NEWS+EVENTS

February 2, 2025

For more details and registration, go to heritageokc.org/events

February Memory Verse: "Only let your manner of life be worthy of the gospel of Christ, so that whether I come and see you or am absent, I may hear of you that you are standing firm in one spirit, with one mind striving side by side for the faith of the gospel." ~ Philippians 1:27 Look for the February Two-Year Reading Plan at the Welcome Desk and on our website. A One-Year Plan is also available.

Prayer Meeting: TONIGHT, 5pm in the Chapel. Join us for an hour of prayer and seeking the Lord's will through His revealed truth.

Monthly Fellowship Meal: This Wednesday, Feb. 5, at 5:15pm in the Chapel/Café. We're having ham, potatoes au gratin, green beans, salad bar, rolls & carrot cake; \$4/adult, \$3/kids (12 and under). Note: The meal is served the first Wednesday each month. Sign up online through TODAY!

Choir Rehearsal: this Wednesday. Feb. 5, 7:15-8:00pm If you would like to be part of the choir or orchestra, please email Jonathan@heritageokc.org.

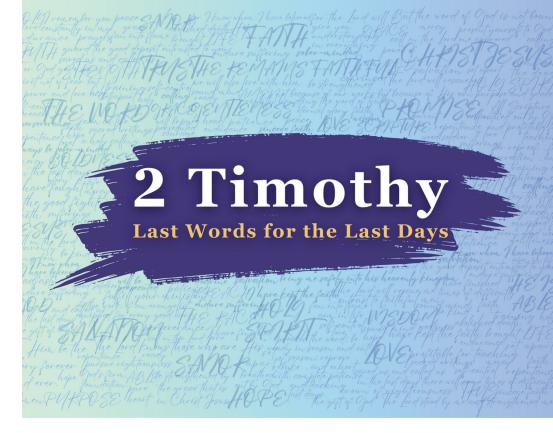
GRAVITY (aka Big Weekend): Feb. 14-16 (7-12 grades) – A weekend full of teaching, worship, small groups, fun, and fellowship. This year's theme is "reWIRE." Encourage your sons and daughters to take advantage of this once-a-year ministry opportunity. Registration and more details are available on our website! DEADLINE IS TODAY!

Life Adult (60 & up) Luncheon: Feb. 16 Chapel/Café right after the worship service. Sign up by Sunday, Feb. 9 at the Welcome Desk or by calling the church office at 405-720-1449.

Generation Why? Apologetics Conference (7-12 Grade): Saturday, Mar. 1 at OBU — What does it mean to be a Christian in the post-Christian age? This apologetics conference offers an opportunity to be encouraged, empowered, and equipped as a follower of Christ in navigating the challenges of today's culture. For more details and to register, see the Events page of our website.

Check out our website's **NEW "Events" Page** for a calendar view of events, including additional details and registration information.

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As a family of forgiven people, we are honored that you have joined with us today as we seek to develop people who delight in God and declare His glory—from our neighborhoods to the nations. Our prayer is that you will connect with God through Christ this morning and that this would be the beginning of a deep connection with other believers as well. Please take a moment to fill out the Communication Card located in the chair pocket near you and place it in an offering pedestal in the back of the Worship Center.

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Call to Worship

Psalm 67

Pastoral Prayer

Dennis McGee Elder

Songs of Worship

May the Peoples
Praise You

Christus Victor (Amen)

Scripture Reading

1 Timothy 1:12-17

Songs of Worship

None Are Righteous

Be Thou My Vision

Message

Marty Brown
Teaching Pastor

Song of Response

Be Thou My Vision

"Many of us, I think, fear that doctrine will simply become the dead wood of orthodoxy in our church, and so we cut it out whenever we can. In fact, doctrine is the fuel God has given us that, when lit by the fires of grace, burns in a white-hot devotion of Christian worship and discipleship."

~ Michael Lawrence

"If you are Christians, be consistent. Be Christians out and out; Christians every hour, in every part. Beware of half-hearted discipleship, of compromise with evil, of conformity to the world, of trying to serve two masters – to walk in two ways, the narrow and the broad, at once. It will not do. Half-hearted Christianity will only dishonor God, while it makes you miserable." ~ Horatius Bonar

"Let us note that our Lord does not name gifts, miracles, or intellectual attainments as the evidence of discipleship, but love—the simple grace of love—a grace within reach of the poorest, lowliest believer. No love, no grace, no regeneration, no true Christianity!" ~ J. C. Ryle

"Between the many opportunities in a lifetime to distrust God during trials or doubt God during persecution or desert God during worldly temptations, our journey with Christ is an ongoing fight that needs to go all 12 rounds." ~ Randy Smith

Submitted, Standing, and Suffering 2 Timothy 3:10-13

Big Truth of this Series: The apostle Paul encourages and warns Timothy and all believers to follow, entrust, and be always ready to proclaim God's Word with confidence and joy as days of difficulty lie ahead.

Big Truth of Today's Message: Paul encourages Timothy (and all believers) to submit to God, to stand firm in the faith, and to endure the sufferings of persecution from evil people.

v. 10a - "You, however, have followed my teaching, my conduct, my aim in life..."

v. $10b - \dots my$ faith, my patience, my love, my steadfastness..."

vs. 11-13 – "...my persecutions and sufferings that happened to me at Antioch, at Iconium, and at Lystra – which persecutions I endured; yet from them all the Lord rescued me. Indeed, all who desire to live a godly life in Christ Jesus will be persecuted, while evil people and imposters will go on from bad to worse, deceiving and being deceived."