

Coming Up @ VBC

Awana Ministry

Next Sunday, March 25, our Cubbies will have a Special Day – Easter and have an Egg Hunt. Please check for allergy candy coming home. Sparks Resurrection Celebration! Outreach 3:30 p.m. T&T will work on section 4.5, Serving. Our CIA will have a Western Night. Come dressed as cowboys and cowgirls. Our Trek students can recite verses and get sections signed off by leaders at the beginning or end of our normal Junior High ministry on Thursday nights and Sunday mornings. Our High School Awana meets on Sundays at 12:00 p.m. in the library.

If you would like more information about our Awana ministry or would like to serve in this area, please contact Rocky Osborne (860-0047).

High School Summer Camp

Mark your calendars for High School Summer Camp, which will be July 15-20 at El Capitan State Beach. More information to follow in the upcoming months.

Junior High Summer Camp

Mark your calendars for Junior High Summer Camp, which will be July 6-10 at San Mateo. More information to follow in the upcoming months.

Pursuing Maturity Class

Our Pursuing Maturity class begins on April 8 at 10:30 a.m. in the library. This class will cover the basics of the faith and is designed for those newer to Valley Bible Church. If you have never attended a class covering the fundamentals of the Christian faith we would highly encourage you to join us.

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Men's Ministry

The men of VBC will be meeting for fellowship, breakfast, and a devotional on Saturday, March 31, at 7:00 a.m. at Crazy Otto's on Avenue I.

Mark your calendars for the next Man Camp, which will be April 27-29. For more information, please contact Jim Kross (733-3862).

CPR Classes

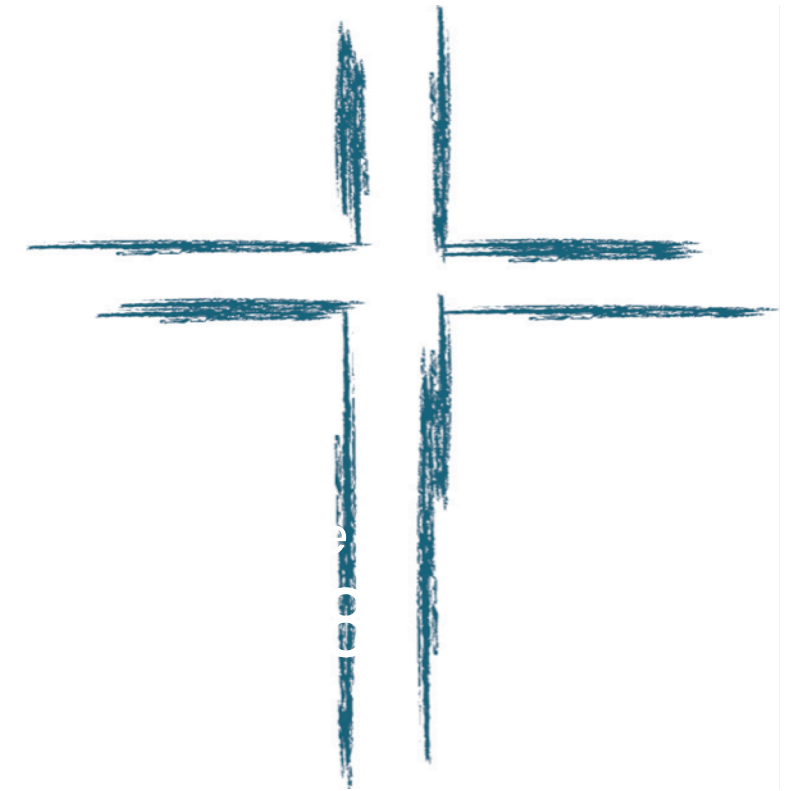
We are offering CPR certification classes here at VBC. We have added three more classes on Saturday, March 24, 8:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. and April 21, 8:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. and May 26, 8:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. These classes will be taught by Matt Critchfield, a certified CPR instructor, and will cover Adult/Child/Infant CPR/AED use as well as how to respond to choking adults/children/infants. Our goal is to equip our ministry workers in lifesaving measures and reach out to our community through this training.

The cost for the certification is \$15 and all ages are welcome so invite those you may know to take part. Space in the class is limited and you may sign up through the church office. For more information, please contact Matt Critchfield (917-7526).

Easter Services

On Easter Sunday, April 1, we will be having three identical church services. We will be adding an earlier service at 7:30 a.m. in addition to our usual 9:00 and 10:30 morning services. We will have Adult Sunday School at 9:00 a.m. only. Also, we will have Sunday School and a continental breakfast for our Junior High and High School groups at 9:00 a.m. in the youth building. We will have Children's Sunday School and Nursery services at the 9:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. services only. There will be no Awana on Easter Sunday.

Welcome to Valley Bible Church



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Sunday Worship Services: 9:00 & 10:30 a.m.

March 18, 2018

Sermon

Cody Jenison will be teaching on “The Death of the Son of God” from Mark 15:33-41.

