

april 2017



# Welcome to...

# river valley

CHURCH

# new hope

April 16, 2017

## ➤➤ First-Time Guests

**Our doors are wide open...** to people from all backgrounds, regardless of where they are on their spiritual journey. Our worship services present an opportunity to worship God and receive practical teaching from His Word, the Bible. Whether you're a committed Christian who wants to sink your roots of faith deeper, or a spiritual seeker who's just starting to ask questions about God, you can find a home here at River Valley.

**Relax and enjoy the Worship Service...** as our guest, we realize the songs we sing may be unfamiliar, so participate as much as you feel comfortable. Later in our service we will be collecting an offering. Please do not feel any obligation to give. The offering is intended for those who consider River Valley their church home.

**Please fill out the Connect card...** it is located in the chair-back in front of you. Feel free to fill out this card with your information, decisions, praises, or prayer requests and place it in the offering basket when it is passed.

**Visit the Connect Center...**We are here to assist you in connecting to the body of Christ here at River Valley. Be sure to take advantage of the information in this brochure and on our website at [www.rivervalleycc.org](http://www.rivervalleycc.org). We can also assist you in signing up for groups and events online between services. Debit/Credit cards only. If you are new to RVC, come pick up a first-time visitor *Welcome Bag* before you leave, which includes information about the church, an RVC logo mug, a coffee from our Jars of Clay Café.

## ➤➤ Our VISION

Our Mission: **Connect > Grow > GO**

**Connect** with Jesus

**Grow** Together

**GO** Make Disciples who Make Disciples

Our Strategy: **In the Community...**

**...for the Community**

*Through... Worship Services*

*Life Groups*

*Outreach*

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## ONE CHURCH. . . MULTIPLE LOCATIONS

### **Downtown**

#### **Worship Services**

Saturday 5:00pm

Sunday 8:50,10:10 & 11:30am

### **New Hope**

5961 New Hope Road

#### **Worship Service**

Sunday 10:30am

### **Redwood**

2193 Midway Avenue

#### **Worship Service**

Sunday 10:00am

# BAPTISM WEEKEND

Baptism this weekend after our  
Easter Service.

Baptism provides a vivid picture of turning from old ways and making the decision to dedicate one's life to following Jesus.



## Parenting Workshop

April 29 & 30 | 1-hour session available at all services

Downtown campus | room 107

Register online | FREE!

Children's Ministry resources, free Christian parenting book, & helpful tips for raising children in the Lord. Registration for Child Celebration will be available at each session for those interested.

## Child Celebration

Mother's Day | May 14

All campuses

Parenting workshop is required for participation in child celebration

**Car Care Ministry** will be May 6. Registration forms are at the table in the Lobby, in the downtown church office, and in the program April 22/23. Last day to sign up is April 24. If you are a single mom, single woman, widow, or a military wife whose car needs an oil change and a basic maintenance check, this is for YOU! **All this is free!**

**Converge 2017** Mark your calendar to **Proclaim** June 23rd, **Serve GP** June 24th, and **Celebrate** June 25th. Any questions about **Converge** or **Serve Grants Pass**, please call Sheryl or Austin at 541-476-7761 x120.

**Girlz Night Out** is the last Friday of the month, April 28. For more information, please call Christina Sullivan, 760-669-7764.

**Men's Breakfast** is the last Saturday of every month at 8:00am. Contact Mike Carson for any questions you may have, 541-660-4700.

**Potluck** Please join us the first Sunday of every month for a potluck following the service. This is a great way to get better acquainted with one another.

**Children's Ministry** Classes are provided for children, birth through 5th grade, during our worship service. Questions? Call Christina Sullivan, 760-669-7764.

**Midway** (Mid-High Grades 6-8 ) Tuesdays, 7-8:30pm at The Point. Questions? Call Dan Horst, 541-476-7761 x130 (voicemail).

**CAD** (High School Grades 9-12) Meets Wednesday, 7:00-9:00pm at The Point, 290 NE C St. Questions? Call Roger Haberman, 541-476-7761 x130 (voicemail)

# ➤➤ Were to Get Connected

Visit us anytime online at [riveryvalleycc.org](http://riveryvalleycc.org)

## ➤➤ Staff Contact Info

Call: **541-476-7761**—plus extension

Life Groups/Connecting Point.....	Carrie Jubas x102
Administration.....	Michael Bahn x104
• Facilities/Maintenance .....	Brian Lucas x128
• Finances (church) .....	Michelle Rutherford x108
Baptism .....	Carrie Jubas x102
<b>Campus Pastors</b>	
• Downtown.....	Doug Higuera <b>541-660-3202</b>
• New Hope .....	Sean Sullivan <b>541-450-2586</b>
• Redwood.....	Tyler Goens <b>541-761-6650</b>
Celebrate Recovery (habits, hurts & hang-ups).....	Scott Zurhellen <b>541-218-8481</b>
<b>Children (Downtown).....</b>	Allison Bolen x127
• Green Acres (0-4 years).....	Melanie Shaw x122
• Calico Street (K-3rd grade) .....	Allison Bolen x127
• Kids 4 Christ (4th-5th grade) .....	Lynn Kremer x123
<b>Counseling &amp; Support Groups.....</b>	Kathi Brown x115
• Lay & Pastoral Counseling.....	Kathi Brown x115 & Doug Higuera <b>541-660-3202</b>
• Professional Staff Counselors .....	Florence Nikas <b>541-450-8960</b>
.....	Carl Reimer <b>541-659-8000</b>
.....	Dusti Stark <b>541-295-2486</b>
<b>Lead Pastor.....</b>	Mark Goens x114
<b>Lifeline (benevolence) .....</b>	Lifeline Team x106
<b>Marriage (mentoring/classes).....</b>	Doug Higuera x112
<b>Media (video) .....</b>	Steve Daggett <b>541-295-2199</b> & Natalie Goens x117
<b>Men .....</b>	Chuck Kostrna x118
<b>Outreach (local &amp; global).....</b>	Duane Stark x120
• Administrative Assistant (local & global).....	Sheryl McCarty x120
• Administrative Assistant (global) .....	Mandie Kuhlman x119
• Intern (local) .....	Austin Abbott x120
<b>Parenting.....</b>	Chuck Kostrna x118
<b>Preschool &amp; Child Care Center (weekly child development).....</b>	NJ Kimball x133 or <b>541-476-1758</b>
<b>Students .....</b>	Roger Haberman x130 (voicemail)
• Mid-High (6th-8th grade).....	Dan Horst x130 (voicemail)
• High School .....	Roger Haberman x130 (voicemail)
• Teaching/North Valley/Worship .....	Tyler Goens x130 (voicemail)
• Young Adults .....	Tim Sorenson x130 (voicemail)
<b>Women .....</b>	Diana Hecht x105
<b>Worship .....</b>	Michael Bahn x104
<b>Adult Visitation/Hospital/Crisis .....</b>	Doug Higuera x112
(for crisis after office hours, please call the church for an on-call pastor)	
<b>Reception .....</b>	Carolyn Fixsen x100
.....	Charmaine Coatney x101

## ➤➤ Church Elders

Michael Bahn • Chet Bolen • Jim Brumbach • Tom Criswell • Mark Goens  
Lary Harris • Chuck Kostrna • Jeremy Nugent  
Larry Schwein • Duane Stark • Brian Taylor • Carl Wilson

Sunday Gathering at 10:30am • New Hope Christian School  
5961 New Hope Road, Grants Pass, OR

Downtown Office Hours: Monday - Thursday, 9:00am - 4:30pm (closed Friday)  
405 NE 6th Street, Grants Pass, OR 97526