

Prayer

Join us each Sunday in October
for the sermon series "Prayer"
with Pastor Ja Whyte

MONTHLY NEWSLETTER | OAKLEY CHRISTIAN CHURCH | OCTOBER 2017

"SOUP FOR TWO"

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 14 | 6:30 PM

OAKLEY CHRISTIAN CHURCH
BASEMENT

COME ENJOY A FUN EVENING. THERE WILL BE A VARIETY OF SOUPS AS WELL AS CINNAMON ROLLS TO ENJOY. CHILDCARE WILL BE PROVIDED FROM 6:30 PM TO 9:30 PM. FOLLOWING SUPPER, WE WILL PLAY A FUN CARD GAME (ANYONE CAN PLAY!) AND PRIZES WILL BE AWARDED.

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS, PLEASE CONTACT JULIE MAURATH 785.671.3750.

Please sign up in the foyer of the church if you plan to attend and also if you plan to bring children. Thank you!



October Events

- Oct 14 | Soup for Two event at 6:30 pm; child care provided
- Oct 14 | Full Circle Speaker for OCC in Colby at 1:30 pm
- Oct 12 & 26 | MOPS at 9:30 am
- Oct 27 | High School 5th Quarter following the football game
- Tuesdays at 10:00 am Women's Bible Study
- Hospital church services Sundays at 4:00 pm

From the Whyte House

I wanted to take this opportunity to share with you about our new online giving opportunity. In September we launched online giving on our website. This is a very easy way to give to OCC. We decided to provide this opportunity for a few reasons. First, we understand that doing things online is convenient for some and has become a normal way to conduct business. Second, we have noticed that when our Sunday morning attendance drops so does our giving and though our attendance might go back up the following Sunday our giving doesn't necessarily follow the same pattern. So online giving allows us to give whether we are at church or not. Third, we know that life gets busy and you might be pressed for a certain church function deadline where monies are due on a certain date. Online giving allows us to make a one time payment (designated to whatever ministry/event) so that you are paid by the due date.

I know that, for some, this is a new and possibly scary endeavour. Let me say this. You don't have to give to OCC through online giving. We will still be passing the offering plate and so you can still give a check or cash as the plate is passed. However, we have implemented this opportunity so that others who already conduct their financial business online or for those who would like the added convenience of being able to give online can do so.

The set up is very easy. Simply go to our website <http://www.oakleychristianchurch.com/> and then head to the lower right corner of the page. There you will find a blue rectangle button that says, "Give Online" (there is also a "Give Online" link at the top of the web page under the "Get Involved" tab). Press that blue button and it will take you directly to our online giving page supported by Sharefaith. At this point you can Log in (if you have already created an account), you can register a new account or you can simply type in the type of gift (one time, recurring, etc.) that you would like to give and the amount that you would like to give as well as any comments that are needed to explain the specific gift. Then click next where you will be taken to a page where you can enter all of your banking information. We strongly encourage you to create an account so that our Treasurer can provide you with a summary of all your online giving.

I hope that this has helped make sense of the online giving opportunity that we are excited to share with everyone. I have also provided a direct link to the online giving page in case you are unable to locate it on our web page <https://secure.sharefaithgiving.com/go/form.php?rid=e6c43b4f6d3e&>

If you have any questions about online giving please let us know.

Blessings,

Ja

Casting all your care upon Him,
for He cares for you.
1 Peter 5:7



OASIS

STUDENT CONFERENCE

Nov 17-18 | Manhattan, KS

worship



JHB

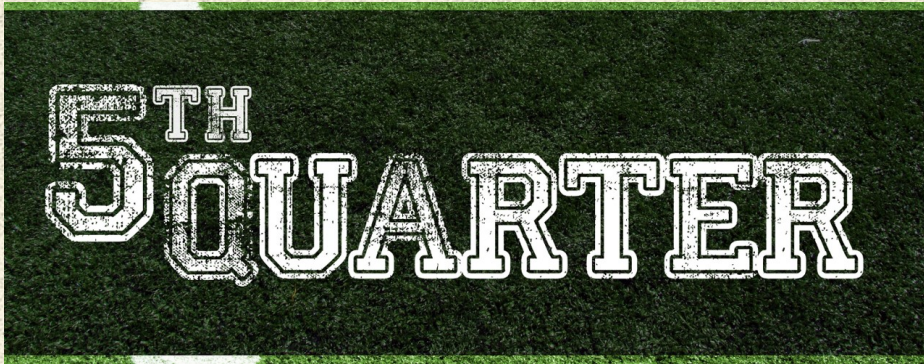
speaker &
hip-hop artist



Trip Lee



Pick up forms to sign up for OASIS at The Cave, the church office, or get one from Jason



High School 5th Quarter

Friday, October 27

Held after the football game at
The Cave

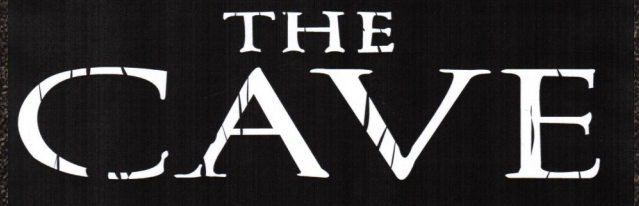
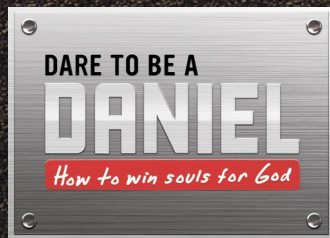


BIBLE CLUB Kindergarten - 4th grades

Wednesdays | 2:30 pm to 3:30 pm

Dare To Be A Daniel - 5th grade

Wednesdays | 3:30 pm to 4:30 pm



YOUTH GROUPS at
The Cave

Wednesdays

Middle School at 6:00 PM

High School at 7:30 PM

October is

Pastor

APPRECIATION MONTH

Thank
you



Ja & Heidi Whyte, Karsten & Chloe

Started on staff: June of 2014

What I like best about my ministry: I love ministry in general, but my favorite part of ministry is to see that Aha moment when God changes a life. That life change moment that only God can do!

