EVENTS @ VLCC

MEN'S BIBLE STUDY FRIDAY MORNING, 9/3, 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.

YOUTH GROUP STARTS SEPTEMBER 12TH, 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? For more information contact Brian Codol, codol@att.net or (714-299-2998).

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	
*Carl Alberda VP	Q-T	208-340-2507	Nick Bernard-Treasuer	208-615-7720
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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!

CONNECTING with God. GROWING in Christ. SERVING others.

August 29, 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!

SERMON SERIES- "PASSION, PURPOSE & PERSECUTION" Acts 7:1-60





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

NEXT SUNDAY VALLEY LIFE 101,11:30 AM.

Connect with VLCC and meet some great friends, discover the VLCC vision, values, beliefs & sacraments. Sign up sheet @ The Welcome Table. Meet with Pastor Vinnie.



STAY CONNECTED @ VALLEY LIFE- Check out our website,

www.vlccidaho.org. Find out what is happening on Sunday and throughout the week. Download the sermon, ESV bible, request prayer, find current events & click the link "google play" or "app store", that will take you to the **church app & podcasts!**



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 "YOUTH" MEETING TODAY, 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, you'll be dismissed after Praise worship.

COMING THIS FALL- ADULT BIBLE STUDY- FOUNDATIONS 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.



CONNECTIONS SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 12TH, 11:30 AM. 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!

SERVING @ VLCC

THOSE SERVING US				
Service	Today 08/29	Next Week 09/05		
Greeters	Kristen DeBie Brodie Antrim	Troy & Mel Forbis		
Coffee Set-up	Sheri Partyka	Sharon Becton		
Offering Counters	Jon Wester Troy Forbis	Troy Forbis Jim Jasper		
Sound	Nick Bernard	David Folk		
Multi-Media	Kevin Bailey			
Announcements	Dan Schuch	Sherri Hanke		
Welcome Table Prayer Zone Toddler-Nursery Pre/KG 1 st-2nd 3rd-5th	David Whitehead Kevin & Barbie David/Macie NO K.R.E.W	Phyllis Crist Vinnie & Sherri Jeremiah Sprague Sara O'Brien Pam Faas/Gabriel TJ O'Brien/Macie		
GENERAL FUND August 22 August 2021 Fiscal Year (Jan-Dec)	Given \$5,168 \$22,513 \$195,098	Budget \$4,050 \$20,250 \$212,650		





August 29th, 2021 Pastor Vinnie Hanke Acts 7:1-60

Introduction

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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. Review Acts 6-7. What are the similarities to Jesus' life found in Stephen's experience.

4. How do Jesus' words in Matthew 10:24-25 challenge us to examine our own life's similarity to Jesus?

5. In Stephen's vision Jesus is said to be standing at the right hand of God (See Acts 7:55). In every other NT passage Jesus is described as seated at the right hand of God (Read Hebrews 8:1, 12:2, Ephesians 1:20. 2:6, Colossians 3:1, Revelation 4:2). What do you think is the significance of Jesus standing rather than sitting? Why?

Application

6. What characteristics does Stephen display in this passage? Which do you think could be areas for your own personal growth? Pray for the spirit of boldness that Stephen displays to be with us as a church.

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