

VALLEY CHURCH OF CHRIST

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



October 19, 2025

“Jesus spoke to them, saying, ‘All authority has been given to Me in heaven and on earth. Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I command you; And lo, I am with you always, even to the end of the ages.’”
Matthew 28:18-20

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
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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.

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	10-05-2025	10-12-2025
Assembly	225	264
Bible Class	128	154
Weekly Contribution	\$7250	\$7311
Weekly Budget Goal	\$7711	
Wednesday	106	102

CALENDAR UPDATE

ONGOING EVENTS

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

UPCOMING EVENTS

Oct-Nov	Youth Group Schedule—See Insert
Oct 19-Nov 1	VCOC Youth Events—See Insert
October 19	Short informational presentation about Safe Families for Children in the Auditorium right after announcements before potluck. Questions contact Chantal Kinney
Nov 2	Day Light Saving Time Ends
Nov 15	Food Safety class—10 :00 am. Open to anyone interested. Contact Lei Loni Bowlus

BAPTISM

Katie Guice was baptized into Christ on Sunday October 12, 2025. We praise God for Katie’s decision to obey and follow Him. 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:

- Quentin Altman requested prayers for his co-worker, **Jeremy**, who is dealing with heart valve issues.
- Please be in prayer for **Louise Burger**, former member, she is dealing with cancer.
- Please keep **Tim and Kelly Caraway** in your prayers. Tim is dealing with cancer.
- Please be in prayer for those that are having health issues and other struggles. **Bonnie Burkhardtsmeier, Patti Decker, Sandi Dobberke, Daniel and Jessica Gipson, Josephine Goyer, Bonnie Murrill, Lesa O’Hara, Margaret Parker, Rob VanDussen and those who are struggling in silence.**
- 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 keep the Smith Family, **James, Andrea, Clara, Lydia** and **Gideon**, in your prayers as they are in the Mission Field in Albania. Newsletter is on the mission table in the foyer. Also keep their AIM team—**Daniel Roland, Jayden Keene, Laney Ferguson and Chloe Dare** in your prayers.
- Please be in prayer for **Kyah Morris and Makenna Paine**. They are at their Mission assignments with AIM (Adventures in Missions). Newsletters on mission table in the foyer.
- Please keep **Grayson McDowell** in your prayers as he is attending the Naval Academy. Address is on the Mission table in the foyer.
- Please keep **Cruz Cannon** in your prayers as he is in the AIM program in Lubbock Texas.
- Please keep **Kane Morris** in your prayers. He is attending Bear Valley Bible Institute preaching school in Denver, Colorado. News letter is on missions table.
- 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** and **Jayden Scott**.
- **HEALTH CONCERNS:** The following are suffering from cancer; Maggie Kofstad’s brother **Gary**; **Richard Lawson**, Meredith Porters father; **Alice Thorne**, Gary Skan’s sister.



SUNDAY ASSEMBLY

	October 19, 2025	October 26 2025
Opening Prayer	Joseph Potter	Jason Murphy
Song Leader	Bruce Hess	Sawyer Collins
Scripture Reading	Sawyer Collins John 10:1-21	Daniel Gipson John 10:22-42
Prayer	Rocky Murrill	Joseph Potter
The Lord’s Supper		
In Charge	Scott Crockett	John Teamer
Assist	Evan Naler	Mogans Tyler
Assist	Elijah Naler	Cale Garrett
Assist	Jason Murphy	Jeff Porter
Assist	Kolten Morris	Logan Decker
Assist	Mogans Tyler	Johnnie Hill
Scripture Reading	Harrison McGill	Titus Caraway
Lesson	Robert Kuenning	Mike Katkus
Closing Prayer	Howard Blaine	Harrison McGill
Announcements	Scott Crockett	Scott Crockett

WEDNESDAY ASSEMBLY

	October 22 2025	October 29, 2025
Opening Prayer	Jason Murphy	Jeff Porter
Song Leader	Joseph Potter	Luke Gardner
Devo (5 Min)	Cale Garrett	Jason Murphy
Class Lesson	Matt Paine	Titus Caraway
Closing Prayer	Sawyer Collins	Michael Rosebeary



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

Oct 19—Hess A, Houser P, Houser S—Kitchen; Keller I, Kuenning A—Fellowship Hall
 Oct 26—Lee, Lynch, McGill—Kitchen; McMullen, Mahugh—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

YOUTH GROUP

26 October: The Chosen Movie Night, Season 3, Episode 2 & 3. Food Provided. Bring drink or snack to share.

7 November: Basketball Night, 6-9PM (Location TBD, likely Colony Middle School). Bring water and a ball (if you have one).

9-15 November: F.A.M. Group Week. Schedule will vary for each F.A.M. Group. More information to follow from F.A.M. Group Leaders/Coordinators.

23 November: The Chosen Movie Night, Season 3, Episodes 4 & 5. Food Provided. Bring drink or snack to share.



Sunday Small Group

Use the QR code to the left to stay connected with the Sunday Small Group on WhatsApp. Contact The Reichel's—The group meets every other Sunday 5:00-7:00pm—Group will be at rotating locations



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

WEEK : OCT 19 TH – NOV 1 ST						
SUN 19th	MON 20th	TUE 21st	WED 22nd	THU 23rd	FRI 24th	SAT 25th
	Julia Dowdy Basketball Time TBD Colony Middle School	Hulon Hess Basketball 4:00 PM Wasilla Middle School			Hulon Hess Basketball – 4:00 PM PIMS Mckenzie Hess Basketball 5:00, 5:20, 600 PM Grizzly Fam Fitness	
	Hulon Hess Basketball – 3 PM PIMS Julia Dowdy Basketball - Time TBD Colony Middle	Julia Dowdy Basketball Time TBD Teeland Middle School		Hulon Hess Basketball – 4 PM PIMS Julia Dowdy Basketball – Time TBD Grace Christian	Keith Collins – Wrestling Time TBD – Valdez	
SUN 26th						SAT 1st
Dominik Martinez Bowling 1:00 PM North Bowl						

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

NOTES