Favorite Bible verse: Psalm 46:10

Started on staff: May of 1998

What I like best about my ministry:

Watching God work in people's lives

Favorite Bible verse: 2 Peter 3:9



**Jason & Wendy Schmidt
Tegan, Will, Eli & Jonah**

JOIN US

Oakley Christian Church is hosting the church services at the hospital for the month of October. Held each Sunday at 4:00 pm. We will have a devotion time and a song time. Everyone is invited to join us!



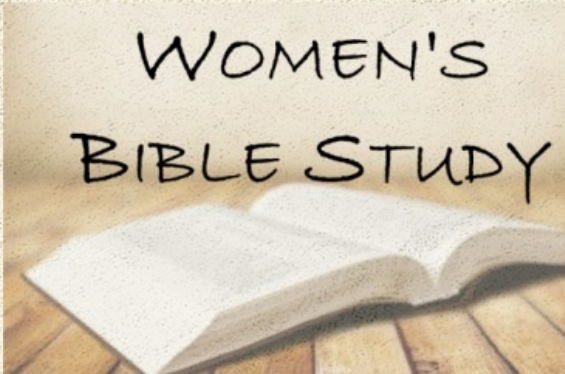
Full Circle Speaker
Elena Hagemeyer
 Saturday, October 14
 1:30 PM
 Held at:
 Celebration Community Church
 1973 West 4th
 Colby, KS



Elena Hagemeyer was 8 years old when she and her sister were moved from an abusive poverty-stricken home into an orphanage in the former Soviet Union. At a time when she was feeling unloved, she was handed an Operation Christmas Child shoebox gift. It was the first gift she had ever received. To hear about God's love in her life, please join us for a special time of Elena sharing her testimony.

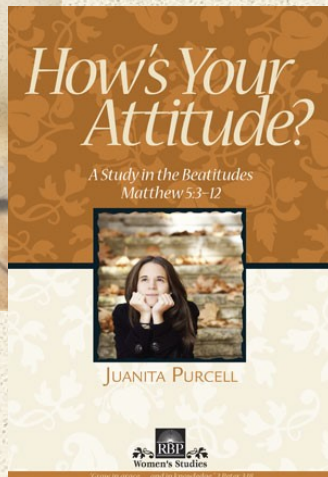
Contact Rhonda with any questions.

The last Trap Shoot for the season will be **Tuesday, October 10 at 7:00 pm** held at the Oakley Trap Club south of town. Everyone is welcome to join in on the team! Contact Glen Good with questions.



Tuesdays at 10:00 am, Women's Bible Study meets at the church.

A new study is beginning "How's Your Attitude?" by Juanita Purcell, a Study in the Beatitudes Matthew 5:3-12. All women are welcome to attend.



There has been some cleaning and organizing going on at the church! We have some printed piano and organ music, it will be in the foyer for you to take what you want.



MOPS of Oakley

Meets the 2nd & 4th Thursdays
of each month | 9:30 am to
11:00 am, held at the church
Child care is provided!

MISSION SPOTLIGHT

Each month at OCC, we will spotlight one of the 11 missions that we support. Information about all the missions/missionaries we support is also available on our website www.oakleychristianchurch.com under the MISSIONS tab. This month's spotlight is Tri State Praise KGCR

KGCR's primary format is religious adult contemporary (MercyMe, Brandon Heath, Natalie Grant, Third Day, Casting Crowns). We currently air approximately 50% music and 50% informational and religious programs and news. We also offer a secondary signal, called a sub-carrier, that requires a special radio. Classic KGCR provides a mix of traditional hymns and lite southern gospel along with a variety of programs. KGCR is owned and operated by The Praise Network.

KGCR broadcasts 24-hours a day at 100,000-watts FM and is licensed in Goodland, Kansas. Our studio and transmitter are located 16 miles east of Goodland, near Brewster.

KGCR first went on the air in March of 1988. The station was started by Allen and Doris Quenzer and Herb Roszhart to support area churches and Christian ministries in meeting the spiritual needs of the tri-state area. The station was donated to The Praise Network on October 1, 1998.

October Birthdays

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| 4 Edith Clark | 17 Brevan Leitner |
| 4 Tegan Schmidt | 17 Kelton Repshire |
| 4 Rhonda Sperber | 19 Brecken Lock |
| 5 Jayme Pfieler | 23 Rydge Keller |
| 7 Carla Pilkington | 26 Tyra Koster |
| 9 Jazmine Webber | 26 Landyn Plummer |
| 10 Joe Renner | 29 Chloe Whyte |
| 12 Grady Leitner | 29 Glennis Boyd |
| 16 Nate Harter | 30 Curtis Larshus |

Anniversaries

- 6 Keith & Donna Corbett



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