# **NEWS+EVENTS**

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September 22, 2019

**Pray for Stanley and Patience Mukolwe**. They are leading a marriage and parenting ministry that is changing lives and families for the better across much of Africa. Pray that the Lord would continue to supply all that they need to continue their ministry.

Heritage Logo T-Shirts and Caps can be ordered at the Children's Desk or by contacting Shawn at 720-1449 or shawn@heritageokc.org. Adult t-shirts are \$10; kids \$8; and caps are \$16. The order deadline is Sunday Oct 6.

Way of the Master meets two Fridays a month at 6:30pm in the Heritage House. This group is to equip Christians how to share the gospel simply, effectively, biblically—the way Jesus did. Contact Jeremy Howell jeremyh@communicateone.net.

The Lord's Supper will be observed September 29 during the worship service. We do this in remembrance of the Lord, and thus proclaim His death until He comes.

**HBC Game Night & Chili Cook-Off Oct 6** 5:30-7:30pm in the Ed Bldg. Game night provides a laid back, fun environment for us to fellowship and get to know one another on a deeper level. Bring your best pot of chili; toppings and cornbread will be provided.

# Mark your calendar for Heritage's Fall Festival, Oct 30.

Be praying about how you can be a part of this upcoming event at Heritage that will provide a fun and safe environment for children and their families to enjoy free food, games and inflatables—whether manning a booth, helping with cleaning up, and/or inviting neighbors and friends. Take advantage of this opportunity to connect with them on a relational level, and engage them with the good news of Jesus Christ.

**Wednesday Meal Sept 25**, 5:15-6:15pm in the Café; cost is \$4.00 adults, \$2.50 children. On the menu is **Oven-Fried Chicken**, **Mashed Potatoes & Gravy, Veggie, Salad, & Dessert.** 

**Find more information** about a small group or class on the groups page on our website or at the Welcome Desk.



Develop Delight Declare



As a family of forgiven people we are honored that you have joined with us today as we seek to develop people who delight in God and declare His glory—from our neighborhoods to the nations. Our prayer is that you will connect with God through Christ this morning and that this would be the beginning of a deep connection with other believers as well. Please take a moment to fill out the Communication Card located under the pew in front of you.

#### **September 22, 2019**

## **Call to Worship**

Psalm 57:5, 7, 9-11

## **Songs of Worship**

Forever This I Believe

#### **Baptism**

**Pastoral Prayer** 

# Ministry Highlights & Welcome

#### **Song of Praise**

Rock of Ages

## **Scripture**

Psalm 51:14-17

# **Songs of Praise**

Rock of Ages Christ Is Risen

## Message

## **Song of Response**

Amazing Grace

#### **Benediction**

2 Corinthians 13:14

# Ephesians 2:1-10 - Sola Gratia - Saved By Grace Alone

"Search Scripture through, and you must, if you read it with a candid mind, be persuaded that the doctrine of salvation by grace alone is the greatest doctrine in the word of God."

~Charles Spurgeon

"There is nothing in us or done by us at any stage of our earthly development because of which we are acceptable to God. We must always be accepted for Christ's sake or we cannot ever be accepted at all. This is not true of us only 'when we believe.' It is just as true after we have believed. It will continue to be true as long as we live... It is always, on His 'blood and righteousness' alone that we can rest. There is never anything that we are or have or do that can take His place or that takes a place along with Him. We are always unworthy, and all that we have or do of good is always of pure grace."

"B. B. Warfield"

"[It has been] almost twenty years and I still feel the old clinging dirt of wanting to deal with God that I may contribute something, so that He will have to give me His grace in exchange for my holiness. And still I cannot get into my head that I should surrender myself completely to sheer grace." ~Martin Luther

"We cannot sin beyond God's grace, because as wicked and extensive as our sins might be or become, they will never approach the greatness of His grace." 

—John MacArthur

"What! Get to heaven on your own strength? Why, you might as well try to climb to the moon on a rope of sand!" ~George Whitfield

**Big Idea of this Series:** There are foundational truths from God's Word that we must believe in order to be saved and transformed into the image of Christ.

**Big Idea of Today's Message:** Christians are saved by the grace of God alone.

**Review/Overview of the Five Solas** – The radical message of a God who does all the saving and who leaves nothing for man to claim as his own contribution to gain God's favor.

"What is the foundation upon which my salvation rests?" According to the <u>Scriptures</u> ALONE...

"What must I earn to be saved?" ...salvation is by grace ALONE...

"What must I do to be saved?" ...through faith ALONE...

"What or who must I trust to be saved?" ...in Christ ALONE...

"What is the point?" ...for God's glory ALONE!

#### **Definition of grace**

Ephesians 2:1-10 is one passage of Scripture in which the doctrine of salvation by grace alone shines brightly.

Vv. I-3 – What we were before God saved us.

Vv. 4-7 – What we are because of what He has done.

Vv. 8-10 - How He did it.