



## It's Back by Popular Demand!!!

Get Moving and Eat Right Challenge!

When: August 1, 2022- August 21, 2022

Entry Fee: \$25.00

What - 2 daily goals(plus extra credit)

Exercise for at least 30 minutes daily.

Pick a specific nutritional goal

Why:

Our bodies are the temple of God (1 Corinthians 6:19).  
Health and Wellness Ministry: Fundraiser for Inner Circle!

How:

Earn points daily: Text Kim Upshaw daily at 818-359 2550 with  
a brief message that you met your goals and how

Result:

The person with the most points will be declared the winner  
and awarded half of the TOTAL entry fees collected! The other  
half of the entry fee will be gifted to Inner Circle.

### Join Us IN-Person

In-person worship services are every First Sunday at the Embassy Suites  
28508 Westinghouse Drive, in Valencia, conveniently located off of the 15  
Newhall exit. **In the interest of health and safety for everyone in attendance,  
please wear your mask.** We also have Children's Church for every age, using  
our new Blessons curriculum. If you have any questions regarding the cur-  
riculum or just the overall children's ministry, contact  
Mother Denise Thomas at:  
[childrensministry@valenciachristiancenter.org](mailto:childrensministry@valenciachristiancenter.org)

## JOIN VCC

### Sunday, September 18th

Celebrating National Back-to-Church Sunday

# 2022

## ValenciaChristianCenter.org

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### Ways to Give



Paypal • Givelify

[valenciachristiancenter.org/giving](http://valenciachristiancenter.org/giving)



**Valencia Christian Center**

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## VCC Website Sunday Service Live Stream

You can watch Sunday service directly from our official website. A  
new video feed will show up no earlier than 10 minutes before a  
live event. Live Stream Link:

<http://valenciachristiancenter.org/live/>

### Connect With Us!



Social Media – Follow and Subscribe

Instagram @wearevcc

Facebook @valenciachristiancenter

Subscribe to the VCC YouTube channel at Valencia Christian  
Center and

re-play our many video selections.

### Save the Date

September 4th - In-Person Worship at Embassy Suites /  
Communion Sunday/ Leadership Meeting /  
Children's Sunday School / Final back to school collection.  
September 18th - National Back-to-Church Sunday  
September 25th - Geraldine Sheriff Scholarship Fast Week

# Valencia Christian Center



## August Bulletin

**Our Mission Statement**

*"Providing Encouragement and Hope Through the Comfort  
and Love of God's Word" - Based on Romans 15:4*

# Pastor's Welcome

Greetings VCC family, friends and visitors! Hope you and yours are enjoying this beautiful summer! So glad you're here! As the church continues to adapt and move forward in creating a new normal, our goal of providing encouragement and hope to those we serve remains our priority. Addressing both the spiritual and practical needs of our congregation and the community is expressed in various aspects of our VCC ministry, so if you haven't done so already, this is a good time to explore the possibilities for greater VCC involvement. Help us to continue to be an avenue of blessing as a church and make a difference in the lives of others. You are encouraged to speak to any ministry leader about ways to get more involved. Your participation matters! Continued Blessings,



Pastor Swanzi

# WHAT'S COMING UP AT VCC

- Aug 1st - 21st - Get Moving and Eat Right Challenge!
- Aug 1st - Selling Tickets for 4th Annual Fish Fry - A Sunday in October TBD
- Aug 7th - In-Person Worship at Embassy Suites / Communion Sunday
- Aug 7th - Children's Sunday School In-Person / Last Collection Day for Back-to-School
- Aug 27th - Women's Retreat
- Aug 28th - Geraldine Sheriff Scholarship Fast Week

# Monday Night Prayer Join us Facebook Live @ 7:00 PM

# Wednesday Night Bible Study

Facebook Live 7:00 PM

August Topics:

- August 3rd - Finances Part 2
- August 10th - What To Do When Your Prayers Seem Unanswered
- August 17th - The Divine Flow
- August 24th - Using the Gifts to Minister
- August 31st - Miracles Glory God



Teaching Pastor, Elder Jay Stepter

# Back to School Drive



We are in the final days of our Back To School drive, no worries if you haven't had a chance to participate. Our first major collection will be completed on August 7th. We are collecting school supplies to give to Inner Circle for distribution. You can also support with a monetary donation on Givelify or bring in actual supplies or purchase gift cards. Please bring in during our 1st Sunday service on August 7th and we are extending to September 4th. September 4th will be the final date to support children who go back after Labor Day. Contact Minister Sheila if you would like to drop off your donation or have it picked up, call 661-296-4VCC

# Children's Ministry

WELCOME TO YOUR BLESSONS!

Blessons for Living Planting Seeds of Greatness

SUNDAY SCHOOL

First Sunday In-Person at the Embassy Suites. Other Sunday's 9AM-10AM For more information contact Mother Denise Thomas  
childrensministry@valenciachristiancenter.org.



# Donations

- Canned Fruit
- Canned Vegetables/Tuna
- Bagged & Boxed Spaghetti
- Bagged & Boxed Dry Beans,
- Rice, and Mac & Cheese

Help us feed the children at Inner Circle. Please bring in non-persihable food every first Sunday to Embassy Suites. If you have any questions, please contact Minister Sheila at minsheila@valenciachristiancenter.org

If You are In Need of Food on a Weekly Basis, please contact Minister Sheila at: minsheila@valenciachristiancenter.org

Thank you for your continued support!

# SAVE THE DATE:

Saturday, August 27, 2022  
4-Hour VCC Women's Retreat ...time to be determined  
For more information email: tstepter@valenciachristiancenter.org

# 4th Annual Mother's Board Fish Fry



# Fish Fry postponed until October.

Fish Meal is \$20 and Kid's Meal is \$10. The menu is: Snapper/Catfish, Collard Greens, Baked Beans, Potato Salad, Mac & Cheese, Cornbread, Bread and Peach Cobbler. Tickets can be purchased in person on Sunday, August 7th at the Embassy Suites. They can also be purchased or donated on Givelify by specifying the fish fry event. You can also write a Check, Cash, Venmo, or Zelle. Any questions, please contact Minister Sheila, minsheila@valenciachristiancenter.org.

# Happy Birthday Mother Tommie!

We honor our Mother Tommie who will be 91 on August 1st. Thank You to all who sent Birthday wishes and Shout outs.



# Recognizing 2022 Graduates



# Congratulations !