NEWS+EVENTS

August 11, 2024

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August Memory Verse: "Behold, I am doing a new thing; now it springs forth, do you not perceive it? I will make a way in the wilderness and rivers in the desert." ~ Isaiah 43:19 Find the August 2-Year Reading Plan at the Welcome Desk and on our website.

Will Rogers Back to School Bash – TOMORROW! August 12, 6-7:30pm Join us in praying for a fun and safe event, hosted by Heritage, for the students and staff. Pray for the teachers and students to have a positive and productive school year. Also, pray that our church body will intentionally build relationships within our community, seeking opportunities to serve, support, and share God's love with those around us.

Wednesday Children and Student Activities begin August 28 at 6:30pm! Adventure Club (pre-k thru 6th); Students (grades 7-12)

Fall Midweek Adult Classes – Several Options Available:

Starting August 27 & 28:

<u>4Men</u>: Tuesday AM or Wednesday PM – "Called to Lead" <u>Marriage Class</u>: Wednesday PM – "God's Plan for Marriage"

Starting **September 4 & 5**:

Women's Bible Studies: Wednesday PM – A Study of Judges;

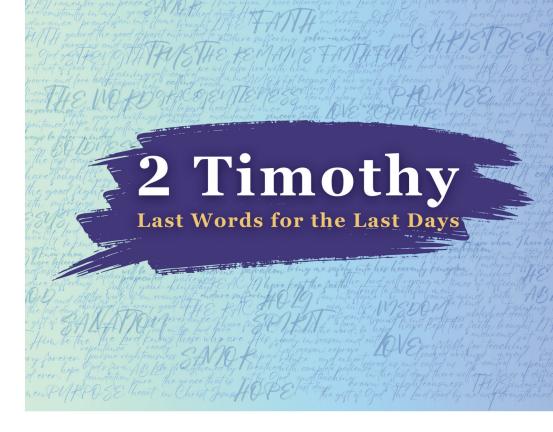
Thursday AM – A Character Study of Joseph;

Thursday PM – A Study of Ephesians

Choir & Orchestra Rehearsals begin this fall! Choir will practice on August 28, 7:15-8:00pm and Orchestra begins rehearsal on Sept 4, 7:15-8:00pm. Contact Jonathan if you are interested in serving in the Music Ministry, *jonathan@heritageokc.org*.

Volunteers Needed: As fall quickly approaches, many volunteers are needed for Sundays and Wednesdays in our Children's Ministry. Please prayerfully consider committing to a season of service and experience the blessing of impacting the next generation for eternity. For details about various opportunities, email shawn@heritageokc.org or stop by the kiosk.

FLEE THE CITY Campout: September 20-21 at Salyer Lake. Men, don't miss this incredible opportunity for fellowship and spiritual growth while bonding with your sons/grandsons and other HBC men.



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

Jeremiah 9:23-24

Pastoral Prayer

Marty Brown
Teaching Pastor

Songs of Worship

How Rich a Treasure We Possess

Only a Holy God

Scripture Reading

Philippians 3:7-11

Songs of Worship

When I Survey the Wondrous Cross

O Lord My Rock and My Redeemer

Message

Marty Brown
Teaching Pastor

Song of Response

Only a Holy God

"All the elect were virtually dead with Christ when He died upon the tree – they were on the cross, crucified with Him. In Him, as their representative, they rose from the tomb and live in newness of life. Because He lives, they shall live also."

~ Charles Spurgeon

"Perseverance may be defined as that continuous operation of the Holy Spirit in the believer, by which the work of divine grace that is begun in the heart, is continued and brought to completion. It is because God never forsakes His work that believers continue to stand to the very end."

~ Louis Berkhof

"Faithless' refers to a lack of saving faith, not to weak or struggling faith. Unbelievers will ultimately deny Christ because their faith was not genuine. He remains faithful, for He cannot deny Himself. As faithful as Jesus is to save those who believe in Him, He is equally faithful to judge those who do not. To act any other way would be inconsistent with His holy, unchangeable nature."

~ John MacArthur

"Everything about God is great, vast, incomparable. He never forgets, never fails, never falters, never forfeits His word. To every declaration of promise or prophecy the Lord has exactly adhered, every engagement of covenant or threatening He will make good."

~ Arthur W. Pink

The Faithfulness of God: Hope and Warning II Timothy 2:11-13

Big Truth of this Series: The apostle Paul encourages and warns Timothy and all believers to follow, entrust, and be always ready to proclaim God's Word with confidence and joy as days of difficulty lie ahead.

Big Truth of Today's Message: The faithfulness of God means that He is first of all faithful to Himself; to His own glorious character, to His promises to keep those who believe and endure, and His warnings to judge those who disbelieve and deny Him.

v. 11 "The saying is trustworthy, for: If we have died with Him, we will also live with Him..."

v. 12a "...if we endure, we will also reign with Him..."

v. 12b "...if we deny Him, He will also deny us..."

v. 13 "...if we are faithless, He remains faithful – for He cannot deny Himself."