

EVENTS @ VLCC

NEXT SUNDAY, 11:30 AM. "CONNECTIONS SUNDAY". Formerly known as the "Ministry Fair". Take this opportunity to **CONNECT** and learn about the various ministries here at Valley Life. Tables will be set up outside and Ministry Leaders will have information and sign ups for you to join their team!



CONGREGATION CELEBRATIONS AND CONCERNS

Heartfelt **THANK YOU** from **Dave Adams** for the beautiful flowers from Valley Life for his father, Virgil Adams funeral service.



Prayer for our **MISSION Partners:**

Jon & Charisse 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).

Pray for Our **Military:**

- *Amber Martin (Jason's sister-in-law) Ft. Lewis
- *John Reber (Bernice Reber's son) Georgia
- *Jacob Tallant (Paul & Kristin's son) Chicago



CHURCH BOARD

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			Vinnie Hanke/Pastor		208-939-7557
			Phyllis Crist/Secretary		208-939-7557
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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!**



September 5, 2021-10:00 AM

**6325 N. Locust Grove Rd.
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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!



SERMON SERIES- "PASSION, PURPOSE & PERSECUTION"

Acts 8:1-8



K.R.E.W (Kids Radically Experiencing Worship) Toddlers-5th grade

The KREW	10:30 AM
DWELL	
Pre-school/KG	Room 14
1-2nd Grade	Room 13
3rd-5th Grade	Room 25
Nursery 0-4 years	Room 12
Nursing Moms	Room 11

PARENTS - Planning Center "check in" then take them with you to the Worship Center, they will be dismissed with their leaders after the Praise songs. Parents please pick up your children from their rooms **immediately** following the service!

YOUTH GROUP STARTS NEXT SUNDAY, 6:30-8PM.

Middle school & High school students are you looking for a place to have fun, hang out with friends and experience a deeper relationship with Jesus? Invite a friend! Come meet your "new" **Youth Director, Kevin Bailey!**



TODAY VALLEY LIFE 101, 11:30 AM.

Connect with VLCC and meet some great friends, discover the VLCC vision, values, beliefs & sacraments. Meet with 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**.



NEXT SUNDAY- ADULT BIBLE STUDY BEGINS- "FOUNDATIONS"

Brandon Lochridge leading **THREE FORMS OF UNITY**.

The purpose of this class is to study foundational Christian doctrines.

Class begins @ 9:00 am (doors open @ 8:45) -9:50 am- Room 25.

Child care will be available.



SERVING @ VLCC

THOSE SERVING US...		
Service	Today 09/05	Next Week 09/12
Greeters	Troy & Mel Forbis	Brodie Antrim Jason Martin
Coffee Set-up	Sharon Becton	Robyn Whitehead
Offering Counters	Troy Forbis Jim Jasper	Jon Wester Micah Crawford
Sound	David Folk	Neil Partyka
Multi-Media	Kevin Bailey	Chaleen Schuch
Announcements	Sherri Hanke	Becky Folk
Welcome Table	Phyllis Crist	David Whitehead
Prayer Zone	Vinnie & Sherri	Brandon & April
Toddler-Nursery	Jeremiah Sprague	Rachel/Micah
Pre/KG	Sara O'Brien	Sara O'Brien
1st-2nd	Pam Faas/Gabriel	Pam Faas/Gabriel
3rd-5th	TJ O'Brien/Macie	Katie Pickens

GENERAL FUND	Given	Budget
August 29	\$8,703	\$4,050
August 2021	\$31,177	\$20,250
Fiscal Year (Jan-Dec)	\$203,762	\$212,650



September 5th, 2021
Pastor Vinnie Hanke
Acts 8:1-8

Introduction

Greet one another and Pray together before you begin discussion.

Read Acts 8:1-8

Discussion

1. Take a moment to share what God is getting your attention with this week.

2. What was the Main Idea of Sunday's message? What does it mean?

Examination

3. What is the main difference between Saul and Phillip? How might these two men embody Psalm 1?

4. Where can we see Persecution, Passion and Purpose in this passage? How does God display His sovereignty in persecution?

5. How is Acts 8:1-8 connected back to Acts 1:8? Are there any other statements of Jesus from the gospels that could be connected to this passage?

Application

6. Describe a time when you experienced persecution for your Christian Faith. In what ways was God's mission enhanced or hindered by persecution in the first century? How might the mission be enhanced today by persecution?

7. Where and to whom is God calling you to be a witness for Jesus? Name the place and the person. Take time to pray for both.



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