



Greater Valley —Assembly of God

COMMITTED TO GOD, COMMITTED TO YOU

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I hank you for joining us today at Greater Valley Assembly! We are delighted to have you with us and trust that you will feel welcome. If you have any questions or if we can assist you in some way, please let us know.

In Christ.

Pastor Chris Gray & Friends of Greater Valley Assembly of God



8:30 AM 1st Sunday Service

9:45 AM Sunday School for All Ages

2nd Sunday Service (Children's Church after Song Service) 10:45 AM

6:30 PM Wednesday Evening Bible Study

6:00 PM Thursday Youth Group

CHILDREN'S CHURCH & NURSERY

Classroom 1 after Song Service (2nd Service) Under 3 Classroom 2 after Song Service (2nd Service) Ages 3-6 Classroom 3 after Song Service (2nd Service) Ages 7-9 River Building after Song Service (2nd Service) Ages 10-12

R CHURCH IN ACTION

THIS WEEK

12/02

Today Children 10 – 12 will remain in sanctuary during Children's Church Ladies' Zoom Prayer – 6:00 PM/See Peggy Bloss for link

Ladies' Bible Study & Christmas Lunch - 10:00 AM

Hope for Healing/Guarding Against & Healing from Broken

Relationships - 6:30 PM/Multi-purpose room

12/03 Wednesday Night Bible Study – 6:30 PM 12/04

Foundations Discipleship Class - 6:30 PM

Youth Group Night – 6:00 PM

UPCOMING

12/07 Children 3-12 will be in the River Building for Children's Church

Greeter's Ministry Lunch following second service

12/09 Worker Bee Christmas Party - 5:30 PM 12/10 NO Wednesday Night Bible Study

12/14

Sounds of the Season/Musical Christmas Service

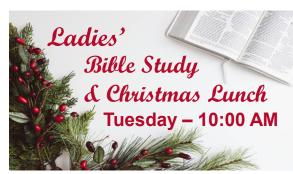
One Service - 10:45 AM

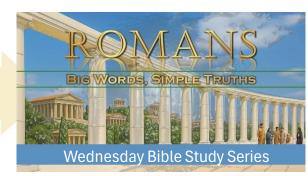
GREETER'S MINISTRY LUNCHEON

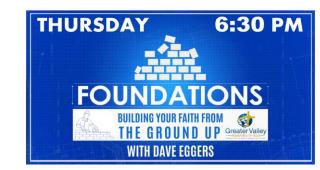
December 7th following 2nd service

Join us as we share our vision for the Greeter Ministry and brainstorm ways to make an even greater impact on everyone who walks through our doors - both first-time guests and those who already call our church home. We will also be sharing some exciting upcoming changes.











HOPE for HEALING

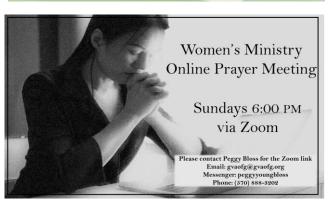
A Bible-Centered Approach to Taking Back Your Life

Recover from smoking
Learn how to apply the 12 Steps to quit smoking

Thursdays 4:30 PM – 6:00 PM

6:30 PM - 8:00 PM (In person or via Zoom)

For more information or to join class, please see Helen White or call the church office @ (570)888-3202





Attention all Musicians & Singers!

How about blessing *Greater Valley Assembly* with your talents on *SUNDAY, DECEMBER 14TH, One Service @ 10:45 AM*

We are looking for solos, duets, trios, ensembles, piano specials, and whatever other musical offerings you can share.

If you would be interested in participating,
Please sign-up on the sign-up sheet or
contact Pastor Chris:

Church office: (570) 888-3202 Text (570) 295-9950 E-mail: GVAofG@outlook.com Facebook Messenger

Opportunity to SI

Beginning in January, the position of **Deacon** will be open on the Church Board.

Deacons are chosen to serve the church and to work alongside the pastor, offering support and advice in matters that affect the church.

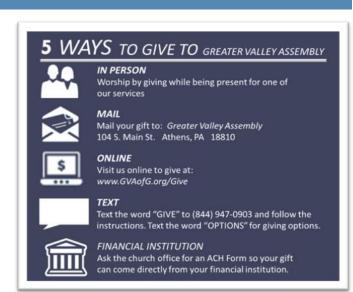
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- ➤ Deacons should be spiritually mature Christians who show the kind of character the Bible describes in 1 Timothy 3:8–13 and Acts 6:1–8,
- They must be at least 23 years old,
- They must have been part of the church for at least one year,
- > They should faithfully give tithes and offerings and
- They should have a cooperative attitude, and attend church regularly.

Duties of the Church Board:

- Overall Responsibility
 The church board is in charge of making sure the church's business, money, and property are managed properly. They carry out the mission of the church according to our official documents.
- Membership & Discipline The church board reviews new membership applications and handles any discipline issues that come up in the church.

If you are interested in serving in this manner, please speak to Pastor Chris.



THE HOLIDAYS AT GVAG - WAYS TO CELEBRATE



December 9th Worker Bee Christmas Party 5:30 PM



December 14th Sounds of the Season Musical Sunday 1 Service @ 10:45 AM



December 14th
Christmas Party
for Children,
Parents & Teachers



Date to be determined Youth Group Christmas Party



December 20th Young Adult Christmas Party 6:00 PM



December 20th Men's Christmas Breakfast 8:30 AM



December 24th
Christmas Eve Service
6:30 PM



December 31st New Year's Eve Celebration 6:00 PM - Midnight

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GIVE SOMEONE A BED

The Bridge Helping Hands is in need of MATTRESSES and BED FRAMES Call (570)886-1057 for details

GIVE SOMEONE SOME WARMTH

The Bridge Clothes Closet Is in need of winter apparel Please call (570)867-2628 for Details

GIVE SOMEONE SOME FOOD The Valley Pantry Needs to be restocked Call 607-565-8718 for details

GIVE SOMEONE SOME TIME

There are plenty of people in the church and the community that could use the gift of time. If you don't know where to start, see Pastor Chris or Peggy Bloss and they will point you in the right direction.