What's Happening

<u>Today, June 15th</u> – Happy Father's Day!

<u>Today, June 15th</u> – Worship Team Practice @ 9 AM.

<u>Today, June 15th</u> – Sunday School @ 10AM.

<u>Today, June 15th</u>-Worship @ 10:45 AM .

<u>Wednesday, June 18th</u> - Summer Days Ablaze begins @ 7 PM in the sanctuary & runs each Wednesday through August 6th. No meal served during these summer services.

<u>Thursday, June 19th</u> - Intercessory Prayer @ 7 PM In the Sanctuary. See Bro. Harry, for more info.

Sunday, July 6th— Wednesday, July 9th— VBS beginning @ 6 PM

nightly. See Jamey for more info.

Friday, July 25th - Saturday, July 26th - Church trip to Pretty Place Chapel, Cleveland, SC. See Crystal Williford for more info.

Sunday, August 3rd – Ladies Fellowship @ 5:30 PM in the FLC. All ladies welcome. Please bring a covered dish.

Monday, August 4th – Brotherhood @ 7 PM in the FLC. All men welcome. Please bring a covered dish. Tuesday, August 12th – Quarterly business conference in the baptism room @ 6 PM. All members, please attend.

Wednesday, August 13th-Champions For Christ kicks off new season w/ supper @ 5:15 PM followed by fun on the big waterslides. See Jamey for more info.

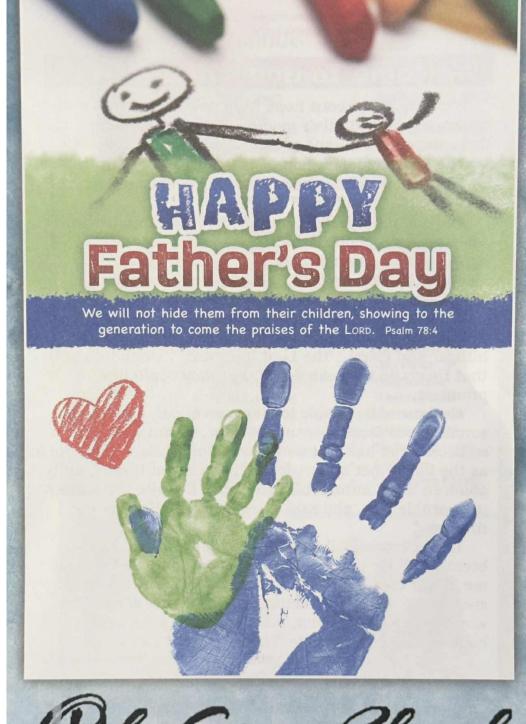
<u>Saturday, September 6th-</u> FLC Reserved.

Service Opportunities

- Teach A Class @ Champions For Christ This Fall*
 - Help With VBS*
 - Volunteer In The Nursery*
 - Teach Children's Church*

See Jamey For Info On How To Sign Up
*Background Check Required To Work With Children

- All dates are subject to change. Every effort is made to keep calendar updated weekly in the bulletin & on oakygrove.com. To add an event to the calendar see Jamey.
- Italicized dates denote events which occur weekly unless noted.



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Sunday, June 15, 2025

Welcome To God's House

We hear a lot about hope from politicians, numerous books, tapes, and other media. But what is offered in these messages doesn't seem to last. The whole world yearns for a steadfast hope. The inner cry of multitudes is, "Somebody, somewhere, please, give me some hope, something that will last!"

Hope is not a feeling; and by contrast from the world, we— as God's people— have "hope set before us: which hope we have as an anchor of the soul both sure and steadfast" (Hebrews 6:18, 19). As the Word speaks about Israel in the Book of Deuteronomy, we find conditions in the wilderness had become very scary for the people. God had allowed them to experience pangs of hunger and thirst. The Lord humbled His children so that He could be trusted and that they could live on His promises.

God uses His people to dispense hope. When I personally need some measure of hope, I want to talk with someone who has endured tribulation, pain or loss, such as the lady I met at a concert who had lost three grand-children in an automobile accident. Despite her almost unbearable loss, she said, "God is good. He sees me through."

If God created all things with His word and His breath, will He not, in His time, speak hope to you and me in our times of trial? He knows just how to bring such hope— real and lasting, sure and steadfast. The world hopes for the best, but Jesus offers the best hope— our Blessed Hope (Titus 2:13).

Connie Hopper (From Singing News/June 2025

Take from a man his wealth, and you hinder him; take from him his purpose and you slow him down. But take from a man his hope, and you stop him. He can go on without wealth, and even without purpose for a while. But he will not go on without hope.

—C. Neill Strait (1934-2003)

Prayer List

- Bonnie Baily
- Bennie Avery
- Scott Adams
- Marilyn Coleman & Family
- Baby Linc
- Sydney Walker
- James Keyton
- Sandy Cato
- **Bonnie Smith**
- Judy Palmer
- Kathy Smith
- Jerry Howell
- Wanda Haylett
- Brett & Marcie Jones
- Fisher Pritchett
- Chad Dalton
- Donna Baird
- Lyle Baird
- Jordan Hartley
- Irma Boone
- Tim Keyton
- Edwin Toler
- Donna Josey
- Larry Bailey
- Denise Spell

- The Family of Mary Ann Dykes
- Jeanette Bussell
- Cissy McNure
- Tiffany Wyatt
- Pat Myers
- Randy Hawkins
- Josh & Dana Wood
- Joey Mason
- Wanda Mason
- Jo Newsome
- J.P. Tuttle
- Don & Jennifer Tanner
- Betty Hudson
- James Mixon
- Kirk Harrell
- James Steptoe
- Jessica Rhea
- Dorene Holmes
- Oliva Burma
- Jeff Partridge
- Mary Helen Hanson
- Julie Templeton
- Ann Veal
- Marty Saunders
- Angie Cowart
- Ivalene Kearns
- Bessie Newsome

- The Family of Dawn Braddy
- The Family of Lattie
 Price
- Buddy, Joyce, & Lochlyn Miller
- Baby Scarlett Burkett
- Jeff & Renee Decker
- Venice Spivey
- Brinley Dent
- Daniel & Vickie Neal
- Nell Nutt
- Ron Hartley
- Nell Jennings
- Taylor & Chase Greene
- Sierra & Josh Bowen
- Marian York
- Sherry Stavely
- Eloise Page
- Joe & Glenda Grimm
- Larry Reese
- Betty Jackson
- Mickey Hawkins
- Wyneve Newsome
- President Trump
- The Peace of Israel
- Our Nation
- Our Children & Youth



Something grrrrreat is coming!

Sunday, July 6th Wednesday, July 9th
6 PM Nightly
Supper Served
See Jamey
For More Info

