

Attendance Last Week: 8:30am - 122 11:00am - 191 Total - 313

During the worship services a NURSERY is available for children ages
2-3 years in Room 113 and under 2 years in Room 104.

**During 11:00 service: CHILDREN'S CHURCH is available for
4 yr olds - 2nd Grade in Room 119.**

CLIPBOARDS with packets of crayons and papers are available in baskets
at the doors for children to use during the services. Please return
to the baskets at the end of the service.

☞Here's What's Happening!☞

- SUNDAY: ✧Come together to **PRAY** in Room 114 during 8:30 or 11:00 service.
✧NOCC OFFICIAL MEMBERS--VOTE for Nominating Committee
at the table in the Gathering Space!
✧12:30pm - SQUARE ONE get acquainted over lunch, hosted by Pastor
Ken and Rachel, designed to help newcomers get past "Square ONE"
at NOCC. All visitors and newcomers are welcome!!
✧3:00-4:00pm - High School Guys' Bible Study at the Center
✧4:30pm - Unite (College Ministry) meets in the Youth Center
✧5:30pm - College Students' Supper at NOCC. All college students invited!
✧NO Precepts Bible Study
✧6:30-9:30pm - Perspectives class meets in the sanctuary. Childcare is
not provided.

- THIS WEEK: MON 1:00pm - Staff meeting at the Center
5:30pm - Deacon meeting at Room 114
6:30pm - Teams meet for Servant Community at NOCC
TUE 6:00-7:30am - Men's Fraternity meets in the Youth Center
10:30am - Men's Coffee at Augustine's Bakery, 1305 Main
WED 3:00pm - Heroes For Life (for Kind. thru 5th grades)
3:00-5:00pm - 6th Grade CIA meet in the Youth Center
**5:00pm - Deadline for items to be in the bulletin and
requests for announcements to be made Sunday.**
5:15pm - 6-8th Grade CIA Supper in the Youth Center
5:45-7:15pm - E2*10 High School Girls' Bible Study
Beth Moore's "Esther" meets in Room 123
6:00pm - Outreach Team meeting in Room 116
6:00-7:30pm - Men's Fraternity meets in Room 119
6:00-7:40pm - 7-8th Grade CIA meet in the Youth Center
7:00pm - *Count Us In* prayer time in Room 112
7:15-9:00pm - Women's Bible Study Beth Moore's "Esther"
meets in Room 121. Childcare is not provided.
7:20pm - Lifeguard (H.S. students) meet in the Youth Center
THUR 9:00-11:00am - Women's Bible Study "He Speaks to Me" by
Pricilla Shirer meets in Room 119. Childcare is provided.

NEXT SUNDAY: ▷ DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME BEGINS

- ▷Come together to **PRAY** in Room 114 during 8:30 or 11:00 service.
▷Pastor John will be preaching.
▷12:30pm - Ladies *Heart-to-Heart* Spring Luncheon at NOCC
▷NO High School Guys' Bible Study
▷4:30pm - Unite (College Ministry) meets in the Youth Center
▷NO College Students' Supper
▷6:00-8:00pm - Precepts Bible Study "Wrestling with God" meets
in Room 119. Childcare is not provided.
▷NO Perspectives class

- COMING UP: MAR 22 - 7:00pm Elder meeting at the Center
MAR 26 - 7:00-9:00pm Game Night at NOCC for Middle & High
School students. Invite your friends!
MAR 31 - **FY11 Budget information due to Finance Team**
APR 23 - 7:00pm Tabor Band Concert at NOCC

The Elder On Call for March 6-12 is Brent Goertzen. If you have a need
and cannot reach the church office, please call Brent.

READING PROGRAM: The Spiritual Life Team encourages everyone at
NOCC to be a consistent reader of God's Word. As a growing part of this
church, please read Exodus this month and discuss with a friend. *Rev. 1:3*

SQUARE ONE is designed to help newcomers get past "Square ONE"
at NOCC. Get acquainted over lunch at the Church after the 11:00
worship service TODAY. This time of food and fellowship is hosted by
Pastor Ken and Rachel. All visitors and newcomers are welcome!!

NOCC DELIVERS MEALS ON WHEELS: Drivers are needed to deliver Meals on
Wheels April 12-16. Please sign up in the Gathering Space or call Carol Spalsbury
by March 28 if you would like to help.

NEEDED Nursery Coordinator: The Nursery Coordinator is responsible for
the operation of the NOCC nursery for children birth through 3 years old,
during both Sunday morning services & Sunday School (*encouraged to attend
one of the worship services*); approximately 8am-12:30pm. Other duties:
scheduling & supervising volunteers to assist in the nursery, calling or emailing to
remind workers each week, purchasing/monitoring supplies, attending
Children's Ministry team meetings, taking digital pictures of children for nursery
bulletin board & assuring the cleanliness of toys/furniture in the nursery.
Starting pay \$7.50 per hour. Contact the church office with questions.

FROM THE CARE COMPASSION TEAM--The person mailing cards for the month
of March is Carol Spalsbury. If you know of someone who needs a note of
encouragement, sympathy or get well, please call her. If you are having a
baby or have surgery scheduled this month, please fill out a CARE form in the
literature rack so we can better assist you.

