

A note from Pastor Owen Scott...

When people ask me how they can find a good church to attend, I point them to what the late Dr. Francis Schaeffer suggested. First of all, he says there should be an *“orthodoxy of doctrine”*... that is, it should be Bible-believing in the full sense of that term. Secondly, there should be an *“orthodoxy of community”*. This means that people should care for each other and look after people’s needs whenever possible...spiritually, emotionally and physically. The church should be more than just a preaching point or an activity center, but rather a real community where people genuinely care for one another. Thirdly, after these first two points are met, you must find a church that meets your personal needs. Some people like one kind of music...and some another. Some like one kind of preaching and teaching and some another. No perfect church exists, but if you pray for God’s guidance you, no doubt, will be led to a great church that is the perfect fit for you and your family. One of the most beautiful things in the world is to find a church that feels like home.

Valley Church...

There’s a place for you!



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

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Sunday at Valley Church...

Services at 9:00 & 11:00 am – This morning Pastor Owen Scott will be speaking in both services. 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.

This week...

ESL (English as a Second Language)

Monday evenings at 7 pm. For info call Elaine Englar at 604-986-4288 or Margot Fraser at 778-980-4452

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...Junior Highs (Grade 7-9) - Tuesday from 7-9 pm; **Senior Highs** (Grades 10-12) meet on Thursdays from 7-9 pm. Contact Tim Shaw at 604-980-0307 for details.

Pray for ALPHA!

Remember to pray for our ALPHA course on Wednesday evenings.

Ladies Morning Out - Thursday mornings from 9:00 to 11:00 am. If your Thursday mornings are free and you would like to connect with other women, feel free to join us! Free childcare is provided. For info, contact Kristina at kristina_kurtz@hotmail.com

Classic & Country – Enjoy an evening of great music on Sunday, February 23rd at 5 pm at Valley Church. A portion of the proceeds will go the Calamity Fund for typhoon victims in the Philippines. Suggested donation: \$10. Since this is not a church event, please direct your questions to Alvin Relleve.

What's happening at Valley Church?

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.

We need more 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.

Your 2013 Income Tax Receipts are ready to be picked up – They can be found in the Mail Centre.

Time to renew your membership...Note: It is necessary to renew your membership on a yearly basis by writing your signature beside your name on the list posted in the foyer – If you forgot to sign the list last year, your name will be missing and you will have to once again fill in an application form. *“Join the Family”* application forms are available at the back for those seeking membership for the first time or for those who have let their membership lapse.

A note from our church librarian... Thanks to the generosity of one of our church families, the library now has two full-colour tablets, in addition to four other e-readers. Samples from hundreds of books in many categories, including Bibles, Bible studies, devotionals, fiction, and non-fiction. Our e-book collection will continue to grow, so check out an e-reader frequently to see what's new. Note: The tablets have been purchased primarily, but not exclusively, for colourful children's books, graphic Bibles and novels. Parental controls have been pre-set by the librarian, so there's no risk of unauthorized internet, game or app access on these devices. Take home an entire library's worth of resources today!

Photos on front – *Clockwise from top left...* Betty & Bob Ritch (Remember to pray for Bob in the hospital); Marguerite Bruneau with Marshall and his new bride at their wedding in China; Dorothy & Michael Elwood and Manon & Brian Park enjoying a day of snowshoeing on Grouse Mountain; Valerie Hechanova experiencing a COLD day in Whitehorse.