

Tri-Valley Church of Christ  
Family News  
May 21, 2017

"I am the good shepherd; and I know My sheep, and am known by My own. As the Father knows Me, even so I know the Father; and I lay down My life for the sheep. And other sheep I have which are not of this fold; them also I must bring, and they will hear My voice; and there will be one flock and one shepherd. "Therefore My Father loves Me, because I lay down My life that I may take it again. No one takes it from Me, but I lay it down of Myself. I have power to lay it down, and I have power to take it again. This command I have received from My Father." John 10:14-18

**Clothing Needed!!**

Every Monday, Tri-Valley gives away lightly used clothes to the community, but our supply is dwindling. If you or someone you know has any clothing you can donate: men's, women's, and children's (no dog sweaters, though), please drop them off in the Family Life Center, and our team in the Benevolence Ministry will distribute them to those in need. Thank you!



**Youth Group Photos Needed**

Trish Garza requests photos of the teens to rework the collages that hang in The Well. If you have pictures of our current Youth Group members, or can snap a few of the teens, please get them to Trish.

**Welcome To Worship**

RB #555: Seek Ye First  
WB #90: No Other Gods

**Welcome**

RB #47: Holy Holy Holy  
RB #66: Doxology  
RB #96: I Stand in Awe of You

**Prayer**

**Scripture: John 10:14-18**

WB #87: Be Thou My Vision  
RB #382: He Loved Me So

**Communion/Offering**

**Lesson: Character Sketch**  
1 Timothy 3:1-7, Titus 1:5-9

RB #480: Blessed Assurance

**Elder's Prayer**

**Senior Celebration!!**

Sunday, June 4, come out to celebrate our graduating seniors as they leave the Youth Group and enter into adulthood. At the end of worship, we'll have our tribute, pray over our teens, and follow that with a potluck party.

**Communion Meal, Next Sunday, May 28 at 11:30 a.m.**

Our end of the quarter family breakfast will be a bit different this time. We're having a special Communion Meal instead. Let's experience together how the earliest Christians gathered to worship and observe the Lord's Supper (Acts 2, 1 Cor. 11). Our Sunday worship, Bible studies, and Communion observance will all be done around tables during a potluck lunch. DO NOT COME AT 9:00! Mark your calendars, enjoy a morning off, and bring your favorite potluck dish to share at 11:30 a.m. NOTE: There will be no 9 a.m. class, Kids Worship, or attended nursery.

**Summer Quarter Classes Begin Sunday, June 4 at 9:00 a.m.**

June 4 - July 9

**Women's Class in Room 7: One Thousand Gifts** (led by Lisa Parnell & Kristin Ferguson)  
This 6 week study will help us to find the joy in the midst of everyday life, whether it be the daily grind or a deeper disaster. Christ offers us life abundant, but what does that look like in the real world? Through the discipline of journaling God's gifts, we will learn to find the good in all circumstances and develop a life of gratitude, grace, and joy.

**Men's Class in Room 6: Jonah: The Depths of Grace**

This 6 week study of the prophet Jonah demonstrates God's gracious love for his rebellious prophet as well as a rebellious world. It also challenges us to ask ourselves how much compassion we show to "outsiders" and how we respond to God when He calls us to do things outside of our comfort zone.



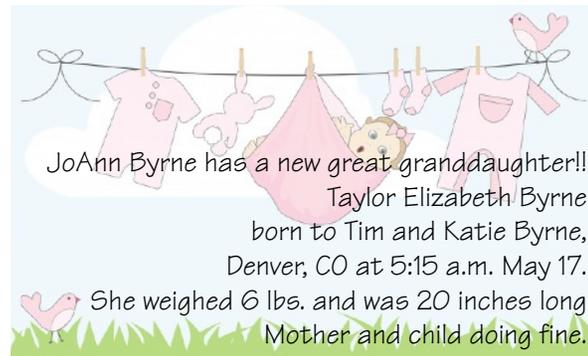
July 16 - August 20

**Congregational Class in Family Life Center: Generation to Generation**

Psalm 145:4 says, "One generation commends your works to another; they tell of your mighty acts." For 6 weeks this summer, we'll hear from individuals and couples in the church as they share with us their stories of faith - from God bringing them through difficulty to the habits and disciplines that have helped develop and deepen their discipleship. Each class will begin with worship and end with discussion as we process these stories together and glean what we can to help us grow in our own faith.

