

CALENDAR UPDATE
ONGOING EVENTS

Table with 2 columns: Event Day, Event Details. Rows include Sunday Evening, Monday Evenings, Mon, Thurs, Tuesday Evenings, Wednesday Evenings, Thursday Evenings, and Thursday Evenings.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Table with 2 columns: Date, Event Details. Rows include January 14, January 21, January 27, and February 2-3.

USE OF BUILDING

During this busy time of the year if you use the building, please clean up after yourself and return things as they were. Our cleaning folks don't come and clean after your events. Make sure all doors to the outside are locked. Thank You for your cooperation in this request.

- HEALTH CONCERNS: 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; Wilma Habig, Martha Lewis, Wendy Pruitt, Mark Seidl, Chester Webb. The following are suffering from cancer Doris Ballard, GK Kinney's friend; Naomi Cohen, friend of the Long's; Xavier Felon, Stephen Teamer's Cousin; Dean Johnson; Hans and Donna Becker, Julie Kirn's brother-in-law and sister; Leilani McElhaney Blake and Malaki Merrill's mother; Vickie McMillen, Pam Elledge's aunt; Patty Paris, Dana Keller's cousin.

"And pray in the Spirit on all occasions with all kinds of prayers and requests". Ephesians 6:18

PRAYER REQUESTS

- As you pray, please remember those listed below:
- Maggie Kofstad's 12 week old grandson, Jackson, recovering from and infection. He spent some time in the hospital.
 - Lee Ames' knee surgery, Jason Gardner's hip replacement surgery and Ronilee Lynch's hip replacement surgery went well and they are recovering.
 - Please keep the church in Kodiak in your prayers. Harold Jones is very ill and needs 24 hour nursing care at home his wife Marcy has cancer. They have been with the Kodiak church for many years.
 - Continue to pray for Michael Street, very long painful recovery from right hip resection arthroplasty surgery and the painful bursitis in his left knee.
 - Nathan Gardner's mother, Lorraine, is recovering from quadruple bypass surgery. She is expected to be in the hospital for awhile.
 - Jessica Cook medical issues. She is doing better.
 - Ed Cook bone cancer. The Cooks are now in Seattle for Ed's treatments.
 - Robert Bowlus and family as he is working in S Korea.
 - Continue to pray for Fletcher Collins ongoing health issues.
 - Lynda Elmore and Bryce Kirn are being treated for cancer.
 - Please keep Breanna Baldwin and Karli Murrill in your prayers.
 - Valerie Long and Ashley Pruitt that they have safe pregnancies and deliver healthy babies.
 - Loren and Penny Hollingsworth mission field in Thailand.
 - Titus Caraway, Isaac Kuenning and Dorothy O'Neill AIM.
 - Kayla Caraway Mission assignments in Northern Ireland. Kayla is home for a visit.
 - 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.
 - Continue to pray for Derek Berg; Audrey Maze, Dorothy and Doreen Julie Kirn's sisters; Bonnie Murrill; Tevin Payne; Jeff Reichel's father, Clark; Lillian Schoonmaker, Jayden Scott.

REINBURSEMENTS

If you purchased something for the building, class, kitchen etc. and need to be reimbursed fill out the reimbursement form, located on the table in the foyer, attach receipts and give to Chuck Sutton as soon as possible.



SUNDAY ASSEMBLY

Table with 3 columns: Service, December 24, 2017, December 31, 2017. Rows include Opening Prayer, Song Leader, Scripture Reading, Prayer, The Lord's Supper, In Charge, Assist, Assist, Assist, Assist, Scripture Reading, Lesson, Closing Prayer, and Announcements.

PRISON MINISTRY—December 24, TBD—December 31, TBD

WEDNESDAY —7:00pm—Singing/Devotional and Bible class. December 27—Devo, Craig Decker; Song Leader, Stephen Teamer January 3—Devo, Daniel Moseley; Song Leader, Jason Dowdy



ATTENDED NURSERY

For your convenience we offer an attended nursery in room #2 for children age 2 and under. There is a training room for older children at the back of the auditorium. Nursery Attendants: December 24, Andrea Smith December 31, Jennifer Gardner



FELLOWSHIP MEAL CLEAN-UP SCHEDULE

December 24—Elledge, Finley, Gardner J, Gardner N December 31—Garrett, Gipson, Gibson, Henry

DEACONS

Prison Ministry Scott Crockett—Fellowship Jason Gardner—Youth Adam Hanshaw—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.



<u>“I will show my faith by my works.”</u>		
For the Week Beginning	12-10-2017	12-17-2017
Service	242	228
Bible Class	170	172
Weekly Contribution	\$7739	\$7665
Budget	\$6040	
Wednesday	137	113

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 Genesis 2:15-16 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 EXODUS 19
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 – Psalms 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 :
Deuteronomy 28:1-6 , Jeremiah 31: 27-34, Hebrews Chs 3 - 10, Revelation 22:10-21

VALLEY CHURCH OF CHRIST

1125 E Majestic View Circle
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Mission of Valley church of Christ
...Make Disciples...Matthew 28:19



December 24, 2017

***In the beginning was the Word,
and the Word was with God, and
the Word was God.
John 1:1***

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 Dave Williams