

NEWS+EVENTS

January 12, 2025

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January Memory Verse: “*Shout for joy in the Lord, O you righteous! Praise befits the upright.*” ~ Psalm 33:1 Find the January 2-Year Reading Plan at the Welcome Desk and on our website. A 1-Year Plan is also available.

Rocky and Eric’s Retirement Party: Please join TODAY, Jan. 12th, at 4:00pm in Herndon Hall for a retirement party for Rocky Hails and Eric Schrock as we celebrate their years of service at Heritage.

Orchestra Rehearsal: Wed. Jan. 15, 7:15pm. If you would like to be a part of the choir or orchestra, contact Jonathan, jonathan@heritageokc.org.

MEN’S Third Thursday Fellowship: Jan. 16 - We will meet at Rudy’s on Memorial at 11:30 for food, fellowship, and a brief devotional. Email Jim Jackson at jim@heritageokc.org if you have questions.

Annual Youth Parent Meeting: Wednesday, Jan. 22, 8:00pm in Rm 106 – Come and hear about the heartbeat of the Heritage Student Ministry and learn more about upcoming Spring and Summer events/trips. Contact Kicker with questions, kicker@heritageokc.org

Fill Your Cup Women’s Coffee: Saturday, Feb. 1, 9:30am – Ladies, come “Fill your cup!” Enjoy coffee, a time of fellowship, and hear an encouraging word from Lisa McGee.

Unshakeable Conference: Saturday, Feb 1, 9am-3:30pm – What is truth? How do I know there really is a God? Can I trust the Bible? How is Christianity different than other religions? This conference, in partnership with Summit Ministries, will be held at Oklahoma Christian University. This event is open to students, parents, and leaders.

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 coming soon!

Volunteers Needed: Looking for an opportunity to serve the Body this year? Prayerfully consider devoting a season of service in Children’s Ministry and making an impact on the next generation. Email shawn@heritageokc.org.

Isaiah 9:6–7

He’s All You’ll Ever Need

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 33:1

Pastoral Prayer

*Billy McGill
Elder*

Songs of Worship

*Bless the Lord
O My Soul*

*The Everlasting
Love of God*

Scripture Reading

Ephesians 2:11-18

Songs of Worship

Now Why This Fear

*It Is Well
with My Soul*

Message

*Marty Brown
Teaching Pastor*

Song of Response

Now Why This Fear

“Peace should be a hallmark of the godly person, first because it is a Godlike trait: God is called the God of peace several times in the New Testament. He took the initiative to establish peace with rebellious men, and He is the author of both personal peace as well as peace among men. Peace should be part of our character also because God has promised us His peace, because He has commanded us to let peace rule in our lives and relationships, and because peace is a fruit of the Spirit and therefore an evidence of His working in our lives.”

~ Jerry Bridges

“God cannot give us a happiness and peace apart from Himself, because it is not there. There is no such thing.” ~ C. S. Lewis

“[Peace] is the very essence of His nature, one of His attributes. God is at all times at perfect peace, without any discord within Himself. He is never under stress, worried, anxious, fearful, unsure, or threatened. He is always perfectly calm, tranquil, and content. There are no surprises for His omniscience, no changes for His immutability, no threats to His sovereignty, no doubts to cloud His wisdom, no sin to stain His holiness. Even His wrath is clear, controlled, calm, and confident.” ~ John MacArthur

“What peace can they have who are not at peace with God?” ~ Matthew Henry

He Is All You'll Ever Need, Part 6
His Name Shall Be Called Prince of Peace

Isaiah 9:6

Big Truth of this Series: The prophet Isaiah foretold of the coming Messiah who would deliver His people and who would be called Wonderful, Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace.

Big Truth of Today's Message: What is God's answer to the darkest times in life? In a way that we would not expect, God has sent His deliverer, the Messiah, and His name shall be called Prince of Peace.

v. 6a – “*For to us a Child is born, to us a Son is given; and the government shall be upon His shoulder, and His name shall be called...Prince of Peace!*”

Romans 5:1-5

v. 1 – *Peace* with God.

v. 2a – *Access* to God.

v. 2b – The *hope* of the glory of God.

v. 3 – *Joy* in suffering.

v. 5 – *Assurance* of God's love.