## **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

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Tuesday Evenings Men's Bible Study —7:00pm—Valley church of Christ

building

Wednesday Evenings VBI Class—Epistle of John—First Class April 19, at the Valley

church of Christ building

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Thursday Evenings Home Group at the B. Kuenning's—6:00pm

**UPCOMING EVENTS** 

April 15 Wedding Celebration for Beta (Katkus) and Adrian

Minea, 4-6pm at VCOC building

April 21-22 Youth Forum—Anchorage—Hearts on Fire

April 27 Project/Science Fair—Home School—See Cheril

Gardner

## **2017 MIDNIGHT SUN BIBLE CAMP DATES**



#### **FAMILY CAMP 1**

June 30-July 4—Friday through Tuesday

**PRIMARY WEEK**—Grades 1-5

July 10-July 14—Monday through Friday

JUNIOR WEEK—Grades 6-8

July 16-July 21—Sunday through Friday

**SENIOR WEEK**—Grades 9-12

July 23-July 29—Sunday through Saturday

#### FAMILY CAMP 2

August 4-6—Friday through Sunday

Staff is needed for all positions at camp. Willing to serve see Jason Gardner.

"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 Bryce and Julie Kirn in your prayers. Bryce's is undergoing cancer treatments.
- Wilma Habig's sister, **Dana**, is in the hospital with bronchitis and heart problems. She lives in the lower 48.
- Please keep Frank Whiteman and his daughter in your prayers. They are friends of the Murrill's.
- **Beth Shipley**, David's mother, is not doing well.
- Lynda Elmore, former member, health issues.
- Casey Pertin's one year old son, Chase, continues to recover from a severe injury.
- Wendy Pruitt health issues.
- Continue to pray for Fletcher Collins on going health issues.
- Michael Street continues his long painful recovery from right hip resection arthroplasty surgery.
- Greg Niesen cancer, not doing well.
- Please keep Breanna Baldwin and Karli Murrill in your prayers.
- Kayla Caraway and George Katkus Mission assignments in Northern Ireland, Phoenix, Arizona respectively.
- Amanda Baker, Tamika Dowdy and Carita Rosebeary that they have save pregnancies and deliver healthy babies.
- 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.
- 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; Linda Gipson, Daniel's mother-hospice care; Bea Long, Karen Williams' mother; Hanna Cross, Tim Caraways niece, degenerative joint disease; The following are suffering from cancer Xavier Freelon, Stephen Teamer's Cousin; 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; Patty Paris, Dana Keller's cousin Rick Hess, Bruce's father, heart problems; Doreene, Julie Kirns sister; Wilma Habig; Martha Lewis; Mark Seidl, Chester Webb.
- Continue to pray for Church in Kodiak, Steve Baldwin working in Africa, Derek Berg, Audrey Maze, and Dorothy, Julie Kirn's sisters; Bonnie Murrill; Tevin Payne; Jeff Reichels father, Clark; Lillian Schoonmaker, Jayden Scott.



#### **SUNDAY ASSEMBLY**

40.0	April 9, 2017	April 16, 2017
Opening Prayer	Adam Hanshew	Mark Keller
Song Leader	John Teamer	Stephen Teamer
Scripture Reading	Kirklin Kinney	Matthew Henry
	Galatians Chapter 6	John 1:1-28
Prayer	Ben Firth	Chuck Sutton
The Lord's Supper		
In Charge	David Boswell	Randy Tyler
Assist	Riley Scott	William Long
Assist	Jerry Berg	Evan Carson
Assist	Ahanu Kinney	Robert Bowlus
Assist	Mike Mitchell	Jeff Reichel
Scripture Reading	Stephen Teamer	Alex Hess
Lesson	Tony Cloud	Mike Katkus
Closing Prayer	David Wolfe	Jeff Porter
Announcements	Scott Crockett	Scott Crockett

PRISON MINISTRY—April 9, Randy Tyler—April 16, Stephen Teamer

WEDNESDAY —7:00pm—Singing/devotional and Bible class.
April 12—Devo, Alex Hess,; Song Leader, Riley Scott

April 19—Devo, Matthew Henry; Song Leader TBD

#### 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**

April 9—Lectureship
April 16—McIver-O'Hara, McMullen, McMurray, Morphew

#### **DEACONS**

Robert Bowlus—Prison Ministry
Scott Crockett—Fellowship
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

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."

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For the Week Beginning	03-26-2017	04-02-2017
Service	205	237
Bible Class	151	147
Weekly Contribution	\$5594	\$7711
Budget \$6040		
Wednesday	80	101

## ... One Baptism ... Eph 4:5

(Part II)

Baptism was taught to the early church in a great variety of ways.

- Jesus gave us Baptism as a clear part of our teaching the lost <u>Matthew 28-18-20, Mark 16:16</u>
- Baptism was mostly described in relation to Christ Romans 6:3-7; 1Corinthians 1:13-17; Galatians 3:27; Colossians 2:12
- Baptism was connected to Old Testament scriptures and events -1 Corinthians 10:2, 1 Peter 3:20-21
- It was presumed (known) that all in the church had been baptized - Romans 6:3-5, 1 Corinthians 1:13-17; Galatians 3:27; Colossians 2:12 etc.
- Peter taught what baptism isn't 1 Peter 3:21
- Baptism was so second nature that it became to be emphasized and bragged about in the wrong way –
   1 Corinthians 1:13-17
- Baptism was used to describe not only our connection to Jesus but to His Body, the church – <u>1 Corinthians</u> <u>12:13</u>
- Baptism was emphasized so much that some failed to move on to learn about more mature subjects as they should – Hebrews 6:1-2
- People were taught to get baptized right away –
   Acts 22:16
- Believers who hadn't been, would be taught to be baptized correctly— <u>Acts 18:24 – 19:5</u>
- Baptism would be taught about both literally and symbolically <u>Acts 8:35-38; John 3:3-5;</u>

  1John 5:5-7, Rom 6:3-5
- The Bible CLEARLY says Baptism is required (!!!) Mark16:16; Acts 2:38; 22:16;1 Peter 3:21
- <u>EPHESIANS 4:3-6</u> The New Testament teaches that There is only ONE BAPTISM for the Christian.

Don't let traditions and added teachings mislead you.

# **VALLEY CHURCH OF CHRIST**

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



April 9, 2017

For whatever is born of God overcomes the world. And this is the victory that has overcome the world—our faith.

1 John 5:4 NKJV

#### **SCHEDULE OF ASSEMBLIES**

Sunday:

Wednesday:

Bible Classes......7:00PM

Office Hours 9:00am-4:00pm Monday-Friday
Church Office—907-357-3011
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Elders: Rick Collins, Robert Kuenning, Perry Pruitt

and Dave Williams