

NEWS+EVENTS

August 4, 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.

"Spurgeon in Clay" Life Adult Luncheon (ages 60 & up): TODAY, after the worship service in the Chapel/Cafe. Enjoy a delightful lunch together and be captivated as Rocky sculpts while Ron Miller narrates. Please sign up at the Welcome Desk or call the church office (405-720-1449).

Prayer Meeting: TONIGHT, August 4, 5pm in the Chapel. Join us for an hour of prayer, seeking the Lord’s will through His revealed truth.

Heritage Family Skate Night: August 7, 6-8pm at Yukon on Wheels. Bring the entire family for a fun-filled evening!

Will Rogers Back to School Bash – New Date! Monday, August 12, 6-7:30pm
Help is needed setting up, preparing food, monitoring inflatables and games, and cleaning up. A few donations for school supplies are still needed; find the list at the kiosk. For more info and to sign up to serve, contact Shawn at shawn@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.

Fall Wednesday Evening Activities begin soon at 6:30pm!

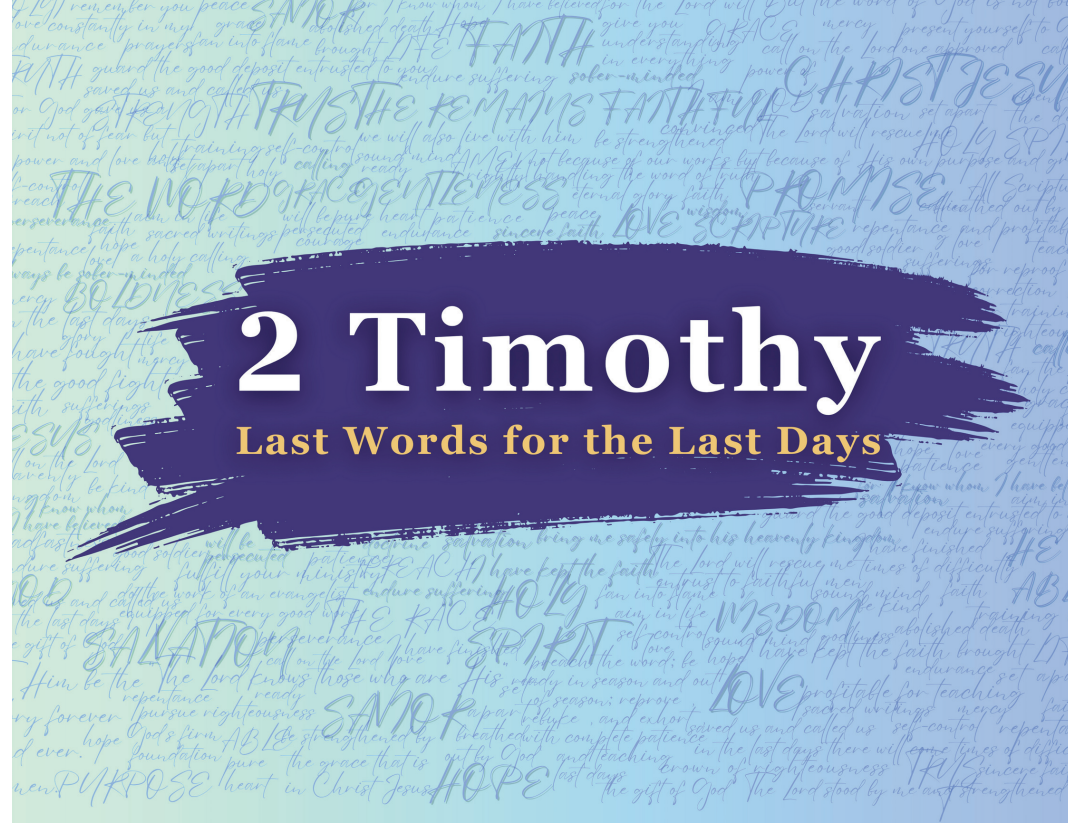
On August 28 — [Adventure Club](#) (pre-k thru 6th); [Students](#) (grades 7-12);

[4Men](#) “Called to Lead”; [Marriage Class](#); [Choir Rehearsal](#) at 7:15pm.

On September 4 — [Women’s Bible Study](#) at 6:30pm (watch for an email to sign up online) and [Orchestra Rehearsal](#) at 7:15pm.

Save the Date! FLEE THE CITY: 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.

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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

Acts 5:27-32

Pastoral Prayer

*Zach West
Elder*

Songs of Worship

*Crown Him with
Many Crowns*

*It Was Finished
upon That Cross*

Scripture Reading

Psalm 130

Songs of Worship

I Will Wait for You

Help Us See Christ

Message

*Marty Brown
Teaching Pastor*

**Prayer for
Costa Rica Trip**

Song of Response

*It Was Finished
upon That Cross*

“Remember Jesus Christ!’... sounds almost like a war cry, like ‘Remember the Alamo!’ or ‘Remember Pearl Harbor!’ Jesus is the Captain of our salvation, and our purpose is to bring honor and glory to Him. What an encouragement Jesus Christ is to a suffering Christian soldier! For He died and rose again, proving that suffering leads to glory, and that seeming defeat leads to victory. Jesus was treated as an evildoer, and His soldiers will be treated the same way.”

~ Warren Wiersbe

“If you succeed without suffering, it is because someone else has suffered in order that you might succeed. If you suffer without succeeding, it is in order that someone behind you might succeed without suffering.”

~ Adoniram Judson

“Jesus’ path to a crown of glory was marked by pain before pleasure, sorrow before joy, humiliation before glorification, persecution before exaltation, death before resurrection, earthly hatred before heavenly worship. To remember those truths about our Lord’s earthly life will protect us from the foolish and ungodly promises of the so-called health and wealth gospel, which vitiates His command to take up our cross daily.”

~ John MacArthur

“I believe that one reason why the church of God at this present moment has so little influence over the world is because the world has so much influence over the church.”

~ Charles Spurgeon

Exalt the Gospel of Christ and Endure Suffering

II Timothy 2:8-10

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: To grow as a believer and overcome the fear of suffering, you must constantly remember the power of Jesus Christ and the gospel, enduring whatever may come for the salvation of God’s elect.

V. 8 – “Remember Jesus Christ, risen from the dead, the offspring of David, as preached in my gospel...”

V. 9 “...for which I am suffering, bound with chains as a criminal. But the Word of God is not bound!”

V. 10 “Therefore I endure everything for the sake of the elect, that they also may obtain the salvation that is in Christ Jesus with eternal glory.”