

A note from Pastor Owen Scott...

I have a confession to make...I'm a *claimer*. As I read through my Bible, I claim the promises of God as my own. In fact, if you were to leaf through my Bible you'd see the initials...FM and AM. They stand for *all mine* and *for me*. As I lay hold of God's Word and appropriate it to my own life, the Word begins to work mightily within me. It's amazing how personal and real the Holy Spirit can make the scriptures in our hearts. It's not enough simply to read the Bible. We must *lay hold* of it, make it personal and claim it as our own. Try this in your personal devotional time...

- 1) In prayer, ask the Holy Spirit to speak to you through the Bible
- 2) Take a passage of scripture and with a pen underline any words, phrases or sentences that touch you or stand out to you as important
- 3) As you read, ask yourself the following questions...
 - Is there a promise to claim?
 - Is there a command to obey?
 - Is there a sin to repent of?
 - Is there behavior that needs to change?
 - Is there something here I need to trust the Lord for?

Remember, it's not so important that I go *through the Bible* as much as *the Bible goes through me!*

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 – Russell Chadwick will be speaking this morning. 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.

What's happening at Valley Church?

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!*

SOULTREK FOR YOUTH - 7 pm on Tuesday evenings. Contact Luke Ratzlaff at 604-980-0307 or luke@valleychurch.ca for details. NOTE: **JUNIOR HIGH RETREAT** (Grades 6-9) – June 17-19 Talk to Luke or Mel for details.

Ladies Morning Out – Thursday mornings at 9 am. Childcare is provided. Contact Kristina at kristina.kurtz@hotmail.com for further information.

Young Adults Group - Thursdays at 7:30 pm at the church. For info, call Simon & Oyuki Bodlack at 778-689-4636 or contact them at simonbodlack@gmail.com

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

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.

Send in your photos – Please share some of your special moments with us by emailing us your favorite family photos to use in the bulletin!



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 possible – You can give your offering online through PayPal. Go to the bottom of our web page at www.valleychurch.ca and click on the PayPal button.



We will be having a BAPTISMAL SERVICE next Sunday, June 12th. If you would like to be baptized in water at that time, please contact the church office at info@valleychurch.ca. Luke Ratzlaff and the Valley Church youth will be in charge of the services next week.

Bridal Shower for Mel Sanderson on Sunday, June 26th – For details regarding the place and time, contact Michelle Bean at 604-700-9041 or michellebean@gmail.com



VBS Dates for 2016 – For those of you who are organizing your children's summer, the dates for this year's VBS will be July 18th to 22nd. You can now register online at www.valleychurch.ca

Owen & Val Scott are on vacation for the month of June – They will be back in the office the first week of July.



SUMMER IN THE CITY – Walking with God in the Desert (Experiencing Living Water When Life is Tough) – Wednesday evenings starting July 6th at 7:00 pm in the lower auditorium.

Photos on front ... Clockwise from top left – We welcome Russell & Gerrie Chadwick to our services today (parents of Wes); Rita & Khezia Topacio ; Gayle Jones enjoying God's creation; Jorge & Jeanette Rios.