



Get Moving and Eat Right Challenge!

When: October 2, 2022

October 22, 2022 - Fish Fry the next day on the 23rd!

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 & Wellness Ministry Goal: 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.

If you are not physically participating with the challenge, you can still go onto Givelify to support.

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 I 5 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 curriculum or just the overall children's ministry, contact Mother Denise Thomas at: childrensministry@valenciachristiancenter.org

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Ways to Give



Paypal • Givelify

valenciachristiancenter.org/giving



Valencia Christian Center

23890 Copper Hill Drive

#221 Valencia, Ca 91354

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

Nov 5th - Women's Connect Series -

Women in the Workplace 10 AM - 11 AM via Zoom

Nov 6th - In-Person Worship at Embassy Suites / Communion Sunday/

Leadership Meeting / Children's Sunday School

Nov 6th - Daylight Saving Time ends

Nov 13th - Last collection Day for Feed A Family For Thanksgiving

Nov 24th - Thanksgiving

Nov 27th - Geraldine Sheriff Scholarship Fast Week

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October 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 to all of our VCC family & friends! Fall is here with all of its beauty, bounty and blessings! We're excited and grateful for the opportunity to embrace this season and continue to fellowship and serve together. Good things are happening here at VCC! If you haven't done so already, I invite you to take a fresh look at our VCC ministry groups and consider where you can actively participate. Together, we can serve and accomplish so much more. Feel free to contact Minister Sheila Preston with any questions you have about the various ministry group opportunities. Whether you desire to join an existing group or help to facilitate a new one, we welcome you! Let's continue to grow, serve and progress forward as united brothers and sisters in Jesus Christ. Continued blessings to you and yours,



Pastor Swanzi

WHAT'S COMING UP AT VCC

October - Pastor Appreciation Month

October 1st - Women's Connect Series - Women in the Workplace
10 AM - 11 AM via Zoom

Oct 2nd - In-Person Worship at Embassy Suites / Communion Sunday/
Leadership Meeting /

Oct 2nd - Children's Sunday School In-Person

Oct 2nd - Oct 22nd - Get Moving, Eat Right Challenge

Oct 23rd - 4th Annual Mother's Board Fish Fry 11:30am-3pm / Start of the Feed A
Family for Thanksgiving campaign.

Oct 30th - Geraldine Sheriff Scholarship Fast Week

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

Wednesday Night Bible Study

Facebook Live 7:00 PM

October Topics:

October 5th - The Proper Use of God's Law

October 12th - What is Grace?

October 19th - Let's Talk about Sin

October 26th - How God Sees Us



Teaching Pastor,
Elder Jay Stepter

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.

Pastor Appreciation Month

October is designated as the official Pastor Appreciation Month. This is a great time to express gratitude for all that our Pastor is doing for the church. Pastor Swanzi works tirelessly all year long to ensure that our worship, messages, gatherings, and important events are meaningful and aligned with the mission and vision of Valencia Christian Center. Pastor Swanzi is truly used by God and she is committed to investing in your spiritual growth and wellbeing. She strives to meet us where we are in our walk and teaches us how to



develop a meaningful relationship with our Father. She is focused on our VCC family as well as countless others both inside and outside of our church network. Pastor Swanzi's responsibilities range, which include hospital visits, charity, missions, preaching, counseling, teaching, church administration, and so on. During Pastor Appreciation Month, we want to express our love and appreciation for all that she does for our VCC family. You can give a love offering on Givelify or drop off a gift during any Sunday service in October.

October is Breast Cancer Awareness Month

Retreat, Rise, & Renew:

Women in the Workplace... Finding New Meaning in Your Work

Please join us for a special 3-Part Women's Monthly Connect Series Retreat, Rise, & Renew at 10AM-11AM Oct 1st, Nov. 5th, & Dec. 3rd

*please note: Oct/Nov sessions will be virtual 10am-11am

Dec. session will be an extended IN-PERSON gathering (location TBD)

Join Zoom Meeting:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85057579936?pwd=ZlZkaCt5bi9HZlAx-N0o2UFJ3VGJiUT09>

Meeting ID: 850 5757 9936

Passcode: 787046



4th Annual Mother's Board Fish Fry

All meals must be purchased by **October 9th!** Only
Pre-Paid meals will be served on October 23rd.

Fish Fry October 23rd!

The Fish Fry will take place on Sunday October 23, from 11:30am - 3:30pm. The venue is the Vista Canyon Park at 16950 Lost Canyon Rd, Santa Clarita, CA. 91387. Continue to purchase your meals or meals that you would like to donate on Givelify or at our First Sunday service until October 9th! 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. They can also be purchased or donated on Givelify by specifying the fish fry event. You can write a Check, Cash, Venmo, or Zelle.

We will have great food and awesome fellowship. We will also have "VCC Got Talent", and if you would like to promote your business, we will have booths available. If you want to participate in "VCC Got Talent" or get a booth, please submit your request prior to October 9th! Help us to make this an awesome event. Any questions, please contact Minister Sheila, minsheila@valenciachristiancenter.org.



VCC Annual Feed A Family For Thanksgiving

We Need Your Help! We are asking for donations starting **Sunday, October 23, 2022**, to prepare Thanksgiving for needy families in the Santa Clarita Valley. If you or someone you know are in need of a Thanksgiving meal, please let us know.

Donation items requested: Local Grocery Store Gift cards (\$25 or more) or you can make a monetary donation on Givelify. The Outreach Ministry will collect these donations **until Sunday, November 13, 2022**. For more information, please contact Minister Sheila at: minsheila@valenciachristiancenter.org

Accepting Donations!

October 2022

