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THE VALLEY CHURCH

Weekly Bulletin

Sunday, January 18, 2026



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Sundays at 10:30am

3850 E Galbraith Rd, Cincinnati, OH 45236

Diaper Sprinkle

Next Sunday is the first diaper sprinkle of 2026! Join us after church as we celebrate Matt and Lawren Scowden and the impending arrival of their sweet baby. Grab a box of diapers and wipes and stick around in the fellowship hall for sweet treats and punch.

Family Meeting

We are having a Family Meeting (formerly known as Member Meetings) on Sunday, February 1st. Stick around for a potluck lunch followed by a meeting to discuss end of 2025 reports, a vision cast for 2026, honor volunteers, and introduce new covenant members. All are invited, and childcare is provided.

Valley Groups

We have opened registration for all of our winter groups and classes, and we'd love for you to join one! See the table in the lobby to find a discussion group, a connection group, or an equip class that best fits your needs and schedule!

LAST WEEK'S GIVING TOTAL:

\$4,308.74

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1st Corinthians 4:1-5

We've elevated the pastoral role into a space that it wasn't designed to be in. Does your pastor practice servant leadership? Paul addresses this in our text.

What do you believe is the role of the pastor in your life? By what standard to you evaluate his job?

Are there characteristics of modern-day pastors that have bothered you? What characteristics are they?

When you read Paul say that "it is a very small thing to be judged by you", what is your immediate response? Do you believe the church has authority over the pastor or does that authority solely rest on Christ?

Our bylaws say that elder discipline falls under the jurisdiction of the elder board. Do you think that is valuable? Why or why not?

Is it good news that we aren't even to evaluate ourselves outside of being evaluated by Christ? Do you understand how your pastors calling is the calling of God and not the calling of himself?

How has your evaluation process been changed after hearing a teaching like this? What is most challenging or most rewarding from today's message?