

# VALLEY CHURCH OF CHRIST

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



June 15, 2025

*Know therefore that the LORD your God is God,  
the faithful God who keeps covenant and steadfast  
love with those who love him and keep his  
commandments, to a thousand generations....  
You shall therefore be careful to do the commandment  
and the statutes and the rules that I command you today.  
Deuteronomy 7:9-11*

## 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

## 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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## 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.

## ONLINE CONTRIBUTIONS

For those that give via online contributions, please ensure that any PayPal transfers to the church are set to a transaction type of “Donation” and NOT “Goods and Services”.

To ensure you have the correct transaction type selected, you can use the “PayPal Giving” button provided on our church website at <https://www.akvcoc.com/member-resource/contribution#paypal> which will automatically default to “Donation” as the transaction type.

Please **DO NOT** use the PayPal Mobile App when giving to the church since it defaults to “Goods and Services” and has no “Donation” option. We are currently searching for a better online contribution method and will let the congregation know of any future changes. Thank you.

## “I will show my faith by my works.”

For the Week Beginning	06-01-2025	06-08-2015
Assembly	231	239
Bible Class	110	
Weekly Contribution	\$8622	\$6467
Weekly Budget Goal	\$7711	
Wednesday	113	

## CALENDAR UPDATE

### ONGOING EVENTS

Monday Evenings	Valley Bible Institute—Sunset Class, Via Zoom—Next class starts on Sept 15—Study on Apologetics 2—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—Use WhatsApp QR code to stay connected—On Hiatus for the Summer
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. Use WhatsApp QR code to stay connected—On Hiatus for the Summer
Sunday Evenings	Young Adult Group meets at 5:00pm on Sunday evenings with rotating locations. Mike Katkus is the contact.

### UPCOMING EVENTS

June	<b>Youth Schedule</b> —See Insert
June 8-21	<b>VCOC Youth Events</b> —See Insert
June 15	<b>Bridal Shower</b> Honoring Valerie Heinrich—See Insert for Details
June 20-22	<b>Alaska Statewide Youth Forum</b> at Valley church of Christ—Registration is through the Anchorage church of Christ—Registration due June 15— <b>See insert for more information</b>
June 23-27	<b>Vacation Bible School</b> —The Growing in the Character of Jesus—Please register on line at <a href="https://www.akvcoc.com/vbs-2025">https://www.akvcoc.com/vbs-2025</a> —OR See Insert for QR code to Register
Oct 10, 11 and 12	Seminar — <b>Why Believe in God</b> —Eric Lyons, Apologetics Press, at Valley church of Christ—See flyer on the table in the foyer—Contact Alex Hess

“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:

- **Carol Kuenning’s** diagnostic surgery went well. Thank you for your prayers and love.
- **Brady King** continues to be ill. Please keep him in your prayers.
- Please keep **Louise Burger** former member in your prayers. She is dealing with cancer.
- **Sue Houser** is recovering from shoulder surgery. Please keep her in your prayers.
- **Rob VanDussen** is having serious back surgery on June 20.
- **Alex Connors** continues to recover from a severe injury to his left hand.
- Please be in prayer for those that are having health issues and other struggles. **Bonnie Burkhardtsmeier, Betty Carrington, Josephine Goyer, Daniel and Jessica Gipson, Joan Kistler, Lee and Marcia Ames, Bonnie Murrill, Maddy Naler, Margeret 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 **Helen Hanson** and **Catherine Stefan** 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. Newsletter on mission table in the foyer.
- Please be in prayer for **Kyah Morris, Makenna Paine and Joseph Potter**. All are at their Mission assignments with AIM (Adventures in Missions). Newsletters on mission table in the foyer.
- 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**.



### SUNDAY ASSEMBLY

	June 15, 2025	June 22, 2025
Opening Prayer	Alex Galbier	Youth Forum Participants
Song Leader	Logan Decker	Youth Forum Participants
Scripture Reading	Jason Dowdy John 1:1-28	Youth Forum Participants John 1:29-51
Prayer	Layne McDowell	Youth Forum Participants
The Lord’s Supper		
In Charge	Chuck Sutton	Youth Forum Participants
Assist	Jason Murphy	Youth Forum Participants
Assist	Mogans Tyler	Youth Forum Participants
Assist	Russ Bunyard	Youth Forum Participants
Assist	Howard Blaine	Youth Forum Participants
Assist	Michael Rosebeary	Youth Forum Participants
Scripture Reading	David Elledge	Youth Forum Participants
Lesson	Mike Katkus	Jeff Smith
Closing Prayer	Ben Rorman	Youth Forum Participants
Announcements	Scott Crockett	Scott Crockett

### WEDNESDAY ASSEMBLY

	June 18, 2025	June 25, 2025
Opening Prayer	Jeremiah Collins	Alex Hess
Song Leader	John Teamer	Logan Decker
Devo (5 Min)	Alex Galbier	Wilson Hess
Class Lesson	Stephen Teamer	Isaac Kuenning
Closing Prayer	Howard Blaine	Ian Keller



### 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

June 15—Gardner N, Garrett, Hanson—Kitchen; Hess A, Kuenning A—Fellowship Hall  
 June 22—Katkus J, Lee, Lynch—Kitchen; Keller I, McGill—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



### HAPPY FATHER’S DAY

Fathers have a special role In each young child’s life To mold and shape them to become a follower of Christ To show them the Father’s heart and help them understand how God’s love can be their guide as they take him by the hand. By M.S. Lowndes



Please join us for a  
*Bridal Shower*  
 Honoring  
*Valerie Heinrich*

SUNDAY, JUNE 15, 2025  
 AT 2:50 IN THE AFTERNOON

COME DRESSED IN FUN AND FASHIONABLE 1950'S INSPIRED ATTIRE.

