



## A Word From Our Senior Pastors

Welcome to Valley Family Church! We are so glad you are here as we continue "You Revolution!" Too many people live and die and never fulfill their God-given destinies and visions for their lives. With our giftings and passions from God, it's up to us to set goals and walk out the plan in faithfulness. So are you ready for a Revolution? May you be blessed and inspired in your own faith as we seek to answer the question, "where are you going?" in today's message.

With love,  
Pastors Jeff and Beth Jones

## Events

### Adults

**Small Groups - Married 55+ Couples Dinner Club**  
Fri Mar 5 | 6:30pm | Sam's Joint, Plainwell, MI  
Come out and join us for dinner and fellowship!

### Mom to Mom Sale

**Sat Mar 27 | 9am-1pm | Valley Family Community Center**  
Attention, moms! Sell all those clothes, toys, bikes and strollers your kids have outgrown and make some cash. Contact [vfcc@valleyfamilychurch.org](mailto:vfcc@valleyfamilychurch.org) to secure a table at the sale. Rent a 6' table (\$20) or an 8' table (\$26) to display your items!. Display larger items (strollers, baby furniture, bikes) in a separate room for just \$1 each. Free up some space in your home and get paid for doing it! All table rentals are on a first-come, first-served basis.

### College Age

**Threshold March Series: "March Madness"**  
Thu Mar 4 | 7pm | Student Ministries Auditorium

Join Threshold College Ministry this week for their new "March Madness" series. If you are looking for a place to grow in your faith and meet new friends, Threshold is the place to be.

### High School

**en fuego Student Ministry Encounter Spring Conference**  
Mar 18-20 | Student Auditorium

Parents and students 6th-12th grades should mark your calendars for the annual Encounter Conference, an event that changed the lives of 600 teens last year. Plan to come and find your calling. This year's conference will feature national Christian rap artist Lil Dre. The \$79 fee is non-refundable and covers all conference expenses. Sign up now online or at the Info Centers in the Atrium on the weekend.

### Middle School

**en fuego Middle School Wii Sports Tournament Outreach**  
Fri Mar 5 | 7-9pm | Student Auditorium

en fuego MS students, invite your friends to a Wii Sports Outreach Tournament! Get ready for some fun-n-fierce competition! The winner will receive a brand new Nintendo Wii system! Come hang out with Pastor Matt and your en fuego MS friends, play games, and of course, eat lots of snacks! Please sign up online or at the Info Center. There is no cost for the event.

### Elementary

**Family K-Wings Game**  
Fri Mar 19 | 7pm | Meet at Wings Stadium Main Entrance

Mr. Joe, Pastor Tim and volunteers from Kidamazoo Live invite all Kidamazoo families out for a K-Wings game. Ticket cost for adults is \$11, students under 12 is \$6, and children under age two are admitted free. Sign up online or at the Info Center today. Purchasing your ticket through VFC by March 4. Those who purchase tickets directly through Wings Stadium will not be seated with VFC's group. Join us for an action packed night on the ice!

## Open Mic Event

Fri Mar 19 | 7-9pm | VFC Cafe

Ever thought about performing? Open Mic Night at the Cafe is here! Entry possibilities include vocal and acoustic musical performances, rap, comedy, poetry readings and more. Each entry will have a five-minute time slot and one mic. Please sign up online or at the information center no later than March 14. All entries must be appropriate for a church setting and are subject to approval. Checkin begins at 6:30pm. Come to participate or to hang out, sip coffee and have a chillin' good time.

Enlarge God's vision and purpose for your life with a fantastic selection of books on sale in the VFC Bookstore.

During the You Revolution series, save 25% on selected books by Joel Osteen,

Robert Morris, Andy Stanley, Joyce

Meyer, Rich Renner and more. Take

the initiative today and bring clarity to

God's vision for your life!

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Sale ends 02.28.10

## Meet a Volunteer



### Paul Scheel

**Family:** Wife Kathy, kids Olivia, 9, Vanessa, 7, Donovan, 5, Adam, 3.

**What's your current soundtrack?** Not a big music guy, I prefer talk radio.

**Your most recent purchase:** Whopper combo.

**Your day job:** Production control manager at an auto parts manufacturing company.

**What is your biggest challenge?** Being a godly husband and father.

**Do you volunteer at VFC?** Kidamazoo, small group leader, Pastoral Care Team.

**Who do you admire?** My wife (and I don't tell her that enough).

**Best advice anyone ever gave you:** Don't be concerned about what others are doing or saying, take responsibility for yourself.

