



THE GOSPEL OF JOHN

Giving brave love and good news to a hurting world

WELCOME TO VALLEY

AUGUST 24 & 25

We are so glad you could celebrate with us today. If you are new to Valley, visit the Welcome Center for refreshments and a **10-Minute Party**. We'd love to meet you and give you a gift.

Cover to Cover Bible Survey

Want to go deeper into God's word? Join us for an amazing journey through scripture. You'll uncover the unity of the Bible and discover how Jesus is the central person in God's work of salvation from cover to cover. Class starts on Tuesday, September 3. Find out more about cost and registration at valley.church/cover.

Women's Bible Studies Starting Soon

We're excited to offer two Bible studies this fall: an in-depth look at Messianic Psalms and Covenant, a Kay Arthur study of God's promises through scripture. Find all of your time and day options and sign up at valley.church/women.

Valley Kids Club Registration

Registration for Wednesday night programming for ages Preschool-5th grade is open! Currently the cost per child is \$40, and after September 1, the cost rises to \$45. Register online and find all the details at valley.church/children. Contact Carter at cartern@valley.church with any questions.

Life Group Sign Up (THIS WEEKEND in the Atrium)

Want to experience life changing community by making friends and investing in your faith? Join a life group! Check out the atrium display or sign up online at valley.church/findalifegroup

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COURAGEOUS COMPASSION
YOUR LIFE IN ONE WORD
JOHN 15:1-8

Your reality: I am so _____.

God's goal: You are so _____.

Your life As God intended (1-2)

- _____ is the true _____.
- The _____ is the _____.
- _____ are the _____.
- God's _____ for your life is _____.

God's work among the branches is either _____ or _____. (2-3)

The secret to _____ is remaining in _____ to Jesus. (4-8)

- _____: The _____ with Jesus is _____. (5-6)
- Your life can _____ in God's _____. (7)
- Your life _____ to God and it can make a _____ to others. (8)



JOIN A LIFE GROUP TODAY!

Life is better with friends



I love that my life group has allowed me to build friendships with other God-fearing women and created a safe space for us to be vulnerable in our walk with Christ.

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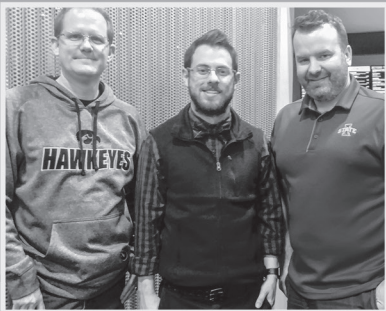
Sharing God's word and praying for each other in life group has been a blessing to Nancy and I, and has helped us to grow in our faith.

BARRY & NANCY BRESTEL



I joined my life group to connect and grow alongside other Christians. The time we've spent discussing biblical topics and getting together for various activities has been both fun and spiritually rewarding.

TODD YOUNG



Hanging out with my life group is another reason for me to call Des Moines home. It just never gets boring! We spend time together - learning about each other, discovering stories, having fun, and growing spiritually.



Upward Flag Football Volunteers

The Flag Football season is starting soon! The Valley Community Center is looking for score keepers and concessions support. If you're interested in helping for a weekend or the whole season, sign up on the community card or contact Lisa at lisal@valleycommunitycenterdm.com.

Valley Community Center Volunteers

Connect with Valley Community Center guests and meet new friends as you serve. We're looking for volunteers in the following areas:

- Baristas in Maplenol Cafe (we'll provide the training).
- Childcare for the Strengthening Families program on Mondays, from September 16- November 4, 5:30-8 pm.

If you're interested, sign up on your community card or email Lisa to learn more at lisal@valleycommunitycenterdm.com.

Alpha (Mondays at 6 pm starting September 9)

Alpha is an 11-week series of interactive discussions in a friendly atmosphere, exploring the meaning of life and Christian faith over a meal. Whether you're just checking it out, new to faith, a spiritual explorer, a skeptic, or a doubter, you are invited. To learn more, visit valley.church/alpha.

Good for All Conference (September 26-28)

Join us right here at Valley Church for three days of learning how we can love our communities better and share the Good News winsomely and effectively. With nationally acclaimed speakers such as New York Times Best-Selling authors Bob Goff and Lee Strobel, along with dozens of outstanding breakouts, this is an event you don't want to miss! Find out more and register today at goodforall2019.com.