18, Robert Bowlus—Dec 25, Jim Cato

WEDNESDAY —7:00pm—Singing/devotional and Bible class.
December 21—Devo Jeff Reichel, Song Leader Jason Gardner
December 28—Devo James Smith, Song Leader TBA



ATTENDED NURSERY

For your convenience we offer an “as needed” attended nursery for children age 2 and under and a training room for older children at the back of the auditorium .



FELLOWSHIP MEAL CLEAN-UP SCHEDULE

December 18	December 25
Lee, Lynch, McMullen, Morphew	No Pot Luck

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
James Smith—Missions
Chuck Sutton—Business/Finance
David Wolfe—Benevolence

CHRISTMAS CAROLING

Everyone is invited to go Christmas caroling on Sunday, December 18. Meet at the Valley church of Christ building we will leave between 2:30 and 3:00pm. Teens will be dropped off at the Gardner's for their Christmas party. Questions contact Autumn Collins.



DISHES and CROCK-POTS

If you can't find some of your serving dishes and or crock pots please check the kitchen area. We do not have room to store them for you.



DUMPSTER

We have a dumpster for garbage/trash, so please don't put the garbage/trash in the trailer. Make sure that the garbage/trash is in the dumpster and the lid completely closed. The ravens love garbage/trash hanging out of dumpsters and scatter it about.

REIMBURSEMENTS

If you purchased something for the church and need to be reimbursed please fill out a reimbursement form and give to Chuck no later than January 1. The forms are on the table by the office door.

DIRECTORY and PICTURES

I am in the process of updating the directory. If you are new to the congregation have moved, changed phone numbers, had a child or have other changes, please fill out a Directory Update Information form. The forms are on the table by the offices.

The plan is to start taking pictures for the Congregation Picture Board and Directory in January if all goes well. Everyone will need new pictures. When all the details are worked out the background will be put up.

Nancy


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 the secretary 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	12-04-2016	12-11-2016
Service	184	186
Bible Class	126	129
Weekly Contribution	\$10086	\$7035
Budget \$6236		
Wednesday	90	81

SAVED BY HIS LIFE

Jesus appeared to John on Patmos. He declared that He was dead, but now He lives forevermore (**Revelation 1:18**). Jesus saves because of what He does now, qualified by what He did back then (**Hebrews 2:10**). Paul affirmed, “For if when we were enemies we were reconciled to God through the death of His Son, much more, having been reconciled, we shall be saved by His life” (**Romans 5:10 NKJV**). The suffering and death of Christ qualified Him to function as our High Priest before God at this hour.

Our Lord’s present ministry must be kept in mind as one ponders, “I have a Savior.” He is our Mediator (**1 Timothy 2:5**). He is our Advocate, face-to-face with the Father (**1 John 2:1**). He “always lives to make intercession” for us (**Hebrews 7:25**). His blood continues to cleanse us from all sin as we walk in the light (**1 John 1:7**).

Truly he saves to the uttermost (**Hebrews 7:25**). Christians were saved (past tense, **Romans 8:24**), are being saved (present tense, **1 Corinthians 15:2**). Have been saved (perfect tense, **Ephesians 2:5, 8**), and shall be saved (future tense, **Romans 5:9-10**) - wholly, completely, forevermore!

Jesus saves us from the penalty of sin (**Romans 8:1-3**). He delivers us from the fear of death (**Hebrews 2:15**). He saves us from the fear of judgment (**1 John 2:17-19**). He delivers us from the wrath to come (**1 Thessalonians 1:10**). We have a sympathetic high priest before the throne of grace (**Hebrews 4:15-16**) - at this hour.

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



December 18, 2016

May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace as you trust in him, so that you may overflow with hope by the power of the Holy Spirit.
Romans 15:13

SCHEDULE OF ASSEMBLIES

Sunday:
Service.....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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and Perry Pruitt