**Name one of your favorite things about someone in your family.** All of my kids—I don't know where to start.

**What unique or quirky habit do you have?** I'm inherently a cheapskate.

**I can teach you:** How to use Excel.

**Something you might not know about me is:** I played varsity soccer at Western.

**Have you had your 15 minutes of fame yet?** I'm featured in "The Voice"!

**What person in the Bible do you most closely identify with?** Joshua.

**Have you ever jumped out of a plane?** Not that I remember.

**What is your most attractive physical feature?** My wife says it's my dimples.

**I still can't believe I once:** Swallowed a goldfish.

**Of all the Gilligan's Island characters, I am most like:** Gilligan, I can be pretty goofy (just ask my kids).



### Place of Honor

Mar 13/14 | Following Services | North Atrium

If you are 65 or older we want to honor you! Join us every second weekend of the month in the north end of the Atrium at the "Place of Honor." Hang out with others who are 65 and older while enjoying some free refreshments.

## Ministry Spotlight



### Programming & Worship Department

**Division director:** Julie Greichunos

**Division overview:** The Worship Ministry here at VFC is always looking to add more musicians and singers to its teams. We have openings in all areas, which include main service, Threshold, high school, middle school and Kidamazoo Live. What do you need to apply? A gift of music and a heart for worship.

The Programming Department oversees the weekend service production. This area includes producers who actually call the service, cueing each element so that we have a smooth service on the weekend. This area also includes stage managers who help make sure that the service runs smoothly from a backstage point of view.

**Division volunteer opportunities:**

**Worship Team:** The Worship Ministry needs you! We are in need of singers, guitar, bass guitar, keyboard players and drummers. If God has placed a gift of music in you, we welcome you to come and audition on Tuesday March 2, here at VFC. See "next step," below.

**Programming Managers:** Programming managers literally produce the weekend service. They must possess the ability to lead a group of people, run the pre-service meeting, and call the cues for the weekend service. This volunteer position is a great spot for a detailed, upbeat person.

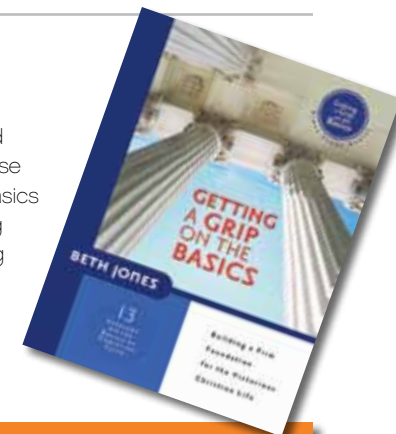
**Stage Crew:** The stage crew works behind the scenes in the main sanctuary during the weekend service moving set pieces, podiums and props. The stage crew is also a source of control and communication behind the set. Stage crew volunteers must be able to lift items and be a source of help for the programming manager.

**Next step:** For worship team auditions, contact [jgreichunos@valleyfamilychurch.org](mailto:jgreichunos@valleyfamilychurch.org). To become a programming manager or stagehand, e-mail [info@valleyfamilychurch.org](mailto:info@valleyfamilychurch.org).

## Get a Grip on the Basics

Starts Wed Mar 3 | 6-9pm | Kidamazoo Auditorium

Join us for a special seven-week, accelerated Grip Basics class held on Wednesday nights. It will be a unique version of this popular course using both live teaching and video from Pastor Beth's recent Grip Basics class. Learn or get refreshed as we cover topics such as developing a relationship with God, praying, hearing from God, and experiencing God's love and forgiveness. It is an excellent class for those new to VFC and new in their faith as well as those who have been walking with the Lord for many years. For more information or to sign up, go to the Info Center or [valleyfamilychurch.org](http://valleyfamilychurch.org).



Save the Date!



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Students entering 6th grade through graduating seniors will want to mark their calendars for en fuego  
**United Summer Camp**  
Jul 26-31  
Center Lake Bible Camp  
\$299/camper  
More information coming soon!

Kids entering 3rd-6th grades, mark your calendars as well!  
**Kidamazoo Kids Camp**  
June 20-25  
Center Lake Bible Camp  
\$299/camper  
More information coming soon!



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