

Attendance Last Week: 8:30am - 114 11:00am - 206 Total - 320

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.
✧Check out the various signup tables in the Gathering Space.
✧2:00-4:00pm - Heart-to-Heart Mother ~ Daughter Social at NOCC. All ladies are welcome to join us today!
✧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!
✧6:30-9:30pm - Perspectives class meets in the sanctuary. Childcare is not provided.

THIS WEEK: MON 1:00pm - Staff meeting at the Center
TUE 6:00-7:30am - Men's Fraternity meets in the Youth Center
10:30am - Men's Coffee at Augustine's Bakery, 1305 Main
7:00-8:00pm - D6 Families meeting in the Youth Center. Childcare is provided.
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
6:00-7:30pm - 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
7:20pm - Lifeguard (H.S. students) meet in the Youth Center
THU Noon-1:00pm National Day of Prayer at Ellis County Courthouse Steps- see insert for details

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COMING UP: MAY 10 - 5:30pm Deacon meeting in Room 114
6:30pm Teams meet for Servant Community at NOCC
MAY 12 - 6:00pm High School Seniors' BBQ at NOCC
MAY 20 - 5:00pm Shooting Clays Event & Meal at LaSada
MAY 24 - 7:00pm Elder meeting at the Center
JUNE 4-5 - 7:00pm-7:00am Relay for Life at Felten Middle School Track
JUNE 6 - 5:30pm NOCC Annual Meeting. Everyone is encouraged to attend. Childcare will be provided for ages 10 & under.
JUNE 7-11 - 9:00-noon Vacation Bible School at NOCC

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 Jeremiah and Lamentations this month and discuss with a friend. Rev. 1:3

The Elder On Call for May 1-7 is Wayne Thies. If you have a need and cannot reach the church office, please call Wayne.

The Nominating Committee and Elder/Deacon Board present the following people for congregational affirmation as Elders & Deacons. Brent Goertzen to be reaffirmed as Elder. Karen Wasinger to be reaffirmed as Deaconess. Noman Williams and Tom Noone to be reaffirmed as Deacons. Don Rynerson, Bob Barnhart, Keith Brungardt, and Will Fadenrecht to be affirmed as Elders. Karen Barnhart and Cindi Wilson to be affirmed as Deaconesses. Check your NOCC mailboxes for profile information. Members will have the opportunity to affirm those accepting nomination May 16-23.

COLLEGE GRADUATION: If you or someone you would like to acknowledge will graduate from College in the 2009-2010 school year, please complete the gold form in the friendship book or call the church office so we can recognize that accomplishment in the bulletin.

Heart to Heart is hosting a Mother~Daughter Social TODAY from 2-4pm in the Gathering Space. All ladies are welcome to join us in this time of fellowship as sisters in Christ. Ice Cream Sundaes will be provided in our 50's style soda shop! Come dressed in your poodle skirt & saddle oxfords or just as you are! Be ready to share a sweet time of fun, food, and fellowship. Hope to see you there!!

CHILDREN'S SUNDAY SCHOOL: Volunteers needed to teach Children's Sunday School this summer. We will need three teachers in total for the 2-3 yr olds, the 1st-2nd grade class and 3rd-5th grade class. Contact Jill Goertzen.

WE NEED YOUR HELP WITH VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL!!

VBS is coming to NOCC June 7-11, 9am-noon daily for children completing K-6th grades. It will be a fun adventure and a great learning experience in the SonQuest Rainforest. **A large staff of youth and adults is needed.** Stop at the VBS table in the Gathering Space to volunteer or turn in your Volunteer Form to mailbox #48 today. A volunteer form is also available on our website www.northoak.net. Put VBS on your prayer list, too.

FROM THE CARE COMPASSION TEAM--The person mailing cards for the month of May is Norvella Elston. 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.

NOCC Senior BBQ - Wednesday, May 12 - 6:00pm - NOCC Youth Center. The NOCC family is invited to attend this event to honor our High School Seniors. Please bring a side dish or salad. Table service & drinks will be provided. Please sign up in the Gathering Space today or call the Church office by May 10 to guarantee yourself a hamburger or hot dog. We hope you are able to join us as we celebrate the lives of our NOCC Class of 2010!

Thanks very much to everyone who made it possible for North Oak to host the Tabor College Band. From the host families to the food providers/servers to the pizza sponsors, all were greatly appreciated!

Kansas City Mission Trip: This mission trip June 21-26 is for everyone: families, adults, and teenagers. We will be working with our Southern District Church Plant in Kansas City. A couple of the unique things about this trip will be learning about the inner city, learning about planting a church and helping them reach out to their community through a celebration festival. More information is available in the Gathering Space or by talking to Jeff Neher.

Mexico Mission Trip: To Ciudad Juarez at the Emmanuel Ministries Children's Home. Some will go on **July 16-July 23**, while some will stay an extra week until August 1st. Sign up in the Gathering Space today through **April 30**. Please make your \$75 down payment at sign-up.

LASADA: Guys (and Gals) please join in a great time of fellowship and shooting fun at LaSada Sporting Clays on **Thursday, May 20**. Anyone is welcome. We shoot and follow with a great meal prepared by the LaSada staff. If anyone doesn't shoot, you can spend a time of feasting and fellowship. Please sign up in the Gathering Space by May 16, so we can let the LaSada staff know how many will be there for dinner. The cost is \$13 for the dinner plus \$12 to shoot. We will begin the shoot around 5pm. If you arrive by 6:00-6:30, you should have plenty of time before dark. Contact Ken Funk with questions.

RELAY FOR LIFE - JUNE 4-5, 2010 - 7:00pm to 7:00am:
If you would like to be on a team or help in any way, please sign up in the Gathering Space today or contact Julia Kuntz. Stop by the table to get your \$5.00 Advance tickets for "Tough Enough to Wear Pink" on April 30 at the RPM Speedway. Half of the advance ticket sales go toward NOCC's team fund raising efforts.

☞PRAYER MINISTRY☞

Week of May 2-8, 2010

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

LIVE BEYOND YOURSELF
1 Timothy 3:2 (Pew Bible page 839)

Scripture is clear that soul-level satisfaction comes from reflecting the person of Jesus Christ. There's no clearer reflection of Christ than one person serving another.

1. Make room for others in your heart and your home.

2. Be an avid learner and a ready teacher of the Bible.

TAKING IT HOME...

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 **May 2, 2010**
8:30am and 11:00am

“All this is from God, who reconciled us to himself through Christ and gave us the ministry of reconciliation.”~~2 Corinthians 5:18

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 Worship Team
“My Redeemer Lives” Congregation
“Everlasting God”
“The Motions”
“Blessed Be Your Name”
“How Great is Our God”

Prayer Elder: Wayne Thies
Offertory HHS Flute Ensemble
(11:00 service dismiss to Children’s Church: 4 yr olds-2nd grade in Room 119)

Bible Message “Live Beyond Yourself” Pastor Ken
(1 Timothy 3:3 Pew Bible, Page 839)

“Shine, Jesus, Shine” (Hymn 431) Congregation

*Postlude
Worship Team: Micayla Greathouse, Keyboard; Ashly Arthur, Drummer;
Spencer Greathouse, Guitar;
Micayla Greathouse, Brenda Arthur, Rachel Cunningham,
Aaron Cunningham, Michael Iman, Vocalists.
Prayer Counselors: 1st Service – Chris & Mary Copeland
2nd Service – Will Fadenrecht & Corina Beam

*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: <i>A study in systematic theology</i>	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