

THIS WEEK - April 23 - 29

Sunday	9:00 am	Worship
	10:30 am	Sunday School
	6:00 pm	Jr. & Sr. High Bible Study
Monday	6:00 pm	Adult Coed Volleyball
Tuesday	9:00 am	Staff Meeting
	11:00 am	Orion Senior Lunches
Wednesday	6:00 pm	Awana - Family Meal /
		Awards Night
Thursday	6:00 pm	Elder Meeting

NEXT WEEK - April 30 - May 6

Sunday	9:00 am	Worship
	10:30 am	Sunday School
	6:00 pm	Prayer Gathering
	6:00 pm	Jr. & Sr. High 5th Sunday Bowling
Monday	6:00 pm	Adult Coed Volleyball
Tuesday	9:00 am	Staff Meeting
Thursday	10:00 am	National Day of Prayer Service at Cambridge UMC
Friday	7:00 pm	Women's Retreat at Harvest Church
Saturday	8:00 am	Women's Retreat at Harvest Church

Sermon Coming Next Week -**"God's Majesty & Our Significance"....Psalm 8*****Save the Dates:***

2017 VBS
July 10th - 14th
Go Fish - Victory

**Today - J Smutzer****April 30th - A Ames***An Evangelical Free Church of America*

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Nursery Workers

9:00 am L Britt / C Wells

10:30 am C Fleming / **OPEN****2 & 3 Year Old Class Workers**

9:00 am R Tuttle / V Snook

10:30 am B Vedvik / K Johnston

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Office Hours Monday - Friday 9am-2pm

*To Know Him**To Make Him Known**To Share His Love*

Please note that public testimonies & interviews may appear on our weekly podcast.

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***Hearing Assistance Devices** available at the Sound Booth for your convenience.*

“After Your Pastor Falls”

Hebrews 10:19-25

April 23, 2017

Four responses we should have...

I. Give space and time to _____ and _____.

II. Be reminded of the nature of _____.

III. Draw near to _____.

IV. Never lose sight of who and what our _____ is built on.

Fellowship Time -

Join us for a time of coffee & conversation in the fellowship hall immediately following the morning worship service. Sunday School then starts at 10:30 am. There is a class for everyone!

Adult Topics:

New Adult Sunday School classes starts April 30th:

N Juenger - "The Art of Neighboring" by Jay Pathak and Dave Runyon - *Fellowship Hall*
(To Make Him Known & To Share His Love)

P Warren - "Servants of the Cross" - *Room B.1.2.*
(To Make Him Known & To Share His Love)

L Roach - "The 10 Most Misunderstood Words In the Bible" (To Know Him) - *Room A.2.2.*

Z & C Downing - "Effective Parenting In a Defective World" by Chip Ingram - *Room A.2.1.*
(To Make Him Known & To Share His Love)

Welcome Center/ Website Updates -

New issues of the **Upper Room** are available at the Welcome Center. Check out the website at www.oscochurch.org for updated sermons and current/ past copies of the bulletin to download. Copies of the **TORCH** are available online or at the Welcome Center.



Special Upcoming Events: **April 26th - Family Meal/Awards Night**

If you could help serve the meal so our Awana leaders can interact with their students and families on this night, please see L Warren.

For ages 3 through 6th grade
All Activities run from 6:00 - 7:30 pm
Nursery is provided

Any questions, please contact: awana@oscochurch.org
&/or [facebook.com/OscoAwana](https://www.facebook.com/OscoAwana).

Youth Group - For grades 6th through 12th

Today - Bible Study - at the church - 6 to 7:30 pm

Upcoming dates:

April 30th - 5th Sunday Bowling - QC Fun Center - \$10 each
We are leaving the church at 4:30 pm. Please RSVP by April 26th to Pastor Tony if you are interested in signing up.

May 7th - Bible Study - at the church - 6 to 7:30 pm

Andover Park Project - On **Saturday May 6th**, the Andover Community Leadership will be installing new park equipment at the Andover Park and are looking for help. If you are available for any time to help, we would love to use this opportunity to serve our community and help them build this park equipment. If you have an Osco shirt and can help out that day, they are beginning the build at **8 am and lunch will be provided**. If you need an Osco shirt, please see Pastor Tony and he will see if we have the size you want.

