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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.  
Text – To – Give to 952.800.9998.

February 11, 2024

# SERIES: THE POWER TO CHANGE



**Sermon:** Brad Dewing, Lead Pastor

**Prayer Leaders:** Sue Kretchmer and Tessa Pinkstaff

**Communion Meditation:** Christina Anderson

**Readings:** Psalm 33:4,5,20-22 and Titus 2:11-14

**Next Week: Sunday, February 18, 2024**

**Costly Grace: His Glorious Grace - Ephesians 2:1-10**



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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 | Google Meet  
Leader: Jody Thiesfeld

**Arrive Ministries Interest Meeting** @ 6:30pm | In-Person

## TUESDAY

**Tuesday Evening Prayer** @ 9pm | Google Meet  
Leaders: Sheri Lynch, Chuck & Jody Thiesfeld

## WEDNESDAY

**Ash Wednesday Service** @ 6:30pm | In-person

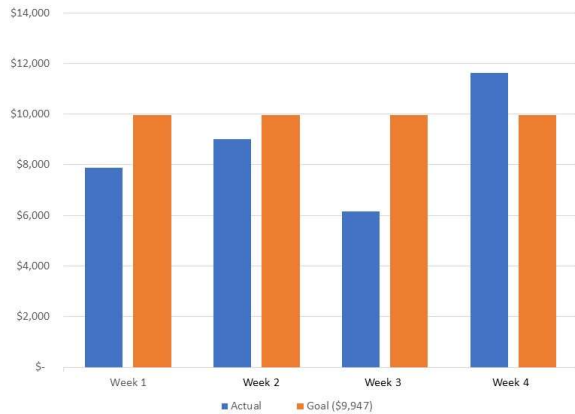
## THURSDAY

**MOTH** @ 11:00am | Google Meet  
Leader: Pastor Brad

**Soul Sisters** @ 11:00am | Google Meet  
Leader: Sheri Lynch

## Monthly Financial Update

January Weekly Giving



This month's status is:



- Giving was on average \$1,300 below goal each week.
- We are holding steady overall but can't continue this pattern for long.

## RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE

Change a life. Give blood.

**THURSDAY FEB 29**  
1:00 – 7:00 pm

Sign-up on Our Website!  
Schedule the time that works best for you!

Our blood drives are one of the ways we serve and bless our community.

### THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 29 | 1-7PM

Valley is hosting another Red Cross Blood Drive on Thursday, February 29. Go to [valleycc.org](http://valleycc.org)>volunteer>red cross blood drive to sign up for a time to donate. Just a few appointments remain.

# UPCOMING EVENTS

## 360 COMMUNITIES HYGIENE & SNACK DRIVE

360 Communities.  
Help in the moment. Hope for the future.

**Hygiene & Snack Food Drive**  
February 4 -18

Collecting:

- Deodorant
- Shampoo
- Conditioner
- Lotion for sensitive skin
- Body wash
- Chapstick
- Small first aid kits
- Laundry pods
- Dish soap pods
- Single Serve Snack Foods

### THROUGH FEBRUARY 18

Valley is collecting hygiene and snack food items to support the work of 360 Communities. Bring donations to Valley anytime from February 4 to 18. Questions? [office@valleycc.org](mailto:office@valleycc.org)

## BOTTLES FOR LIFE

*Let your light shine before others.*

### Bottles for Life Campaign

Pick up a baby bottle and fill it with cash, coins or checks. Help support life!



Amnion Pregnancy Center  
13773-2623-881 Avenue South, Barrville, NH 05037 • 603-898-4300 • [info.aphc.org](http://info.aphc.org)

Return bottles by February 25

### THROUGH FEBRUARY 25

Valley is participating in Amnion Pregnancy Center's Bottles for Life campaign. Pick up a baby bottle in the atrium and fill it with cash, coins, or checks. Return bottles by Sunday, February 25. Help support life!

## WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Women's Bible Study  
Winter / Spring 2024

The Names of God:  
His Character  
Revealed



Mondays at 10am  
Google Meet  
Begins February 12

### BEGINS TOMORROW

The next Women's Bible Study begins tomorrow, Monday, February 12 at 10am. This bible study is held on Google Meet and will be on "The Names of God: His Character Revealed". Contact the church office for more info or to sign up. [office@valleycc.org](mailto:office@valleycc.org)

## ARRIVE MINISTRIES INFO MEETING

**ARRIVE MINISTRIES INTEREST MEETING**  
Monday, February 12 at 6:30pm  
at Valley Christian Church

A representative from Arrive Ministries will share about their refugee resettlement services and how local churches can extend love & friendship to our new neighbors.



Hosted by the Hospitality Small Group. All are welcome!  
No childcare will be provided.

### MONDAY, FEBRUARY 12 | 6:30PM

The Hospitality Small Group invites you to an evening with Arrive Ministries to hear more about their work and ministry with refugees and immigrants. Join us tomorrow, at 6:30pm at Valley. This is for anyone (with any amount of knowledge and/or interest). No childcare available.

## ASH WEDNESDAY SERVICE

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Wednesday, February 14 | 6:30PM  
Childcare through Grade 2 - No Meal Served

### WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 14 | 6:30PM

Valley's annual Ash Wednesday service will be on Wednesday, February 14 at 6:30pm. Childcare through grade 2 will be available. No Wednesday Night meal will be served.