



OAKWOOD ONLINE BULLETIN

DECEMBER 6

SUNDAY

SUNDAY SERVICE

9:00 AM ONLINE WELCOME
9:30 AM ONLINE & ON-SITE SERVICES BEGIN

- ▶ Read these [FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS](#) about the worship experience.
- ▶ Offering boxes are located on-site. If you're worshipping at home, check out the [MANY WAYS TO GIVE TO OAKWOOD](#) including online and text giving.
- ▶ Find our online worship service each Sunday morning on the Oakwood [YOUTUBE CHANNEL](#).

SUBMIT PRAYER REQUESTS

- ▶ **Guests, we're so glad you're joining us!**
We'd love to connect with you and answer your questions! Click [HERE](#) to get started.
- ▶ We ask all participants to stay connected and submit prayer requests through the [CONNECTION CARD](#)!
- ▶ Scroll to page 2 to find the **Message Notes**.

FAMILIES

SUNDAYS | 9:30 AM | GATHERING PLACE & ONLINE

- ▶ Family-focused programming is available for families with children in preschool and elementary school. [CLICK HERE](#) to read more.

CHILDREN

- ▶ [MESSAGE-BASED KIDS BULLETIN](#)

SUNDAYS | 9:30 AM

Print this at home or pick one up Sunday morning. Plan to bring your own crayons or markers!

HIGH SCHOOL

- ▶ **YOUTH GROUP**
6-7:30 PM | HIGH SCHOOL ROOM

STAY CONNECTED DURING THE WEEK

KIDS

4TH & 5TH GRADERS CAROLING PARTY
DEC. 12 | 2-4 PM | OAKWOOD CHURCH & COMMUNITY

A very special time of ornament making and caroling, along with cookie eating and cocoa drinking!

[MORE INFO AND REGISTRATION](#)

STUDENTS

OAKWOOD STUDENT MINISTRIES CHRISTMAS PARTY
DEC. 13 | 6-8 PM | OAKWOOD

6th-12th graders and student ministry leaders: Join us for group games, a Christmas melodrama, a white elephant gift exchange and holiday treats.

[RSVP HERE](#)

MISSIONS

KEITH & JUDY ANDERSON | REACHGLOBAL

Praise Jesus that Oakwood is able to provide a one-year scholarship for biblical and theological training through ProMETA for a pastor in Venezuela.

WOMEN

BRING CHRISTMAS HOME
IN-HOME EVENT FOR WOMEN | DECEMBER 2020

Invite a small group of women to your home or host a virtual gathering online! We'll provide all you need to host! [LEARN MORE ABOUT HOSTING HERE](#)

MORNING BY MORNING LIVE DEVOTIONAL
MONDAY, WEDNESDAY & FRIDAY | 7 AM

Twenty minutes to start your day with Scripture and prayer! Drop in anytime! [MORE INFO](#)

ADULTS

MARRIAGE MENTORING

Oakwood's NEW Marriage Ministry Team helps nurture relationships and promotes lasting marriages. We offer Prepare/Enrich marriage enrichment and premarital sessions! [LEARN MORE & REGISTER](#)

ALL CHURCH

THE 12 GIFTS OF CHRISTMAS
NOW-DEC. 18

Bring the Christmas story to life in your home this Advent season! Sign up to receive a special box that includes a booklet with twelve devotionals, activities and supplies that are appropriate for all ages. [MORE INFO AND TO ORDER](#)

ADVENT CONSPIRACY 2020

We are already half way through Advent Conspiracy! Thank you for your generosity, Oakwood. This month, we're collecting donations for HeartLove Place, including diapers, Bibles, office supplies and kitchen utensils. Check out the [DONATION LIST HERE](#) and bring your gifts to Oakwood during office hours or on Sunday mornings.

CONGREGATIONAL MEETING FOR MEMBERS
DEC. 16 | 7-8:30 PM

The purpose of the meeting is to discuss the spiritual and emotional health of the congregation in light of recent departures. Please RSVP to [CARRIE ZIEBELL](#) to let her know how many will be in your party or if you'd like to participate virtually.

PERSPECTIVES ON THE WORLD
CHRISTIAN MOVEMENT
JAN. 17-MAY 18 | 6:30-9:15 PM
ELMBROOK LAKE COUNTRY

Join us and experience God's heart for all people and encounter the momentum of the WORLD CHRISTIAN MOVEMENT. Perspectives will open the eyes of your heart with fresh knowledge and understanding of God's unchanging purposes and why they're relevant to your life. Join Nate & Kristin Stenholtz and Marcus Constantine. Early bird registration deadline: Dec. 15. [MORE INFO AND REGISTRATION](#)



The Gospel According to Mark

Mark 10:42-45

Marcus Constantine
Groups & Prayer

Acts 12:1-17, 13:1-5 & 13, 15:36-41

Colossians 4:10-11, 2 Timothy 4:11-18, Philemon 23-25

NEXT STEPS

- I will... _____.
- I will share with _____.
- Memorize: Mark 1:1 and Mark 10:45.

DISCOVERY QUESTIONS FOR FAMILY OR GROUP DISCUSSION

Check-In: Since we last met, how did your "I will..." and sharing go?

1. What are you thankful for? What challenge or stress are you facing? Do you know anyone who needs help at this time? As a group, how can we help?
2. Read **MARK 10:35-45** together (at least twice), and take turns retelling it in your own words as if sharing with a friend who isn't here.
3. What stands out to you and why? What do these verses tell us about God? What do these verses tell us about humanity/about us?
4. If this is God speaking, how will you apply it to your life?
(Share a specific: "I will...")
5. Who will you share with before we meet again?
*(Name a specific person you plan to **share with.**)*

If you'd like to learn more about the discovery group process, connect with marcus@oakwoodnow.org

Mark 1:1,

"The beginning
of the good news
about Jesus
the Messiah,
the Son of God..."

(Matthew 1:18)
(Luke 2:10)
(Matthew 1:21)
(Luke 2:11)
(Luke 1:35)