

### From the Whyte House

We have been a very busy church over the last few weeks. I just wanted to take a moment to say "Thank You" to all of you who have helped be the hands and feet of Jesus through serving in this community. Primarily, with the 2 specific projects. The first project was Impact Day as we painted William and Mary Cunningham's house. You guys were awesome and the house looks great. William and Mary were very happy with what we did for them on Impact Day. The second project was moving rock at Lindola Merriman's house. She too is extremely thankful for the hard work we put in. There is no greater feeling than when you help someone, knowing that without doing what you are doing it wouldn't get done. You all were most definitely the hands and feet of Christ and we showed this community what Christianity looks like in action. As a good friend in Missouri once told me, "The church has left the building." For that I am forever grateful to be serving with all of you. Great Job and Thank You!!

Serving Him with all of you,

### **October Events**

- October 7 | Potluck Dinner following worship | Celebrating Edith Clark's 85th birthday, please bring a dessert /side dish (Clark family is providing the meat)
- October 14 | 12:30 pm Last Trap Shoot of the season
- October 11 & 25
   9:30 am to 11:00 am
   MOPS at the church
- Tuesdays at 10:00 am Women's Bible Study
- October 18 | 7:30 pm Elders Meeting
- October 28 | Diaper/ Freezer Meal Shower for the Keller family & the Wright family

IMPACT

OCC 5th Annual Impact Day - September 22, 2018. Scraping and painting the home of William and Mary Cunningham - great job!















## NEXT STEPS!

Begins Sunday, October 7 9:30 AM | 4 week class

NEXT STEPS CLASS: is a 4 week class intended to help you connect at Oakley Christian Church. Whether you are questioning who God is or you have spent much of your life as a follower of Jesus Christ; we hope to answer your questions about God and about Oakley Christian Church. Join us beginning October 7 at 9:30 am in the basement. If you have any questions, please talk to Pastor Ja.



The last Trap Shoot for the season will be **Sunday, October 14th at 12:30 pm.** Everyone is welcome to join in on the team! Contact Glen Good with questions.



Ja Whyte, Lead Pastor
Heidi, Karsten, Chloe
Ja has been with OCC for almost 4 1/2 years

Jason Schmidt, Associate/Youth Pastor Wendy, Tegan, Will, Eli, Jonah Jason has been with OCC for 20 years







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

# PRAYERFORCE

A new ministry at OCC! Oakley Christian Church Adults praying for High School kids that attend The Cave HS Youth Group and/or Oakley Christian Church!

Thank you to all the adults who chose a student to pray for. We have 24 students with OCC prayer warriors! We have a few new students that need prayer warriors, if you would like to pray for them, please contact Rhonda.



YOUTH GROUPS at The Cave Wednesdays Middle School at 6:00 PM High School at 7:30 PM



Adventure Bible Zone is our Children's Church Ministry! Held every other Sunday during the sermon time for kids age 4 years to 4th grade! We will be doing a VBS REWIND during October, reviewing all the great things we learned at VBS!

October 14 | Leader: Jason Schmidt Helpers: Ethan Abell & Jenson Schoenfeld

October 28 | Leader: Dannette Repshire Helpers: Jada Renner & Andelyn Johnson



### **MOPS of Oakley**

Meets the 2nd & 4th Thursdays
9:30 am to 11:00 am
Child care is provided
Held at the church

### WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY



### Tuesdays at 10:00 am,

Women's Bible Study meets at the church. Currently studying "Fervent" by Priscilla Shirer. All ladies are invited to attend!



Babies are on the way!

Emily & Calder Keller AND

James & Stephanie Wright
Are both expecting Baby #3
around the middle of October!

OCC would like to shower both couples with a Diaper and Freezer Meal Shower on Sunday, October 28th!

Please bring diapers and/or a freezer meal for each of these families! We will have places in the foyer to drop off the diapers and freezer meals on Sunday, October 28th! Help us bless the Keller family and the Wright family!





Oakley Christian Church is a **Central Drop Off Location** for Shoeboxes! We have a goal for
OAKLEY of collecting 225 shoeboxes! Will you
pack a shoebox?? OCC also collects ALL the
large cartons of shoeboxes from the NW KS
Drop Off Locations (there are 11) on Monday,
November 19th!! It's an exciting day of
collecting over 6,000 shoeboxes and loading
them onto semi truck trailers to be taken to the
Denver processing center. We have a great crew
ready to help but we can always use more, if
you are wanting to help on Monday, November
19th with loading shoeboxes, visit with Rhonda
Abell (the Central Drop Off Team
Coordinator), 785.953.7078.

NOVEMBER 12-19, 2018 is National Collection Week





If you are interested in joining a small group, visit with Pastor Ja or Pastor Jason!

### SMALL GROUPS at OCC Fall 2018

**SUNDAY | 6:00 PM** 

Led by Jason Schmidt Study: Parenting

SUNDAY | 6:30 PM | Men Only

Led by Ja Whyte

Study: "Unfolded" by Eric Geiger

**MONDAY | 6:30 PM** 

Led by Mel Snow

Study: "Living In His Presence" by Robert Morris



### Sunday, October 7th

Potluck Dinner and celebrating
Edith Clark's 85th birthday! The
Clark family will be providing the
meat, please bring a side dish and a
dessert to share!
Happy Birthday Edith!!



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