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## WELCOME TO WORSHIP

**AS WE COME** together in worship and praise of God, we pray that each person present might experience the presence of Christ in a personal way. A warm welcome to one and all.

**Friendship Folder** - Please sign and pass the friendship folder. If you are a new or frequent worshiper, please sign in so that we will know you are here. The names in the book also allow you to greet those next to you by name.

**For the children** - Be sure to ask an usher for a "Rainbow Bag" which is full of appropriate activities for the worship hour.

**Prayer Concerns** - Valley's pastors and staff pray for needs in the church each week. Fill out a prayer request form found in the friendship folder and *place it in the offering plate or hand it to the pastor*.

**Nursery care** is available every Sunday from 9:30 AM until 11:30 AM.

**Please join the Navigator Mariner Ship** upstairs in the gym as they continue to host coffee hour during the month of June.

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**THE LECTIONARY TEXTS** for Sunday, June 27 are *2 Kings 2:1-2, 6-14; Psalm 77:1-2, 11-20; Galatians 5:1, 13-25 and Luke 9:51-62*.

**PLEASE WELCOME** Murray Zenk, our regular guest trumpeter, who will be accompanying Darlene Cusick during worship.

**SUNDAY SCHOOL SCHEDULE FOR JUNE 20** - Children age four to fifth grade will gather with Kay Hope Gold today after the Teacher Recognition in Room 17 to learn about the Lord's Prayer. Nursery care is available in Room 7 for infants through and including age three.

**ATTENTION ALL SHEPHERDS in this year's Vacation Bible School (July 12-16, 2010)** - To give you ample time to prepare, please pick up your teacher's packet from the Vacation Bible School table during coffee hour. Shannon Blair and Kay Hope Gold will be available to answer your questions. Thank you!

**THE THIRD SUNDAY OF EACH MONTH** we receive the Cents-Ability, or 5 Cents-A-Meal, offering that helps support the work of the Presbyterian Hunger Program nationally and internationally. Also, Valley retains 25% of this offering, which is used to help support the work of Care to Share, our local social service agency that coordinates the work of a number of food banks in local churches.

**THE BOOK DISCUSSION GROUP** will meet on Friday, June 25, at 10:00 AM in the Fireside Room for a lively discussion of the book *The Greatest Generation*, by Tom Brokaw. New faces are always welcome to join the monthly gathering for an interesting and fun time.

**ATTENTION PARENTS/GUARDIANS** - Children's Ministries needs your input! Please tell us what you think of our programs. Take our short, anonymous, online survey at [www.valleycommunity.org](http://www.valleycommunity.org). You may click the survey tab on Valley's web page or type [http://www.surveymonkey.com/s/Valley Children Family Ministry Survey](http://www.surveymonkey.com/s/Valley_Children_Family_Ministry_Survey).

**2010 GRADUATES** - Please send names and schools of graduates in your family who were not listed in the June Messenger to [messenger@valleycommunity.org](mailto:messenger@valleycommunity.org). They will be celebrated in the July Messenger. Thank you.

**KITCHEN UPDATE** - An inventory was taken of the kitchen and a number of items are needed to replace or add to missing or worn items. If you happen to be downsizing or wanting to clean out some of these items from your kitchen; we are looking for donations in good condition: 9x13 pyrex casserole dishes, stainless steel teaspoons, stainless steel soup spoons, and attractive cake or pie servers. We could also use potholders that are in slightly used or new condition. If anyone has an electric can opener that is newer and in good working order, this would be helpful too. If you have items to donate, please call Sandy Cundiff. Thanks for your help!

**ARE YOU INTERESTED** in learning more about our church finances or are you willing to help plan our fiscal activities? If so, please feel free to join the Finance Committee and contribute your thoughts. Contact Andy Dee or Eben Jenkins for further information.

**AMERICA SPEAKS: OUR BUDGET, OUR ECONOMY!** Be an involved citizen and participate in the national discussion on our Federal budget. Join Americans at meeting halls across the country linked together by satellite and the Internet to let them know what you think. The National Town Meeting is Saturday, June 26, 8:30 AM - 3:00 PM, PDT. The Portland location is the Oregon Convention Center, 777 NE MLK, Jr. Blvd., Portland. This is our chance to learn about the issues, find common ground, and present our priorities to leaders in Washington. Participation is free, but seating is limited. Go to [USABudgetDiscussion.org](http://USABudgetDiscussion.org) or call toll-free at 866.755.6263. You can also send the registration form to America Speaks, PO Box 623, Oxon Hill, MD 207050-0623. More information is available in the church office.

**THANK YOU TO THE 11 FAMILIES** who have increased their 2010 pledges by \$5,875.00. This is an average increase of 10% over their original 2010 pledges. Our goal is to increase pledges by \$58,158.00 to cover the deficit. The new pastor compensation and expenses will amount to \$23,832.00 which is included in the current budget. To restore salaries and hours of current staff, \$34,326.00 is needed which is not yet included in the 2010 budget. This depends on your response.

~ The Finance Committee

**SOME OF YOU CAN HELP!** Boxes of pledge envelopes are waiting to be picked up. They will be on a table during coffee hour. If you are giving toward your pledge without using the envelopes, please pick them up anyway and use them creatively - bookmarks, notes, whatever.

**THE WEDNESDAY NOON ADULT EDUCATION CLASS** will conclude this Wednesday, June 23 for the summer. Classes will resume again in the fall.

## **STUDENT MINISTRIES - 6<sup>th</sup> through 12<sup>th</sup> grade**

### **MIDDLE SCHOOL - 6th through 8th grade:**

- ◆ **SORRY, NO MIDDLE SCHOOL L.I.F.E.** this Wednesday, June 23 and next week, June 30. We will resume again in July. Enjoy the summer break!

### **HIGH SCHOOL - 9th through 12th grade:**

- ◆ **SORRY, NO HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH GROUP** this Tuesday, June 29. Congratulations to all the graduating seniors. Have a wonderful summer!

**CALENDAR HIGHLIGHTS FOR THE COMING WEEK**

June 20 - June 27, 2010

**SUNDAY, June 20**

8:30 AM Worship Service  
 10:00 AM Worship Service  
 10:00 AM Children's Sunday School  
 10:25 AM Youth Sunday School  
 11:30 AM Coffee Fellowship  
 3:00 PM Cub Scout Pack 592  
 Den 7

**MONDAY, June 21**

8:00 AM Women's Aerobics  
 7:30 PM Scout Troop 592

**TUESDAY, June 22**

10:00 AM Tai Chi Class

**WEDNESDAY, June 23**

8:00 AM Men's Bible Study  
 8:00 AM Women's Aerobics  
 12:00 PM Wednesday Adult  
 Education

**THURSDAY, June 24**

10:00 AM Alanon  
 10:00 AM Tai Chi Class  
 6:15 PM English Handbell Choir  
 7:15 PM Sanctuary Choir

**FRIDAY, June 25**

8:00 AM Women's Aerobics  
 10:00 AM Library Book Club - Fourth  
 Friday Features

**SUNDAY, June 27**

High School Youth Mission Trip  
 8:30 AM Worship Service  
 10:00 AM Worship Service  
 10:00 AM Children's Sunday School  
 11:30 AM Coffee Fellowship



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