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WEDNESDAY NIGHT

SPRING SPEAKER SERIES

For the entire month of April, adult classes will break so everyone can attend one of our Spring Speaker Series sessions. Similar to our Fall Speaker Series in October, there will be four topical classes led by our members and Oklahoma Christian University faculty. Classes will meet throughout the building, so pick a topic that interests you, join a class, and meet others from our congregation that you may not know.

- FALLING AWAY (Fellowship Hall)** **Brian Simmons**
Why Christians Lose Their Faith and What Can Be Done About It
- THE PATRIARCHS (Quad 1&2)** **Cedric Hawley**
Old Testament Fathers of the Faith
- FINDING GOD IN HARRY POTTER (Chapel)** **Pat Smith**
Biblical Themes from the Movies
- COVENANT MARRIAGE (Quad 3)** **Shawn McElroy & Randy Roper**
Preparing Engaged Couples and Strengthening Married Couples



2:00 pm
Edmond Church of Christ / North parking lot
(For children 5th grade & younger)

- Egg Hunts (2:15-2:35)
- Carnival games
- Moon Bounces
- Popcorn and candy
- Pics with Easter Bunny
- Lots of Fun!

*New Member
Dinner*

April 9

IN THE QUAD FOLLOWING EVENING SERVICE. ALL NEW MEMBERS WHO HAVE NOT ATTENDED A NEW MEMBER FELLOWSHIP MEAL ARE INVITED TO THIS SPECIAL WELCOME DINNER. HOSTED BY THE TRANSFORMERS CLASS.

CONTACT THE OFFICE FOR MORE INFORMATION.



NEWS & GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

SHEPHERDS PRAYER TIME: Wednesday night at 8:15 in the parlor. Everyone is invited.
MONDAY FOR THE MASTER menu is Chicken Tinga and rice cooked by the Hispanic Ministry with hotdogs for the kids. The YMCA class is responsible for dessert and clean up. We will not meet on Apr. 17.

FOOD PANTRY ITEMS: The pantry is very low. Pick up a list to take with you as you shop. This week: complete meals, boxed cereal, spaghetti & sauce, peanut butter & jelly, pancake mix & syrup

NURSERY WORKERS: Seekers class

FINAL LTC MEETING for students, coaches and parents on Wednesday, Apr. 12 at 6 pm in the chapel.

MISSION COMMITTEE MEETING on Apr. 9 at 3:30 in the conference room.

WINFIELD, KS, MISSION TRIP meeting on Apr. 9 at 3:30 in the parlor. See Tom Breninger for information.

NICARAGUA MISSION TRIP collecting beanie babies, kids' meal toys, toothbrushes, crayons, markers and colored pencils for the VBS. Drop items off in the box in the foyer.

WOMEN'S CHORUS will meet on Apr. 9 at 3:30 in the chapel.

REHAB

THE VINEYARDS: Kathy Zawadzki

CONTINUED PRAYERS

Priscilla Alley, Glendell Norman, Rosa Manhalter, Betty Wright, Paul & Rozilla Harland, Kenny & Mary Ann Sipes, Rodney Chambers, Tonia Lillard, Lynda Copeland's brothers, Mary Carney, Allen Roseberry's sister, Ellen Chambers, Jerry Scott, Kaye Boyce, Dan Barton, Charlene Miller, Shawn McElroy's grandmother, Donna Gleason's brother, Dan & Jeanetta Sprayberry, Bea Bowles, Lou Spencer, Ila White's son, Nina Anderson, Aria Filleman, Dick Shough, Betty Maston, Pat Smalling, Dixie Arnold, Tia White, Crystal Loden's father, Lisa Spencer, Dena Alsup, Julie Curtis, James DuBoise, Frances King, Terri Morton, Tia White

THOSE IN THE MILITARY:

Chris Gehri, Bradley Martin, Alex Young, Atticus Young, Miller Burkson, Clayton Williams, Cody Phillips, Alison Young, Cassie Essary, Janna Czernecki, Adrian Medina, Steven Washko

SYMPATHY IS EXTENDED TO

KAY OWSLEY in the death of her aunt.

KATRINA HALCLI in the death of her mother.

BRIDAL SHOWERS

KATIE ALLENBACH on April 8 at 2 pm in the home of Deborah Gibbs. She is registered at Amazon, Target and Walmart.

DARCI DEAN on Apr. 22 at 10:30 in the home of Laura Dean. She is registered at Dillard's, Anthropologie and Bed, Bath & Beyond.

YOUTH MINISTRY

APR. 10: Elevate, 8 pm at the Wiederstein's
APR. 13: Final Ascend, 7 pm in the Youth Wing



'SOMOS UNO'
WE ARE ONE

'UN DIOS; UNA MISIÓN'
SAME GOD; SAME MISSION

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

SUNDAY MORNING SERMON SERIES

**SIGNS
OF LIFE**

**SEEING, BELIEVING
& HAVING LIFE IN THE
NAME OF JESUS**

April 9
"Walking on Water"



April 26

**following Bible class in the
youth room for 6th graders and
their families to welcome them
into the youth group.**



April 29 - May 13
Please pray
for this mission.



APRIL, 14-15
ROGERS, AR



Acts 17:22-23

IMPORTANT DATES

APR. 9
Puppets & Drama during
Children's Bible Hour

APR. 12
FINAL MEETING, 6 pm in
chapel

APR. 14 & 15
Convention, Rogers, AR

APR. 16 Celebration; 4 pm in
chapel; student-led service 5 pm



HISPANIC MINISTRY
CHILDREN'S DAY CELEBRATION,
APRIL 23, 5 pm
Angel Park



REFLECTIONS...

