



Welcome to VVCC! If you are not a regular attender, please take a moment to complete the Welcome Card located in the chair back in front of you and place it in the offering or in the collection box near the exit.

## Upcoming Events & Things You Need to Know

Kids Club: Wednesday nights 7:00-8:30. Kids kindergarten through fifth grade.

The Intersection & Middle School Youth Group: Wed. 7 pm

Adult Sunday School: Join us in 8the Youth Lounge each Sunday at 8:30 AM

Wednesday Morning Prayer: 6:30 AM each Wednesday at VVCC

Adult Sunday School: 8:30 am.

Women's Bible Study: Fridays from 10:00-11:30 am

<u>Central MO Food Bank:</u> The Intersection "youth group" would like to invite the church out to serve this Wed, Feb 25 at 6:30 pm. Meet at the Food Bank.

Monthly Prayer Meeting: March 1, 2015 @ 6:30pm

<u>Worship Team Auditions:</u> All those interested in auditioning for the Worship team write "Worship Team" on your Welcome Card.

**Tax Time Tithe:** A special giving challenge was announced last week, encouraging the church to consider giving a portion of their tax return to support two critical needs. The A/V ministry has been in need of some repairs to equipment and in need of purchasing other equipment to enhance our Sunday morning presentation. The other need is regarding the upkeep of the building, i.e. carpet cleaning, painting, ceiling repairs, etc.

<u>"The Lamb" Performance:</u> VVCC has decided to take a 'gap' year regarding the performance for 2015. Costume inventory, script editing, and funding will be the focus in lieu of the performance this year.

Budget Required: \$10,210.00 Feb. Offering: \$7,663.00 Audio Visual: \$100

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## Pastor Adam Snell - February 22, 2015

## "1 Peter 2:1-12"

- **2** Therefore, putting aside all malice and all deceit and hypocrisy and envy and all slander,
- **2** like newborn babies, long for the pure milk of the word, so that by it you may grow in respect to salvation,
- **3** if you have tasted the kindness of the Lord.
- **4** And coming to Him as to a living stone which has been rejected by men, but is choice and precious in the sight of God,
- **5** you also, as living stones, are being built up as a spiritual house for a holy priesthood, to offer up spiritual sacrifices acceptable to God through Jesus Christ.
- **6** For this is contained in Scripture: "Behold, I lay in Zion a choice stone, a precious corner stone, And he who believes in Him will not be disappointed."
- **7** This precious value, then, is for you who believe; but for those who disbelieve, "The stone which the builders rejected, This became the very corner stone,"
- **8** and, "A stone of stumbling and a rock of offense"; for they stumble because they are disobedient to the word, and to this doom they were also appointed.
- **9** But you are a chosen race, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, a people for God's own possession, so that you may proclaim the excellencies of Him who has called you out of darkness into His marvelous light;
- **10** for you once were not a people, but now you are the people of God; you had not received mercy, but now you have received mercy.
- **11** Beloved, I urge you as aliens and strangers to abstain from fleshly lusts which wage war against the soul.
- **12** Keep your behavior excellent among the Gentiles, so that in the thing in which they slander you as evildoers, they may because of your good deeds, as they observe them, glorify God in the day of visitation.