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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.

August 6, 2023

SERIES:

# KINGDOM STORIES

## THE PROVOCATIVE PARABLES OF JESUS



**Sermon:** Brad Dewing, Lead Pastor

**Prayer Leaders:** Terry & Carolyn Krob

**Communion Leader:** JJ Miller

**Readings:** Micah 7:18-19 and Luke 23:33-38

**Next Week: Sunday, August 13, 2023**

**The Persistent Widow – Luke 18:1-8**



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# THIS WEEK AT VALLEY

FOR MORE INFORMATION GO TO WWW.VALLEYCC.ORG OR EMAIL OFFICE@VALLEYCC.ORG.

## WEDNESDAY

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

## THURSDAY

**MOTH @ 11:00am | Zoom**  
Leader: Pastor Brad  
**SOUL SISTERS @ 11:00am | Zoom**  
Leader: Sheri Lynch

## VOLUNTEER NEEDS

FOR MORE INFORMATION: OFFICE@VALLEYCC.ORG

- URGENT!** Blood Drive Check-in Help for the blood drive that is scheduled for THIS Thursday, August 10. The shift is 12:45pm-4:00pm at Valley. The role includes greeting donors and getting them checked in which you will be trained to do by ARC staff. There is down time between donors so it's a great way to serve while also getting some reading or knitting or correspondence or (fill in the blank) done! The shift could be split into two or bring a friend to chat with while you cover the whole shift. Please let office@valleycc.org know if you can help!
- Kids Ministry Volunteers. Adults for all ages are needed.

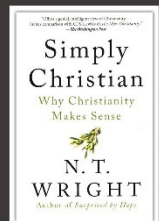
# UPCOMING EVENTS

## ASPIRE



**WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 9 | 6PM – 9:30PM**  
**YOUTH!** Sign up in the atrium to join us at the Dakota County Fair on August 9. Meet at Valley at 6PM and bring money for rides and food. Pick up is at 9:30pm. Cost of admission is covered by Valley. Questions? youth@valleycc.org

## SUMMER BOOK CLUB MEETING



**SUMMER BOOK GROUP**

Discussions on Zoom at 7pm:

- Wednesday, June 28
- Wednesday, August 9
- Wednesday, August 30

Books: \$12 (order your own or ask for a book when you sign up)

Sign Up: office@valleycc.org

**WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 9 | 7PM**  
The next summer book club meeting this Wednesday, August 9 on Zoom with Pastor Brad.

## BLOOD DRIVE



Change a life. Give blood.

**THURSDAY AUGUST 10**  
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, AUGUST 10 | 1:00 TO 7:00PM**  
Valley is hosting another Red Cross blood drive. Sign up on Valley's web page for a time to give blood. **We are also looking for check-in help from 12:45 to 4 the day of the drive.** Contact the office if you can help. office@valleycc.org

## COVENANT MEMBER ANNUAL MEETING



**COVENANT MEMBER MEETING**

CHILDCARE PROVIDED

SUNDAY, AUGUST 13 | AFTER MORNING WORSHIP

PIZZA LUNCH SERVED IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING THE MEETING

**SUNDAY, AUGUST 13 | AFTER THE SERVICE**  
Valley's Covenant Member Annual Meeting will be held NEXT Sunday, August 13 immediately following the morning worship service. A pizza lunch will be served following the meeting. All covenant members should plan to attend. All are welcome. Childcare for kids through grade 5. Questions? office@valleycc.org

## PARK PLAYDATE



**Next Park Play Date**

Monday August 14th  
**BEACH** 1-4pm **DAY**  
Crystal Beach, Burnsville

**MONDAY, AUGUST 14 | 1-4PM**  
**KIDS!** The next park playdate will be at Crystal Lake Beach on Monday, August 14. Come when you can and leave when you must. No need to sign up. Questions? curtis@valleycc.org

## ALL CHURCH PICNIC



*All Church Picnic*

**SATURDAY, AUGUST 26 | 12:15PM**

Bring a side dish or dessert to share.  
Hamburgers & Hot Dogs provided.

End of VBS recap & celebration at Noon!

**SATURDAY, AUGUST 26 | 12:15PM**  
Join us on Saturday, August 26 for an All-Church Picnic. Bring a side dish or dessert to share. Hamburgers and hot dogs provided. Sign up in the atrium. Come a little early for the end of VBS recap and celebration at noon. Please Note: This is a SATURDAY event. Questions? office@valleycc.org

## VBS



**I Am the Truth**  
**Way of Life**

9- Noon Register today  
Thu - Sat, August 24 - 26  
Kindergarten - 5th Grade **FREE!**

**AUGUST 24-26 | 9AM TO NOON**  
VBS IS COMING TO VALLEY! For kids in grades K – 5. Register today by using the QR code. We are also looking for help with VBS – there is a sign-up sheet in the atrium.. Questions? curtis@valleycc.org