VALLEY CHURCH OF CHRIST

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



November 10, 2024

.....and I pray that you, being rooted and established in love, may have power, together with all the saints, to grasp how wide and long and high and deep is the love of Christ, and to know this love that surpasses knowledge—that you may be filled to the measure of all the fullness of God. Ephesians 3:14-19

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 ... One Baptism ... (Part I)

In Ephesians 4:5 the Bible teaches us that for the church there is <u>ONE BAPTISM</u>. Lets learn what Baptism is and what it does. In Acts 8:36-38 we see that Baptism is immersion in water. The word Baptism in the original Greek means "immerse". The Bible teaches a great deal about it.

- Jesus clearly taught that it was necessary - Mark 16:16

- Jesus taught His followers to perform it and teach everyone. – <u>Matthew 28:19-20</u>
- Jesus exampled it Matthew 3:13-17, Mark 1:9-11
- The Apostles taught it at their first opportunity <u>Acts 2:19-42</u>
- They taught that it would apply to everyone Matthew 28:19, Acts 2:38-39

- They taught that its necessity would continue for all time – <u>Acts 2:39</u>

- It was applied in all conversions even when Apostles were surprised – <u>Acts 10:47-48</u>

- The History of Early church growth (Acts) gives many examples - <u>Acts 2:24; 8:12, 13, 38; 9:18; 10:48;</u> <u>16:15, 33; 18:8; 19:5</u>

- Sometimes Baptism was commanded by the teacher – <u>Acts 22:16</u>

- Sometimes Baptism was requested by the student – <u>Acts 8:36</u>

 It was such a natural part of the teaching that sometimes it wasn't even mentioned in the written Word; but it was obeyed -Acts 8:12-13,8:35-38; 16:15, 16:31-33, 18:8 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 <u>building PLEASE see Nancy to schedule</u>. 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	10-27-2024	11-03-2024		
Assembly	226	227		
 Bible Class 	127	117		
 Weekly Contribution 	\$7483	\$9399		
* Weekly Budget Goal \$7711		1		
Wednesday	121	102		

CALENDAR UPDATE

ONGOING EVENTS

Valley Bible Institute—Sunset Class, Via Zoom—Next class Monday Evenings Epistles of Peter, Sept 16—Dec 2—7:00-8:00pm—Contact Adam Hanshew Tuesday Evenings Men's Bible Study-7:00pm-VCOC building-Multi Purpose Room Ladies Bible Study—7:00pm —VCOC building—Ladies Tuesday Evenings Classroom—PRAYER, in Practice QR code in insert Thursday Evenings Palmer Small Group—The group will meet at 6:30pm and have rotating locations. Jeff Porter is the contact-907-290-0870 Thursday Evenings Big Lake/Wasilla Small Group—The group will meet at 5:30pm and have rotating locations. Ben Rorman is the contact for this group 701-818-7532 Sunday Evenings Sunday Small Group—5:00-7:00pm—This group will meet every other week at rotating locations. Contact The Reichel's. QR code in insert Young Adult Group meets at 5:00pm on Sunday evenings Sunday Evenings with rotating locations. Mike Katkus is the contact. UPCOMING EVENTS November Youth Schedule—Use QR code to stay connected— See Insert November — Baby Shower honoring Natalie and Adam Kuenning-Will be Rescheduled VCOOMIDERESCHEDUDED-This is a family Baby Shower. See Insert November 16 A Senior (65+) Ladies Gathering at Sandy Baldwins-See Insert—Contact Bonnie B or Tony Freeman November 28 Thanksgiving Fellowship—VCOC building—Contact Rocky Murrill—Sign up sheet on table in foyer Ladies Hallmark Christmas Movie Night-5:30pm at December 8 Meredith Porter's Home —See flyer on table in the foyer for more information

BIRTH

Adam and Natalie Kuenning are the proud parents of "Baby Boy" Kuenning. They welcomed him on Saturday, November 2, 2024. The family is doing well. Grandparents are Robert and Carol Kuenning. Great grandfather is Brady King. CONGRATULATIONS!!

"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:

- Antoinette Collins (Ant) Collins continues to recover and gain strength ٠ following heart surgery.
- Please keep the **Brophy family** in your prayers. Bobbie has traveled to ٠ Oregon to help with family dealing with health issues.
- Please be in prayer for all who are recovering from surgeries. ٠
- Please be in prayer for those that are having health issues and other struggles. Betty Carrington, Bonnie Murrill, Josephine Goyer, Daniel and Jessica Gipson, Lee and Marcia Ames, Aspen Kuenning, Carol Kuenning, Margaret Parker, and those who are struggling in silence.
- Please keep **Tim and Kelly Caraway** in your prayers as Tim continues • treatment for cancer.
- Please keep Glenn and Sally Smith in your prayers. Glenn had good scan results for cancer but he needs to be careful about being exposed to sickness.
- Please keep Monte and Janet Grow in your prayers. Monte is having • health issues.
- Fletcher Collins ongoing health issues.
- Michael Street ongoing medical and health issues. ٠
- Please be in prayer for Erin Galbier and Addie Williams that they have safe pregnancies and deliver healthy babies.
- 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 Kyah Morris, Makenna Paine and Joseph Potter. All are at their Mission assignments with AIM (Adventures in Missions).
- Please keep Craig Elledge in your prayers. He is in Lubbock TX in the AIM ٠ (Adventures in Missions) program.
- 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: Hanna Cross, Tim Caraway's niece, degenerative ٠ joint disease. The following are suffering from cancer; Maggie Kofstad's brother Gary; Richard Lawson, Meredith Porters father; Alice Thorne, Garv Skan's sister.
- Continue to pray for Derek Berg and Jayden Scott. ٠



