A note from Pastor Owen Scott...

A few positive thoughts about marriage...

- 1) Choose your life mate carefully. From this one decision will come 90% of all your happiness or misery.
- 2) Become your spouse's best friend.
- 3) Remember no one ever gets tired of hearing the words, "I love you"..."I cherish you"..."I'm so blessed to have found you"
- 4) Create a little signal only the two of you know so that you can show each other affection across a crowded room.
- 5) Every good marriage has these traits in common...courtesy, sacrifice and forgiveness.

Never forget that a great marriage depends on two things...

- a) Finding the right person
- b) Being the right person Why not take a moment to whisper to your spouse, "I love you!"

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September 18th, 2016

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Sunday at Valley Church...

Services at 9:00 & 11:00 am - *Stephen Mulder* from *Alpha Canada* will be speaking this morning. There is a supervised Mini-Kids Centre for children under 3 years in the 11 am service. (The Mini-Kids Centre is unsupervised during the 9 am service – Parents are asked to stay with their children.) Nursery facilities available to mothers with babies.



Join us for a coffee & cookies on the patio! Join us for coffee on the patio after the service today...a great chance to meet a new friend.

Baby Dedications – In the 11 am service this morning two babies will be dedicated to the Lord... Tim & Tamara Shaw will be dedicating their son, Jack Stanley (born on April 7th, 2016) and Zac & Christina Sluys are dedicating their daughter, Anya Ruby (born on August 4th, 2016)...cousins!

What's happening at Valley Church?

ESL (English as a Second Language - Monday evenings at 7 pm. For info call Elaine Englar at 604-986-4288 or Margot Fraser at 778-980-4452

Intercessory Prayer Group

Tuesday mornings at 9:30 am in the nursery - If you are a part of the Valley Church family, you are invited to join this group to pray each week. If you have a prayer request, please fill in the enclosed prayer card. The group also appreciates hearing about your *answers to prayer!*

SOULTREK (Grades 8-12) - Tuesdays at 7 pm. Contact Luke at 604-980-0307 or luke@yalleychurch.ca for details.

Ladies Morning Out - Thursday mornings from 9:00 to 11:00 am. If your Thursday mornings are free and you would like to connect with other women, feel free to join us! We will be studying the book of John. Childcare is provided. For info, contact Kristina at kristina kurtz@hotmail.com

Curious about Christianity? Ask anything about life, faith and God at **ALPHA** beginning this Thursday. September 22nd at 6:45 pm. Dinner will be provided. Invitations are available at the info desk in the fover. To register, contact the office at info@valleychurch.ca

Young Adults Group - Thursdays at 7:30 pm at the church. For info, call Simon & Oyuki Bodlack at 778-689-4636 or contact them at simonbodlack@gmail.com

Spanish group - Friday evenings at 7 pm. For info, contact Jorge & Jeanette Rios at 604-971-3070.

GriefShare - A 13 week video series for those dealing with the death of a loved one. Take note - *GriefShare* will be canceled this week. The video, "Challenges of Grief" that was to be shown on September 24th will be rescheduled to October 1st at 9:30 am so that people can attend the Ladies Breakfast on the 24th. For further information contact Lillian Gorrie at lgorrie@shaw.ca

If you are new to Valley Church or would like to pass on some new **information**, please take a moment to fill in a Valley Church Connection Card and drop it in one of the boxes beside the exits. You'll find the cards in the holders on the chairs in front of you.

TEAM 57 (Grades 5-7) is starting Friday, September 30th – Contact Mel at mel@valleychurch.ca for details.

NO PARKING! A reminder not to park in the Blue Shore parking spaces OR any of the RESERVED 24 HOUR spots - If you do, you may be towed.



Ushers and greeters are needed for the first service - If you would like to be involved in this important ministry contact the church office.

Send in your photos! Summer is almost over and our Valley Church family has been involved in all kinds of interesting activities – Please share some of your special moments with us by emailing us your favorite family photos to use in the bulletin.

Online donations at Valley Church are possible -You can give your offering online through PayPal. Go to the bottom of our web page at www.valleychurch.ca and click on the PayPal button.



FOOD DRIVE – This Sunday we are collecting food for THE HARVEST PROJECT to help feed people on the North Shore. <u>Items most needed</u> are canned meat & fish, canned vegetables and fruit, rice, cereal, whole pasta, pasta sauce, peanut butter, baby formula, baby food. They can be placed in the labeled boxes in the foyer.

Photos on front ... Clockwise from top – **Zac & Christina Sluys** daughter, Anya; Nick & Claire Geelen (Nick is our Alpha co-ordinator); two generations of Shaws... Eric & daughter, Anora... Tim & son, Jack and Christina & daughter, Anya; Tim & Tamara Shaw's son, Jack.