Prayer Gathering - Sunday, April 30th - 6 pm

Join us as we draw near to God in prayer together as a church family.

Child Arise Giving Tree Bulletin Board – Have you had a chance to check out the bulletin board in the CE wing? The Giving Tree for Child Arise is an opportunity for our congregation to support the ministry by donating toward the cost of specific items. You can select which leaf you want to sponsor and give that amount. The Giving Tree will be up through Mother's Day. For more information, please see the specific instructions at the bulletin board or contact S Ashby.

LOOKING AHEAD:

National Day of Prayer Service - The Cambridge United Methodist Church will host a National Day of Prayer service on Thursday, May 4th at 10 am at the church.

Everyone is invited to this event which is observed all over the United States.

Women's Retreat - Harvest Church in Davenport, Iowa has invited the ladies of Osco to their spring retreat on May 5th & 6th. The retreat is called "Glimpses of Grace". Friday night is from 7 - 9:30 pm and Saturday from 8 am - 3 pm. B Willey is the speaker. Dessert is being served on Friday night and breakfast and lunch on Saturday (included in the price). The cost is \$30 for the retreat and is being held at the Harvest facility.

Registration is still available online at www.harvestdavenport.org.

Child Arise Bike Ride for Widows and Orphans - Friday, June 2nd - Saturday, June 3rd. Please see or contact S Ashby for more information.

Thank you to our church family and friends for all the cards, meals and prayers. Our entire family has felt those prayers and they have brought us peace during this difficult time, of my mother Nancy's passing, and also over this last year. We thank you for your hugs and encouraging words!

- **S Janson & family**

Pastor's Prayer Partners -

Today: N Juenger & A Kayser
April 30th: K Bowen & J Padgett

2017 ELDER BOARD

Ken Bowen

Nick Juenger

Larry Roach

Jeff Padgett

(Scripture Reader)

Paul Henschel - Teaching Elder/Pastor

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

The family of **G** (ex sister-in-law of J Kohrs) as they grieve her loss.

P (J Kohrs sister) broke a rib, her 3rd recently, she suffers from osteoporosis.

B (J Kohrs niece) recently lost a baby.

The family and friends of **D Solomonson** as they grieve her loss.

B Vincent (M Vincent's brother) - Unfortunately, the chemo has stopped working. Please pray for wisdom as he enters a trial program, and for physical strength.

L (friend of J Kohrs) Had knee surgery in February and just recently fell and injured the knee again.

Also lost her sister in January. Please pray for God's healing touch.

S Janson & family - As they grieve the loss of his mother, N.

H Kappelman - Recovering from pneumonia & a heart attack.

J Hatfield & family - As they grieve the loss of his mother, J.

L Britt & family - As they grieve the loss of her brother, R.

PEOPLE IN THE MILITARY -

A Wallace-Marines, San Diego, CA

E Wallace-Navy, Persian Gulf

T Staley-Army

C Abbot-Navy, Stateside (friend of Reddick's)

ONGOING NEEDS

P DeMay

L (Bowen family)

J Zahm

A (Mettlin's granddaughter)

S Vincent

H Reddick

D (J Kohrs brother)

B (Vincent family)

J Blocklinger-Hale (J Franck's mother)

PEOPLE BATTLING CANCER

L (W & J Allen's granddaughter)

C Long (Padgett's niece)

Missionary of the Month



Scott Johnson
YFC International

Keith & Louise
EFCA Reach Global in Asia

Current letters for our missionaries can be found in the foyer
at the Missionary bulletin board and on our website, www.oscochurch.org.



April Birthdays

L Reddick	1
A Ames	3
M Johnston	4
L Wexell	8
C Snook	9
H York	14
A Spranger	17
C York	17
L Hoste	18
M Betcher	21
A Smutzer	22
C Keeney	23
H Akers	24
N Juenger	26
J Kohrs	28
T Henschel	30
D Solomonson	30

April Anniversaries

B & J Franck	13
J & J Mettlin	27
S & T Scott	28
S & K Janson	29