



*The Word
of God*

"All Scripture is given by
inspiration of God, and is
profitable for doctrine, for
reproof, for correction, for
instruction in righteousness,
that the man of God may be
complete, thoroughly equipped
for every good work."
(2 Tim. 3:16-17 [NKJV])

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***"Connecting people with
the peace of God
through the Word of God"***

We believe the Bible
is the inerrant,
authoritative
Word of God.
Many can and will
find freedom through the
sufficiency of scripture.

What is the Biblical Counseling Center?

- ValleyConneX Biblical Counseling Center is a ministry of Valley Baptist Church under the supervision of the pastoral staff.
 - The Counseling Center is staffed by men and women members of Valley Baptist Church who have:
 - ◆ completed the certification program through the Biblical Counseling Institute (www.bcinsitute.com).
 - ◆ been approved by the Senior Pastor to participate in this ministry.
 - ◆ earned certification through the Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary.
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What is Biblical Counseling?

- Effectively applying the truth of God's word to address the difficult issues of life.
- The Body of Christ has the scriptural mandate to teach, counsel, restore, and evangelize. Paul wrote to the Ephesian Church: ". . . that we should no longer be children, tossed to and fro and carried about with every wind of doctrine, by the trickery of men, in the cunning craftiness of deceitful plotting, but speaking the truth in love, may grow up in all things into Him who is the head - Christ. " (Eph. 4:14-15 [NKJV]).

What kinds of issues would a person discuss with a Biblical counselor?

- The Bible speaks to issues including:
 - ◆ Abuse
 - ◆ Anger
 - ◆ Addiction
 - ◆ Divorce
 - ◆ Depression
 - ◆ Grief & loss
 - ◆ Spiritual & faith issues
 - ◆ Family concerns
 - ◆ Lifestyle issues
 - ◆ Self-esteem
 - ◆ Sexuality issues
 - ◆ and more
 - Life can be confusing. People can become troubled. When issues cause difficulties for you or within your family, consider coming to see us.
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Who can use the services of the Biblical Counseling Center?

- The ministry is available to anyone regardless of church or religious affiliation.
- Promotion is through the church newsletter, announcements, email and personal referral.
- The Valley family is encouraged to refer people not attending Valley Baptist Church to utilize this ministry.
- Consistent with many ongoing ministries of Valley Baptist Church, no fees are charged, expected or accepted.

How do I make an appointment to see a counselor?

- The best way to schedule an appointment is to call the Valley Baptist Church Office at 920-733-8823 and speak with the secretary, or email valleyconnex@valleyconnex.org.
 - Men and women counselors are available each Thursday evening from 6:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.
 - During the first session, you will meet with the Counseling Center Supervisor to complete some brief paperwork and to meet the counselor. Plan on 60 minutes.
 - At the close of a session, a determination will be made between you and the counselor as to whether another time will be scheduled to meet with the counselor.
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What are the expectations of ValleyConneX Biblical Counseling Center?

- To assure that information shared during a counseling session is treated with the highest standard of integrity.
 - ◆ Normally this means absolute confidentiality.
 - ◆ Integrity, however, may necessitate notification of appropriate officials should a clear imminent danger exist to the person, a family member or to the general public.