JEREMY ROBERTSON
YOUTH MINISTER



On Friday, April 14, our teens and children will make the journey to Rogers, Arkansas for the annual Leadership Training for Christ event. While at the conference, students will participate in events ranging from puppets and drama to speech and song leading. These students have been practicing since January in an effort to develop their God-given gifts and talents. We want them to use these talents to bless the church today and in the future.

LTC could not happen without the help of our coaches. Thank you to everyone who has taken time out of their busy schedules to invest in our students. Your work to develop meaningful relationships with our students in an effort to model Christ to them will bless their lives forever.

To the congregation, we have an excellent opportunity to encourage our students on April 16 during evening worship while they lead the service. Stick around after the conclusion of the service to see our sign language and choruses perform. Take this opportunity to celebrate the hard work these students have put into LTC.

May God bless our students as they grow and develop their skills in an effort to bless the Kingdom!

Notes



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ATTENDANCE REPORT: April 2, 2017

AM Worship (total)	1157	Upwards	43
PM Worship	488	Primetime	81
Bible Class	992	Auditorium	33
Preschool	80	In Depth Bible Study	4
Grades K-6	140	Hispanic	16/37
Grades 7-12	80		
College	91		
Seekers	27		
Pathfinders	41		
YMCA	65		
Sojourners	30		
Young Families	70		
Transformers	56		
Sowers	70		
VIP	65		

MINISTRY PLAN REPORT

Weekly Plan \$41,008.00
Offering \$39,579.93

COMMISSION SUNDAY

Annual Plan \$382,288.00
Given to Date \$139,432.86

Next Commission Sunday

June 4

FOREIGN MISSIONARIES

Josué David Alcerro	Nicaragua
Julio Alberto Alcerro	Nicaragua
Harold & Arelly Ampié	Nicaragua
Ubaldo & Marisol Camacho	Mexico
Eduardo Cisnero	Nicaragua
Kye Courtright	Germany
Reuben & Maureen Kapaale	Zambia
Jana Miller	Zambia
Gerardo & Yesenia Rayo	Nicaragua
Roger & Diane Saumur	Montreal

DOMESTIC MISSIONARIES

Humberto & Irene Hernandez	McAllen, TX
John & Jill Schadegg	Logan, UT
Phil Sanders	Search

MINISTRY STAFF

Evan Burkett	Kent Risley
Brenda Gordon	Jeremy Robertson
Shawn McElroy	Randy Roper
Kevin Rayner	Tony Sepulveda

ELDERS

Blaine Allenbach	Dale Lollar
Richard Blankenship	Jack Lowry
Mike Cain	Dave Miller
Mark Coleman	Larry Miller
Andy Dean	Dean Niles
Sylvan Gordon	Lendon Shotts
Brent Keck	John Trotter
Lyle Kelsey	Jeff Whitehead

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

SUNDAY

BIBLE CLASS 9:30 am

WORSHIP 8:15 am & 10:40 am, 5 pm

TUESDAY

LADIES CLASS (Sept.-May) 9:30 am

WEDNESDAY

MID-WEEK CLASSES 5 & 7 pm

WORSHIP PROGRAM



SUNDAY MORNING: April 9, 2017

SERMON "WALKING ON WATER" John 6:16-20

FIRST SERVICE

Welcome Randy Roper
Song Leader Matt Batchelder
Songs We Will Glorify;
O For a Faith that Will Not Shrink; I Am A Sheep
Prayer Joe Kelsey
Songs I Need Thee Every Hour; Worthy is the Lamb
Communion Michael Cady
Song In My Life Lord, Be Glorified
Offering
Song As the Deer
Scripture Austin Lowry
Song How Great is Our God; How Great Thou Art
Sermon Randy Roper
Invitation Song There's Not a Friend
Prayer Bill Collins
Announcements Evan Burkett

SECOND SERVICE

Children's Story Time Kent Risley
Welcome Randy Roper
Song Leader David Burch
Songs We Will Glorify; To God Be the Glory;
Holy Ground
Prayer Shannon Haddock
Songs Praise Him! Praise Him!; Faithful Love;
His Grace Reaches Me
Communion Doug Hufstедler
Song A Common Love
Offering
Song There's Something About that Name
Scripture Ryan Gleghorn
Song How Great is Our God; How Great Thou Art
Children's Bible Hour
Sermon Randy Roper
Invitation Song There's a Fountain Free
Prayer Brian Jackson
Announcements Evan Burkett

WELCOME BOOK: Please take a minute to fill out the welcome book; white section for members and green section for guests.

A QUIET PLACE is available in the chapel during the second morning and evening services for anyone who needs a quiet place to worship.

WORSHIP PROGRAM



SUNDAY EVENING: April 9, 2017

COLLEGE-LED SERVICE

Welcome Evan Burkett
Song LeaderTanner Bentley, Edmond, OK
Songs
Prayer.....Ian McElfresh, Ferndale, WA
ScriptureBen Brown, Coppers Cove, TX
Songs
Lesson Forrest Whiddon, Waco, TX
Jake Whiteley, Crandall, TX
Invitation Song
Song
Lord's Supper in the Chapel Michael Cady
Prayer..... Mitch Barron, Parker, CO
Announcements Evan Burkett



April 9
Jeremiah 21-22
Right Attitudes Toward Sinners



IN SEARCH
OF THE LORD'S WAY[®]

Watch **SEARCH** each Sunday on:
KOCB-TV Channel 34 Oklahoma City 7:30 am
Also available at Searchtv.org
April 9
"The Nature of Worship"