



The Valley View October 11, 2017

Standing Together on God's Word

As Pam and I had looked at the cards given to us last Sunday, we have been deeply moved by the expressions of love and appreciation expressed as we seek to serve our Lord here at Valley Baptist Church. These expressions are a sample of many similar expressions on a regular basis.

An appreciation for the leadership here at Valley upholding the Word of God as true, authoritative, powerful and relevant to our lives underlies much of what is regularly expressed to me. The opportunity to serve a church that has this regard for the Word of God fills me with unspeakable joy.

There are times when that "sharp, two-edged sword" of the Spirit plunges deep into our hearts. It is not always a pleasant experience when it slices away at those things that we cherish but which God knows are malignant threats to who and what He wants us to be. Yet, we know that this painful conviction is necessary for us, with His help, to bring our lives into alignment with His Word.

People, philosophies, kings, emperors and institutions have assailed the Word of God down through the ages. All of these have passed off the scene or their message proven lacking but the one constant that has remained standing strong is the Word of God. This reflects Jesus' teaching about building our house on the rock.

Thanks to all of you who have this firm conviction and support the teaching and preaching of the Word of God. As we work together, this gives us a firm foundation to prepare people to meet Jesus.

WORSHIP ATTENDANCE

October 8, 2017

8:00 am 99

10:45 am 148

What's coming up this week at Valley?

Thursday, October 12th

9:00am, Women's Psalm Bible Study

5:30pm, Let's Play Together

6:00pm, Hmong Band Practice

Friday, October 13th

6:00pm, God's Girls

Saturday, October 14th

8:00am, BCI Training

9:00am, Worship Team

10:00am, Sewing Pockets Event

Sunday, October 15th

2:00pm, BCI Training

1:00-3:00pm, Hmong Service

Monday, October 16th

6:30pm, Biblical Counselor Training

Tuesday, October 17th

7:00am, Group Prayer with pastors

7:00am, Worship Center open for prayer

8:00-4:15pm, CC Home School

4:30pm, OC Kinship Grandparent Support Group

Wednesday, October 18th

7:00am, Small Group Meeting for Prayer (open to all)

5:15-5:45pm, ConneXion Cafe

6:00pm, Student Ministries Pathfinders

Adventure Club

His Kids Worship

6:15pm, Valley ConneX

6:00pm, Women's Heal My Hurts

6:00pm, Impressions Sunday School Class

Sunday Childcare

	8:00 Babies	10:45 Babies	10:45 1-3 Yr.
Sun 10/15	Ben & Jennie Barclay	NEED NEED	John Wolf NEED
Sun 10/22	Christy Watkins NEED	Kurt & Jean Kielisch	Kellie Burns Jerry Sitor
Sun 10/29	NEED NEED	Jen Boon Bob Drew	Justin & Caralyn Goza

Birthday Blessings!

12 - Cole Knitter
14 - Wyndi Sali
15 - Gregg Bolwerk
16 - Jeff Warren
16 - Kellie Burns
17 - Craig Honer



Anniversary Wishes

13 - Jerry & Anne Yamriska
17 - John & Susan Fearn

\$3.00 per person or \$12.00 for a family of 5 or more

Signup REQUIRED [online](#) or on the bulletin board by Sunday afternoon



On The Menu:

October 18th, 2017

Pizza Pasta Casserole
Green Beans
Dessert



Impressions, because we leave *imprints* on those we touch...because we want the *imprint* of our Lord Jesus Christ on our lives and on our families.

Join our 6:30 Wednesday night Sunday School class in the Cove for

- * support and prayer
- * loving fellowship
- * childcare for children of all ages
- * study of God's Word

Ministry Opportunity - Ladies Brunch

Male Volunteers Needed

(15 years and up)

To Cook, Serve, and Clean Up

**Saturday, October 21st,
9:30 am**

If you are willing to serve, please sign the sheet on the Men's Bulletin Board by Sunday, October 15.



Do something *different* this Christmas!

Give a gift to someone who will not get one otherwise.

