# **EVENTS @ VLCC**

WOMEN'S WINTER CRAFT NIGHT! THIS Friday, December 10th, 6:30-8:30 pm @ VLCC! Winter Craft, Warm Hot Cocoa, Warm Food & Warm Welcome with VLCC Women! Please SIGN UP TODAY!



THANK YOU-VLCC! For our November mission we collected 1,478 CANS of Food! OUR MISSION FOR DECEMBER- We will be collecting PJ's & Underwear ALL ages & ALL sizes! Heartfelt thanks from The Boise Rescue Mission!



YOUTH GROUP -ANGEL TREE PROJECT is about sharing the love of Jesus Christ and reconnecting parents and children. Please return your UNWRAPPED gift by next Sunday, December 12th. Place the angel on your gift. Thank you!



#### CONGREGATION CELEBRATIONS AND CONCERNS

Prayer for our MISSION Partners:

Jon & Charrise Mathew & family (Church Plant, Compton Ca),
Billy Mogensen & family (CRU- Campus Crusade for Christ @ Boise State),
Boise Rescue Mission,

**Acts 29** (A diverse global family of Church planting churches), & **RUF** (Reformed University Fellowship @ Boise State).

CHURCH BOARD							
Elders *Carl Alberda VP	Q-T	208-340-2507	<b>Deacons</b> Nick Bernard-Treasurer	208-61 <i>5-77</i> 20			
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If you need spiritual care, prayer, counsel or have concerns or questions please call your care elder (see above). Send email —elders@vlccidaho.org or deacons@vlccidaho.org

\* Current elders.



# Welcome to our Worship Celebration!



Second Sunday in Advent

December 5, 2021-10:00 AM

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# **CONNECTING @ VLCC**

#### WELCOME TO OUR WORSHIP CELEBRATION!

We're glad you're here TODAY!

If you are a guest with us today, please come over and visit our **Welcome Table**. We have a special gift for you!



**ADVENT CANDLES TODAY-** These 4 candles remind us each week to prepare for the real meaning of Christmas. Today's candle is lit by **Jason & Angela Martin**.

Song:	Christmas Day	Praise Team			
Greet Each Other Welcome & Announcements Dan Schuch					
Advent Candle	Jason & Angelo Martin				
*Song:	O Little Town of Bethlehem	Praise Team			
Dismiss KREW					
*Song:	Angels We Have Heard On High	Praise Team			
Meditation & Sci	Kevin Bailey				
*Song:	Adore	Praise Team			
Meditation:	1 Corinthians 13:4 Love is Patient	Jim Evenhouse			
*Song:	In Jesus Name	Praise Team			
Receive KREW b	ack into Sanctuary				
Communion	1 Corinthians 13:4 Love is Kind	Pastor Vinnie			
U	w Low Was Our Redeemer Brought g & Prayer Invitation	Praise Team Pastor Vinnie			

**PRAYER ZONE** - You are invited to have someone pray with you after the service for any need. Come to the **Prayer Zone** located at the front, left of the stage with your praises or concerns.

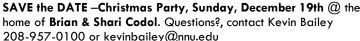


# **GROWING @ VLCC**

**TODAY WE CELEBRATE COMMUNION TOGETHER.** If you've placed your personal faith in Jesus Christ as your Savior & Lord and are living in obedience to Him, we invite you to join us today at His Table. Our Love offering is for our **Benevolent Outreach**.



**YOUTH GROUP TONIGHT 6:30- 8:00 PM.** Come encounter a deeper relationship with Jesus while you hang out with friends, fellowship, fun & food! Invite a friend!





#### VALLEY LIFE 101-TODAY, 11:30 am.

Meet with Pastor Vinnie and some great friends, discover the VLCC vision, values, beliefs & sacraments.

Take this opportunity to **GROW** @ VLCC!



LOOKING FOR A COMMUNITY GROUP? Contact Jose & Karen Torres our Ministry Leaders, Jose (714-343-9496), papajt59@hotmail.com or Karen(714-269-0618), al4jrh@hotmail.com



## **SERVING @ VLCC**

THOSE SERVING US						
Service	Today 12/05	Next Week 12/12				
Greeters	Brodie Antrim Jen Antrim	Troy & Mel Forbis				
Coffee Set-up	Kristen DeBie	Sheri Partyka				
Offering Counters	Jon Wester Jim Jasper	Troy Forbis Brad Cox				
Sound	Nick Bernard	Jackie Cox				
Multi-Media	Chaleen Schuch	Nick Bernard				
Announcements	Dan Schuch	Becky Folk				
Welcome Table Prayer Zone Toddler-Nursery Pre/KG 1 st-2nd 3rd-5th	Pam Faas Brandon & April Steve/Bear B Sara O'Brien Kristen D/Samantha Katie P/Jay A	David Whitehead Kevin & Barbie PJ /Abby P Sara O'Brien Jorie/Jeni Josh & Annika				

GENERAL FUND	Given	Budget
November 28	\$3,830	\$4,050
November 2021	\$31,567	\$20,250
Fiscal Year (Jan-Dec)	\$292,601	\$212,650
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<sup>\*</sup>Please stand, if you are able



# December 5th, 2021 Advent Week 2 1 Corinthians 13:3-4

## Introduction

Greet one another and Pray together before you begin discussion. Read Psalm 85:10-11 and 1 Corinthians 13:3-4

#### Discussion

1. Take a moment to share how your memorization of 1 Corinthians 13 is going. What is God showing in you in this practice?

## Examination

- 2. What connections can be made between the birth, life, death, resurrection, ascension, sending of the Holy Spirit, return of Jesus and the Advent Psalm (85:10-11) this week?
- 3. Patient and Kind. What does loving patience and loving kindness look like? How does Jesus demonstrate it?
- 4. Generosity and Martyrdom are descried in vs. 3. Why does a lack of love reduce these actions to nothing? What else could motivate a person to be generous or to give up their life? How do these other motivations stand up against love?

## Application

- 5. Describe a recent kindness you received. What stood out in your memory? How and to who might you demonstrate intentional loving kindness this week?
- 6. Is there a strangeness to celebrating communion so near to Christmas for you? How does communion remind us of the purpose of the birth of Jesus?
- 7. Pray for opportunities to be lovingly kind and patient this week.



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