

This Sunday is Father's Day. It is a special holiday set aside to honor, well, fathers.

As we celebrate our earthly fathers, isn't it interesting that out of all the relational analogies (and realities) God could have used to describe His place in our lives, Scripture so frequently describes God as Father?

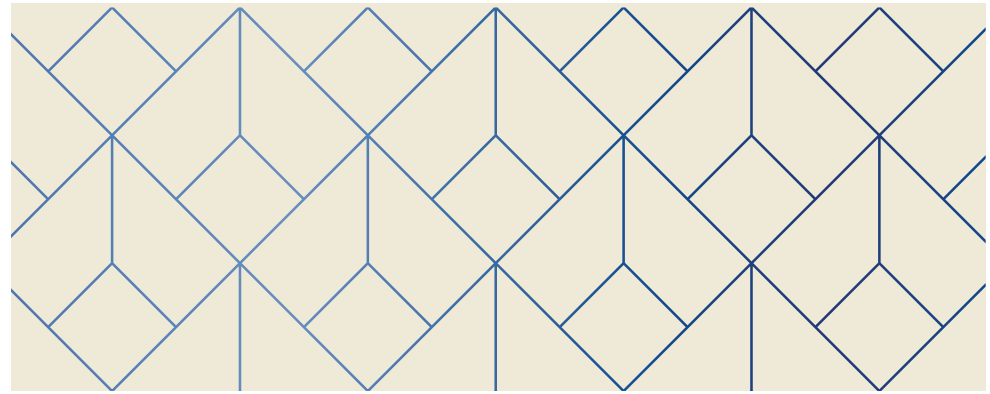
1 John 3:1 says, "See how great a love the Father has bestowed on us, that we would be called children of God; and such we are."

In the down time while Life Groups are on break consider studying, meditating on, or even journaling the significance of God as Father of Christ, Father to the Church, and Father to you, personally. Then spend some time celebrating the Fatherhood of God in worship and prayer!

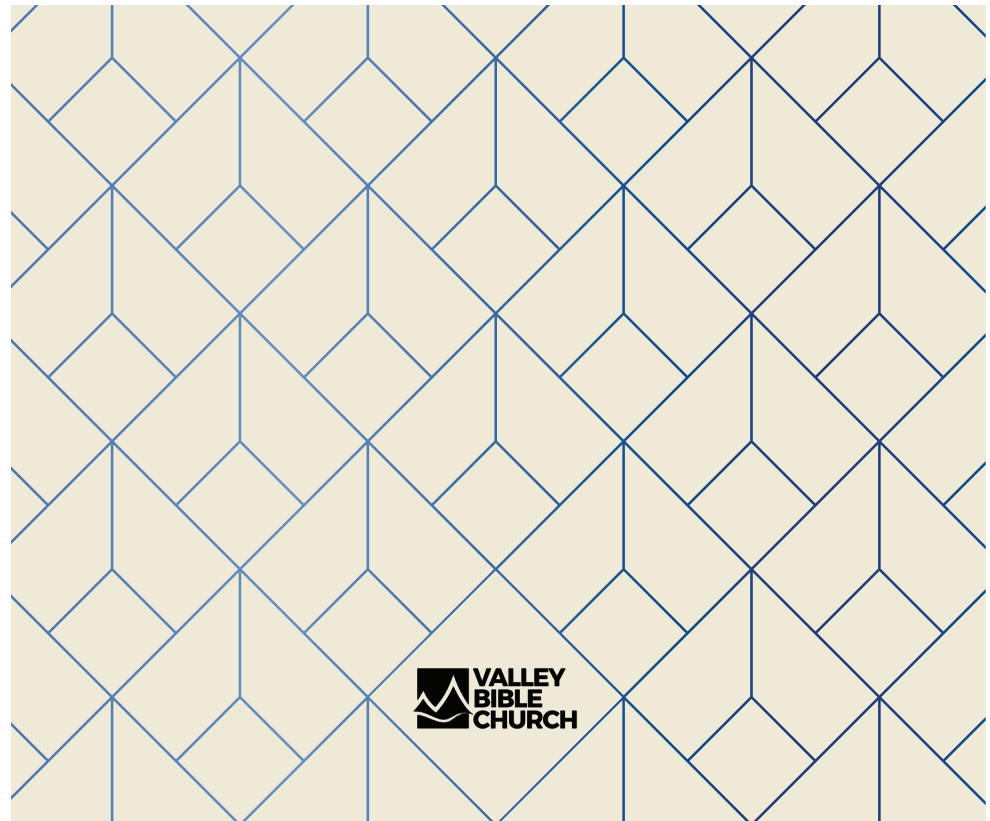
Here are a few Scripture references to get you started:

