

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

UPCOMING IMPORTANT DATES

Fall Midweek Schedule & Fellowship Meal Begins -

Wednesday, August 23

Discover Emmaus Lunch - **Sunday, August 27**

Missions Share Evening Service - **Sunday, August 27**

Evening Service Resumes - **Sunday, September 17**

NEW TO EMMAUS?

MEMBERSHIP CLASS

Sunday, September 10 | 9:15 am | Pastor's Office

If you are interested in becoming a member, please attend our membership class to learn about the process. If you would like more information, contact us at info@emmausokc.org

DISCOVER EMMAUS

Sunday, August 27 | 11:45 am | Fellowship Center

If you would like more information about our church and its ministries, please attend this free informational lunch. You will meet the staff and have the opportunity to learn all about Emmaus and ask questions. RSVP is required. If you would like to attend, please email info@emmausokc.org or call the church office.

COMPASS PRESCHOOL

BACK TO SCHOOL NIGHT

Compass Christian Preschool will be hosting Back to School Night **September 5th at 6pm** for students and families beginning school this fall. We could use a few Emmaus volunteers to help direct people toward classrooms and bathrooms, direct traffic, and greet families.

If you are available and could help out, please contact Crystal at compass@emmausokc.org.



WORSHIP SERVICE

Nothing But The Blood
Come Thou Fount Come Thou King

WELCOME

**BAPTISM—ERIN HARMON, JOSH BENGE &
PAUL THOMPSON**

**A Mighty Fortress Is Our God
We Believe**

MESSAGE—DR. OWEN NEASE

Colossians 2:16-23 — Week 4

Week 1/July 30 - Christ—Substance or Shadow?

Week 2/August 6 - Christ and Body- Tattoos?

Week 3/August 13 - Christ and Resources- Tithe?

Week 4/August 20 - Christ and Time- Sabbath?

Reminders from Week 1

No one can judge you based on past “shadows”

No one can disqualify you based on their experiences

No one can force you to live in fear under worldly power/rules

Making Holy Decisions with Christian Freedom

1. Prescriptions - What Scriptures deal directly with my topic?

2. Patterns - What is the overall direction of Scripture?

3. Principles - What Gospel lessons do we learn from Scripture, even if the exact topic in Scripture is different from the question I'm addressing?

Sabbath- Biblical Mandate? Church Tradition? Something More?

*Prescriptions- Gen. 2; Ex. 16; 20; 31; 35; Lev 16; 23; 25; Num. 15; 28; Deut. 5; 15; Neh. 9; 10; 13; Ezek. 20; Amos 8; Matt. 12; Mark 2-3; Luke 6; 13; 14; John 5

+++ Romans 14:5-6

+++ Hebrews 4:1-10

*Pattern #1 = Already/Not Yet

*Pattern #2 = We work *from* Rest, not *to* Rest

*Principle #1 = Rest/Remember/Refresh

*Principle #2 = Set something aside to pick it up again

*Principle #3 = Gather Regularly for Worship/Community

-What about those strict toward the Sabbath?

-What about those less strict?

Response

1. “Today” is the day of salvation. Raise the white flag; believe completely in Jesus' power to save and transform you.

2. How can I control my schedule and embrace both rest and work, so I can bring glory to God and advance His Kingdom?

3. What does my use of time/Sabbath communicate to those around me about my beliefs in God?

**RESONSE
Jesus Paid It All
OFFERING
CLOSING**

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Car Show

"Hope is Alive"



Sunday, August 20th

12 - 4pm

Registration begins @ 10am

Pre-register (\$20)

Emmausokc.org/carshow1

**Awards given in 10 categories including
motorcycles & special interest.
Games ♦ Food ♦ Door Prizes**

All proceeds benefit Hope Is Alive.

There will be no evening service tonight.



CHILDREN'S CHURCH

for Pre-K, Kindergarten & First Grade
DISMISSED DURING 10:30 WORSHIP

If this is your child's first time in Elevate, please complete the guest card in the seat back and bring it with your child.

OUTREACH OPPORTUNITIES

WHIZ KIDS NEEDS YOU!

Whiz Kids is a program with a mission to improve the well-being of inner-city youth through tutoring and positive mentoring relationships, communicating spiritual and moral values. By devoting 2 hours a week, you can make a huge difference in a child's life! Being a teacher is *not* a requirement. A short training session is provided, and you can be either a full-time (weekly) tutor or an as-needed substitute. Emmaus tutors work at Exchange Avenue Baptist Church and with students from Westwood Elementary (across the street from the church). Sessions start **August 29** and meet each **Tuesday afternoon, 4-6 pm**. If you are interested in participating or just want more information, contact **John Rhodes: 405-585-7273**

MOORE FOOD RESOURCE CENTER

We are looking for volunteers to paint the volunteer room. If you or your SS class would be interested in this project, contact Jim Lehew.

