

EVENTS @ VLCC

FLOAT THE BOISE RIVER WITH VLCC TODAY, see information in bulletin insert!



NEXT VALLEY LIFE 101-SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 5TH, 11:30 AM
Connect with VLCC and meet some great friends, discover the VLCC vision, values & sacraments.
Meet with Pastor Vinnie.



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).

Pray for Our Military:

- *Amber Martin (Jason's sister-in-law) Ft. Lewis
- *John Reber (Bernice Reber's son) Georgia



CHURCH BOARD

Elders			Deacons		
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			Kathy McCandless/Music		208-899-7451

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!**



August 15, 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!



TODAY we welcome **Jon Mathew, Charrise & family, Mission Partner Church Plant, Compton, CA.** Jon and his father, James & siblings, Chris and Melissa grew up with us here at Valley Life. We welcome them home today! Jon will be leading us today in *Esther 4:6-5:2*.



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

Family Style Worship. We welcome our **KREW** kids to our worship time. Pick up your bulletin @ **The KREW Table!**

YOUTH GROUP- BACK TO SCHOOL-POOL PARTY!

NEXT Saturday, August 21st! Swimming, food & fellowship @ David & Robyn Whitehead's home. (2251 S. Weimarnar Way, Meridian) **1:00-3:00 pm**, snacks & drinks provided! Invite a friend!



MEN'S BIBLE STUDY FRIDAY MORNING, 8/20, 6 AM

Join us at **Lucky Perk (Eagle Rd. & Overland)** to discuss Pastor Vinnie's sermon from the previous week. For more information contact David Folk (208) 856-0324, davidwfolk@gmail.com.



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

KREW MEETING NEXT SUNDAY, AUGUST 22ND, 11:30 AM.

Want to learn more about the **KREW** program? Ms. Dawn invites you to join her, this is for **ANYONE** wanting to learn or help in **KREW** for this next school year.



KREW YOUTH MEETING, SUNDAY, AUGUST 29TH, 10:30 AM.

ATTENTION ALL youth! Want to help in the **KREW**? Ms. Dawn looking for middle school and high schoolers currently serving and those interested in volunteering in the **KREW** this coming year **must attend this training meeting**. We will meet during the worship service.



COMING THIS FALL- ADULT BIBLE STUDY- Brandon Lochridge leading **THREE FORMS OF UNITY**. The purpose of this class is to study foundational Christian doctrines. Class begins Sunday, **September 12th- December 19, 2021, 9:00 -9:50 am**. Child care will be available.



SERVING @ VLCC

THOSE SERVING US...		
Service	Today 08/15	Next Week 08/22
Greeters	Louie Faas Grady Duncan	Andrea McCandless Louie Faas
Coffee Set-up	Sharon Becton	Rachel Mitaros
Offering Counters	Jim Jasper Troy Forbis	Brad Cox Micah Crawford
Sound	Nick Bernard	Nick Bernard
Multi-Media	Kevin Bailey	Chaleen Schuch
Announcements	Jon Wester	Derrick McCandless
Welcome Table	Phyllis Crist	Karen Mullins
Prayer Zone	Vinnie & Sherri	Brandon & April
Toddler-Nursery	Steve McCandless NO K.R.E.W	Rachel/Micah NO K.R.E.W

GENERAL FUND	Given	Budget
August 8	\$7,116	\$4,050
August 2021	\$12,177	\$20,250
Fiscal Year (Jan-Dec)	\$184,762	\$212,650



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Pastor Jonathan Matthew
Esther 4:6 - 5:2

Introduction

Greet one another and Pray together before you begin discussion.
Read Esther 4:6 - 5:2

Discussion

1. Take a moment to share one joy & one challenge from your week.
2. What was the Main Idea of Sunday's message? What was one takeaway from the message for you?

Examination

3. What is the historical background for the passage?
4. What gospel parallels can be seen between Esther and Christ? How about Mordecai and Christ?
5. What is Mordecai sure of, even if Esther does not honor his request? What is the source of Mordecai's confidence?

Application

6. What does Esther ask Mordecai and the Jews to do in preparation for her approach to the King? Have you considered/taken a time of spiritual preparation before a big decision or undertaking? What did you do? What was the result?
7. The King bestowed favor upon Esther. What parallel in the gospel do you find for yourself in this? How does recognizing what we have received from the King help foster a spirit of gratitude?



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