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## Interactive Worship

During Interactive Worship, you are invited to participate in these ways:

### THE LORD'S TABLE

All Christians, regardless of denominational background or affiliation, are welcome to participate. The communion juice is non-fermented, and the bread is gluten-free. Come to the front of the Worship Center (using the side aisles) where our servers will serve you. Discard your empty cup on the communion table and return using the center aisle. Pre-packaged bread and juice are available on the prayer tables at the back of the worship center.

### PRAYER

#### PRAYER TABLES

Visit a prayer table at the back of the worship center. Fill out a prayer card with your requests, thanksgivings, and/or praises. The Valley family will pray with you. You can also spend time now praying through the cards that have been written. Prayer requests and praises are always welcome by emailing [prayer@valleycc.org](mailto:prayer@valleycc.org) and in our private Facebook group—ValleyCC Private Group.

#### PERSONAL PRAYER

The Prayers of the Church leaders will be at the back of the Worship Center. They would love to pray with you in person.

### TITHES & OFFERINGS

Financial giving is an expression of our worship and gratitude to God. Giving Baskets are on the prayer tables at the back of the worship center. You can also give online | [valleycc.org](http://valleycc.org) | Click on the GIVE tab to get started.

January 15, 2023

# SERIES: DEEPER

REAL CHANGE FOR REAL SINNERS



**Sermon:** Brad Dewing, Lead Pastor

**Prayer Leaders:** Terry and Carolyn Krob

**Communion Leader:** JJ Miller

**Readings:** Psalm 34:3, 4, 8 & 22 and Romans 8:1-5

**Next Week: Sunday, January 22**

**Union - Galatians 2:20**



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# THIS WEEK AT VALLEY

FOR MORE INFORMATION GO TO [WWW.VALLEYCC.ORG](http://WWW.VALLEYCC.ORG) OR  
EMAIL [OFFICE@VALLEYCC.ORG](mailto:OFFICE@VALLEYCC.ORG).

## MONDAY

Women's Bible Study @ 10am | Zoom  
Leader: Jody Thiesfeld

Men's Bible Study @ 7pm | Zoom  
Leader: Steve Twiss

## TUESDAY

Tuesday Evening Prayer @ 9pm | Zoom  
Leaders: Chuck & Jody Thiesfeld

## WEDNESDAY

Winter Wednesdays at Valley @ 6:30pm | In Person  
Kids Care: PreK

Stars in the Universe: Kids grades K-5  
Youth Group: Youth Grades 6-12

Adult Bible Study: How (NOT) To Read The Bible

Prayer Time @ 8:30pm | Facebook Live  
Leader: Dewey Roth

## THURSDAY

MOTH @ 11:00am | Zoom  
Leader: Pastor Brad

Soul Sisters @ 11:00am | Zoom (Resumes 1/12)  
Leader: Sheri Lynch

# UPCOMING EVENTS

## GIVING STATEMENTS

Available By January 15!

end of the year  
**GIVING  
STATEMENTS**

Check your email or it will arrive by mail if we don't have your email address. Contact [office@valleycc.org](mailto:office@valleycc.org) with questions.

Giving statements were sent out via email this past week. If we do not have an email address for you we have mailed your statement to you. If you have any questions, please contact the church office at [office@valleycc.org](mailto:office@valleycc.org).

## WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Women's Bible Study  
Winter 2023

Becoming a  
Woman of  
Strength



Mondays at 10am  
Zoom Meeting  
Begins January 16

## MONDAYS | 10AM

**Ladies!** Join Jody Thiesfeld and friends for a bible study on Becoming a Woman of Strength. This is a bible study that takes place on Zoom and meets Mondays at 10am. Contact the church office for more info. [office@valleycc.org](mailto:office@valleycc.org)

## DIAPER DRIVE AND BOTTLES FOR LIFE

January 8 – February 12



Provide diapers to families  
in need in the Twin Cities  
area.



Support Amnion Pregnancy  
Center's life-giving ministry by  
participating in this year's Bottles  
for Life.



## JANUARY 8 – FEBRUARY 12

Until February 12, we will be collecting diapers for the Diaper Bank of Minnesota and collecting money for Amnion Pregnancy Center's Bottle for Life Campaign. More information can be found on the tables in the atrium.

## VOLUNTEER SPOTLIGHT: MIKE NELSON



All of our youth volunteers are amazing! It's been so fun watching each of them connect with different members of our youth group and help point them towards growth in faith and fellowship this year.

Our choice to highlight Mike this week is because, in addition to his commitment to help point young people to Jesus, he has been so gracious in every step of this past year's staffing transition in youth. Mike has moved from Youth Pastor to Youth Volunteer seamlessly and with grace; and we're so appreciative! It's a special and rare thing to watch a heart like Mike's move so humbly and kindly from leading a ministry in a staff position to serving in that same ministry as a volunteer – and he's done it with the joy and energy you'd expect from him!

## YOUTH ICE SKATING

**JANUARY YOUTH EVENT**

WHEN? Saturday, January 28, 2 to 5pm  
WHAT? Ice Skating  
WHERE? Centennial Lakes, Edina – Meet at Valley at 2pm  
COST? Money for concessions and skate rental (\$8), if needed

Note: if the weather is not cooperative, we will have a backup plan, TBD

## SATURDAY, JANUARY 28 | 2 TO 5PM

**YOUTH! (TIME CHANGE)** On Saturday, January 28 we will be going to Centennial Lakes to ice skate. Bring money for concessions and ice skate rental (\$8), if needed. Meet at Valley at 2pm. Sign up in the atrium. Questions? [youth@valleycc.org](mailto:youth@valleycc.org)

## WOMEN'S RETREAT

### VALLEY WOMEN'S DAY RETREAT



SPECIAL GUEST:  
PEG ARNOLD  
SPEAKER, DRAMATIST,  
BRINGING STORIES TO LIFE

**IGNITED  
FOR A  
PURPOSE**

SATURDAY, MARCH 18  
8:30AM TO 2PM  
at  
VALLEY CHRISTIAN  
CHURCH

**SAVE THE DATE!**

## SATURDAY, MARCH 18 | 8:30AM TO 2PM

**SAVE THE DATE!** Saturday, March 18 will be the date of this year's Women's Retreat. The special guest speaker will be Peg Arnold. More info to come.