

A note from Pastor Owen Scott...

In the first century church, the disciples were led by the Holy Spirit to evangelize by preaching the gospel and ministering deliverance, miracles and healing and salvation. The apostles emphasized three things...

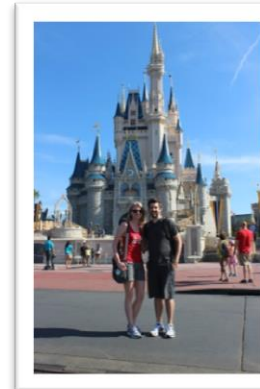
1) They made sure that people heard the gospel clearly and accepted Jesus as their Lord and Saviour.

2) They made sure that young converts were baptized in water after they believed and confessed Jesus.

3) They laid hands on the new believers to receive the Baptism of the Holy Spirit. There was no waiting period. All this happened back-to-back. Whenever one of these three things was missing, they would send the apostles to remedy the problem. Repentance and the new birth, water baptism and Holy Spirit baptism were normal New Testament experiences...not just for a few of the disciples, but for all of them. Read Acts 2, Acts 8, Acts 10 and Acts 19 and be inspired by God's plan for all believers.

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 Marcel Kurtz* 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.

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.

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

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.

Congratulations to Keertana Reddy & Jonathan Tromsness who will be exchanging marriage vows this afternoon – Pastor Owen & Val are in Kelowna where Owen will be performing the ceremony.

At home with the Lord... Brian Park's mother passed away in Newcastle, England on Monday, May 12th – Pray for Brian as he has a chance to share Christ at the funeral on the 22nd. Also pray for Maureen & Mark Ward and their family...Maureen's mother passed away on Wednesday. Her funeral will be at Valley Church on Saturday, May 24th at 1 pm.

SUMMER IN THE CITY – On Wednesday, June 4th at 7 pm we will be starting a midweek series called **"LIFE ON THE VINE"** - The coffee pot will be on...the worship will be vibrant...the teaching will be inspiring – It's the place to be throughout the summer on a Wednesday evening!

Photos on front – *Clockwise from top left...* Tim & Tamara Shaw experiencing the wonders of DisneyWorld; Gillian Kodis & Judy Wickson on Easter Sunday; Jonathan Tromsness & Keertana Reddy who are getting married in Kelowna this afternoon; Katrina & Caleb Podmore all set to play hockey; Anita Doo and her sister Lauren, who recently got baptized in Salt Lake City, Utah.