



December 2011

Dear Valley Grace Church Family,

Pam and I want to take this opportunity to wish you a blessed Christmas and God's richest blessing for you and your loved ones in the new year. We count it a privilege to be on assignment with you.

As we reflect on 2011 there is much to celebrate as God worked through you. There are individuals who have come to Christ as their personal Savior, and those who have made a public demonstration of their faith through baptism because of the ministries in which many of you serve from nursery through our Senior Adults. The ministries encompass our local community as well as Urban Hope, Kentucky and around the world.

I am grateful to have been able to work alongside our Church Board (Council) who has led and served you well. Because of your faithful financial support, we will be able to finish the year in the black. That is significant especially in light of the current economic condition and the building program. A special word of thanks to the Building Committee and the decorating committee who worked so hard to make the addition functional as well as attractive and did it with a

modest investment. The updated facilities are a special gift from the Lord which are being used for expanded ministries for His kingdom.

We are so grateful for each one of you – a good number who have been part of this church family for many years, and a significant number of you who have joined with us this past year. As I write this, different names and faces come to mind.

We look forward to 2012 as another year to serve our Savior together. It is our sincere desire that as a result of the privilege of serving our Lord, we might have the privilege of introducing people to Jesus. May the year ahead give us the opportunity to grow in Christ so that we might reflect Him more clearly in our lives (Gal. 4:19).

*With heartfelt love and appreciation for each one of you!*

*Pastor Dan & Pam*