

LIFE GROUP SERVICE PROJECT OPPORTUNITIES

FOOD SORTING AT SECOND HARVEST

In the Volunteer Center, we pack food generously donated by farmers and food companies. We break down these bulk donations as quickly as we can to serve people facing hunger. It's a lot of work, and it's a lot of fun! Ages 9-100 are welcome to volunteer. To set up a volunteer slot for your group, contact Savannah Olsen at savannah.olsen@2-harvest.org or (509) 252-6283.

CUP OF COOL WATER - MEAL TEAMS

There are few things that deliver the satisfaction of a home-cooked meal! Meal teams prepare a meal for up to 20 people and drop it off to be served to youth using the drop-in center. Teams are also invited to serve youth their meal directly. To provide a meal or for more information, email cup@cupofcoolwater.org.

GLOBAL OUTREACH HOSPITALITY

The Global Outreach team is looking for church members who are willing to host our VBC-supported missionaries when they come to town. This is an opportunity to welcome individuals, couples, or families into your home to provide lodging and share meals and fellowship together. If you are interested, please contact Jamie Lorenz at keithandjamie@gmail.com.

If you have a suggestion for a service project that life groups can participate in together, please email Ben Doehle at benjamin@spokanevbc.org.

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 and click the "Subscribe to the Newsletter" button.

THIS WEEK AT VBC

- Su Prayer Team**
7:30 am | 130B
- Mo Ignite Group** ages 18-28
6:30 pm | 130
- Mo Men's Theology Study**
6:30 am | 130
- We Women's Bible Study**
9 am | 130A | "Adorned"
- Youth Group** 6 -12 grade
6:30 pm | Auditorium
- Women's Bible Study**
6:15 pm | 130 B/C |
"Respectable Sins"
- Fr Mom's Group**
10:30 am | 150
- Sa Men's Breakfast**
8 am | Foyer
- Card-Making Craft Day**
2 pm | 130

CONSIDER HIM

THE CHRISTIAN LIFE UNVEILED



SUNDAY MORNING AT VALLEY BIBLE CHURCH

May 4, 2025

WELCOME!

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

Connection Card: We'd like to get to know you! Please use the Connection Card included in today's bulletin to share prayer requests or praises with the prayer team and/or the VBC elders. If you regularly attend VBC, **please also let us know if any of your contact information has changed.** You can turn in Connection Cards in at the Welcome Counter or in the boxes at the back of the auditorium.

Giving: If you would like to give with a check or cash, boxes are located at the back of the auditorium and at the Welcome Counter. You can also give online at 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

A new adult Sunday School class begins today in Room 130: *More Desirable than Gold: Uncovering the Power of God's Word for the Soul in Distress*. Middle School meets in 150, *Courageous Conquerors* meets in 152, and High School meets in 130.

IMPORTANT DATES

TODAY, 9:30 am - New Adult Sunday School class begins
Saturday - Men's Breakfast
Saturday - Card-Making Craft Day
May 17 - Women's Breakfast
May 17 - Ignite Movie Night
May 30 - VBC Youth Senior Dinner
June 24-26 - Sewing Camp

ANNOUNCEMENTS

LIFE SERVICES BABY BOTTLE CAMPAIGN

The Life Services Baby Bottle Campaign kicks off next Sunday, May 11! To donate online, go to lifeservices.org/donate.

NEW SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS

Beginning today during the 9:30 service, Jerod Jarvis will teach a 5-week Adult Sunday School class, "More Desirable than Gold: Uncovering the Power of God's Word for the Soul in Distress," in Room 130. We will discuss how God's Word really is sufficient for life's difficulties, and how believers can and must come alongside those in need of real hope.

MEN'S BREAKFAST

The next Men's Breakfast is planned for this Saturday at 8 am in the church foyer. Join us and bring a friend for a hearty meal and discussion!

CARD-MAKING CRAFT DAY

The next card-making Craft Day is this Saturday at 2 pm in Room 130 for women and children who enjoy making greeting cards! Materials provided, feel free to bring a snack to share. This will be the last meeting before summer break. For more information, email stephanie@spokanevbc.org.

IGNITE MOVIE NIGHT

The Ignite Young Adults' Group (ages 18-28) will screen the movie *Bonhoeffer* on Saturday, May 17, at 6:30 pm in the VBC auditorium. Please bring \$5 to cover the cost of snacks.

SEWING CAMP VOLUNTEERS

The Blanket Makers' Sewing Camp is planned for June 24-26. If you are at least 17 years old and would like to volunteer to help, please register at spokanevbc.org/events.

COUNSELING TRAINING SEMINAR

We are excited to host Faith Bible Church's Intro to Biblical Counseling training seminar. This training is highly recommended for any believer, especially those in discipling or shepherding roles, such as Life Group leaders, Sunday School teachers, deacons, elders, parents, mentors, and beyond. Experienced, certified Biblical counselors will equip you to apply God's Word to the difficulties of life skillfully. It will take place over three weekends: Sept. 26-27, Oct. 24-25, and Nov. 21-22. For registration information, please pick up a brochure at the Welcome Counter.

VBC KIDS SUMMER SUNDAY SCHOOL VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Have you always wanted to volunteer in Children's Ministry but couldn't commit to a whole school year? Or you have wanted to try your hand at teaching for a short season to see how you like it? Here's your chance! We need volunteers to staff the summer Sunday School program. It takes 6 teachers and 8 assistants each week to staff the VBC Kids summer program. We provide a set curriculum, a lesson plan, and suggested activities for each class. Even if you can't commit to every week in the summer, we could still use your help! We need a total of 56 volunteers each month, but we can cut this number down if volunteers are able to help more than once a month. If you would like to bless our children this summer as a teacher or an assistant, please visit the sign-up table in the foyer between services or email jennifer@spokanevbc.org.

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GIVING REPORT

General: April \$76,977; YTD: \$383,790;
Building Fund: \$890,798