

Worship

Family Worship Sunday – Today is Family Worship Sunday! All elementary aged children are asked to attend our Worship Services with their parents.

IGNITE Mission Service – Today, Sunday, March 31st, Lansing South Church of the Nazarene is hosting an IGNITE Mission Service at 6 pm, featuring Philip and Katy Rodebush, Missionaries in the Horn of Africa. If you would like to attend, please contact Leann Samson: 989.413.1230

Seasonal Choir – We are having a choir for the Easter season, and we would love for you to sing with us. We will be rehearsing in the Choir Room (A6/B6) on Thursday evenings at 7:00 pm. We hope you'll join us!

Connect

Connecting Groups – A small group atmosphere focused on relationship building. If you'd like to get connected, feel free fill out a **Connect Card!**

Sunday Evening

Kennell/Lauria Group -----	4:00 at 4344 S Vernon Rd (Durand)
Brett/Heather Meyer Group ----- (Childcare on site - \$5/family)	5:00 at 5434 S State Rd (Durand)
Phil/Jan Bates Group (2 nd /4 th Sunday) -----	6:00 at OFCN in Moss Hall
Mark/Julie Semans Group (1 st /3 rd Sunday) -	6:00 at 1439 Pintail Ct
Greg/Karen Bontrager Group -----	6:00 at 169 E Haven Dr
Meyer/Jandik Group -----	6:00 at Various Locations
New-tritional Wellness Group ----- Bi-weekly - Starting March 24th	6:00 at 740 Riverwalk Circle Apt 4-A (Corunna)
Smith Hall Group -----	6:00 in C2 (Smith Hall)
Brad/Beth Stockton Group -----	6:00 at 271 E Haven Dr
David/Brianna Rice Group -----	7:00 at 1020 E Oliver St
Monday Afternoon	
Intercessory Prayer Group -----	1:30 at OFCN (Sanctuary)
Thursday Evening	
Schmidtfranz/Nethaway Group -----	6:00 at 9112 W Middleton Rd (Ovid)

Grow

Growth Classes – We offer a variety of classes that are designed to help you grow spiritually. Our current classes are below. You can find more information about each class in the brochure at the Welcome Center.

Sunday Morning:

Getting Started (1 st Sunday of the Month) -----	10:15 in B1 (Conference Rm)
Logos -----	10:15 in A5 (Moss Hall)
Point of Grace -----	10:15 in C2 (Smith Hall)
Wonder Works (Adults with Special Needs) ---	10:15 in C1

Tuesday Morning:

Ladies Bible Study -----	9:30 in C2 (Smith Hall)
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Wednesday Evening:

DivorceCare -----	6:30 in B1 (Conference Rm)
Grief Share -----	6:30 in B5 (Old Room 8)
NEW: Facing Your Giants -----	7:00 in B3 (Old Room 10)
NEW: Responding to My Culture -----	7:00 in C2 (Smith Hall)

Serve

Adopt-A-Highway – It's time to start cleaning up our section of highway M-52, and we need your help! Our first clean-up date is this Saturday, April 6th. We will meet in the Conference Room at 8 am. If you have any questions, please contact Kim Samson: 989.413.7908

Easter Eggstravaganza – Our children's Easter event is coming very soon! Please help our Children's Leadership Team by dropping off bagged candy or pre-filled plastic eggs in the foyer. If you are filling eggs, please indicate how many eggs are in each bag. All eggs and candy must be turned in by Sunday, April 14th. Thank you for your support!

Faith Promise Giving – Thank you to those of you who made a Faith Promise to give to the mission work of the Church of the Nazarene around the world. So far we have been able to raise \$21,478. We are about halfway to our goal, so if you still feel God leading you to participate in Faith Promise, we encourage you to do so!

More Opportunities

Celebrate Recovery – CR meets on Monday evenings with fellowship and refreshments at 6:30 pm, the main meeting at 7 pm, and open-share groups at 8 pm. Celebrate Recovery is a safe place for anyone dealing with a hurt, habit, or hang-up of any kind. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Pastor John and Melony Paulus: jomepaulus@gmail.com

Family Open Gym – We will be having a family open gym night here at OFCN every Thursday, from 6-8 pm. Come and get some exercise!

Women's Ministries Fundraiser – Today will be the last day to turn in donations for our fundraiser. We are very grateful to those of you who have already donated in support of Women's Ministries!

Women's Ministries Retreat – We invite all ladies to *Living the Sweet Life* from 8:30-3:30 on Saturday, April 13th, in Moss Hall (A5). Please bring your Bible, friends, and a boxed cake, brownie, or muffin mix to donate to a local food pantry! We will worship, study, play some games, and enjoy a light breakfast and delicious lunch! The retreat is \$20, and the deadline is Sunday, April 7th. Please sign up at the Welcome Center today!

