

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; Christopher Erb (son of Heather Keith), Missouri; Nick Hickman (Linda St. John's nephew), Colorado; Shane & Elise Hickman (Linda's nephew & his wife), Terre Haute

Educators of the week: Bonnie Richmond and Beth Sewell, Guidance Counselors at OVHS

Our friends battling cancer: David Waechter (friend of Pastor Bill); Kate Manning (Rob Babbs' daughter); Jim Myers (Pastor Bill's friend); Carl Fulk (Joy Lee-Wills' father-in-law); Jackie Bauer (Joy's sister); Garry Grandi (Pastor Bill's brother); Debbie Calhoun (Mike Basey's sister); Mayo Knoy; Steve Schunk (Jacob's father); Nolan Miller (Paul & Kelsey's son); Julie Butler (Karen Turner's sister); Wanda Klass (Marilyn Hill's sister); Christina Corder; Jane Schneider (Will's mother); Kay Fatheree (Tiffany Groomer's aunt); Matt Truesdel; Lt. Col. Dave & Julie Allen; Maverick Pendleton (friend of Hutchisons); Rick Ennius (Holli Truesdel's relative); rare blood cancer; Brooks Sharp (friend of Tami Grandi); Kelly McVicker (Paul & Marilyn Hill's daughter); Drew Hennessy (friend of Stacy Wood); Kris N. (Adienne Robertson's brother)

Other health concerns: Christine Chambers; Imogene Tackett (Karen Warner's mother-in-law); Elijah Arthur; Dan Hassleburg; Cubie Riley (Audrey Courson's aunt); Rhett White (student @ SES); Erin (friend of Gavin Wells), her daughter & granddaughter; Carolyn Beckwith (David's mother); Therisa Bault (Tara Brinson's mother); Anne Basey; Ryan O'Neal (friend of Edwards family); Gavin Truesdel; Amy Anderson; Berkley Groomer; Tim Huffman (Sarah Schneider's father); Tiffany Groomer; Rita Sampson (friend of Madi Arnett), stroke; Gloria (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; Jasmine St. John; Alexander Chambers; Ray & Marge Monticue; Rusty Turner; Divya Sengupta (Kartik Srinivasan's cousin), kidney issues; Claudia & Karen, (Bruce Davis's sisters); Carole Smith (Kris Samick's mother); Dale Nicholson, migraines; Taylor Kay, Hashimoto's disease

Recovery: Christina Baker; Trey Jorgenson (friend of David Beckwith); Azariah Keith; Melissa Arnold; Levi Arnold; Kindall Stewart

Healthy pregnancy: Caleb & Gabrielle Corder, due in June; Jake & Brandi Markland (Jim and Diana's son & daughter-in-law), due in July

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April 7, 2024



Our mission: Connecting people to Jesus

Our vision:

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



Thanks to all who joined us for our service at Abram Event Venue! It was a wonderful morning to celebrate with you! We received \$4,089.60 to share with the 11 missions we support!

Many thanks to everyone who helped us with setting up, tearing down, transportation, sound and pictures! Many thanks to the Abrams for sharing Abram Event Venue with us!

Crafts & Cupcakes

Ladies! A **Connections Event** is happening soon!

Friday, April 12 at 6:30 at OVCF



Bring your current craft project or come learn something new!
Bring your favorite sweet treat to share & hang out with some great ladies! Questions? Please see Macy Carlson (812-606-9646)



It's that time of year! We need volunteers to help keep the grounds at OVCF mowed and trimmed. We provide the equipment and fuel. If you're interested, please sign up at the info table or call the church office! Thank you!



Coming Soon! New Beginnings Pregnancy Resource Center's Annual **Spring Tea Fundraiser**

- **Saturday, April 27 from 10:30-12:30 at the Christian Life Center**
- **Tickets: Limited number still available**
- Lunch will be served. Silent auction will be held.

- **Help is still needed at the event!** If you'd like to help or would like more information, please see Vicki Hogan (812-821-6907), Becca Anderson (812-360-7419), Sally Carlson (812-821-4792)



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.



Friends, we are making progress towards a future building addition! Please check out the display of pictures we have made available. Building addition highlights, for your information:

- We'll increase our worship area, allow for 1 service and our church family to grow!
- A new nursery to keep little ones safe and in close proximity!
- More room/amenities to serve our community!
- More classroom space in our current building once the nursery is moved!
- We will pay cash and build as funds are raised!
- We plan to have survey & site work/storm water management done in the next months!

Weekly statistics: March 24, 2024

Attendance: 192

Roots: 15

Est. Live Stream attendance: 40

General Fund: \$6,061.65

Building Fund total: \$339,059.25

Weekly need for 2024: \$4,171.38

(what is needed for weekly operating expenses)

Resurrection Sunday: March 31, 2024

Attendance: 262

Giving for Missions: \$4,089.60

Building Fund total: \$340,529.25

(\$1470 was given to our Building Fund on Resurrection Sunday)

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, Robert Anderson, Jeff Carlson and David Robertson), as well as Pastor Bill, Pastor Ryan and Diana in prayer as they make ongoing decisions for OVCF.

April 7, 2024

THEME: Run with the Horses

SERIES: Real People/Real Characters

Title: The Creator of it All- Genesis 1:1-2:3

Run with the Horses



"How would you answer the question, 'Where does personal Christianity begin?' The average Christian would say it begins with accepting Christ as Savior and Lord. That is not true according to the Bible. Personal Christianity begins with the existence of an objective and infinite God." (DeHaan- *The God You Can Know*)

I. WHAT DO WE NEED TO KNOW?

**Knowing (_____) is not the same as or important as (_____).

5 basic foundational principles from *Knowing God* by Packer

1. God has spoken to men, and (_____) is His Word.
2. God is (_____) over His world.
3. God is (_____) and is active in (_____).
4. God is (_____).
5. Godliness means responding in a (_____) way.

II. WHAT DOES CREATION REVEAL?

- 1) Creation reveals a God who is (_____).
- 2) Creation reveals a God of (_____).
- 3) Creation reveals a God who is (_____).
- 4) Creation reveals a God of (_____).

NEXT WEEK: THEME: Run with the Horses **SERIES:** Yes, They are Real
Title: He Started It! Genesis 1:26-31; 2:15-24; Rom. 5:15-19; I Cor. 15:21-22