

MARCH 7, 2010



Keeping **CONNECTED**

OPPORTUNITIES & EVENTS AT VALLEY COMMUNITY CHURCH

The Café—Returns Today

The Café returns today at 9:00 and 10:45AM in the Hall. This informal, interactive worship gathering is open to all and could be a perfect place to invite a friend who is new to church. The message will be the same in the Café and in the Sanctuary while other elements will vary. Coffee and refreshments will be available.

Brown Bag Sunday—Next Week

Sunday, March 14 will be our first quarterly Brown Bag Sunday. On this Sunday we ask that each family bring in a brown bag full of groceries to the lobby of the Sanctuary or Café. At the end of second service, volunteers will load the bags into cars and deliver them to Valley Bible Church food pantry. If you can volunteer to load cars and help deliver the bags of groceries, please sign the Communications Slip or contact Laura Monical in the church office, 846-6622 x 11 or lmonical@valleycommunitychurch.org.

Easter Breakfast Help Needed

Easter breakfast volunteers needed to set up, cook, serve, and cleanup. The free pancake breakfast will be served from 8:30-11:30AM on Easter Sunday, April 4. If you can help, please sign-up by the coffee cart between services, contact Phil Fong at pfong510@yahoo.com or fill out the Communications Slip.

Men's Ministry

2010 Men's Retreat—April 9-11

- Retreat leader will be Danny Hall, Senior Pastor
- Program will include worship time, group fellowship and time for personal reflection
- Free time for golf/hiking
- Cost \$189, scholarships available
- Sign-up at the Men's table or contact Tony Miceli at 570-0986

Early Risers *Becoming God's Man in 2010*

- Man-Man Talk
- Join a great bunch of guys for breakfast, discussion and prayer every Wednesday, 6:30-7:30AM
- Walk ins welcome, contact Paul Klass 398-8407

Thursday Evening Bible Study

- Thursdays, 7:00-8:30PM, Fireside Room
- Walk-ins welcome, contact Ron Ward, 462-7727 or ron@imagexprint.com

Women's Ministry

Beth Moore Simulcast

Valley Bible Church will be hosting a simulcast of a Beth Moore conference based on her latest book, *So Long, Insecurity!* on Saturday, April 24 from 8:30AM-3:00PM. Tickets are \$25 and include a continental breakfast and lunch. Purchase your ticket at the Women's Ministry table (between services) starting this Sunday, March 7. For more information, call Marie Ghiringhelli 461-9441.

Stop By & Say Hi

Stop by the Women's Ministries table in the Gathering Place to say hello, share a prayer request, and/or grab a treat. We'd love to see you there.

Weekly Bible Studies

- Studies meet on Tuesdays from 9:15-11:15AM and Wednesdays from 7:00-8:30PM
- Child care is provided on Tuesday mornings
- For more information contact Brenda Black at brendagblack@yahoo.com

Adult Ministries

Adult Bible Fellowship

Join us after 1st Service at 10:30AM for snacks, fellowship, teaching & prayer, in the Seminar Room

- Sunday, March 7, Acts 9, God Arrests Saul!, Jon Knight
 - Sunday, March 14, Acts 10, Peter's Miracle Ministry, Steve Glavan
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Sports Ministry

Do you like to golf?

Did you know that VCC has our own golf club?

We are taking sign-ups for the 1st tournament of 2010 beginning today.

- Saturday, March 20 at 12:00PM, Tracy Golf Club
- Everyone is welcome whether you are a member of the VCC golf club or not
- Cost is \$55 which includes golf, cart, range balls and prizes
- If you have any questions or want to sign-up go to the Sports Cart at the Gathering Place between services or contact Dave McCarroll at 858-5546 or dmccarroll@cpoltd.com

Classics

Classics Lunch

Join us for lunch on Tuesday, March 16, 11:30AM at The Farmer Restaurant (old Pleasanton Hotel), 855 Main Street. RSVP to Rosie Gillman at 846-3110 or fill out the Communications Slip.

Outbound Ministries

School of Urban Missions Easter Egg Hunt

Please stop by the Outbound Ministries table today and pick up several dozen plastic Easter eggs and fill them with non-melting candies, stickers (and whatever else you can come up with as well) and return them to church by Sunday, March 21.

Around the Valley

KFAX Speaker Series

The KFAQ Speaker Series presents: Chip Ingram (teacher of *Living on the Edge* on KFAQ) on Thursday, March 18, 7:30PM at Harbor Light Church (4760 Thornton Ave., Fremont). Tickets are \$12 and available at www.kfax.com or by calling 510-713-1100x140.

Joni & Friends Night with the Golden State Warriors

Warrior versus Hornets, Wednesday, March 17 at 7:30PM, Oracle Arena. Bring out your friends and family to this specially discounted game benefiting Joni and Friends! Wheelchair basketball Road Warriors at halftime. Ticket order forms are available outside the church office.