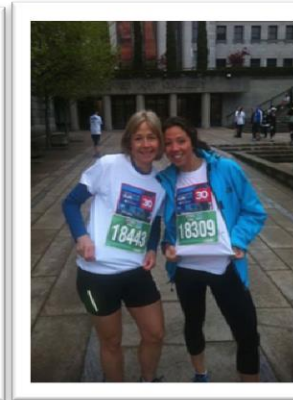


A note from Pastor Owen Scott...

Ignatius of Antioch wrote the following around A.D. 107...*"Be deaf therefore, whenever anyone speaks to you apart from Jesus Christ, who is the stock of David, who is of Mary, who was truly born, ate and drank, was truly persecuted under Pontius Pilate, was truly crucified and died in in the sight of beings of heaven, of earth and the underworld, who was also truly raised from the dead"*. The one distinctive theme of the early church communities was *"Jesus Christ is Lord"*. One primary assumption overshadowed everything else...everyone needed to become a follower of Jesus Christ. Everyone was clear on this point. Jesus Christ was their reason for existence. In the early church even receiving Holy Spirit baptism was accompanied by the creedal statement, *"Jesus is Lord!"* Once a believer confessed that Jesus Christ was Lord, they fully anticipated to be filled with the Holy Spirit. As you prepare yourself this morning, take a moment to quietly declare, *"Jesus, you are Lord. I welcome you here this morning. Touch the hearts of all who have come here to Valley Church today."*

Valley Church...

There's a place for you!



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

May 4th, 2014

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Sunday at Valley Church...

Services at 9:00 & 11:00 am – This morning *Bruce Lungren* will be ministering 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.

Baptismal Service today after 11 am service – Join us as we celebrate with those taking a stand for Christ in water baptism.

The Marriage Course - TODAY at 6 pm - Helpers are still needed!

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.

TEAM 57 - Wednesday afternoons from 4-6 pm for those in Grades 5-7. The theme this time around is *The Armour of God*. Talk to Mel if you are interested - 604-980-0307 or mel@valleychurch.ca

Ladies Morning Out - Thursday mornings from 9:00 to 11:00 am. Join us as we do a study by Lisa Harper called *"Malachi – A Love That Never Lets Go"*. 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

Spanish group – Friday evenings at 7 pm at the church. For info, contact Jorge & Jeanette Rios at 604-971-3070.

If you are a young adult and would like to connect with other young adults at Valley Church, give Simon & Oyuki Bodlack a call at (778) 689-4636 or simonbodlack@gmail.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 (*perhaps some photos of you and your family from years gone by!*) by emailing us your favorite family photos to use in the bulletin and on our website.



VBS dates for 2014 – Mark July 14-18 on your calendar!

Ladies Retreat - This year our Ladies Retreat will be held at Keats Camp on the weekend of June 6-8. The cost will be \$150 per person (includes transportation, accommodation, food and activities). For further information contact Kristina or Mel at kristina_kurtz@hotmail.com or mel@valleychurch.ca

Linda Edens is home from the hospital - If you would be able to provide a meal or do some light housekeeping, please contact Anya at 604-992-5319.

Prayer Meeting – Saturday, May 10th at 6:30 pm. Join Kent Langworth's growth group for a night of intercessory prayer at the church.

Do you have chores you don't want to do? Several of our teens are willing to work to raise money for the Mexico Missions Trip. Give Mel or Tim a call at 604-980-0307 if you would like help.

Photos on front – *Clockwise from top left...* Paula & Shawn Murphy competing at the U.S. Open Wild West Shootout; Stephanie Jones with her sons, Joel & Judah; Congratulations to Krisha Rellve, who graduated with honors from Pacific Life Bible College last week; Mother & daughter team at the Sun Run – Roberta Andrus and Mary Darvill; Eric & Elena VanderEerden.