

Prayer needs:

OVCF law enforcement friends & family: Caleb Hutchison; Ryan White; Shauna Wetzal; Nikk Wood; Ashley & Le'Von Griffin (Dawn Murphy's daughter and son-in-law); Clay McBride (Dan's son)

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

School related prayer: Jenny Hess, homeschool educator

Mission of the week: Youth for Christ, OVHS Campus Life and local club director, Cassie Linville

Our friends battling cancer: Mayo Knoy; Steve Schunk (Jacob's father); Nolan Miller (Paul & Kelsey's son); Fritzie Sips; Julie Butler (Karen Turner's sister); Wanda Klass (Marilyn Hill's sister); Christina Corder; Diana Saunders (Anna Katz's grandmother); Jane Schneider (Will's mother); Kay Fatheree (Tiffany Groomer's aunt); Matt Truesdel; Lt. Col. Dave & Julie Allen; 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 Barger's nephew); Kelly McVicker (Paul & Marilyn Hill's daughter); Drew Hennessy (friend of Stacy Wood); Kris N. (Adienne Robertson's brother)

Other health concerns: Tiffany Groomer; Rita Sampson (friend of Madi Arnett), stroke; Janice Higgins; Jiji (Gavin & Jenna Wells's foster daughter); John Owen (Don Taylor's brother-in-law), Parkinson's; Carma Mason (Kris Samick's sister); Marilyn Hill; Emily Wyatt; Karen Warner; Jackie Helderman; Anne Basey; Jasmine St. John; Grace & Gloria Chandler; Alexander Chambers; Chris Wainscott; Ray & Marge Monticue; Rusty Turner; Divya Sengupta (Kartik Srinivasan's cousin), kidney issues; Wayne Keene (Ryan's father); Steve Potts (Shelby VanDerMoere's stepfather); Claudia & Karen, (Bruce Davis's sisters); DJ Bault; Carole Smith (Kris Samick's mother); Al Akerson (Wayne's father); Dale Nicholson, migraines; Taylor Kay, Hashimoto's disease

Upcoming surgeries: Kindall Stewart (Natalie's daughter)

Recovery: April Chandler; Maverick Hyde (3 mo. old gr. grandson of Mike & Anne Basey) heart surgery on 11/14; Addilyn Hutchison, tonsillectomy on 11/17; Frances McFadden (Westin Linville's grandmother); Rosie Bault; Betty Hendricks (Lori Warner's grandmother); Tim Huffman (Sarah Schneider's father)

Healthy pregnancy: Gabrielle & Caleb Corder, due June 2024

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December 10, 2023



Our mission: Connecting people to Jesus

Our vision:

Pursuing Jesus Passionately
Demonstrating Jesus Visibly
Revealing Jesus Clearly
Preparing Disciples to Obey Jesus Faithfully



Christmas Eve Sunday services:
We will offer one 10 AM morning service and one 5 PM evening service! Children's programs and nursery will be offered at the 10 AM service only.



THANK YOU to everyone who donated items for Backpack Buddies!! We appreciate your generosity to help our students have enough food over Christmas break! ♥



Roots (MS/HS youth group) Christmas party is on Sunday, Dec. 17th from 5-7. Roots will take a break over the holidays and resume meeting on Jan. 14th.

Run with the Horses

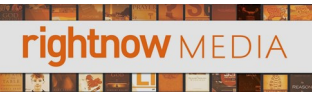


Pastor Bill's theme for 2024 will be *Run with the Horses* and is based on Jeremiah 12:5.

"If racing against mere men makes you tired, how will you race against horses? If you stumble and fall on open ground, what will you do in the thickets near the Jordan?" (NLT)



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.



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.



We need singers for the OVCF Worship Team. If you have a passion to praise and worship the Lord with singing, can sing on key and flow with others as a team, we can use you! Please contact Vicki Hogan by texting 812-821-6907 or call to leave a message.



Weekly statistics: December 3, 2023

Attendance: 182

Roots: 21

Est. Live Stream attendance: 32

General Fund: \$5,536.76

Building Fund total: \$317,387.06

Weekly need for 2023: \$4,024.56

(what is needed for weekly operating expenses)

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.

December 10, 2023
2023 Theme: Victory!

Title: What a Heritage! - Matthew 1



VICTORY!

I. A MESSY FAMILY TREE

Jesus' family tree is nothing to brag about.

1. Tamar- a (_____) who pretended to be a prostitute.
2. Rahab- a (_____) in Jericho who hid two spies.
3. Ruth- a (_____), a Gentile.
4. Bathsheba- an (_____), the "wife of Uriah."

We would say, "(_____)".

II. A SUBMISIVE COUPLE

- 1) Mary was a godly woman living in a (_____).
God will pick the most unexpected people, places, and things to (_____).
- 2) Mary was a godly woman who questioned but then said, "(_____)."
- 3) Mary was a godly woman who was married to an (_____).

NEXT WEEK: SERIES: More Than a Holiday

Title: The Role of a Lifetime- Luke 2:7-29; Mt. 2:1-12