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**Paradise Valley Church of God**

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**No evening service today**

**KIDS MINISTRIES**  
**AWANA—Wednesdays from 6:30—8:00**  
**NURSERY—** unsupervised but open for parent use (please respect social distancing rules if sharing the space)  
**CHILDREN’S CHURCH—**aged 3 to grade 3 dismissed during service beginning October 18th  
**SUNDAY SCHOOL—**Classes for ages 2 to adult before service

**From the Ladies Group**  
Oct 17 at 1:00  
Helping Hands Meal Making. Please note—there is food in the freezer that you may take to people who need it, or let Pat know of needs.

**Youth**  
Wednesday October 14th  
6:00 Outdoor Movie  
Must register online prior

**Reduce The Risk**  
Please check your email for a link to videos and application forms to renew your training for the current ministry year. Call if you have questions. A must for anyone working with children or youth.

Please wear a mask if you are singing in order to be respectful of those around us who may be concerned about their health.  
Masks are available from the ushers.

**Finances to October 4<sup>th</sup>, 2020**  
Cash: \$53,183.85  
Tithes & Offerings: \$224,421.75  
Other Revenue: \$27,624.54  
Expenses: \$279,464.38  
ETRANSFER is available at pvchurchofferings@gmail.com  
Our mailing address is Box 30 Paradise Valley T0B 3R0

*Psalm 100:1-4*  
*Enter into His gates with thanksgiving, and into His courts with praise.*



*Pastor Ryan Sturge*  
*Paradise Valley Church of God*  
*October 11th, 2020*

## THANKSGIVING

Psalm 100:1-4

Enter into His gates with thanksgiving,  
and into His courts with praise.  
Be thankful to Him and bless His name.

### I. INTRODUCTION

- A. What motivates us to be thankful?
- B. What makes you a thankful person?

### II. BODY

- A. The Invitation to Thanksgiving (v4)
  1. We are invited into the presence of God (gates and courts)
- B. The How of Thanksgiving (v 1-3) God also tells us how to be Thankful
  1. Joyful – 1 (make a joyful noise)
  2. Glad service – 2a (serve the Lord with gladness)
  3. Singing – 2b (come before His presence with singing)
  4. Worshipful – 3a (Know ye that the Lord He is God . . .)
  5. Humble – 3b (we are His people and the sheep of His pasture)
- C. The Motivation for Thanksgiving – (v5) Here is what should motivate us to be thankful
  1. A fable about a dog who loved to chase other animals.
  2. His goodness
  3. His mercy
  4. His truth

### III. CONCLUSION

- A. What will you share this Thanksgiving about God and His good ness, mercy and truth?
- B. Will we be a people that expresses thanks to Him always?

Prayer Meetings  
Mondays  
7:00 p.m.  
In the sanctuary

Moms Who Care  
Fridays  
10:00 a.m.  
Basement

Please keep in mind the adults in our church who work with Pastor Chad and our youth. Some of them will be attending the Youth Leaders Summit in Banff October 16-18 for training. Please also pray for our Pastors who will be at a Ministry Leaders Retreat there October 19-21.

**Thank you to  
all of our prayer warriors,  
worship leaders, musicians,  
kitchen committee, teachers,  
board members, caretakers,  
CE committee, library ladies,  
Just Us Girls executive, those  
who volunteer in secret...  
even under stress, you are  
rising up to honor God and  
bless our church family and  
we want you to know how  
much we appreciate you!**

## SENIORS

Lorraine Davidson - Kerry's mom  
Ralph Magee- Carol & Eleanor's dad  
Fred Grant—Michelle's uncle  
**NEW:** Edmond Coulombe—Aline passed away this week—Pauline's folks

**This Month:**  
Kids and Youth  
**This Week:**  
The Journey Church in  
Edmonton

**EXPECTANT MOMS:** Brian Bergquist—April 10, 2021

**NEW:** The Sturge family on the passing of Pauline's mom Aline October 9th  
**NEW:** Friends of Hannah Baddock (Henry) recently lost both parents tragically  
**The Hnidey family** on the passing of Jacquie's mom October 1st  
**Shannon Ruggles**—father of Kiera's friend—cancer  
**Eva Kurtz**—health issues, broken hip  
**Maureen Kaastrup**—treatment for lung cancer  
**Kari Mauws**—brain cancer  
**Lori Blackmer** -- recovery from surgery on August 11  
**Delmer Sunderland sr.**—health issues  
**Norma Westhaver**—cancer  
**Todd Davidson**—back injury Mar. 21—strength through harvest time  
**Alex Flewell**—continued healing for lungs  
**Art Block**—recovery from surgery  
**Donna Brown**—growths to shrink and disappear  
**Brynlee Alden** (born March 30, 2019) Acute lymphocytic leukaemia  
**Lyle Klatt** - Myasthenia Gravis—still not in remission  
**David Wood** (brother-in-law to David Brundage)—cancer  
**George Rahmoun**—heart issues and cancer  
**Irene Martin**—COPD  
**Eleanor Dzus-Adolphe**—continued healing on her right knee  
**Margaret** (Elaan's mom) —blood clot in her leg  
**Terry Allan** —spiritual healing  
**Don Coleman**-cancer  
**James Nabende**—Our Sunday School Sponsored Child

## MISSIONARIES

(\*financially supported)  
\*Tim & Jenn Adams—YWAM  
\*Gary & Gwen Bistratan—Yap  
Mike & Lori Blackmer—Edgerton  
\* Jason & Anita Boucher—NCEM  
\*Peter & Diane Salmond—Rwanda  
\*Tim & Colleen Stevenson-Uganda

## MINISTRIES

The Gideons  
Deer Valley Meadows  
Pregnancy Care Center  
University Campus Ministries  
— Calgary  
Rock Solid Ministries  
El Refugio, Mexico

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