MISSIONS

2017 SUMMER MISSIONS SHARE SERVICE

Sunday, August 27th at 5:00 pm

We will have an opportunity to hear from our teams that have ministered in Panama and Canada, as well as those who have served through the Ambassador Baseball Team, with Mission Emmaus, Campers on Mission, and at Camp Tulakogee.

We look forward to celebrating the opportunities to go and share the gospel.

EMMAUS MISSIONS & THE DOMINICAN REPUBLIC

Emmaus is partnering with MACU and their baseball team to minister to 13 young men who are coming to MACU from the Dominican Republic. We are looking for volunteers to help provide a meal once/month and for a driver to pick them up on Sundays. For more information contact Jim Lehew.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

100 YEARS OF FALLS CREEK

Night of Praise

Saturday, September 2 | 6:30pm-9:30pm

A modern Falls Creek worship experience!
Tickets required.

Homecoming Service

Sunday, September 3 | 6pm -8pm

A modern Falls Creek worship experience!
Free Event

If you are interested in these events,
visit www.fallscreek.org/100

PRESCHOOL & CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

WEDNESDAY NIGHT ACTIVITIES BEGIN

Wednesday, August 23rd, 6:30pm

“WHOA” Worship Class (1st-6th Grade Rm 252)
Pre-School Choir (Pre-K—Kindergarten Rm 147)

STUDENT MINISTRY

THE CALL CONFERENCE

Saturday, August 26th | 8AM-5PM | OBU

We will attend a conference that will explore the topic of following God's call of ministry. If your student has questions about this please encourage them to register at www.emmausokc.org/call
It's FREE!

SERVANT LEAD TEAM

We are accepting applications for students who want to participate in ministry on the ground floor of EmmausStudents. This is open to all 7-12 grade students! This is also the channel for students to get involved in Super Summer! Visit: www.emmausokc.org/slt to apply!

MEN'S MINISTRY

MEN'S SMALL GROUPS

Monday Nights, 8:00 pm

Room 200 - Jeff Hemphill / Jeff Anderson

Saturday Mornings, 8:00 am

Room 200 - Carl Frownfelter

Enter through the West Chapel doors, behind the main Worship Center

WOMEN'S MINISTRY

WOMEN'S SMALL GROUPS

“FINDING I AM”

Starting Sunday, September 17, 5:00 pm

Fellowship Hall / Tara Pogue

Sign-up starts August 27th

WEDNESDAY NIGHT MEALS

Begin Wednesday, August 23 at 5:15 pm

Fellowship Center | Adult: \$6 Child: \$3 Family Max: \$20

Sign up @ MyEmmaus>Forms>Wednesday Night Meal
or call the church office by Monday, at 12pm

August 23rd, we will be having Chick-Fil-A , Chips, & Salad
(Water, Tea, Lemonade, and Dessert will be served as usual.)

We are looking for volunteers in the following areas:

Cooking / Food Preparation / Clean Up

For more information contact Karen Laib or Jim Lehew

AUGUST 13 REPORT

SUNDAY SCHOOL

Preschool.....78

Children75

Youth62

College.....19

Adults254

SS Total488

SUNDAY EVENING

Preschool n/a

Children n/a

Youth n/a

Choir..... n/a

Adults n/a

Family Worship n/a

WORSHIP ATTENDANCE

Elevaten/a

Worship 590

Extended Session.....51

TOTAL 641

GIVING / FINANCIAL INFORMATION

Weekly Tithes/Offerings August 6th 28,808

Tithes/Offerings - thru Jun 30 853,646

Expenses - thru Jun 30 704,765

Year-to-Date (net) 148,881

WEEKLY SCHEDULE

SUNDAY MORNINGS AT EMMAUS

9:15 am · Sunday School & **10:30 am** · Worship

ELEVATE

Children's Church for Pre-K through 1st grade during
Worship. Does not meet first Sunday of the month.

SUNDAY EVENINGS AT EMMAUS

No Evening Service

WEDNESDAY EVENINGS AT EMMAUS

5:15 pm - Fellowship Meal

6:30 pm

Birth—3 Yrs—Nursery

Pre-K & Kindergarten—Room 147

1st—6th Grade —Room 252

Youth—Student Lounge

Adults—Chapel

Praise Band—Worship Center