

THIS WEEK - September 3 - 9

Sunday	9:00 am	Worship / Communion
	10:30 am	Sunday School
	7:00 pm	Jr. & Sr. High Festival of Praise Concert
Monday		Offices Closed
Tuesday	9:00 am	Staff Meeting
Wednesday	6:00 pm	AWANA
Saturday	9:00 am	Pregnancy Resources Walk4Life

NEXT WEEK - September 10 - 16

Sunday	9:00 am	Worship
	10:30 am	Sunday School
	11:30 am	Music Ministry Meeting
	6:00 pm	Jr. & Sr. High Bible Study
Tuesday	9:00 am	Staff Meeting
Wednesday	6:00 pm	AWANA
Thursday	6:00 pm	Elder Meeting
Saturday	8:30 am	Men's Fall Bible Study



Today - No Children's Church

September 10th - A Ames

The church office is updating our records of Osco Church families. We want to make sure we have correct spellings of names, birthdays & anniversaries; updated phone #'s & emails.

Please stop by the Welcome Center or contact the church office to see the directory and sign off on your information or make changes. New families please fill out an information sheet to be included in the directory. After we have all the updates a new mini directory will be made available with the Annual Reports.

Nursery Workers

9:00 am J & J Mettlin
10:30 am D Vincent / C Fleming

2 & 3 Year Old Class Workers

9:00 am L Vincent / J Spranger
10:30 am Ly Reddick / O Akers

Sermon Coming Next Week -

"What's So Different About Jesus?"
Mark 2:18 - 3:6

Save the Dates:

Women's Ministry Mentoring Workshop

Gloria Grell, Speaker
Saturday, October 7th - 9 am to 3 pm

Church Clean Up/Project Days

Friday, November 3rd - 3:30 to 8 pm
Saturday, November 4th - 8 am to Noon



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Office Hours Monday - Friday 9am-2pm

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

September 3, 2017

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



To Know Him



To Make
Him Known



To Share
His Love

“Justified!”
Romans 3:21-24
September 3, 2017

Justification is God’s gracious, legal verdict in respect to those who believe in Christ, forgiving their sins and declaring them righteous through the imputation of Christ’s righteousness. – Bruce Demarest, *The Cross & Salvation*

I. The Problem – Our SIN

How can I be right with God?

II. The Solution – Justification by Grace

A. By _____

B. Through _____ in Jesus Christ

C. _____ Righteousness (Forgiveness)

D. _____ Righteousness

E. Instantaneous & _____

III. The Results of Justification

(2 Cor 5:19; John 5:24; Rom 8:1; Titus 3:7; Rom 5:1; 1 Cor 6:11)

Coming Elder Transition – Please be in prayer for our elders, both present and future. Ken Bowen’s & Jeff Padgett’s time of serving will be up at the end of this year. Please thank these men for their service and be in prayer for them and for God to raise up others to serve as well.

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 start today:
N Juenger - "The Journey" by Billy Graham - Fellowship Hall (To Know Him, To Make Him Known & To Share His Love)
R & C Keeney - Financial Peace University by Dave Ramsey - Room A.2.1.
L Roach - "Eschatology: A study of the end times" - Room A.2.2 (To Know Him)
P Warren - "God's GPS" (God's Problem Solving) - Room B.1.2. (To Know Him)

Welcome Center/ Website Updates - New issues of **Acts & Facts** and **Today's Christian Living** 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 September Events:
September 20th - PJ Night
For ages 3 through 6th grade
6:00 - 7:30 pm
Nursery is provided

We are in need of volunteers this year!!
If you can help in the Nursery or as a listener on Wednesday nights, please see M Carlson. Thank you!

We are offering a class for parents during the normal club nights. A & A Kayser will be leading a study by Phillip Bethancourt and Russell Moore on "Christ-Centered Parenting". This class is open to everyone who still has kids at home, whether you have kids in AWANA or kids who are older.