Pregnancy Resource Center Annual Benefit Dinner – The annual Pregnancy Resource Center benefit dinner is on Thursday April 11th, at the D'Mar Banquet Center. The evening will feature guest speaker Genevieve Marnon. The doors will open at 6 pm and the dinner will begin at 6:30 pm. Tickets are \$10 and can be purchased through the PRC: 989.723.4025

Memorial Easter Lilies – If you would like to purchase Easter Lilies that will be displayed on Easter Sunday, please stop by the Welcome Center to fill out an envelope. These flowers can be purchased in memory of, in honor of, or in appreciation of someone. Each plant costs \$15. In order to be displayed, order forms must be submitted by Monday, April 15th.

TREE HOUSE MINISTRIES

"Branching out to love God and love others." –Matt. 22:35



Worship

Tree House Ministries – 11 am in Tree House

Connect

Wednesday Night Kids Classes – Wednesdays at 6:30 pm
In April, we will be continuing our weekly class options for kids!
Be on the lookout for the class options in April!

Grow

K-5th Grade Growth Classes – Sundays at 9:00 and 10:15 am

More Opportunities

District Kids' Praise and Talent Day – Saturday, May 4th, at Portland Church of the Nazarene. Please contact Dianna Hein if you would like more information!



STUDENT MINISTRIES

(Grades 6-12)

Worship and Connect

Midweek Gathering – Wednesdays from 6:30-8:00 pm

Grow

Sunday Gathering – 10:15 am in the Teen Room

Teen Quizzing – Sundays at 6 pm in the Teen Room

More Information

Social Media – Follow us @TheLookoutSM on Facebook and Instagram

Information Wall – Located outside the Teen Room

Friday Night Lights – Friday, April 5th, from 6:30-8:30 pm



Welcome to Owosso First Church of the Nazarene!

We want to say a very special welcome to our guests here today. We are glad you are here! We trust you will find this to be a warm, friendly, and caring place. Most of all, we pray the Holy Spirit's presence will warm your heart in the worship of our risen Savior! If it is your first time at OFCN, you can find a **Connect Card** in the back of the pews. Please fill out this card at your convenience with as much information as you feel comfortable. You can drop the Connect Card off in the offering plate, or return it to the Welcome Center. We would love to know your name!

Our mission as a church is to **go make devoted followers of Jesus.**

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Monday – Thursday Classes
9:00 am – 12:00 pm

Be in prayer for: Amy Hoenshell has agreed to be the new Sycamore Tree Director, along with keeping her role as a lead teacher in the classroom. Please pray for her and her family during this time of transition!

Ways you can help: We are looking for volunteers to be in the classroom on Mondays from 9 am – 12 pm. If you would like to help out, please contact Amy Hoenshell: preschool@owossonazarene.org

OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE WEEK

SUNDAY, March 31 – Pastoral Vote

- 9:00 AM Worship Service – Family Worship
- 10:15 AM Growth Classes – Various Rooms
- 11:00 AM Worship Service – Family Worship
- 6:00 PM IGNITE Missions Service – Lansing South Church of the Nazarene

Monday, April 1

- 9:00 AM Walkers
- 9:30 AM Sycamore Tree Preschool
- 1:30 PM Intercessory Prayer Group – Sanctuary
- 6:30 PM Celebrate Recovery – Moss Hall (A5)

Tuesday, April 2

- 9:30 AM Sycamore Tree Preschool
- Ladies' Bible Study – Smith Hall (C2)

Wednesday, April 3

- 9:00 AM Walkers
- 9:30 AM Sycamore Tree Preschool
- 5:45 PM Midweek Dinner – A5 (Moss Hall)
- Midweek Prayer - Sanctuary
- 6:30 PM Kids' Classes – Community Center
- The Lookout – C9 (Youth Room)
- DivorceCare – B1 (Conference Room)
- Grief Share – B5 (Old Room 8)
- 7:00 PM Facing Your Giants – B3 (Old Room 10)
- Responding to My Culture's Objection to Christianity – C2 (Smith)

Thursday, April 4

- 9:30 AM Sycamore Tree Preschool
- 6:00 PM Family Open Gym – Community Center/Gym
- 7:00 PM Seasonal Choir (A6/B6)

Friday, April 5

- 9:00 AM Walkers
- 6:30 PM Friday Night Lights – Community Center

Saturday, April 6

- 8:00 AM Adopt-A-Highway – B1 (Conference Room)

SUNDAY, April 7

- 9:00 AM Worship Service
- 10:15 AM Growth Classes – Various Rooms
- 11:00 AM Worship Service



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