A note from Pastor Owen Scott...

Years ago a popular hymn joyfully proclaimed, "What a wonderful change in my life has been wrought since Jesus came into my heart". I think that one of the most profound truths is that God loves to dwell in us. I can vividly remember the night when I asked Jesus to come into my life. I asked Him to come in...and He did! We are the temple of God and the Spirit comes into us when we ask Him (1 Corinthians 3:16). Christ is in us. That is the nature of the new birth. Who can forget the impact of Galatians 2:20, "I live, yet not I, but Christ *lives in me["]*. How profound...the eternal Son of God lives in me. My job is to have faith that He is in me and will do a divine work in teaching and sanctifying me. I must quietly wait on His presence and give Him time and opportunity to take possession of me. Each day of our lives we die to our own will and enter into God's will. There's something exciting about waiting on the Lord to use us as His channel of blessing to His people.

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July 19th, 2015

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Sunday at Valley Church...

Services at 9:00 & 11:00 am – This morning *Pastor Marcel Kurtz* will be speaking. 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...

Monday night ESL classes (English as a Second Language) will resume in September.

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*!

SOULTREK FOR YOUTH will resume in the fall. Contact Tim Shaw at 604-980-0307 or <u>tim@valleychurch.ca</u> details about summer activities.

SUMMER IN THE CITY – Wednesday evenings at 7:00 pm. 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! This week Rev. Stan Powers from Sonrise Church in Langley will be speaking.

Ladies Morning Out on Thursday mornings will resume in September. We'll keep you posted!

Young Adults Group – Thursdays at 7:30 pm at the church. For info, give Simon & Oyuki Bodlack a call at 778-689-4636 or contact them at <u>simonbodlack@gmail.com</u> **Spanish group** – Friday evenings at 7 pm. During the summer the group will be meeting at Ambleside. They would love to have you join them. For info, contact Jorge & Jeanette Rios at 604-971-3070.

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.

Congratulations to Dom Floreano and Lynette Morgan who will be exchanging marriage vows on August 22nd in Blaine.

Our sympathy is extended to the family of Rois Harder who passed away on Monday, July 13th. A funeral will be held at Valley Church on Saturday, July 25th. Rois was a familiar sight in the Lynn Valley community for years – His sons, Dan & Randy, helped to build this church.

Send in your photos! Summer has arrived and our Valley Church family is involved in all kinds of interesting activities – 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.





NO PARKING! A reminder not to park in the Blue Shore parking spaces OR any of the RESERVED 24 HOUR spots - If you do, you may be towed.

Online donations at Valley Church are now possible – You can give your offering online through PayPal. Go to the bottom of our web page at <u>www.valleychurch.ca</u> and click on the PayPal button.



Photos on front – *Clockwise from top left...* Eric Shaw with his daughter, Anora; a few of our VBS leaders – Charles Tetteh-Lartey, Adeline & Kate Eldred & Valerie Hechanova, The Spanish table at our International night was a popular spot; Frank & Virginia Duivenvoorden and Karl & Louisa Rutka provided some delicious food from Holland and the Ukraine.