Youth Group - For grades 6th through 12th
Today - QC Festival of Praise Concert - 7 pm
Tickets \$25 at the door. We will eat before the concert.
Upcoming dates:
Sept. 10th - Jr. & Sr. Hight Bible Study - 6 pm
Sept. 17th - Jr. & Sr. Hight Bible Study - 6 pm

Pastor's Prayer Partners -
Today: A Kayser & N Juenger
September 10th: L Roach & R Bilbruch

2017 ELDER BOARD
Ken Bowen **Nick Juenger**
Larry Roach **Jeff Padgett**
(Scripture Reader)
Paul Henschel - Teaching Elder/Pastor

Financial Peace University (FPU) is a Biblically-based class by financial expert Dave Ramsey that allows *you* to take control of your money. R & C Keeney will host the class here at Osco Church during the Sunday School hour starting **today**. Sign up for the class today on the church website or see R & C for more information.

Women's Fall Bible Study - Registration ends **today**. We will be using *Priscilla Shirer's* study of *Jonah*. This seven-week study will run from Mon., Sept. 18th - Mon., Oct. 30th. The Bible Study will be offered from 9 - 11 am or 6:30 - 8:15 pm. If you are able to help with childcare for the Mon. morning sessions, please see C or A.

Church offices closed - Mon., September 4th

Men's Fall Bible Study - Registration is now open. We will be using **Forgotten God** by Francis Chan. This seven-week study on the Holy Spirit begins the weekend of September 16th and 17th and will be offered from 8:30-9:30 am (Saturdays) or 6-7 pm (Sundays). Men, please plan on joining us for this great study!

Pregnancy Resources WALK4LIFE - Sat., September 9 - Two locations to choose from!
Check-In 8:30 am / Walk 9:00 am
Register & Raise Funds: WWW.QCPREGNANCYPARTNERS.ORG

LOOKING AHEAD:

Music Ministry Meeting - On September 10th, immediately following Sunday School, we will be having a short meeting in the Fellowship Hall for all those wanting to be involved in worship moving forward. We will be discussing some guidelines and giving out scheduling information, among other things. Please attend if you are interested, or want to learn more. Please see A or A Kayser, D Vincent, or H Hoste with any questions.

TORCH Items Due to Office -
Fri., September 21st - Noon
Just a reminder that we cannot guarantee space if TORCH information is sent in after the deadline.

Prayer Gathering - Sun., September 24th - **5 pm**
Join us as we draw near to God in prayer together as a church family.

All-Church Fall Potluck at the Snook's - Sun., October 1st at 5 pm Please bring a meat/main dish and a side dish to share. Table service and drinks will be furnished. We would love to have the entire church family join us for this evening of fun and fellowship!

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

K Bowen - Fell down a flight of stairs and had to get stitches, also injured his back.

T Vedvik - Recovering from surgery on her right shin.

B (T VanDerSnick's friend) - Having multiple brain surgeries.

J Kohrs - Recovering from eye surgery.

C Fleming and family - As they grieve the loss of her mother, D Coon.

M Vincent and family - As they grieve the loss of his brother, B Vincent.

D Carlson's pregnancy - Pray for health of mom & twin babies.

T VanDerSnick - Home, recovering from a heart attack, surgery upcoming.

M York's pregnancy - Pray for health of mom & baby.

PEOPLE IN THE MILITARY -

A Wallace-Marines, San Diego, CA

T Staley-Army, Fort Sill, OK

E Wallace-Navy, Washington DC

ONGOING NEEDS

S Vincent

J Zahm

H Reddick

D (friend of Vincent's)

B (Vincent family)

L (Bowen family)

D Moody

D (J Kohrs brother)

J Blocklinger-Hale (J Franck's mother)

PEOPLE BATTLING CANCER

L (W & J Allen's granddaughter)

A (Mettlin's granddaughter)

C Long (Padgett's niece)

Missionaries of the Month



Wayne & Jeanine Allen
Freedom Ministries



The Legacy Home

Current letters for our missionaries can be found on our website, www.oscochurch.org.



September Birthdays

D Vincent	5
L Carlson	7
D Ames	8
K Franck	10
S Wittenauer	11
J Franck	12
A Wexell	13
A Maertens	14
T Vedvik	16
B Vedvik	17
C Henschel	20
B Wells	22
H Wexell	25
L Carlson	25
B Wittenauer	26
G Snook	27
K Keeney	28
C Kappelman	29
A Hoste	30
S Ames	30

September Anniversaries

F & D Wallace	9
T & N Case	16