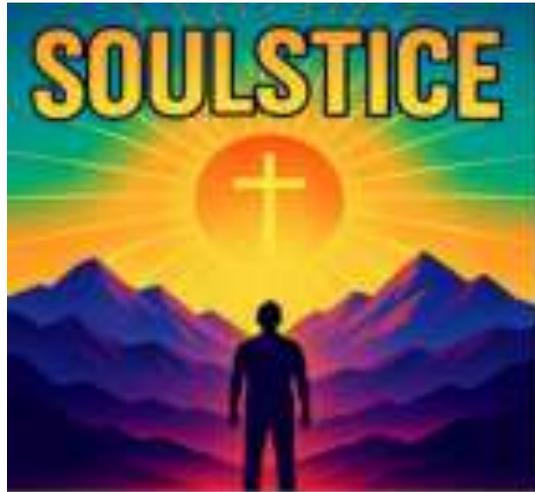
WHILE GIFTS ARE APPRECIATED, PLEASE BRING A CINDER BLOCK TO HELP THE COUPLE BUILD THE FOUNDATION FOR THEIR FOREVER HOME.

WWW.THEKNOT.COM/US/VALERIE-HEINRICH-AND-THOMAS-HANSON-JUL-2025

3260 E PALMDALE DRIVE, WASILLA

Please RSVP to Carmon Rorman

(940)232-6264



YOU SHALL LOVE THE LORD GOD WITH ALL YOUR SOUL  
 Matthew 22:37

**2025 ALASKA STATEWIDE YOUTH FORUM**

“SOULSTICE” — June 20-22

Hosted by Valley church of Christ

Registration is through the Anchorage church of Christ register on line at

<https://anccoc.org/events/youth-forum-2025>

or there is paper forms on the table in the foyer.

Registration is due June 15.



**Sunday Small Group**

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



**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. On Hiatus for Summer



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



Host slots available for a few dates this summer! 🌻

Each summer we have mission groups who come up and work hand in hand with us to promote events, prep for camp, encourage other congregations etc.

This summer is no exception & you can play a huge role in their trip by hosting them in your home!

We are thrilled that Discipletrips is bringing another group to Alaska. This trip, their time in the Valley is broken into 2 sections.

We need hosts for these dates: June 20 & 21

The Valley is also hosting the Statewide Youth Forum overlapping the Discipletrips time here. We are looking for additional housing for teens.

Youth Forum Dates: June 20-22

If you are available to host Discipletrip members OR Youth Forum teens, please message Addie Williams 2564438656

**YOUTH GROUP**

20-22 June, Times TBD (VcoC Building): Alaska Statewide Youth Forum. More information and registration through the Anchorage church of Christ (<https://anccoc.org/events/youth-forum-2025>). Registration due 15 June. Cost is only \$20 (scholarships available through Alex). Meals provided. 23-27 June, 9:30AM-12:45PM (VcoC): Vacation Bible School. Helpers needed. Contact Ant Collins if able and willing to help.

28 June (Midnight Sun Bible Camp): Tentative work day at Camp. Contact Matt Paine or Scott Masten for more information.

29 June, 7-9PM (VcoC Teen Room): The Chosen Move Night, Season 2, Episodes 3 & 4. Food Provided. Bring drink or snack to share.

<b>VCOC YOUTH EVENTS</b>							<b>WEEK : JUNE 8TH - 21ST</b>	
SUN 8th	MON 9th	TUE 10th	WED 11th	THU 12th	FRI 13th	SAT 14th		
		 <b>Cana Porter</b> Soccer <b>6:30 PM</b> Bumpus Soccer Fields						
SUN 15th	MON 16th	 <b>Cana Porter</b> Soccer <b>6:30 PM</b> Bumpus Soccer Fields					SAT 21st	 <b>Aubrey Hess</b> Anchorage Marathon <b>Wilson Hess</b> Solstice Classic 10K <b>Finishing around</b> <b>10:00 AM</b> Delaney Park

**NOTES**

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



**Valley Church of Christ VBS 2025**

**Growing in the Character of**

# JESUS

**June 23-27    9:30am-12:45pm    Ages 3-12**

Register Here 

**COOKIES NEEDED FOR VBS**

We will be needing LOTS of cookies for our VBS open-house night on Wednesday, June 25<sup>th</sup>! This is the night of VBS where all parents are invited to see what their children have been learning and working on. Please plan to bring them in to the kitchen the week of June 22<sup>nd</sup> and label them for VBS Open House. Please note, cookies with nuts or nut oils are okay – just please specify if they contain nuts or their oils with your label.