Adult Sunday School

1st Service

Randy Thompson will be teaching on “Life in the All-Sufficient Christ – Putting on the New Man” from Colossians 3:8-14 at the 9:00 a.m. Adult Sunday School in room 104. Next Sunday, March 25, Mike Litel will be teaching on “Salvation Secured” from 1 Peter 1:3-5.

2nd Service

Dan Roland will be teaching on “Jesus Before the Sanhedrin” in Luke 22:63-71 at the 10:30 a.m. Adult Sunday School in room 104. Next Sunday, March 25, Jim Kross will be teaching on “Persecution: Fact or Fiction.”

Our College Sunday School will meet today at 10:30 a.m. in the southern upper room above the auditorium.

Valley Bible Deaf Ministry

Our Deaf Sunday School will meet at 9:00 a.m. in room 102 and our Deaf Worship Service will meet at 10:30 a.m. in room 102 with our Deaf Pastor, Francisco Aceves.

Awana Ministry

Our Cubbies will work on Bear Hug 24 – God sent the Savior and have a Boot Camp Night. Sparks will have a Boot Camp Night – I’m in the Lord’s Army! Dress appropriately. T&T will work on section 4.4, Worship and have a Boot Camp Night. Come ready to work hard. Our CIA will have a Pancake/Chicken & Waffle Night. Bring \$3 for dinner. Our Trek students can recite verses and get sections signed off by leaders at the beginning or end of our normal Junior High ministry on Thursday nights and Sunday mornings. Our High School Awana meets on Sundays at 12:00 p.m. in the library.

We encourage all children at VBC to become involved with our **Children's Ministry**. During our 9:00 and 10:30 Sunday services, there are classes for all children with the exception of 5th & 6th grades that only meet at 10:30. We also have an **Awana Ministry** for children three years old through 6th grade that meets on Sunday evenings from 4:00 to 6:00, except during the summer.

We also encourage all youth at VBC to become an active part of either our Junior High or High School Group. The **Junior High group** (G.L.O.R.Y. 7th - 8th grade) meets on Sunday mornings at 9:00 in the youth building and Thursday evenings from 6:00-8:30 in the youth building. The **High School group** (POWERHOUSE 9th - 12th grade) meets on Sunday mornings at 10:30 in the youth building and Wednesday evenings from 6:00-8:30 in the youth building. To learn more, please contact the church office (942-2218).

Children’s Ministry Sunday School Parent Resource

Title: The Son of Man Anticipates His Death (Luke 22:7-23; 39-46)

Principle: Jesus is the sacrificial Lamb of God.

- What is the significance and symbolism of the Passover?
- Why does our sin require the perfect sacrifice of Christ?

Practice: Help your child apply these truths in the following ways:

- By trusting God to keep His promises.
- By patiently waiting for God to keep His promises.
- By keeping the promises he/she has made.

Next Week: Luke 22:47-53; 26-49

Children’s church character trait for March is **Forgiveness**, “Treating someone as though he never hurt me” (Ephesians 4:32).

Junior High Ministry – MAR/APR

22 Student Leadership meets at 4:30 p.m. Junior High will meet at VBC from 6:00-8:30 p.m.

29 Theme Night 5:00-8:30 p.m. Bring \$5 for dinner. Details to be announced.

5 Student Leadership meets at 4:30 p.m. Junior High will meet at VBC from 6:00-8:30 p.m.

High School Ministry – MAR/APR

21 Photo Hunt 5:00-8:30 p.m. Bring \$5 for dinner.

28 Service Night at VBC from 6:00-8:30 p.m.

4 Meet at Burger King & Del Taco (Ave. L & 40th West) at 5:15 p.m. We will return to the church for a regular night from 6:00-8:30 p.m.

College and Career Ministries

Our College Group meets on Fridays at 7:00 p.m. at the home of Tim & Camille Moes (6320 Jonathon Street, Lancaster). For more information, please contact Cody Jenison (916-5007). Our Career Group (ages 20’s to 30’s) meets on Fridays at 7:15 p.m. at the home of Hannah Harman (435-2611). For more information, please contact Gerry Andersen (406-6897).

Mommy Play Day

Mommy Play Day meets every Thursday, from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. at the church in the nursery area. For more information, please contact Sonia Whitehead (350-4896).

Women’s Bible Studies

On Tuesdays there will be a Women’s Bible study that will meet at 9:00 a.m. in the room above the auditorium. Childcare is provided for children up to 2 ½ years (Seedlings) and infants. Children who are 2 ½ and up to kindergarten age will participate in our Sprouts program. Women’s Bible study will not meet on Tuesday, March 20 or March 27 but will resume on April 3.

On Wednesdays there will be a Women’s Bible study that will meet at 9:30 a.m. in room 104. Childcare is provided for children 5 years and under. There will be no Women’s Bible study on Wednesday, March 28.

If you would like more information about either of these studies, please fill out a response form or contact the church office (942-2218).

Sprouts: A Ministry For Pre-Schoolers

Our preschool ministry, Sprouts, meets every Tuesday, from 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. for children who are 2 ½ and up to kindergarten age. Children enjoy a discovery-based preschool program. There are openings available. If you are interested, please contact Kim Taylor (305-5844).

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