

Prayer needs:

OVCF law enforcement friends & family: Caleb Hutchison, Ryan White, Shauna Wetzel

OVCF active military friends & family: Logan Cain, Missouri; Iain Ramsay, Oklahoma; Chris Erb, Missouri; Jessica Parmer, Colorado; Nick Hickman (Linda St. John's nephew), Colorado

Educator of the week: Tami Grandi, SES

Health: Our friends battling cancer: Dan & Kris Owsley (friends of Grandi's), Kris has stage 4 non-Hodgkin's lymphoma; Maverick Pendleton (4 y.o. friend of Hutchisons); Rick Ennius (Holli Truesdel's relative); rare blood cancer; Brooks Sharp (friend of Tami Grandi); Max Schneider (friend of Karen Anderson); Bobby Porter (Sharron B's nephew); Donna Keith; Chip & Lori Langley (Holli Truesdel's brother & sister-in-law); Stace Goffinet; Kelly McVicker (Paul & Marilyn Hill's daughter); Drew Hennessy (friend of Stacy Wood); Kris N. (Adienne Robertson's brother); Betty Patton (Terri Wainscott's mother)

Other health concerns: Don Taylor; Ryan Laws; Greg Wainscott; Marilyn DeFord; Carole Smith (Kris Samick's mother); Susie Terrell; Kathy Stuffle (Meshelle Roberts' mother); Pat Kropack (Bob's grandmother); Melvin Bault; Fred Mueller (Bob Kropack's grandfather); Becky Schrock; Isaiah Reppert (Hogan's grandson); Jackie Helderman, back surgery; Mike Basey, vertigo; Tim Huffman (Sarah Schneider's father); Dylan Deem (friend of Jasmine St. John); Gail Horn; Arionna Chambers; Anne Basey; Joe Wyatt, shoulder issues; Jasmine St. John; Mike Edwards; Al & Elaine Akerson (Wayne's parents); Grace & Gloria Chandler; Susie Roberts, (Sydney Stockmann's aunt); Dolores Hamilton (Ray Monticue's mother); Dale Nicholson, migraines; Diane Morries (aunt of Kaedence Beckwith); Alexander Chambers; Chris Wainscott; Divya Sengupta (Kartik Srinivasan's cousin), kidney problems; Jose Burgos (friend of Bivi Torres), hand injury; Taylor Kay (Bault's granddaughter), Hashimoto's disease; Ray & Marge Monticue; Rusty Turner; Kathryn Anderson

Healthy pregnancy: Katie (& Ryan) Keene, scheduled for delivery on January 2.

Congratulations to Todd & Jodie Eden's family! Their son, Brandon and daughter-in-law, Franki welcomed their son, Ripp into the world on 11/23!

Sympathy: We extend our sympathy to the family & friends of Marilyn DeFord. She passed away on 11/28/22.

*Please keep Pastor Bill, Pastor Ryan, Diana and our elders (Wayne Akerson, Jeff Carlson and David Robertson) in prayer as they make ongoing decisions for OVCF.

Weekly statistics: November 27, 2022

Attendance: 145

Est. Live Stream attendance: 30

Roots: NO ROOTS

General Fund: \$3,614.47

Building Fund: \$241,200.22

Owen Valley Christian Fellowship

December 4, 2022

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Our mission: Connecting people to Jesus

Our vision:

Pursuing Jesus Passionately

Demonstrating Jesus Visibly

Revealing Jesus Clearly

Preparing Disciples to Obey Jesus Faithfully



Backpack Buddies: Donations are due today!

Thank you all for your generosity!!



Thank you to everyone who made our Community Thanksgiving meal possible!!

We served & delivered approximately 125 meals!



Christmas Eve: Saturday, 12/24 at 6 pm*

Christmas morning: Sunday, 12/25 at 10 am*

***Children's classes will not meet at either service.**

The nursery will be available but not staffed. We will have activity pages available for preschool aged children.



Online giving is an option! You may visit <https://ovchristianfellowship.churchcenter.com/giving> to give via a bank account or debit card. You will receive full tax credit for your giving. The system charges OVCF a small fee for processing.



Can you help with running our live stream?
Can you help with sound on Sundays?
We need YOU! We will train you!
See Pastor Ryan for more info.



Ladies, you are invited to join our Women's Prayer Group. It meets on Monday evenings at 6:30 PM at OVCF. If you have questions, please contact Adrienne Robertson at davadienne@hotmail.com



If you have not created an account, please take advantage of the OVCF subscription to Right Now Media! It's free and has many resources from Bible studies and videos to children's features! Scan the code or text OVCF to 49775.

For Your Information: If we are here alone, the door will be locked for security. Please knock or call us and we'll come to the door! Pastor Bill & Pastor Ryan are available whenever there is a need. Church office: (812)828-9840

Diana: M-F, 8 AM-1 PM secretary@ovcf.org

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Pastor Ryan: 812-585-0545 His day off is **Tuesday**. youthpastor@ovcf.org

December 4, 2022

2022 Theme: For Such A Time...

Series: Feasts with a Purpose

Title: God Delivers His People- John 10: 22-30; Esther (selected Scripture)



Christmas is a time of (_____).

I. A FEAST OF DEDICATION

Hanukkah was established as a feast of (_____) to celebrate the liberation from Syria by the Maccabean revolt. They were to light the (_____), which was to burn continually, representing the (_____). But the Talmud says there was only enough oil to burn for one day. Tradition says it lasted for 8 days, when the temple was (_____). The 8 days were historically tied to (_____).

What does this have to do with Jesus?

1. It is mentioned in one place- John 10: 22-23.
2. Jesus is (_____).

II. A FEAST OF PRESERVATION

Least known of the feasts- (_____)

Esther's position as queen was not her (_____), but the opportunity providentially given by God. God shook her and she (_____).

Esther's boldness saved the nation of Israel. Satan's strategy:

- 1) Stop Jews from living: (_____)
- 2) Stop Jews from living as Jews: (_____)

Purim is a celebration of God's (_____) and (_____) of His people.

Next Week: Series: Expect the Unexpected

Title: The Unexpected Birth- Luke 1:26-38, 46-55