Heart to Heart Spring Luncheon

*Ladies of NOCC, you are invited to attend the Spring Luncheon on
Sunday, March 14th, to be held following the 11am service. Please stop
by the H2H table in the Gathering Space and sign up to attend. Also, if
you are willing to prepare food for the Spring Luncheon, please sign up
on the food list provided. Don't forget to invite your friends and
neighbors to hear Bev Brungardt share her testimony with the ladies of
NOCC. We hope you will come for this time of food and fellowship!*

Mexico Mission Trip: Please start praying and listening to see what God is
planning for Ciudad Juarez at the Emmanuel Ministries Children's Home and
what part you may have in it. Some will go on July 23-July 30, while some
will stay an extra week until August 7th. Sign up in the Gathering Space
starting today through April 18. Please make your \$75 down payment at
sign-up. Group preparations to begin the following week.

UPCOMING MOVIE OPPORTUNITIES:

The movie *To Save a Life* will be showing at the Nova Theater in Stockton at
6:30pm on March 7 & 10. The cost of tickets is \$5.00. The movie is based on
the life of some high school students and their lives, the good, the bad and the
ugly. Through the circumstances of life a young man comes to face the reality
of needing Jesus Christ. For more information on the movie, go to
www.tosavealifemovie.com. This movie is rated PG-13. If you are interested
in going to this movie on March 7, please contact Jeff Neher.

On April 9 *Letters to God* will be released in theatres (don't know if it will make it
to Hays or this area). The film's producer is David Nixon, who was involved with
Facing the Giants and *Fireproof*. Watch the trailer at www.letterstoGodthemovie.com.

RELAY FOR LIFE - JUNE 4-5, 2010 - 7:00pm to 7:00am: Again this year NOCC
is planning to participate in the Ellis County Relay for Life, a fund raising event
for the American Cancer Society. We participate because of the opportunity to
share with our community not only the hope of a cure for cancer, but also the
certain hope of life in Jesus Christ. If you would like to be on a team or help in
any way, please contact Julia Kuntz.

The Team U-Serv project to replace the hail damaged roof at The Post Oak MB
Church in Indianoma, OK was postponed from last fall. A work week has been
re-scheduled for March 29-April 2 to replace 72 squares of shingles. If you can
help, contact Wayman Penner at 580-832-2958 and bring your roofing tools.

📖New Large Print *Our Daily Bread* is available at the Welcome Center.📖

☞PRAYER MINISTRY☞

Week of March 7-13, 2010

Email your request for the
PRAYER MINISTRY INFORMATION
To nocc@northoak.net.

AN HONORABLE AMBITION

1 Timothy 3:1 (Pew Bible page 840)

“Ambition that centers on the glory of God and welfare of the church is a mighty force for good.” (J. Oswald Sanders)

1. Church leadership is an important calling.

2. The starting point for church leadership is a Spirit-given desire to serve God’s people.

3. Church leadership is a worthy calling.

TAKE IT HOME:

**MEMBERS: REMEMBER TO STOP BY THE TABLE
IN THE GATHERING SPACE TO ELECT
A NEW NOMINATING COMMITTEE!**

We would like to keep military personnel and their families in our prayers:

Let the church office know of any NOCC family with deployed family members.

**NORTH OAK COMMUNITY CHURCH March 7, 2010
8:30am and 11:00am**

“Not that I have already obtained all this, or have already been made perfect, but I press on to take hold of that for which Christ Jesus took hold of me.”~Philippians 3:12

Welcome to North Oak! Thank you for choosing to worship with us this morning. Please take a moment to sign and pass the red Friendship Folder located in each row. All guests are invited to complete the right-hand column of the form.

Prelude JoLeen Cunningham

“Redeemed” Congregation

“Let the Redeemed”

“Sunshine in My Soul” (Hymn 747)

“Shine on Us”

Prayer Elder: Brent Goertzen

Offertory Elizabeth Williams & Darrell Blosser
(11:00 service dismiss to Children’s Church: 4 yr olds-2nd grade in Room 119)

Bible Message “An Honorable Ambition” Pastor Ken
(1 Timothy 3:1, Pew Bible page 840)

“Seek Ye First” (Hymn 713) Congregation

***Postlude**

Worship Team: JoLeen Cunningham, Pianist;
Darrell Blosser, Rachel Ediger, Nina McNeal
Elizabeth Williams, Stacy Campbell, Vocalists.

Prayer Counselors: 1st Service – Don Rynerson & Rachel Ediger
2nd Service – Dwight Vanderlip & Rachel Ediger

** If you would like to pray with someone, at the end of the service proceed to the front of the sanctuary and a prayer intercessor will meet with you. You may also use the Response Card in the Friendship Book to let us know of any needs.*

Today’s service is available on CD for \$1.00 each. Call the church office to order. The message only can also be heard after Tuesday on the website at www.northoak.net.

Following the 8:30 service, you are invited to get a cup of coffee or juice in the Gathering Space and proceed to your Sunday School class.

~~All Sunday School classes meet from 9:50-10:50am~~

Adult Education Classes	
Count Us In (Special Needs Adults)	Room 112
Seekers: A Study in Genesis	Room 119
Essentials of the Christian Faith	Room 121
The Big Picture: A study in systematic theology	Room 117
Youth Education Classes	
2 & 3 year olds	Room 111
4 year olds – Kindergarten	Room 105
1st & 2nd Grades	Room 103
3rd, 4th & 5th Grades	Room 123
Middle School	Room 116
High School	Room 136