

July 26, 2015

# Owen Valley Christian Fellowship

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## Our mission:

To connect people to Jesus

## Our vision:

Be passionate pursuers of Christ

Be models of truth and love

Be involved in our community



## Statistics for Week of 7/19/15:

Attendance: 175

\*Week's giving: \$2,979.13

\*2015 Weekly need amount: \$2,999.77

(This is to cover OVCF operational expenses)

**Current building fund total: \$24,188.36**



Please help **New Beginnings PRC's Blue House** by donating needed items and returning them to OVCF or directly to New

Beginnings. Lists of needs are available at the info table.



**Bill's blog:**  
www.billgrandi.com



**NEXT WEEK:**  
Still Waters



**Christmas in July:** We will share our school supplies with our local teachers this week! Thank you for your support!!



We'll be collecting items throughout August for our military service people. Please pick up a list and bring donations on Sundays. Please add current name & address info to our sheet at the info table. See Lisa Carter for info.



\* **Value of One Annual Banquet**

\* **October 8th @ Christian Life Center**

\* **Guest speaker, Pam Tebow**

Please see Hope East for more information or to be a table host.

## Sunday Morning Children's Programs...

### KidMo (grades 1-5):

7/26-Cara King & Linda St. John

8/2-Jasmine St. John & Brenna Langley



### Lil' K (3-K):

7/26-Jasmine St. John & Brandon Bedolla

8/2- & Brandon Bedolla



### Nursery (2 and under):

7/26-Kris & Amanda Samick

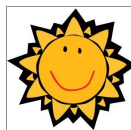


### What: Summer JAM

When: Thursday July 30 (last one!)

Time: 6:30-8:30 PM

Where: Spencer Elementary School gym



**Coming soon! Kids Connect Water Warz** for our Pre-K and elementary age kids will be on August 7 from 5-7 at

## Prayer requests:

- **Camp prayer list:** Youth for Christ adults & students traveling to/from North Carolina July 26-August 1. Hilltop Christian Camp staff & campers. Staff from our church family-Eli Carlson, Bob & Tiffany Kropack, Crystal Kuepfer, Sarah McKalip, and Jasmine St. John.
- **Other:** Missionaries, Will & Theresa Reed & civil unrest in Mundri; Thomas & Hauwa Shelwah & our sponsored friends & families in Liberia.
- **Health issues:** Netta Deckard (Kelli Borders' mother), tests, low heart rate; Hannah White (Barbie Barker's granddaughter); Dylan Deem, hospitalized with an infection; David (Emme & Elijah French's uncle), injured in an accident; Billie Lancaster (Marilyn Hill's cousin), renal failure; Linda Bright (Becky Schrock's sister), health issues; Norm Carlson, health issues; Cole Winnefeld (11 yr. old friend of Jannette Hollandsworth) & his family, cancer; Mia Holloway (almost 3, granddaughter of Linda St. John's friend), hospitalized with kidney failure issues & mass on spine; Linda (sister of Paul/Marilyn Hill); Christine Knight (friend of the Murphy's), cancer; Jenn (Barb Goddard's friend), surgery complete & upcoming radiation treatment; Ron Warix (friend of David Tarrence), cancer; Al Cornell (Marge Monticue's father), health issues; Camy Quiggins (8 yr. old niece of Chad & Terri Dow), brain tumor.
- **Recovery:** Sherry Koontz, at Garden Villa.
- **Military:** Wesley Deckard (Kelli Borders' brother), in Bahrain; Kyle Chambers (Sharon's grandson), in Afghanistan. Lt. Daniel Gibson (Dan Drewes' brother-in-law, friend of the East's), in Afghanistan for the next year. Please keep all our military service people and their families in prayer.
- Our church family; our country and government leaders; our leadership, finance and building teams, for wisdom and discernment.

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SERIES: Freedom!

Title: The Real Thing

Scripture: Galatians 5: 22; Romans 14:17; 15:4-5,13-14



“The habit of always putting off an experience until you can afford it, or until the time is right, or until you know how to do it is one of the greatest burglars of joy. Be deliberate, but once you’ve made up your mind-jump in.”  
Chuck Swindoll in *Living on the Ragged Edge*

### I. WHAT HINDERS JOY?

Essential: joy and happiness are not the same. Happiness is dependent on ( \_\_\_\_\_ )  
whereas joy is an ( \_\_\_\_\_ ) not based on feelings or circumstances.

“For the kingdom of God is not a matter of eating and drinking but of righteousness and peace and joy in the Holy Spirit.” Rom.14:17

5 hindrances to joy:

1. Not understanding the difference between happiness and joy
2. ( \_\_\_\_\_ ) in our lives.
3. ( \_\_\_\_\_ ) confidence
4. Experiencing ( \_\_\_\_\_ ).
5. ( \_\_\_\_\_ ) and ( \_\_\_\_\_ ).

### II. WHAT ENHANCES JOY?

1. Understanding the ( \_\_\_\_\_ ). “May the God of hope fill you will all joy and peace in believing, so that by the power of the Holy Spirit you may abound in hope.”  
Rom.15:13
2. Confessing and forsaking ( \_\_\_\_\_ ).
3. ( \_\_\_\_\_ ) in God.

August 2015						
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
July 26	July 27	July 28	29 NO Deeper	30 Summer JAM	31	1
2	3	4	5 1st day of school Deeper 4-5:30	6	7 Kids Connect Water Warz 5-7	8
9	10	11	12 Deeper	13	14	15
16 Ryan preaching Children's ministry meeting	17 NO Ladies of Grace this month	18	19 Deeper	20	21	22
23	24	25	26 Deeper	27	28	29
30 3rd annual Redneck						