

Attendance Last Week: 8:30am - 1295 11:00am - 176 Total - 305

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

During 11:00 service: CHILDREN'S CHURCH for

4 yr olds-Kind. in Room 105 and Grades 1-3 in Room 119.

CLIPBOARDS with packets of crayons and papers are available 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 signup opportunities in the Gathering Space!
✧12:30pm - All-Church Potluck to celebrate Pastor Ken & Rachel's 20 years at NOCC & Pastors' Appreciation. Everyone is invited to join us!!
✧5:00pm - College Ministry meets in the Youth Center
✧6:00pm - Precept Bible Study, "Romans Part 3" meets in Room 119. Childcare is not provided.
✧6:30pm - College Students' Supper at Crulls', 1716 Douglas.

THIS WEEK: MON 9:30am - Staff meeting at the Center
7:00pm - Elder meeting at the Center
8:30pm - College/Career Girls' devotional & fellowship group meets at Rachel Ediger's home.
TUE 6:00-7:30am - Men's Fraternity meets in the Youth Center. All men are invited!!
10:30am - Men's Coffee at Augustine's Bakery, 1305 Main
WED 7:00am - See You At The Pole at area schools
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.
5:30pm - 6-8th Grade CIA Supper in the Youth Center
6:00-7:30pm - 7-8th Grade CIA meet in the Youth Center
6:00-7:30pm - Men's Fraternity meets in Room 121. All men are invited!!
6:30-7:30pm - High School Girls' Bible Study in Room 123. For more information, call Normadine Noone.
7:30pm - Lifeguard (high school students) meet in the Youth Center
7:30-9:00pm - Women's Bible Study "Stepping Up" meets in Room 119. Childcare is not provided.
THU 9:00-11:00am - Women's Bible Study "Discerning the Voice of God" meets in Room 119. Childcare is provided.
7:30pm - Overcomers Outreach meets at the Center—A support group for people and their families that have alcohol, drug & food addictions. Childcare is not provided.

NEXT SUNDAY: ▷Come together to PRAY in Room 114 during 8:30 or 11:00 service.
▷Communion will be observed in the worship services.
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COMING UP: OCT 4 - 7:00-8:30am Raising A Modern Day Knight begins
OCT 5 - 12:30pm Square One lunch at NOCC

READING PROGRAM: The Spiritual Life Team wants to encourage everyone at NOCC to be a consistent reader of God's Word. As a growing part of this church, please read one chapter of Proverbs each day of September and discuss with a friend. *Revelation 1:3*

JOB OPPORTUNITY: SOMEONE TO DO SIDEWALK SNOW REMOVAL AT THE CHURCH AND CENTER. MUST BE AVAILABLE WHEN NEEDED. EQUIPMENT PROVIDED. THIS IS A PAID POSITION. FOR MORE INFORMATION, CALL ROGER LOHRMEYER OR BILL MAY.

FROM THE CARE COMPASSION TEAM--The person mailing cards for the month of September is Carolyn Insley. If you know of someone who needs a note of encouragement, sympathy or get well, please call her.

📧📧OCTOBER Ministry Schedules are in your NOCC mailboxes.📧📧

HAVE YOU CONSIDERED WHERE YOU WILL SERVE AT NOCC?

Please consider serving with the Spiritual Life Team whose purpose is to help us be a church whose spiritual life is characterized by fervent prayer, contagious enthusiasm and faith-filled boldness. If you would be interested in serving on this team or as a prayer counselor, contact Ron Gallaway. If you would like an opportunity to serve in this way or others, please fill out the Response Card in the Friendship Book and put in the offering plate today!!

College students! You're invited to join our college ministry meeting on Sundays at 5:00pm at the Church. Our goal is to help college students better become the Christian community described in the New Testament while growing more deeply individually. If you have any questions, contact Brandon Nimz.

FOR ALL COLLEGE STUDENTS: Join us for a "Sunday Supper" at 6:30pm open to all college students whether or not you take part in the 5:00pm meeting. For the month of September, supper is at the home of Terry & Joan Crull.

RAISING A MODERN DAY KNIGHT - a six-week study for all Dads raising sons no matter the age of your sons. (The principles also apply for Dads raising daughters.) If you are a father and want to make sure you are on a solid track growing them up to be godly men and women, you are encouraged to be a part of this study. **Starts on Saturday morning October 4th** for six consecutive weeks through November 8th. Meets in the NOCC Youth Center from 7:00-8:30am. Breakfast and coffee are provided. Please check out the materials and sign up in the Gathering Space.

We rejoice with Derrik, Heather & Savannah Schmitz in the birth of Elijah Alan. He was born at Hays Medical Center on September 13 at 8:40am weighing 8 lbs., 1 oz. and 20 in. long. Grandparents are Andy & Julia Kuntz and Lynn & Allura Hamm.

