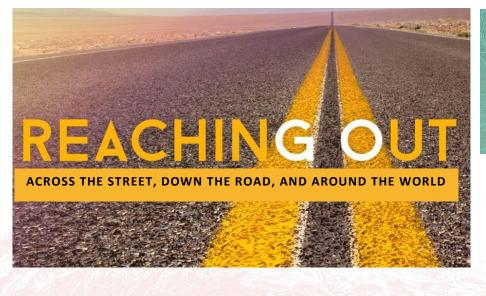
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MONTHLY NEWSLETTER | JANUARY 2020

From The Whyte House....

Well we made it. A new year is upon us and with it comes resolutions or things we want to do different this year over last year. Maybe it's commitments we want to be better at keeping. Whatever it is I would like to ask you to consider 1 main thing that might help the others fall into place a little easier. I would like for each of us to consider putting our relationship with Christ and attending church first in our lives. To make this easier may I pose another suggestion? How about asking a friend, co-worker, neighbor or family member to join you as your guest at church. We are currently learning about our 2020 theme and what it means to reach out, across the street, down the road and around the world. By asking someone to join you, you are doing the very first aspect of our theme, that we talked about this past Sunday..."Go!" Don't forget someone came to you so that you could hear about Jesus, so that you could go and share Him with someone else. I pray that 2020 is a fantastic year for you. I also pray that you can reach out, bring someone new with you and join us every Sunday at church.

Blessings on the New Year,





Tuesdays at 10:00 am

beginning January 7

All women are invited to attend

Serving at OCC

Those serving OCC as elders, deacons and deaconesses are:

ELDER: Kurt Maurath, John Pilkington, Mel Snow, Tom Johnson, Dwight Abell, Glen Good

DEACON: James Wright, Murray Bean, Jonathan Corbett, Zach Gladin, Jayson Schoenfeld, Craig Wamsley, Tristen Tyler

DEACONESS: Lila Greene, Tara Temaat, Mary Ochs, Linda Manning, Pat Gladin, Ginny Hornung, Leigh Ann Maurath, Caroline Waugh, Dee Smith, Jackie Marshall, Edith Clark, Jayme Pfeifer

Please keep these people in your prayers as they lead and serve at Oakley Christian Church.



MOPS of Oakley 2nd & 4th Thursdays of the month 9:00am Child care is provided





YOUTH GROUPS each Wednesday Middle School Youth Group | 6:00 PM High School Youth Group | 7:30 AM



BIBLE CLUB

For all kids Kindergarten through 4th grades

Wednesdays 2:30 pm to 3:30 pm

We will pick kids up at the elementary school, please pick up kids at The Cave at 3:30 pm.

Bible Club will meet January 8 to March 11,2020

We will not be meeting after spring break



Adventure Bible Zone is our Children's Church Ministry! Held during the sermon time, for kids age 4 years to 4th grade! January Schedule

Jan 5 | Leader, Jason; Helpers; Jada & Danielle

Jan 12 | Leader, Linda; Helpers; Kasira & Andelyn

Jan 19 | Leader, Dannette ; Helpers; Jenson & Jera

Jan 26 NO ABZ



Oasis is a weekend youth conference hosted by Manhattan Christian College and Kansas State University in Manhattan, KS. Oasis

features dynamic worship, teaching and fellowship activities that will help teens develop a deeper relationship with Jesus and leave challenged to impact their world for His Kingdom. Since 2005, Oasis has been encouraging and equipping students from across the midwest, and served students prior to that as the Kansas Christian Teen Convention. **MIDDLE SCHOOL STUDENTS**, **OASIS is February 21-22 Cost is \$50 Please have your money and release form to Jason by February 2. Release forms are on the table outside the church office.**



We offer Sunday School for all ages at 9:30 am

Pre-K –2nd grade on the Mid-Level w/ Linda Shoemaker 3rd-5th grade downstairs w/ Carla Pilkington Middle School downstairs w/ Tom Johnson High School 2nd classroom off the sanctuary w/ Jason Schmidt