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SUNDAY ASSEMBLY

	November 10, 2024	November 17, 2024
Opening Prayer	Jason Gardner	Jason Murphy
Song Leader	Bruce Hess	John Teamer
Scripture Reading	Craig Decker	Jason Dowdy
	1 Peter Chapter 4	1 Peter Chapter 5
Prayer	Layne McDowell	Jeff Porter
The Lord's Supper		
In Charge	John Teamer	Craig Decker
Assist	Scott Williamson	Drew Hanson
Assist	Johnnie Hill	Wilson Hess
Assist	River Mahugh	River Mahugh
Assist	John Katkus	Logan Decker
Assist	Logan Decker	Elijah Naler
Scripture Reading	Daniel Noe	David Desjarlais
Lesson	Jeff Smith	Robert Kuenning
Closing Prayer	Michael Rosebeary	Tyler Williams
Announcements	Scott Crockett	Scott Crockett

WEDNESDAY ASSEMBLY

	November 13, 2024	November 20, 2024
Opening Prayer	Matt Paine	Ben Rorman
Song Leader	Jason Murphy	Logan Decker
Devo (5 Min)	Logan Decker	Matt Paine
Class Lesson	Stephen Teamer	Stephen Teamer
Closing Prayer	Tyler Williams	Jarrett Finley

ATTENDED NURSERY

, FF 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

Nov 10—Gardner J, Gardner N, Gann—Kitchen; Garrett, Hanson— Fellowship Hall Nov 17—Hess A, Katkus J, Kuenning I—Kitchen; Keller I, Lynch—Fellowship Hall

DEACONS

Advanced Bible Education—Adam Hanshew Benevolence—Jason Gardner Education—Shaphan Collins 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



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

UPCOMING YOUTH GROUP SCHEDULE

8 November: Basketball Night, 6-9PM at Pioneer Peak Elementary School. Bring a ball (if you have one) and water.

9-11 November: Youth Group Retreat at Knotty Pine B&B on Lazy Mountain in Palmer. More details to follow. \$100 registration. Scholarships are available if needed.

Parents—A couple of updates & announcements:

1. We are excited to formally announce that we are starting FAM (Faith, Accountability, and Mentorship) Groups at the Valley. This program is designed for all teens in the youth group and we'd like to meet with all parents at the VcoC building at 11AM on Saturday, 9 November (this is also the drop off time for the retreat). Expect to meet for approximately one hour.

2. We are looking forward to the youth retreat and are anticipating over 20 teens, which is fantastic! Teens should meet at the VcoC building at 11AM on 9 November. We will return to the building at 1130 on 11 November. If you haven't done so already, please fill out the parent permission form (I'll upload the document here soon) and get me the \$100 for the retreat; cash, check, or Venmo are fine.

3. Packing List for the retreat: Bible, Notebook, Pen/Pencil, Clothes, Toiletries, Gear appropriate for weather (no substantial activities are planned), and swimwear for the hot tub (activity will be gender segregated).

Please let me know if you have any questions. Thanks! Alex





Ladies Tuesday Evening Bible Study

Use the QR code to the left to stay connected in all things regarding Bible studies and prayers for one another.

Color San 2 Sunday Small Group



Use the QR code to the left to stay connected with the Sunday Small Group on WhatsApp. Contact The Reichel's



You're Invited to....

A Senior (65+) Ladies Gathering



Saturday November 16th @12:00 noon When: Sandy Baldwin's house Where: 6252 E Beechcraft Circle, Wasilla

Why: To enjoy a soup lunch, make a fun holiday craft &of course, visit with your sisters!!

Limited parking-carpooling suggested

SUN 3rd	MON 4th	TUE 5th	WED 6th	THU 7th	FRI 8th	SAT 9th
			Hulon Hess Baskethall 3:00 PM Grace Christian Academy	Hulon Hess Baskethall 3:00 PM Reddington Junior School	Polla Dowdy & Mckenzie Hess Baskethall 7:30 PM Catasty Family Finanz	
SUN 10th	MON 11th	TUE 12th	WED 13th	THU 14th	FRI 15th	SAT 16t
				Nia' Dowdy Soccer 8.00 PM Menard Sports Center	Julia Dowdy & Mckenste Hess Rasketball &OD PM Genuis Family Fitness	8