See the **Baptist Global Response Catalog** located in the Welcome Center.
Gifts from \$3.00 to \$1000.00

Walking by the Spirit in Prayer

Special Speaker Sue Punt

A brunch for all ladies middle school and older and their guests

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 21

9:30—11:30 AM

\$6.00 per person

Last Day for Tickets is OCTOBER 15th

No childcare will be provided

²⁶Likewise the Spirit helps us in our weakness. For we do not know what to pray for as we ought, but the Spirit himself intercedes for us with groanings too deep for words. ²⁷And he who searches hearts knows what is the mind of the Spirit, because the Spirit intercedes for the saints according to the will of God. Romans 8:26-27

Fall Festival Prayer Requests "Dare to Trust God"



PRAY FOR: OPEN DOORS

Colossians 4:3 *"And pray for us, that God may open a door for our message so that we may proclaim the mystery of Christ..." (NIV)*

- Pray God will give us open doors so we can be a part in advancing His kingdom
- Pray we will be faithful to walk through those doors
- Pray families will be open to receive the Truth they hear

As we interlace everything in prayer, God brings growth.



October 28th 4-6 p.m.

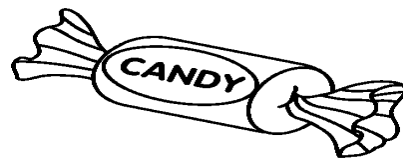
Donations Needed!

Home baked cakes are needed for the Cake Walk. If you would like to donate a cake sign up on the sheet on the bulletin board. **Cakes only please.** *(Please bring cake in disposable container)*

Note: One dozen decorated cupcakes needed for our preschool cake walk.

Have your cake donations to the church by Saturday, October 28, 3:00 pm.

Bags of individually wrapped candy are needed to use as prizes for the games.



Please place in the kitchen by October 25.



Help sew pockets on the donated blankets for small bibles to pass out to the homeless:

BROWN BAG LUNCH GATHERING

WITH SHARON PRAHL

NOVEMBER 18TH, 2017 ~ 10:00-2:00 PM ~ RM. 122

DECEMBER 9TH, 2017 ~ 10:00-2:00 PM ~ THE COVE

LOOKING FOR: VOLUNTEERS TO HELP SEW

(BE SURE TO SIGN UP AT THE ADULT MINISTRIES BULLETIN BOARD)

ADDITIONAL NEED: VELCRO & THREAD

*This will be an ongoing project through the winter,
so keep the warm blankets coming!*

Upcoming EVENTS

BIBLICAL COUNSELING TRAINING

Saturday & Sunday, October 14 & 15
Sat. 8-4 pm, Sun. 2-9 pm

WOMEN'S ANNUAL BRUNCH

Saturday, October 21
9:30-11:30 am

Fall Festival



Saturday October 28, 4:00 - 6:00pm
At the Church

This year, we're bringing back our favorite carnival games, bounce houses, cake walk and food, and we're updating our hands-on exploration for kids of 5-6 themed caves called Brave Cave. Over the course of the 5-6 caves, kids will learn all about how God saves us from fear and how Jesus saves us from our biggest problem: our sins.

This could be our most impactful Fall Festival yet!

For an event like this, we need everyone's help and prayers! See the available opportunities to volunteer:

Adopt a Cave - Need 10-18 people (Setup after Wed 10/25) Build a cave, & run the cave on 10/28 (it's simple—instructions and materials provided). Contact Jim/Hope.

Registration - Need 6-8 people Get people signed up and set up for the event.

General Set Up - Need 10-20 people (Sat 10/28 from 8-11am) Help set up decorations, games and equipment.

Outreach/Hospitality Team - Need 4-8 people (3:15-6:30pm) Greet & visit with families, help guide them and assist others where needed.

Kitchen Team - Need 4 people (3:15-5:45 pm) Help with the free hot dog meal.

Game Helpers - 10-15 people needed (3:00-6:00pm)

Face Painting - 3-6 people needed (3:00-6:00pm)

Tear Down - 10-20 people needed (6:00-8:00pm)

Tear down games, vacuum, reset church. *Help in this area is always a big need!*

Security Team -

Prayer Team - Contact Mary Barclay

Donate Candy/Cakes - Coordinate with Pam Creamer

Sign up sheet located on the
Family Ministry Board

Join Us Nov. 5, 5:00 pm HARVEST DINNER

Join us for our annual potluck dinner.

Valley Baptist Church will provide the meat and beverages. Please bring a dish or two to share.

CHILDREN, TEENS, & ADULTS!!!

Show us your talent! Can you sing? Do you play an instrument?

Sign up for a 5-10 minute spot for our Talent Show!

Sign up on the table in the lobby.

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