Adult 1 | 1st room off sanctuary

"Count It All Joy" DVD series with David Jeremiah, led by Dwight Abell

Adult 2 | Downstairs

"I Never Thought I'd See the Day" DVD series with David Jeremiah, led by Glen Good

Oakley Christian Church Missions Prayer Calendar | 2020

Each calendar day pray for the mission/missionary/person listed on that day. At the end of the month add other missions to pray for. Matthew 10:37-38 says "The harvest is plentiful, but the workers are few. Therefore beseech the Lord of the harvest to send out workers into His harvest."

- 1st Oakley Christian Church
- 2nd Lakeview Christian Camp
- 3rd Pioneer Bible Translators
- 4th OCC Youth Programs
- 5th Pastor Ja Whyte & Family
- 6th OCC High School Youth Group
- 7th Pecos & Lynda Inchaustegui—Mexico
- 8th Justice For All—Wichita, KS
- 9th Pastor Jason Schmidt & Family
- 10th Manhattan Christian College
- 11th OCC Middle School Youth Group
- 12th Dan & Shawn Thompson Family (in USA)
- 13th MOPS (Mother's of Preschoolers) at OCC
- 14th Elders of Oakley Christian Church
- 15th Jim Rowh, Gather the Outcasts (Africa)
- 16th Brent & Robin Kejr Family Salina, KS

- 17th Missions Worldwide
- 18th Oakley Ministerial Alliance
- 19th Bill & Marilyn Fair—Haiti
- 20th KGCR Radio (Tri State Praise)
- 21st Christian Colleges & Seminaries in the USA
- 22nd Wycliffe Bible Translators
- 23rd Heartland Christian School—Colby, KS
- 24th Alpha Christian Children's Home Perry, KS
- 25th Living Water Orphanage near Mumias, Kenya
- 26th Operation Christmas Child (Shoebox ministry)
- 27th Chaplaincy Endorsement Commission
- 28th
- 29th
- 30th
- 31st



Oakley Christian Church currently supports 10 missions on a monthly basis. Five of these missions are missionaries "on the field". Those are: Dan & Shawn Thompson with Pioneer Bible Translators (currently in Kansas); Brent & Robin Kejr with Wycliffe Bible Translators working in Salina, KS; Jim Rowh (Gather the Outcasts) evangelizing in Africa, building an orphanage in Africa and prison ministry in Norton, KS; Bill & Marylin Fair (Fair's Evangelizing Haiti) building church/Christian College and evangelizing in Haiti; Pecos and Lynda Inchaustegui (Good News to Mexico) doing marriage and family ministry in Mexico. The other missions we support monthly are: Lakeview Christian Camp; Tri-State Praise Radio (KGCR); Chaplaincy Endorsement; Justice For All; Manhattan Christian College. To learn more about any of these missions, please check out their website/facebook page or go to our church website, www.oakleychrsitianchurch.com and click on the MISSIONS tab.



We have a few things already on the 2020 calendar here at OCC!

Potluck Dinners will be on these Sundays following worship service:

March 29 | Deaconesses hosting

April 26 | Both adult Sunday school classes hosting

September 27 | Deacons hosting

October 25 | Worship Team hosting



Sunday, February 16 at 6:00 pm

Held at The Cave

Child care available at Oakley Christian Church

Youth Mission Trip Fundraiser



Oakley Christian Church will host the Sunday church services at the hospital for January!

Each Sunday at 4:00 pm—join us!

Those leading devotions and singing each Sunday are:

January 5 | Murray & Janet Bean

January 12 | Mel Snow & Merabeth Riggs

January 19 | Jason Schmidt & Caroline Waugh

January 25 | Kurt Maurath & Kara Larshus

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The next elders meeting will be Tuesday, January 14 at 7:00 pm;

The next deaconesses meeting will be Wednesday, January 8 at 7:00 pm

