

NEWS+EVENTS

July 7, 2024

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July Memory Verse: *“Jesus Christ is the same yesterday and today and forever.” ~ Hebrews 13:8*

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

Camp Barnabas: Please pray for the students who are preparing this week to depart for Camp Barnabas this Saturday. They will serve children with special needs and their families. Let's pray that the Lord will draw each camper and family member closer to Him, and that our students will experience profound growth in their faith and trust in the Lord.

Fill Your Cup Women's Coffee: July 20 – Ladies, come “Fill your cup.” Enjoy coffee, a time of fellowship, and an uplifting story! Karen Cowan and daughter Amy So Milligan will share God's miraculous work in bringing Amy So from Vietnam to the Cowan family.

Orchestra Rehearsal: The orchestra will be rehearsing for Hymns & Hamburgers on July 13 at 9:00am, and July 20 at 1:30pm. If you would like to be a part of the orchestra or choir, please contact Jonathan Dirrim, jonathan@heritageokc.org.

Hymns & Hamburgers: July 21, 5:00pm in Herndon Hall – Join us for a wonderful evening of hearing and singing timeless hymns of our faith and enjoying delicious burgers with the fellowship of our church family.

Moving Open House for the Brewers: Jim and Meredith are hosting a come and go fellowship at their home on July 13th, 8am-12pm. Please stop by, eat a cookie, and wish them well. Their last Sunday (Lord willing) is July 28th. Address: 6120 Willowridge Dr, Warr Acres, OK 73122

Resource Center — Develop Delight Declare: Cultivating a biblical worldview has never been more vital with the deluge of information we face in the media age. Stop by this updated area in the Commons to find resources to help in your faith journey. Each mini-book biblically addresses different topics from divorce, recovery, parenting, eating disorders, grief, caring for aging parents, etc. Each booklet is available for a \$2 donation.

Wonderfully Made Class needs a few more volunteers to help care for some of our children with special needs during the worship service. For more information, email shawn@heritageokc.org.

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Comfort
IT'S NOT WHAT
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2 CORINTHIANS 1:3-11

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.

Develop Delight Declare



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Call To Worship

*Hebrews 13:5-6,
8, 15*

Pastoral Prayer

*Rich Smith
Elder*

Worship

*The Matchless
Name of Jesus*

*Christ Our Hope in
Life and Death*

Scripture Reading

Psalms 77:7-15

Songs Of Worship

*God Moves in a
Mysterious Way*

*Dear Refuge of My
Weary Soul*

Message

*Jim Jackson
Family Pastor*

**Prayer for Barnabas
Mission Trip**

Song Of Response

*Dear Refuge of My
Weary Soul*

"There are broken things in life that won't be resolved or fully redeemed until glory. As helpers in the presence of inconsolable things, we can be tempted to take on what only God can do."

~ Zack Eswine

"Suffering is ultimately meant to turn us outward rather than pull us inward, which so naturally happens."

~ Dave Zuleger

"We should fortify ourselves against the dark hours of depression by cultivating a deep distrust of the certainties of despair. Despair is relentless in the certainties of its pessimism. But we have seen again and again, from our own experience and others, that absolute statements of hopelessness that we make in the dark are notoriously unreliable. Our dark certainties were not sureties. While we have the light, let us cultivate distrust of the certainties of despair."

~ John Piper

"For we do not want you to be unaware, brothers, of the affliction we experienced in Asia. For we were so utterly burdened beyond our strength that we despaired of life itself. Indeed, we felt that we had received the sentence of death. But that was to make us rely not on ourselves but on God who raises the dead."

~ 2 Corinthians 1:8-9

Comfort, It's Not What You Think...

2 Corinthians 1:3-11

1. God's Promises - Isaiah 41:10

2. God's Presence - 2 Timothy 4:16-18; Hebrews 13:5; Matthew 28:20

3. God's Power - 2 Corinthians 1:8-9

4. Prayer

5. God's People

Be present, because comfort begins with your presence.

Speak less and listen more.

Find ways to help.

Plan on a marathon, not a sprint.