

GOOD NEWS

FOR A CHANGE

WELCOME TO VALLEY

FEBRUARY 8 & 9

We are so glad you could celebrate with us today. If you are new to Valley, visit the atrium for a **Meet and Greet**. We'd love to meet you and give you a gift.

NEXT (Sunday, March 1, from 8:15 am-12:15 pm at the Valley Community Center)

Want to discover how to get more involved at Valley Church? Become a member? NEXT is a one-day course to learn about our vision and values and to find your purpose and place at Valley Church! Breakfast and childcare provided. Sign up on the community card or at valley.church/next.

Job Opening: Executive Assistant to the Executive Pastor

Do you love administration, organization, and bookkeeping? Do you have a heart for the ministry of Valley Church? If so, our full-time Executive Assistant to the Executive Pastor position might be for you! Apply at valley.church/careers.

Family Dinner (THIS SUNDAY, from 12:15-1:30 pm at the Valley Community Center)

Bring your whole family and connect with other families from Valley Church! This is specifically designed for parents who are looking to join a Life Group. Families will be able to eat lunch with other families, and then the kids can go play in the gym, while the adults connect and explore what it's like to be in a Life Group.

Latvia Special Needs Informational Meeting

(Sunday, February 23 at 11 am in Courtyard Hall)

We're going to Latvia this summer and putting on a week long camp for people with special needs. The trip is June 22 - July 1. Contact bethc@valley.church with any questions.

MOBILIZING EVERYONE'S GOD-GIVEN POTENTIAL TO DEEPLY LOVE CHRIST AND THEIR NEIGHBORS.
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WHEN THE COUNSELOR COMES

JOHN 15:26-16:15

4 WAYS THE HOLY SPIRIT WORKS TODAY...

1. He _____

2. He _____

3. He _____

4. He _____

WHAT DO WE DO?

We get to _____

LIFE GROUP GUIDE

SHARE

1. If you could go anywhere to escape the winter weather, where would you go?
2. Share a time when you got lost. How did it turn out?

STUDY

3. In your church experience so far, how often has the Holy Spirit spoken about or taught? What comes to mind when the conversation turns toward the Holy Spirit?
4. Read John 15:26-16:15. Share about a time you felt compelled by the Holy Spirit. Did the Holy Spirit comfort, counsel, or convict you?
5. What are some reasons you might not realize the Spirit's power in your life?
6. How is it that we're better off living with the Holy Spirit than if we were living with Jesus on Earth (v. 7)?
7. How do you tell the difference between truth and counterfeit? Sometimes we feel compelled to do big and/or crazy things. How can we discern whether that is coming from the Holy Spirit, your own desire, or simply a thought to ignore (v. 13)?

DIGGING DEEPER

8. What are the three different roles mentioned in 1 Corinthians 3:5-9? What is God's role in it all? Is knowing this a relief or does it add pressure? Explain.
9. Who have you seen plant seeds or water seeds in your own life? How have you seen God bring growth?
10. What does it tell us about God that he chose us as co-workers, despite the fact that God doesn't need us (v. 9)?

SUPPORT

11. How is your relationship with your One Life? How have you seen the Holy Spirit guide you in a specific interaction with your One Life?

SERVE

If you'd like more information about these opportunities, email serve@valley.church.

- Provide a meal for Single Moms Group
- Attend the Community Bridges Luncheon
- Try a first serve opportunity with Guest Experience
- Chapel Ridge Food Pantry - Ongoing

COMMUNITY BRIDGES

Third Friday (Friday, February 21)

Check out the Valley Community Center the third Friday of each month. We're celebrating our neighbors by inviting them to special FREE activities and classes. Volunteer to help or invite a neighbor, coworker, or friend to come check it out with you!

Community Bridges Luncheon

(Sunday, February 9, at 11 am in Northpoint)

Do you have a passion you want to use to meet new people? Come to our luncheon to:

- Learn steps to grow your spiritual influence
- Get ideas on how you can make connections with neighbors and coworkers
- Share a meal with other people who have a heart for those who don't yet know God

You'll come away with an action plan and simple ways you can become a better bridge builder.

Valley Community Center Volunteers

Connect with guests and meet new friends at the Valley Community Center! We're looking for volunteers to help us in many different ways:

- **Spring Break week volunteers (March 16-20):** There are a lot of new visitors at the VCC during spring break week! We will need extra help that entire week to greet visitors, run programming, and maintain our building.
- **Daily activity volunteers**
- **Marketing efforts**
- **Ongoing building operations, maintenance, and cleaning**

These are just a few volunteer needs we have at the VCC. There are so many more! If you're interested, sign up on the Community Card or email Lisa at lisal@valleycommunitycenterdm.com.