

VALLEY CHURCH OF CHRIST

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



November 17, 2024

Everyone who comes to Me and hears My words and acts on them, I will show you whom he is like: he is like a man building a house, who dug deep and laid a foundation on the rock; and when a flood occurred, the torrent burst against that house and could not shake it, because it had been well built. But the one who has heard and has not acted accordingly, is like a man who built a house on the ground without any foundation... Luke 6:47-49

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

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and Michael Katkus—907-521-1326

Elders: Rick Collins, Kirklin Kinney, Robert Kuenning

... 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 – **Matthew 28:18-20, Mark 16:16**
 - 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 – **1 Corinthians 12:13**
 - 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— **Acts 18:24 – 19:5**
 - Baptism would be taught about both literally and symbolically – **Acts 8:35-38; John 3:3-5; 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**
 - **EPHESIANS 4:3-6** – The New Testament teaches that **There is only ONE BAPTISM for the Christian.**
- Don't let traditions and added teachings mislead you.**

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 Nancy 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	11-03-2024	11-10-2024
Assembly	227	203
Bible Class	117	108
Weekly Contribution	\$9399	\$5201
Weekly Budget Goal	\$7711	
Wednesday	102	89

CALENDAR UPDATE

ONGOING EVENTS

Monday Evenings	Valley Bible Institute—Sunset Class, Via Zoom—Next class 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
Tuesday Evenings	Ladies Bible Study—7:00pm —VCOC building—Ladies 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
Sunday Evenings	Young Adult Group meets at 5:00pm on Sunday evenings with rotating locations. Mike Katkus is the contact.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Nov 10-Nov 23	VCOC Youth Events Schedule
November	Youth Schedule—Use QR code to stay connected—See Insert
November 28	Thanksgiving Fellowship—VCOC building—Contact Rocky Murrill—Sign up sheet on table in foyer
November 30	Abbreviated Teachers Workday—11:00am until...
December 6	6:00-9:00pm—Basketball night at Pioneer Peak Elementary
December 8	Budget meeting for Elders/Deacons after class at 2pm in the multi-purpose room
December 8	Ladies Hallmark Christmas Movie Night—5:30pm at Meredith Porter’s Home —See Insert
December 29	Singing at VCOC building

“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:

- **Sandi Dobberke** came forward asking for prayers that she can find treatment for her medical issues.
- **Antoinette Collins** (Ant) Collins continues to recover and gain strength following heart surgery.
- Please be in prayer for all who are recovering from surgeries.
- 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, 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.
- 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 (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 joint disease. The following are suffering from cancer; Maggie Kofstad’s brother **Gary; Richard Lawson**, Meredith Porters father; **Alice Thorne**, Gary Skan’s sister.
- Continue to pray for **Derek Berg and Jayden Scott**.

BAPTISM

Josh Rookes was baptized into Christ on November 11, 2024. We praise God for Josh’s decision to obey and follow Him. CONGRATULATIONS!



SUNDAY ASSEMBLY

	November 17, 2024	November 24, 2024
Opening Prayer	Jason Murphy	David Elledge
Song Leader	John Teamer	Stephen Teamer
Scripture Reading	Jason Dowdy	Bruce Hess
	1 Peter Chapter 5	2 Peter Chapter 1
Prayer	Jeff Porter	Randy Tyler
The Lord’s Supper		
In Charge	Craig Decker	Matt Paine
Assist	Drew Hanson	Tyler Williams
Assist	Wilson Hess	Jerry Berg
Assist	River Mahugh	Elijah Naler
Assist	Logan Decker	Johnnie Hill
Assist	Elijah Naler	Evan Naler
Scripture Reading	David Desjarlais	Wilson Hess
Lesson	Robert Kuenning	Robert Kuenning
Closing Prayer	Tyler Williams	Jarrett Finley
Announcements	Scott Crockett	Scott Crockett

WEDNESDAY ASSEMBLY

	November 20, 2024	November 27, 2024
Opening Prayer	Ben Rorman	David Elledge
Song Leader	Logan Decker	John Teamer
Devo (5 Min)	Matt Paine	Wilson Hess
Class Lesson	Stephen Teamer	Stephen Teamer
Closing Prayer	Jarrett Finley	TBD



ATTENDED NURSERY

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 17—Hess A, Katkus J, Kuenning I—Kitchen; Keller I, Lynch—Fellowship Hall
 Nov 24—McGill, Miller, Moen—Kitchen; McDowell, Munsell—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



VCOC YOUTH EVENTS			WEEK : NOV 17TH – NOV 30TH			
SUN 17th	MON 18th	TUE 19th	 Nia' Dowdy Soccer 8:00 PM Menard Sports Center	THU 21st	FRI 22nd	SAT 23rd
SUN 24th	MON 25th	TUE 26th	 Nia' Dowdy Soccer 8:00 PM Menard Sports Center	THU 28th	FRI 29th	SAT 30th

NOTES  There can often be changes to schedule and location. Check with parents if you plan to attend.



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

- 24 November, 5:30-7:30PM, TNT at the home of a John Teamer (209 S Vix Way, Wasilla, AK 99654). Bring a Bible and notebook.
 - 28 November: church-wide Thanksgiving Fellowship at the building. Check the bulletin for details.
 - 6 December, 6-9PM, Basketball night at Pioneer Peak Elementary.
 - 15 December, 5-7PM, Teen Holiday Party at the Dowdy home.
- More details to follow.



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.



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