

Prayer needs:

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

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

School-related prayer: Annette Brown, Treasurer

Our friends battling cancer: Christina Corder; Iris Laughlin (Dr. Laughlin's granddaughter); Jane Schneider (Will's mother); Kay Fatheree (Tiffany Groomer's aunt); Matt Truesdel; Lt. Col. Dave & Julie Allen; Jerry Wainscott; 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); Chip & Lori Langley (Holli Truesdel's brother & sister-in-law); 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: Tiffany Groomer; Vicki Hollowell (Jo Grandi's sister); Rhonda Meadows (friend of Marge Monticue); Claudia & Karen (Bruce Davis's sisters); DJ Bault; Heather Goshert (Jacob Schunk's sister-in-law); Emily Wyatt; Karen Warner; Cheryl Hunter; Carole Smith (Kris Samick's mother); Susie Terrell; Kathy Stuffle (Meshelle Roberts' mother); Jackie Helderman; Tim Huffman (Sarah Schneider's father); Arionna Chambers; Anne Basey; Jasmine St. John; Al & Elaine Akerson (Wayne's parents); Grace & Gloria Chandler; 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; Taylor Kay, Hashimoto's disease; Ray & Marge Monticue; Rusty Turner; Kathryn Anderson

Healthy pregnancy: Sarah (& Will) Schneider, due in May.

Congratulations: To Grant & Jordynn Sims on the birth of their son, Dean last weekend! Congrats to grandparents, Andy & Stacy Wood, Kenny & Karen Anderson and all their family!

Recovery: Jim Morris (Jeanna Srinivasan's father), knee replacement; Rick Adams (Tony Roberts' father), surgery; Rachel Nicholson, hip replacement

Sympathy: Our sympathy to Carolyn Carlson's family. She passed away on April 8. Our sympathy to the Jones family on the passing of Donovan's grandfather. Our sympathy to Andy Wood and family on the passing of his grandfather.

Weekly statistics: April 16, 2023

Attendance: 156

Est. Live Stream attendance: 34

Roots: 22

General Fund: \$3,484.35

Building Fund total: \$277,826.98

Weekly need for 2023: \$4,024.56 (what is needed for weekly operating expenses)

Owen Valley Christian Fellowship

April 23, 2023

(812)828-9840 www.ovcf.org

Our mission: Connecting people to Jesus

Our vision:

Pursuing Jesus Passionately

Demonstrating Jesus Visibly

Revealing Jesus Clearly

Preparing Disciples to Obey Jesus Faithfully



Thank you all for celebrating with us on Resurrection Sunday! We were given a total of \$7795.70 for missions! We rounded that number up to \$7800 to give to the missions we support and to help our community following the recent storms!

\$780 each to:

Chi Alpha (Britt & Furr families); Freedom Int'l. Ministries (McCall family); Hilltop Christian Camp; Int'l. Friendships (Jesse Cook); New Beginnings PRC; Revive Liberia Missions; Serge (Reed family); Weekday Religious Education; Youth for Christ (OVHS/Cassie Linville); our community, disaster relief



Upcoming event! Connections Women's Ministry: Ladies Night Out

- Friday, April 28 from 6-8 PM at OVCF
- Food, fun and fellowship! No cooking on your part!
- Potato and Nacho Bar + a special dessert. Water/tea/lemonade
- Cost: \$8 for age 13 & up/ \$4 for young ladies 12 & younger
- Please sign up so we can plan to have enough food. Please pay Linda St. John

Friends & Family CPR class



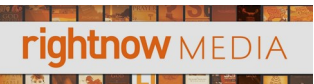
- **Saturday, April 29 from 9 AM-12 PM OR 12:30 -3:30 PM at OVCF**
- This is not for a certification card
- Please sign up, 1 workbook per family, limit 12 per class
Donation based. Contact: Linda St. John 812-829-7999



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.



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 Adienne 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.



Friends: It's that time of year again! We need help mowing/trimming the grounds here at OVCF. We supply the ZTR mower and trimmer, as well as the fuel. If you'd like to help, please sign up at the info table!



Hilltop Christian Camp: 2023 Camp registration is open! Register online @ www.hilltopchristiancamp.com OR pick up a registration form at the info table or from the bulletin board! **Please see Pastor Ryan or Diana for your camp scholarship code!**

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

Pastor Bill: 812-821-1752 His day off is **Friday.** pastor@ovcf.org

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

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

April 23, 2023

2023 Theme: Victory!

Series: To and From the Cross

Title/Scripture: The Boast of the Cross-Galatians 6:14-18



I. THE CROSS FREES PEOPLE FROM BONDAGE

Read Jeremiah 9:23-25

Why should we boast in the cross of Christ? It is the only way to be free from the (_____). The cross means (_____).

The crucifixion of Jesus struck a mortal blow to the (_____), to (_____) on our lives. See Col. 2:13-15

II. THE CROSS FREES PEOPLE FROM THE POWER OF SIN

Why can we boast in the cross?

1. The cross means the (_____).
2. The cross is the greatest demonstration of (_____).

Ephesians 3:17-19

Next Week: Theme: Victory! **Series:** To and From the Cross
Speaker: Pastor Ryan East- "My Emmaus"