

NEWS+EVENTS

July 16, 2023

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Prayer for Camp Barnabas: Would you commit to pray every day this week for our students serving kids and families of those with special needs? Pray that the Lord would change hearts and lives for eternity.

Fill Your Cup, July 22, 9:30-11:00am in the Café is the next Women's Coffee. Darise Hails will be sharing words of encouragement.

HBC Game Night, July 23, 5-7pm in Herndon Hall: Game night provides a laid back and fun environment for people to fellowship and get to know one another on a deeper level. Join in—go beyond Sunday morning! **Pizza \$3 for adults, \$2 for children. Bring your homemade ice-cream.**

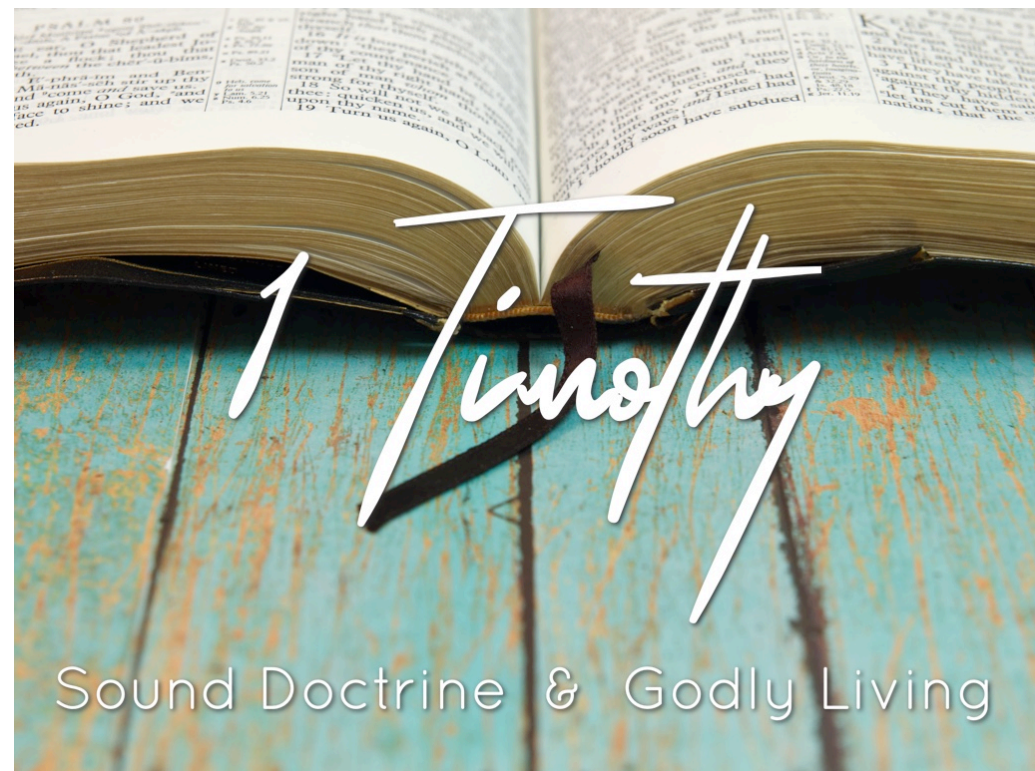
Guys Night, July 30 at the Rader Ranch 5-7pm. The very important topic is Scripture Memory. *Sign up online or scan the QR code on the poster.* Burgers, chips, and dessert for \$1/guy will be served.

Baby Shower honoring **Kaitlin Lee today, Sunday, July 16, 3:00pm** at the home of Kristen Bruce (1101 Leawood Drive, Edmond). Please RSVP to 918-693-8093.

Back-to-School Bash for Will Rogers Elementary **August 6, 6:00-7:30pm.** Help is needed with food prep, monitoring inflatables and games, set-up and clean-up. **Donations for school supplies are needed, see kiosk in the Commons.** For more information and to sign up to serve, email Shawn McGill at shawn@heritageokc.org.

Save These Dates: August 2 HBC Skate Night at Yukon on Wheels, 6-8pm; **August 6** the next **Life Adult Luncheon;** and **September 1-2** for our annual father/son campout, **Flee The City,** at beautiful Salyer Lake. Visit our News+Events page for more info.

Membership Matters Class, Sunday, August 20, 9:00-11:45am, House Room 202. This Membership Matters class is an opportunity for us to further explain some of our distinctives and how we aim to help you grow in godliness as you seek to make disciples. If you have an interest in joining our local church body or have questions about our church, **please register online by Wednesday, August 16;** lunch will follow. Contact Chad Kositzky (kicker@heritageokc.org) with questions.



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 in the chair pocket near you and place it in an offering pedestal in the back of the Worship Center.

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Call To Worship

Pastoral Prayer

*Rich Smith
Elder*

Songs of Worship

*A Mighty Fortress Is
Our God*

*Come Behold the
Wondrous Mystery*

Scripture Reading

Philippians 3:7-11

Songs of Worship

*Apostles' Creed
Turn Your Eyes*

Message

*Marty Brown
Teaching Pastor*

Song of Response

Turn Your Eyes

“I will give you this as a most certain observation, that there never was anything of false doctrine brought into the church, or anything of false worship imposed upon the church, but either it was by neglecting the Scripture, or by introducing something above the Scripture.” ~John Collins

“False teaching is often revealed in false living... Following bad doctrine leads to bad practices.” ~Douglas Moo

“As Christian leaders we will be required to admonish and rebuke. In fact, a good deal of time may be spent doing this work. It is an important aspect of ministry not to be neglected because it is used by God to rescue people from sin and deception. You will never know until Heaven the full extent of good you have done for others by rebuking them about sin or warning them about false doctrine.” ~Alexander Strauch

“Any preacher who rejects God’s Law, who denies repentance to be a condition of salvation, who assures the giddy and godless that they are loved by God, who declares that saving faith is nothing more than an act of the will which every person has the power to perform is a false prophet and should be shunned as a deadly plague.” ~Arthur W. Pink

“We have somehow got hold of the idea that error is only that which is outrageously wrong; and we do not seem to understand that the most dangerous person of all is the one who does not emphasize the right things.” ~David Martyn-Lloyd Jones

The Perversion of False Teachers

I Timothy 6:2b-5

Big Truth of this Series: God has commissioned the people of God, the church, to be grounded in sound doctrine and to live in a godly manner according to His truth.

Big Truth of Today’s Message: False teachers proudly oppose and pervert the truth of God’s Word, causing controversy and discord in the body of Christ.

“Teach and urge these things.” (6:2b)

“If anyone teaches a different doctrine and does not agree with the sound words of our Lord Jesus Christ and the teaching that accords with godliness...” (6:3)

“... he is puffed up with conceit and understands nothing. He has an unhealthy craving for controversy and for quarrels about words, which produce envy, dissension, slander, evil suspicions...” (6:4)

“...and constant friction among people who are depraved in mind and deprived of the truth, imagining that godliness is a means of gain.” (6:5)