- 1 Corinthians 8:6
- Ephesians 4:6
- Matthew 23:9
- Isaiah 64:8
- Ephesians 1:3
- John 1:12
- Proverbs 3:11-12
- Romans 8:15
- 2 Corinthians 6:18
- Matthew 3:16-17

Life Groups are on break this week. If you would like to join a Life Group, contact Caleb Klontz (caleb@spokanevbc.org).



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A TALE OF FAITH AND FOOD

John 6:1-15/ Chris Martin / June 21, 2020

True Faith _____ the _____, Not the _____ (1-2)

True Faith _____ the _____, Not the _____ (3-9)

True Faith _____ the _____, Not the _____ (10-15)

OUR MISSION

As we proclaim biblical truth, we cultivate relationships that are intimate with Christ, active in the Church, & loving the community.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

VBS VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

We are continuing to plan this year's on-campus Vacation Bible School in faith that we will be able to serve our children and community with this ministry July 20-24. Though we understand not everyone will be comfortable volunteering this year, we still need a rough idea of how many volunteers we will have to inform our planning. **If you are interested in volunteering before, during or after the event, please fill out an interest form at spokanevbc.org/vbs.** If you have any questions, please contact Jennifer Dokken at jennifer@spokanevbc.org or (509) 869-6410.

BASECAMP REGISTRATION IS OPEN

Register now for BaseCamp (August 5-9), VBC Youth's annual summer camp open to students entering 6th through 12th grade! Register at spokanevbc.org/events.

HELP BEAUTIFY THE CHURCH GROUNDS

Do you have an abundance of perennials that are populating your property? If so, we are looking for some appealing plants to beautify the church grounds. Plants can be left at the pole barn (checked daily). Contact Mark Ingalls for questions (509-939-1633).

FAMILY CAMPING IS ALMOST FULL!

There are no more RV spots, and only 5 possible tent spots, depending on the size of your family. Please contact Russ & Beth Burright (burrightrights@gmail.com) to see if any spots are still available or to be put on a wait/cancellation list if a spot opens up.

LOIS WALLIN GRAVESIDE SERVICE

There is a graveside service for Lois Wallin, June 24th at the Albion Cemetery at 2:00 pm in Albion, Washington. Flowers are welcome.

GARY & SUSAN MILES PRAYER REQUEST

Gary's good friend, Roy passed away yesterday due to complications from cancer. It is very sad, because Roy was the most positive and upbeat person. This battle had to have been hard for him because he never caved in to negativity. Please pray that we will be able to attend and have safe travels to his memorial service in the Fall. Covid 19 is looming over so many life's events, and it just wouldn't be right if we couldn't be there. Also, please continue to pray for Gary's mother who is on Hospice.

GIVING REPORT

General: June \$51,042 / YTD \$440,361
Building Fund: Given \$1,085,013 / Loan Remaining Balance \$659,840

HAPPY
Father's
DAY

Whether you're a father by birth, adoption, fostering or mentoring, we thank you for your love and sacrifice.

"The righteous man walks in his integrity; His children are blessed after him."
(Proverbs 20:7)



HOSPITALITY MINISTRY

Our Hospitality Ministry includes:

- Ushering Team
- Greeting Team
- Refreshments Team
- Information Center Team
- Communion Team
- Safety Team

We are always in need of volunteers, see if one of these teams is right for you! Contact Mike Wiykovich (509) 413-9924.

Congratulations to our
2020 Graduates!

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