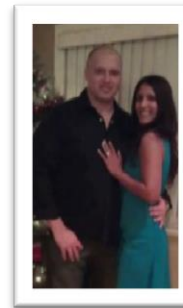


## *A note from Pastor Owen Scott...*

I find that I can cope with life more easily when I realize that we are living in an abnormal world. Everything is abnormal today. Sickness and sorrow are part of this abnormality. It was man's rebellion against God that brought the abnormality. Because we live in a "fallen world" we experience sickness and death and evil. The world is not as God had planned it. The cruelty and hatred and disease we see all around us came as a result of sin entering God's perfect world. One day all the abnormality will be removed. Meanwhile, the results of the fall affect us all. Sin has entered our world and death by sin. The Bible makes it clear that our real hope is that glad day, in the midst of the restoration of all things, when Jesus returns and makes all things new! No more sickness...no more pain...no more parting....no more tears! To this we say, "Praise the Lord"!

# Valley Church...

*There's a place for you!*



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

## **February 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2014**

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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.

**Classic & Country** – Enjoy an evening of great music **TONIGHT** 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.

## 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](mailto:kristina_kurtz@hotmail.com)

## 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.

**Please pick up your 2013 Income Tax Receipts** – 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...* Maria DeCoursey with new addition, *Linus*; Kim Helps with her daughters, Maddy & Emma; *In days gone by...* Alvin, Susan, Klark, Koko and Krisha Relleve; *Happy husband & wife-* Armand Stanusch & Jo-Ann Fernandes.