

Prayer needs:

- **Educators of the week:** Kathleen Glaser-Armacost, Guidance Counselor, Cloverdale Middle School; Dawn Tucker, Principal; Mary Miller, Christian Frye & Renee Stoltz, staff
- **College student of the week:** Eli Markland, Indiana University
- **Church of the week:** Gosport Christian Church, Pastor Tim Adams
- **Other:** Missionaries, Will & Theresa & Ellie Reed's future plans; Thomas & Hauwa Shelwah & our sponsored friends & families in Liberia.
- **Health:** Our friends battling cancer: Carolyn Reed (Mary Beckwith's mother); Ronda Kinser (friend of Madi Arnett); Greg Basey (Mike's son); Chuck Fleming (Gail Horn's friend); Lavonnia Alden; Krista Dill; Gene Arnold (Keeley's grandfather); Marcia Nguyen (teacher @ MCES); Roger Gerard (custodian at SES); Jim Ervin (Mike's brother); Tom Stierwalt (Gail Horn's cousin); Cyndi Capps (Marilyn Hill's niece); Ron Warix (friend of David Tarrence); Camy Quiggins (niece of Chad & Terri Dow).
- **Other health concerns:** Bernard Smith (Kris Samick's father); Gail Horn; Kelly Hughes; Grace Pendleton, concussion; Joshua Stuiso; Dave Murphy (Mark's brother); Michael Sherwood (Dawn Murphy's brother); Kim Paquette; Don Gilley (Donny's grandpa), stroke; Junior Wyatt (Joe's father), dementia. **Healthy pregnancy:** Christine Chambers
- **Recovery:** Donnie (Becky Schrock's nephew), surgery & health issues; Brent Talkington, surgery.
- **Military:** Rachel Forston, Ft. Lee, VA; Phillip Morrow, San Antonio, TX; Nathaniel Raper-Cutler; Jacob Cutler; Gabriel Cutler; Sam Allen; Wesley Deckard (Kelli Borders' brother), in Norfolk, VA; Lt. Daniel Gibson (Dan Drewes' brother-in-law, friend of the East's), back in Indiana. Ryan Keene (Dawn Murphy's son); Jessica Parmer, in California; James Sparks; Shane Hickman (Linda St. John's nephew), in Qatar; Nick Hickman (Linda St. John's nephew), in Colorado. 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.

Statistics for Week of 10/1/2017:

Attendance: 142 **Roots: 21**

***Week's giving: \$3473.20**

***2017 Weekly need amount: \$3,043.00**
(This is to cover OVCF operational expenses)

Current building fund total: \$18,359.80

Sunday Morning Children's Programs...

Elementary (grades 1-5):

10/8-Kori Wainscott & Terri Dow
10/15-Roxie Glaze & Emily Wyatt

Preschool (3-K):

10/8-Khrista Beliles & Meilynn Dow
10/15-Jasmine St. John & Gracie Wainscott

Nursery (2 and under):

10/8-Amy Hamlin & Gracie Wainscott
10/15-Donny & Cassy Gilley

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October 8, 2017



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

We offer two worship times on
Sunday mornings...

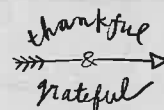
9 AM and 10:45 AM



October Mission Focus: Operation Christmas Child

We will collect shoebox gifts to send in November. Shoeboxes are available for your use! **Please return shoeboxes by Sunday, November 12!**

Contact person: Dawn Murphy



We are so thankful!! Thanks to YOU, all work completed on the Youth addition has been paid for! Electrical supplies have been purchased! Another work day was completed to put in insulation! We will plan additional work days so stay tuned!
New building fund balance: \$18,359.80



Men's breakfast: Saturday, October 14 at 7 AM. Crossroads 46 diner.

Please sign up if you plan to attend!

New Beginnings Annual Banquet: Saturday, October 21st

*Nazarene Church Fellowship Hall at 5:30 PM *Tickets: \$10, ages 6-12: \$6

*Please RSVP: 812-829-2599 *Tickets may also be purchased from Vicki Hogan



Looking ahead...OVCF will celebrate its **13th anniversary** on Sunday, October 22!! Please join us for one service at 10 AM and a pitch-in picnic to follow! Please sign up to let us know what you plan to bring.

All giving (unless otherwise designated) will go to our Building Fund.



Save the Date!

Day of Service-Sunday, November 5

More info to come!

October 2017

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1 Roots 5-7 Grace is Greater 5-7 (G>)	2	3 Dine with a Doc 11-1 Bill out of office 10-2 through 10/9-	4 LBS 12:30-2 Deeper 4-5:30 NO 66	5 LBS 7-8:30	6	7 Pastor Prayer mtg. 8:30
8 Pastor Ryan preaching Roots NO G>	9	10 S-OCS Fall Break	11 LBS Deeper 66	12 LBS	13 IDES youth work day & Koteewi Park	14 Men's breakfast @ Crossroads 46 7 AM
15 Roots G>	16 Leadership mtg. 4:30 Building Team mtg. 6:30	17	18 LBS Deeper 66	19 LBS	20	21 New Beginnings banquet 5:30 PM
22 OVCF 13th anniversary! 1 service @ 10 Roots NO G> Luther movie @ the Tivoli (sponsored by The Connection)	23	24	25 LBS Deeper @ the Warehouse 4-8 66	26 LBS	27	28
29 Roots G>	30	31				

For Your Information: OVCF office hours: If we are here alone, the door may be locked for security. Please knock or call us and we'll come to the door!
Diana: M-F, 8 AM-12 PM **Bill:** 812-821-1752 His day off is Friday. **Ryan:** 812-585-0545 His day off is Tuesday.
 Bill & Ryan are available whenever there is a need. Church office: (812)828-9840

October 8, 2017
 Theme: I AM FIFTH
 Series: HILLS
 Text: 2 Timothy 3:16-17



The Words of Life

“You never know how much you really believe anything until its truth or falsehood becomes a matter of life and death to you.” CS Lewis

We believe that the Bible is the divinely inspired, written Word of God, without error in its original language, and sufficient enough for all to know God's desire. (From the OVCF Statement of Beliefs)

I. INSPIRATION AND RELIABILITY OF THE BIBLE

The Bible is composed of (_____) and was written by (_____) spanning across (_____). There are an estimated 5-6 billion copies in existence.

Here's what we **don't** mean when we say that the Bible is the divinely inspired, written Word of God:

- 1.) God (_____) the authors.
- 2.) God (_____) the authors word-for-word

Here's what we **do** mean: Through His Spirit's leading and infinite power God used human beings to compose the Word, allowing them to express their own (_____) within the context of their own languages and cultures. And yet, His (_____) were preserved in the process and outcome.

Reliability – Trustworthy or consistently good in its quality. Is what the Bible contains – from ideas to history to geography and more – trustworthy or not? EX: If the Bible is full of historical and factual errors or blatantly contradicts itself, it's hard to trust it or view it as reliable. *IS the Bible Reliable???*

II. THE BIBLE IS THE DRIVING MEANS OF KNOWING GOD AND FOLLOWING HIM

- 1.) The Bible is (_____) extended to us.
- 2.) All of the Bible (_____) and the (_____).
- 3.) The Bible, in tandem with (_____), works to transform us.

The crux of the matter is this: Do you love the Word? Do you love the Author? He loves you. May we become people who delight in the Word of God – who live by it – who memorize it – who can't get enough of it.