

## 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, Meal Trains, and links to the Sunday livestream. Visit [spokanevbc.org/events](http://spokanevbc.org/events) and click the "Subscribe to the Newsletter" button.

## THIS WEEK AT VBC

- Su Prayer Team**  
7:30 am | 130B
- Mo Ignite Young Adult Group**  
6:30 pm | 130
- We Youth Group 6 -12 grade**  
6:30 pm | Auditorium
- Fr Ignite Game Night**  
6 pm
- Sa Blanket Makers**  
9 am

# CONSIDER HIM

## THE CHRISTIAN LIFE UNVEILED

SUNDAY MORNING AT  
**VALLEY BIBLE CHURCH**

January 26, 2025

**WELCOME!**

**First-Time Visitors:** Be sure to stop by the Welcome Counter to pick up a Welcome Gift, which includes helpful information about VBC.

**Connection Card:** Please fill out the Connection Card included in today's bulletin so we can get to know you! If you have any prayer requests or praises to share with the prayer team, please include those on the back. You can turn in Connection Cards in at the Welcome Counter or in the baskets at the back of the auditorium.

**Giving:** If you would like to give with a check or cash, baskets are located at the back of the auditorium and at the Welcome Counter. You can also give online at [spokanevbc.org/giving-home](https://spokanevbc.org/giving-home) or in the Church Center app (available to download at <https://valleybible.churchcenter.com/setup>).

**Communion:** Communion will be served during the service for those who profess faith in Jesus Christ. If you need a GF cup for allergy reasons, please ask an usher.

**SUNDAY NURSERY & VBC KIDS MINISTRY**

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 am Service**

Nursery | 0 - 3 Years Old | 122

**9:30 am Service**

Nursery | 0 - 3 Years Old | 122

3 Yrs - 5th Grade | VBC Kids Wing  
- may be dropped off at beginning of service

**11 am Service**

Nursery | 0 - 3 Years Old | 122

3 Yrs - 5th Grade | VBC Kids Wing  
- dismissed before sermon portion of service

**9:30 SUNDAY SCHOOL**

The Prospective Members' class (taught by the VBC elders) meets in 130A, and The Great I AM in His Own Word(s) (taught by Allan Snodgrass) 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**

Jan. 31 - Ignite Game Night  
Feb. 4 - Men's Theology Study  
Feb. 6 - Understanding Your Grief Support Group begins  
Feb. 7-8 - NICS class  
Feb. 14-17 - Pursuit Winter Fellowship

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for more information and to register

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**IGNITE GAME NIGHT**

The young adults' group (ages 18-28) is hosting a game night this Friday, Jan. 31, from 6 to 10 pm in Room 130.

**NEW SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS**

A new Sunday School class with Mike Powell begins next Sunday, Feb. 2, during the 9:30 hour in Room 130A. He will be teaching on Ecclesiastes, a good book for people on a quest to know the meaning of life. This study will address questions like, "Why am I so unhappy?" "Does God really care?" and "Why is there so much suffering and injustice in the world?"

**MEN'S THEOLOGY STUDY**

The Men's Theology study meets the first and third Tuesdays of the month from 6:30 to 8 am in Room 130. We will begin a new book study on Tuesday, Feb. 4, "Discipling: How to Help Others Follow Jesus" by Mark Dever. Men of all ages are encouraged to attend. For more information, email Glenn Baker at [vbcpointmen@gmail.com](mailto:vbcpointmen@gmail.com).

**UNDERSTANDING YOUR GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP**

The 12-week Understanding Your Grief Support Group is for anyone grieving the death of a loved one. The group is designed to understand and encourage healthy mourning in a safe Christian environment. The winter session runs Feb. 6-April 24 and meets Thursday evenings from 6:15 to 8:15 pm at VBC. To register, please call Teresa Gay at (509) 385-1113. Registration closes Feb. 4. If you're not personally experiencing grief but have family or friends who are, please pick up a brochure at the Welcome Counter to share with them. Anyone in the community is welcome to register and attend.

**PURSUIT WINTER FELLOWSHIP**

High school students are invited to Pursuit Winter Fellowship on Feb. 14-17! Registration closes next Wednesday, Feb. 5. For more information and to register, go to [spokanevbc.org/events](https://spokanevbc.org/events).

**WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDIES**

VBC Women is offering two morning studies and an evening study beginning on Wednesday, Feb. 19. Go to [spokanevbc.org/women/womens-bible-study](https://spokanevbc.org/women/womens-bible-study) to sign up or for more information.

**CELEBRATION OF LIFE FOR GARY MILES**

A service for Gary Miles is planned for Saturday, Feb. 22, at 11 am at VBC.

**WOMEN'S RETREAT**

This year's women's retreat is planned for April 11-13 at Ross Point in Post Falls, Idaho. More details coming soon!

**ARE YOU MISSING YOUR PATIO HEATER?**

If you dropped off your patio heater for Lighting the Path, it is waiting for you in the pole barn. Please email Larry Shockey at [larry@spokanevbc.org](mailto:larry@spokanevbc.org) to coordinate pickup.

**NICS CLASS WITH DR. E.D. BURNS**

The next Northwest Institute of Christian Studies' class, "Abiding in Christ & Bearing Fruit," is planned for Feb. 7-8. Join us as we learn from seasoned missionary and scholar, Dr. E.D. Burns. Please register for this class at [spokanevbc.org/events](https://spokanevbc.org/events).

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**GIVING REPORT**

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Building Fund: \$787,365