

ANNOUNCEMENTS | JANUARY 15, 2025

ITEMS NEEDED AT THE DROP-IN CENTER

The Drop-In Center recently shared a list of items they need. You can deliver directly to their location on 1st Street, or you can bring them to the meetinghouse for Leslie to deliver.

They need: powdered coffee creamer, Cup O Noodles, mac & cheese cups, peanut butter crackers, fruit cups, fresh fruit, Crystal Light powdered mix, hot chocolate packages, napkins, bottled water, hand and feet warmers. And as always, cold weather gear for adults - coats, hats, scarves, gloves, socks, and sweaters.

BOOK READING & SIGNING | TODAY, JANUARY 15

Lisa and Mark McMinn will read from their new book, *An Invitation to Slow*, at Chapters today, January 15 from 6:00-7:30pm. The book is dedicated, "To those who gather at North Valley Friends Church, who quietly and kindly became our people." Brenda Burg will be providing treats. All are welcome for conversation and community building.

LYLE WHEELER

The memorial service for Lyle Wheeler (Janelle Olivarez's dad) will be at Newberg Friends Church on January 25th at 2pm.

WINTER SMALL GROUPS

The sign-up for Winter 2025 Small Groups is now open! [Please use this Google form](#) to let us know which group you'd like to join. Group descriptions can be found on the form. You will be asked to provide your 1st, 2nd and 3rd choice. *Spaces will be allocated based on a first-come, first-served basis with a submitted form.* If you request to be part of more than one group and space allows, your second choice will be allocated after others have been given their first choice preferences. If you have any questions, please reach out to Jim Sanders.

MUSIC COORDINATOR POSITION

We're looking to hire a Music Coordinator. This 6-month temporary role will help coordinate music, primarily supporting the volunteer music groups by equipping and recruiting folks and helping with song choices. This position is 5 hours/week for a \$500/month stipend. The full job description is attached. Please contact the office or Leslie with any interest.

SENIOR PASTOR POSITION

Our job posting for a [new Senior Pastor](#) is still open!

YOUTH EVENTS

- Youth group is done for winter break and the rest of January. Stay tuned for youth programming details - expected to resume in February 2025!
- Save the date for Broomball on January 26th! Meet at Wayside at 5:30pm with a 9:00pm return, \$10 per person.
- Fireside/The Woods camps are July 7-10, 2025. [Registration](#) is live!

If you have any questions about youth programming, contact office@northvalleyfriends.org.

THIS WEEK AT NORTH VALLEY

JAN	15	6:00pm	McMinn book signing - Chapters
	19	9:30am	Unprogrammed Worship
		10:45am	Programmed Worship
	20		<i>Office Closed for Holiday</i>
		7:30pm	Basketball night - gym

UPCOMING EVENTS

Youth Event: Broomball | January 26

Chili Cook-Off | February 23

LINKS

** [NEW ZOOM LINK FOR PROGRAMMED WORSHIP ON SUNDAYS | 10:45AM](#) **

[Tithely Giving Form](#)

Fireside + The Woods Summer Camps
Directory Update Form

2025 Budget (Jan-Jun) General Fund Tithes and Offering	
Donations are accepted here .	
Need more info? E-mail office@northvalleyfriends.org	
January 2025 Budgeted Tithes/Offerings:	\$19,657.50
January 2025 Tithes/Offerings Received through 1.12.24	\$7,851.75
Percent of Month's Projected Tithes/Offerings Received:	39.94%
Previous Budget Cycle Budgeted Tithes/Offerings (July 24-Dec 24):	\$110,500.00
Tithes/Offerings Received to date (July 24-Dec 24):	\$124,533.95
Percent of Budget/Offerings Received to date (July 24-Dec 24):	112.7%
Emergency/Benevolent Fund Balance:	\$2,419.95