



Valley Christian Church
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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sunday Women's Bible Study

Zoom at 4 pm

- <https://zoom.us/j/85014763282> - Led by Flore Nzoule
- Will be meeting today Easter Sunday at 4 pm
- Zoom ID: 850 1476 3282 Passcode: 524047

Monday Night Bible Study

Zoom at 7 pm

- <https://zoom.us/j/4752602903>
- Or call (669) 900-9128 and enter ID 475 260 2903

Mobile Fresh –

- This Tuesday, April 13 from 9:30 to 10:30am
- Volunteers please arrive by 9:15

Food Pantry – Contact Terry Porter at 209-609-4015

- Thursday, April 15 – set up & distribute food – 9 to 11 am

Women's Devotional – save the date

Saturday, May 8th

Join Email Distribution Lists

- Email welcome@valleytracy.org to receive
 - prayer requests, daily devotional, and other information
- Send prayer requests, praises, and thanks to:
prayers@valleytracy.org

ENCOURAGING WORD

Colossians 3:13

Bear with each other and forgive one another if any of you has a grievance against someone. Forgive as the Lord forgave you. (NIV)

To forgive is to set a prisoner free and discover that the prisoner was you.
Lewis B. Smedes

We must develop and maintain the capacity to forgive. He who is devoid of the power to forgive is devoid of the power to love. There is some good in the worst of us and some evil in the best of us. When we discover this, we are less prone to hate our enemies.
Martin Luther King, Jr.

Heavenly Father, forgiveness is Your commandment, and we know that we should forgive others just as You have forgiven us. But genuine forgiveness is difficult. Help us to forgive those who have injured us, and deliver us from the traps of anger and bitterness. Forgiveness is Your way, Lord; let it be ours. Amen.

Pastor Al Santymire

April 11, 2021

Victimization

John 5:1-17
 Evidences of victimhood

Hebrews 12:7
 First step in overcoming being a victim

Psalms 71:20
 Who will deliver you?

2 Corinthians 4:8-10
 Climbing out of the pit

James 1:12
 Persevering

Philippians 4:6-7
 Our place of refuge

2 Corinthians 1:3-7
 Using our past to help others

Your choice: victim or victor (circle choice)