

## *A note from Pastor Owen Scott...*

If you are living a life of faith, your life is based on knowing who God is. Having faith in someone is based on a knowledge of His character...knowing that He will do what He has said He will do. Do you realize that the God you serve calls Himself your Father? God is your Father...a good Father...the very best Father in the universe. Good fathers provide for their children. When you committed yourself to Him in making Him your Lord and Saviour, were you aware that then and there he committed Himself to you? God is committed to looking after you and supplying all your needs (Phil. 4:19). Take a moment to read Psalm 37:4-5. God tells us to *delight...commit...and trust*. The Lord is not a 'sugar daddy' who we hit on when we have a need. Nor is He some sort of cosmic bellhop who jumps to attention at our beckoned call. He is the Lord God Almighty. This means we must first delight ourselves in Him. We make Him our first priority. We seek first His Kingdom will for our lives. We joy and rejoice in who He is and what He is. We surrender our all to Him...holding nothing back. Secondly we 'commit' our way to the Lord. Tell Him what you need. Be sure to tell Him why you need Him to supply this particular need. (This will help you separate your needs from your greeds!). Thirdly, 'trust in Him and He will do this'. This is the place where we release our faith. We've asked him...now we're confident that the Lord will supply, so we say 'Thank you, Lord, that You are looking after me. Thank you for providing for this need. I praise you, Heavenly Father, for your goodness to me and by faith I wait expectantly'. He is our faithful God. He will not fail you!

# Valley Church...

*There's a place for you!*



*Equipped in the Spirit...Equipped in the Word  
Going everywhere...meeting needs in Jesus Name*

## April 21<sup>st</sup>, 2013

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## Sunday at Valley Church...

**Services at 9:00 & 11:00 am** – Pastor Owen Scott will be speaking this morning. There is a supervised Mini-Kids Centre for children under 3 years in the 11 am service. (The Mini-Kids Centre is unsupervised during the 9 am service – Parents are asked to stay with their children.) Nursery facilities available to mothers with babies.

### Join us for a coffee & cookies on the patio!

Join us for coffee on the patio after the service today...a great chance to meet a new friend.



**Baby Dedication** – This morning in the 11 am service, *Andrew & Carolyn Elsey* will be dedicating their son, *Jensen Samuel*, to the Lord. (See his photo on the front of the bulletin). Proud grandparents are *Samuel & Inge Elsey*.

## This week at Valley Church...

### ESL (English as a Second Language)

7 pm on Monday evenings. For info call Kay (604)986-2932 or Elaine (604)986-4288.

### Intercessory Prayer Group

Tuesday mornings at 9:30 am in the nursery - If you are a part of the Valley Church family, you are invited to join this group to pray each week. If you have a prayer request, please fill in the enclosed prayer card. The group also appreciates hearing about your *answers to prayer!*

### SOUL TREK (for youth)

7 pm on Tuesday evenings. Contact Tim Shaw at (604) 980-0307 for further info.

**Board Meeting** – Tuesday, April 23<sup>rd</sup> at 7:30 pm at the church

**TEAM 57 (Grades 5-7)** – Wednesdays at 4 pm...A free 5 week program for anyone in Grades 5 to 7 - Contact Mel Sanderson at 604-980-0307 for further details.

**Baptism Instruction Meeting** – Thursday, April 25<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 pm in Owen's office – Note the change from Tuesday to Thursday.

**Mom's Morning Out** – Thursdays from 9 to 11 am. For info contact Kristina at [kristina\\_kurtz@hotmail.com](mailto:kristina_kurtz@hotmail.com) We are doing 2 separate studies at this time...Loving Your Kids on Purpose and Prayer in Your Marriage. Childcare is provided

## What's happening at Valley Church?

**Send in your photos!** Please share some of your special moments with us by emailing us your favorite family photos to use in the bulletin and on our website. If you are taking a trip over the next few months, take along a *Valley Church bulletin* and take a photo of you holding it in front of a site you're visiting...Valley Church's version of North Shore News "News Around the World"...*"Valley Church Around the World"!*



### Baptism Service – Next Sunday, April 28<sup>th</sup>

If you would like to be baptized in water next Sunday, please talk to one of the church staff or contact the church office at [info@valleychurch.ca](mailto:info@valleychurch.ca) or 604.980-0307. All baptismal candidates are required to be at an instruction meeting on Thursday, April 25<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 pm.

**If you are new to Valley Church or would like to pass on some new information,** please take a moment to fill in a Valley Church Connection Card and drop it in one of the boxes beside the exits. You'll find the cards in the holders on the chairs in front of you.

**HALF THE SKY AWARENESS DAY...Women Turning Oppression into Opportunity-** Saturday, May 11<sup>th</sup> from 10 am to 5 pm at Park Royal South. Info at [www.halfthesky.ca](http://www.halfthesky.ca)

**New in the Valley Church Library** – As mentioned by last week's guest speaker, the following resources by Neil Anderson have just arrived..."*Bondage Breaker, New Edition*", "*The Bondage Breakers – The Next Step:Real Stories of Overcoming*" and "*The Bondage Breaker DVD Experience* (12 sessuibs)". Other titles by Neil Anderson are also available.

**Photos on front** (clockwise from top left) – George & Silas Holem; Jensen Elsey; Marcel hamming it up for the cameras in Israel; Stephanie Jones participating in the Dominion Curling Club Championships in Richmond; Celebrating Brian Croston's 65<sup>th</sup> birthday in his Growth Group led by Randy Andrus.