



WELCOME

TO

Tennessee Valley Community Church

Steve Gallimore, Pastor

Thank you for joining us today! We are so glad you came to share in our Celebration!

We start with music to give you a lift from a tough week. After the music, you'll hear a message that focuses on real life issues.

We would love to know more about you! Please complete the Connection Card and drop it in the offering.

Offering - The offering is an opportunity for TVCC members and regular attenders to worship God through financial giving. Guests, please do not feel obligated to give. Instead, we hope we are able to give something to you today!

Children's Ministry Information:

- **Babies** - 3 year olds meet at the Civic Center.
- **Children in Pre-K - 5th grade** meet at TVCC Mineral Wells location. **Services start at 8:45 a.m. and 10:45 a.m.**

Youth Ministry Information - TVCC Youth Group meets on Wednesday nights, 6:15 p.m. to 8:15 p.m., at TVCC Mineral Wells location. The youth group welcomes students in 6th through 12th grades.

Announcements

Connection Point Join us after each service in **Connection Point** for a cup of coffee and time of fellowship with friends.

Life Groups Adults gather weekly in host homes for small group Bible studies and fellowship. If you are interested in a Life Group, check the box on the Connection Card or contact Ken Wells at kwells@tvcc.us or 731-641-8822.

The "Gathering" A place for God's people to gather together, share the Word, and pray on Tuesday nights, from 5:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. Feel free to come and go as you need. You can stay for an hour or only 15 minutes; either is fine. We hope you will join us!

Celebrate Recovery Join us on Thursday nights, 6:30 p.m., at TVCC Mineral Wells location for a biblical based 12 step program. Childcare is provided. If you are interested or have any questions, please contact Lila Williams at lwilliams@tvcc.us or 731-641-8822.

Celebration Station Volunteers are needed in several areas on Thursday nights from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. for Celebration Station Ministry, which is the uplifting, hope filled Children's companion to Celebrate Recovery. If you are interested, please mark the Connection Card under *Serving Opportunities*.

Announcements Continued

Angel Tree The Family Resource Center is in need of volunteers for work sessions to help with the Angel Tree. All work sessions will be held at Central Community Service Center located in the room under the gym. You can call 642-2938 for additional information.

Following is the schedule for work sessions:

- Tues., Dec. 8 - 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.
- Thurs., Dec. 10 - 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.
- Tues., Dec. 15 - 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.
- Wed., Dec. 16 - 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.
- Thurs., Dec. 17 - 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. - shopping day
- Fri., Dec. 18 - 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.
- Sat., Dec. 19 - 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. - gift distribution

Volunteers Needed We need volunteers daily to help with the new building on East Wood Street to do light construction and clean-up. Just come by the building any time during the day or evening to help.

TVCC Ministry Center (Church Office)
2500 E. Wood Street, Paris, TN 38242
731-641-8822

For a staff member on call: 731-336-8614
(after hours emergency)

Showing We Care



Special Offering 2009

The **SHOWING WE CARE Special Offering** is a call to sacrificial giving with a goal of \$20,000 for five ministry initiatives:

- To support Global / U.S. missions and plant new churches.
- To share God's love in our area through Servant Evangelism.
- To tangibly support local organizations that assist the poor and needy in Paris & Henry County.
- To fund the 2010 Benevolence and Counseling Ministry to support our fellow attendees during their time of greatest need.
- To continue to address key capital improvements on our new campus.

This Special Offering will be received through January 31, 2010.
If you have not received a packet in the mail, you may pick one up in
Connection Point.

THE SHARING CHOICE
Life's Healing Choices: The Beatitudes - Part 8
Pastor Steve Gallimore
November 29, 2009

"Blessed are the peacemakers: for they shall be called the children of God." Matthew 5:9 (KJV)

*"For God was in Christ, reconciling the world to Himself, no longer counting people's sins against them. And He gave us this wonderful message of reconciliation."
2 Corinthians 5:19 (NLT)*

THE SHARING CHOICE: *I choose to yield myself to God to be used to bring the Good News to others, by both my example and by my words.*

*"May God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ give you grace and peace. All praise to God, the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ. God is our merciful Father and the source of all comfort. He comforts us in all our troubles so that we can comfort others. When they are troubled, we will be able to give them the same comfort God has given us."
2 Corinthians 1:2-4 (NLT)*

WHAT CAN I SHARE TO HELP OTHERS?

1. HOW _____ GOT MY _____.

"Sometimes it takes a painful situation to make us change our ways." Proverbs 20:30 (GN)

"I am glad ... not because it hurt you but because the pain turned you to God..." 2 Corinthians 7:9 (LB)

TO HELP OTHERS I MUST BE HONEST ABOUT...

MY _____

"We have spoken frankly to you; we have opened our hearts wide." 2 Corinthians 6:11 (GN)

MY _____

*"Each of us must bear the faults and burdens of His own. For none of us is perfect!"
Galatians 6:5 (LB)*

MY _____

"Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners--of whom I am the worst." 1 Timothy 1:15 (NIV)

MY _____

*"I have the desire to do what is right, but I cannot carry it out... I keep on doing the evil I don't want to do."
Romans 7:18b-19 (NIV)*

MY _____

"I do admit that I have fears, that when I come you'll disappoint me and I'll disappoint you, and in frustration with each other everything will fall to pieces..." 2 Corinthians 12:20 (Mes)

2. HOW GOD CAN BRING _____ OUT OF ____-_____.

"And we know that for those who love God all things work together for good, for those who are called according to His purpose." Romans 8:28 (ESV)

*"(They) intended it to harm me, but God intended it for good."
Genesis 50:20 (NIV)*

3. HOW _____ GIVES ME _____.

*"Always be prepared to give an answer to everyone who asks you to give the reason for the hope that you have."
1 Peter 3:15a (NIV)*

Who will you tell?