

ADVENT 2024

LIGHTING THE PATH

Join us Friday, Dec. 6, at 5:30 pm in the VBC parking lot for our annual outdoor family Lighting the Path event! There will be Christmas carols, a countdown to lighting the path, food, a warm fire, hot chocolate, and activities!

IGNITE CHRISTMAS PARTY & CHRISTMAS BREAK

The young adults' group (ages 18-28) will host a Christmas party on Monday, Dec. 16, at 6:30 pm in Room 130. They will not meet Dec. 23 and Dec. 30, and will resume meeting on Monday, Jan. 6, at 6:30 pm.

WOMEN'S CHRISTMAS PARTY

The Women's Christmas Party is planned for Saturday, Dec. 21, at 9 am. Please RSVP at spokanevbc.org/events.

CHRISTMAS EVE CANDLELIGHT SERVICES

Join us on Christmas Eve for one of our candlelight services! The services this year are at 4:30 pm and 6 pm. The nursery is available for both services.

YOUTH GROUP CHRISTMAS BREAK

The VBC Youth Group will not meet on Dec. 25 or Jan. 1 for Christmas break. It will resume meeting Wednesday, Jan. 8, at 6:30 pm.

OUR MISSION

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



VBC NEWSLETTER

Join our weekly e-newsletter! This email is sent each Friday and features thoughts from the pastors, up-to-date information on events and announcements, and community engagement opportunities. You will also find life group questions, a weekly Conversation Starter, Meal Trains, and links to the Sunday livestream. Visit spokanevbc.org/events and click the "Subscribe to the Newsletter" button.

THIS WEEK AT VBC

Su Prayer Team
7:30 am | 130B

Music team workshop with David Harsh
1 pm | Auditorium

David Harsh concert
6 pm | Auditorium

Mo Ignite Young Adult Group
6:30 pm | 130



WELCOME TO

VALLEY BIBLE CHURCH

November 24, 2024

VISITING?

We're glad you're here! Be sure to stop by the Welcome Counter to pick up a Welcome Gift, which includes helpful information about VBC.

Communion will be served during today's service. If you need a gluten-free cup for allergy reasons, please contact an usher.

SUNDAY CHILDCARE & VBC KIDS

Children may be checked in before each service starts at a VBC Kids Check-In station, then attend the singing portion of the worship service with parents before being dismissed to Sunday School. For the 9:30 service, children may be dropped off at the beginning of the service for an informal introduction activity.

Note: The Nursing Mothers Room (120) is reserved for women and children only. If a dad needs to change his baby, he may use the changing table in the men's restroom.

8:00 am Service

Nursery | 0 - 3 Years Old | 122

9:30 am Service

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3 Yrs - 5th Grade | VBC Kids Wing

- may be dropped off at beginning of service

11:00 am Service

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- dismissed after singing in main service

9:30 SUNDAY SCHOOL

Adult Sunday School is offered during the 9:30 service. *Survey of Old Testament History* (taught by Mike Powell) meets in 130A, and *Doctrine of Salvation: from Eternity Past to Eternity Future* (taught by Rick King) meets in 130B/C.

Middle School meets in Room 150, *High School* meets in Room 151, and *Courageous Conquerors* meets in Room 152.

IMPORTANT DATES

TODAY, 1 pm - Music team workshop with David Harsh

TONIGHT, 6 pm - David Harsh concert

Nov. 28 - Thanksgiving Day

Dec. 6 - Lighting the Path

Dec. 16 - Ignite Christmas Party

Dec. 21 - Women's Christmas Party

Dec. 24 - Christmas Eve candlelight services

Visit spokanevbc.org/events for more information

ANNOUNCEMENTS

DAVID HARSH CONCERT

We are excited to welcome David Harsh, a music leader who helps lead worship services at churches around the Inland Northwest. Tonight at 6 pm, he will put on a free family-friendly concert in the VBC auditorium that is open to the general public. For more information, go to www.davidharsh.com.

ADVENT DEVOTIONAL BOOKS

The church has purchased Advent devotional books for families in the church this year. An adult may pick up one copy per family at the Welcome Counter.

OCC FINAL COUNT

We collected more than 1,000 boxes for Operation Christmas Child! Thank you to everyone who volunteered, contributed, and packed a box for a child in need this Christmas.

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

The last day of the Wednesday women's Bible studies is Dec. 4. Stay tuned for new Bible studies in the new year!

ANNA ROCKSTROM MEMORIAL SERVICE

A memorial service for Anna Rockstrom is planned for Thursday, Dec. 5, at 11 am in the VBC auditorium.

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UNIVERSITY ELEMENTARY MENTORSHIP PROGRAM

University Elementary offers a mentorship program that is designed to provide young learners with the guidance, encouragement, and positive role models they need to thrive academically and personally. For more information or to apply to become a mentor, please email Ben Doehle at benjamin@spokanevbc.org or the University Elementary school counselor, Cody Kline, at ckline@cvsd.org.

UPCOMING EVENTS FLYERS

Christmas is fast approaching, and it is a great time to invite friends and neighbors to VBC's Lighting the Path event and Christmas Eve services! Flyers with this information are available at the Welcome Counter, so please pick up a few to pass out in your neighborhood and community groups.

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GIVING REPORT*

General: Nov. \$39,983; YTD: \$1,102,679;
Building Fund: \$653,016 *as of Nov. 17