THANK YOU

Dearest NOCC Family, A heartfelt Thank You again for all your prayers, visits and support in any way during my recent surgery and recovery! I am doing well, but never want to take for granted letting you know what a difference you make in my life.~~God Bless You, Toni Lohrmeyer

To North Oak Church, Thank you so much for everything you've done in helping us move. You are all welcome in our home. Everything went well. ~~Thanks, Everett & Joyce Rowan

The SDC 55+ Gathering at Branson pre-registrations are near capacity. However additional registrations are welcome through September 27, if space is available. Interested persons should contact the district office in Wichita (316-722-8680) or pick up a brochure with the reservation form that is available at the Welcome Center.

Love & Respect Marriage Conference with Emerson & Sarah Eggerichs. Live at Central Community Church, 6100 W. Maple, Wichita, KS; October 3 at 6:45-10pm, October 4 at 8:45am-1:30pm; Cost \$35.00 a person. Register now at www.loveandrespect.com

SQUARE ONE is a three-week small group hosted by Pastor Ken & Rachel designed to help newcomers get past "Square ONE" at NOCC. You can connect with others who are new to NOCC and learn some basics about North Oak's opportunities for growth and ministry. All visitors and newcomers (and you can be the judge of what a newcomer is!!) are urged to be a part of this group.

WEEK ONE—October 5—Get acquainted over lunch - (at the Church after the 11:00 worship service.) This is a time of food and fellowship and an opportunity to meet Pastor Ken & Rachel. If you are interested in being a part of this, please contact Pastor Ken or Rachel at the church office, 628-8887 or at home.

WEEK TWO—October 12—During the Sunday School time (9:50am-10:45am) Learn some of the history of North Oak, and the basics of what we believe (our statement of faith). (Taught by Noman Williams)

WEEK THREE—October 19—During the Sunday School time (9:50am-10:45am) We will look at our philosophy of ministry and discuss growth & ministry opportunities at North Oak. (Taught by Noman Williams)

NORTH OAK COMMUNITY CHURCH September 21, 2008
8:30am and 11:00am

“Carry each other's burdens, and in this way you will fulfill the law of Christ.” ~ Galatians 6:2

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.

DISCIPLINE: GOD'S GIFT AND BLESSING TO THE CHURCH
Ephesians 5:15-21, Matthew 18:12-20 (Pew Bible page 829 & 695)

Excellence requires discipline.

We should realize that mutual accountability and loving church discipline are a special privilege and blessing that God has given to his church to rescue his people from sin and help them to experience the freedom and joy of godly living.

1. Followers of Christ are to help each other _____ .
(Ephesians 5:15-21)

2. Most of church life is about _____ discipline.

3. Occasionally we need _____ or _____ discipline.
(Matthew 18:12-22)

a. Discipline is all about _____ .

b. Step one: Correct _____ . (15)

c. Step two: Take _____ others along. (16)

d. Step three: Tell it to the _____ . (17a)

e. Step four: Relate to him/her as you would an _____ . (17b)

f. Step five: _____ as God has _____ you. (20-32)

MY NEXT STEP...

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.

Prelude String Quartet

“Glorious Is Thy Name” (Hymn 122) Congregation

“Let the Earth Be Glad” (Hymn 115)

“Ancient of Days”

“Arise”

“My Savior, My God”

Prayer Pastor John

Offertory “Amazing Grace, My Chains Are Gone” Bryan Noone

(11:00 service dismiss to Children's Church: 4 yr olds-Kind. in Room 105
Grades 1-3 in Room 119.)

Bible Message “Discipline: God's Gift & Blessing to the Church” Pastor Ken
Ephesians 5:15-21, Matthew 18:12-20 (Pew Bible page 829 & 695)

*“The Servant Song” Congregation

Postlude

Worship Team: Loren Groening, Pianist; Doug Ewert, Drummer;
NOCC Orchestra;
Dave Barber, JoLeen Cunningham, Normadine Noone,
Bryan Noone, Monte Smith, Vocalists.

Prayer Counselors: 1st Service – Bob & Karen Barnhart
2nd Service – Will Fadenrecht & 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 cassette or 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

Lost Sheep: The Peacemaking Church Sanctuary
Seekers: The Peacemaking Church Room 123
Co-Uni-Bus/Berean Class: The Peacemaking Church Room 121
Soul Care 101: The Peacemaking Church Room 119
Count Us In (Special Needs Adults) Room 112

Youth Education Classes

2 & 3 year olds Room 113
4 year olds – Kindergarten Room 105
1st & 2nd Grades Room 111
3rd Grade Room 103
4th & 5th Grades Room 116
Middle School Room 117
High School Room 136