**Books for Borrow**

Betty Davis and Lisl Damoulos want to bring your attention to some books for borrow in classroom 7 of the Worship Center. If you're looking for some reading, you'll find novels by Christian authors in our freshly painted classroom. No need to ask or sign the books out; simply return them when you're done. Enjoy!



JoAnn Byrne has a new great granddaughter!  
Taylor Elizabeth Byrne  
born to Tim and Katie Byrne,  
Denver, CO at 5:15 a.m. May 17.  
She weighed 6 lbs. and was 20 inches long  
Mother and child doing fine.

## Dates to Remember

May  
27 Paintball  
28 Communion Meal (11:30 am)

June  
4 New Quarter & Senior Celebration  
13 1st Tuesday Tunes (YG)  
14 1st Playtime in the Park  
15-17 Camping Trip (YG)

## Sundays

9:00am Bible Classes  
❖ Adults, Teens & Children (FLC)  
❖ 0-3 year olds (Nursery)  
10:15am Worship  
❖ Sermon  
❖ Kids' Worship @10:40am (FLC)  
Evening Small Groups  
❖ Spinka Group @ 4:00pm

## Midweek Groups

Mondays @ 10 am  
❖ Benevolence Clothing Giveaway  
Wednesdays @ 7pm - 8pm  
❖ Teens: Wednesdays @ The Well  
❖ Adult Class - Senior Saints,  
- Roy Mills, Spring Qtr:  
Jule Miller Visualized  
Thursdays @ 6:30pm - 8pm  
❖ Adult Spiritual Workshop  
- Rod Davis, Spring Qtr:  
A Sense of Presence

## Office Communications

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Website: www.trivalleychurch.org  
Church Office: (925) 447-4333  
WiFi Network: TriValley-Guest  
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Last week's attendance was 120.

Remember the large box outside the Family Life Center. On behalf of Agape Villages Foster Family, TVCC continually accepts **donations of new socks and new undergarments** in various children's sizes. Agape Villages will distribute them to the children who they place in foster homes. Thank you!



**Agape Villages**  
Foster Family Agency

## Children's Ministry



Thanks to the efforts of you and your children, Children's Ministry recently donated **120 items to Open Heart Kitchen**. You've not only helped the community, you've helped teach your child the discipline of generosity.

## Playtime in the Park



Starting **June 14**, Children's Ministry will team with the Youth Group **each Wednesday, 5-6 p.m.** at Almond Ave Park during the summer. This is a great way to bring friends for relaxed outdoor time in the warm weather. We'll have lots of sidewalk chalk and toys and space to spread out.



Bill Aimonetti



Mick Moul

## Elders



Rod Davis



Youth Group starts **new activities** in mid-June. We have some outdoor fun with the younger kids and some jam sessions planned. They're both great opportunities to bring friends.

**Tuesday Tunes** will meet weekly starting June 13 through August 8. Come to The Well, 10 a.m.-12 p.m. and bring the instruments you like. It's very relaxed. No need to have anything prepared. Bring a lunch if you'd like to hang out longer.

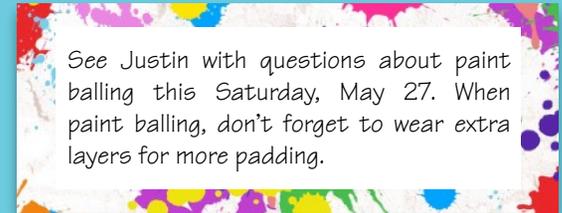
**Playtime in the Park** will start meeting with Children's Ministry on Wednesdays, June 14, 5-6 p.m. at Almond Ave. Park. We'll team up with Children's Ministry for a range of outdoor activities.

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We celebrate our **graduating seniors** two Sundays from now, June 4. Don't miss it! We want to send our kiddos into adulthood with a blessing and a potluck party.

**Camping** with the Youth Group June 15-17? Talk to Justin.

## Coming Up Soon...



## Congratulations, Jonathan!

TVCC is invited to a dessert reception to celebrate Jonathan Weiss's Eagle Court of Honor on June 18 at 2:00 p.m. here at TVCC. RSVP to Orinda, so she knows how many will attend.

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