

Those To Serve

June 29th, 2025

Morning Worship

Announcements

Ed Hanson

Song Leader

George Thomas

Opening Prayer

Ed Hanson

Preside

Zac Hall

Assist

Ed Hanson

Closing Prayer

Steve Phillips

Evening Worship

Opening Prayer

Steve Phillips

Closing Prayer

Ed Hanson

Lord's Supper

George Thomas

Wednesday July 2nd

Song Leader

George Thomas

Invitation

Steve Phillips

Building And Communion for The Week of July 6th

Julia Thrasher

Lawn And Ground for The Week of July 6th

Ed Hanson

The Park Street Proclaimer

Those Fighting Cancer

Drew Shinn, Leanna Shafer, Megan Sanders, Eldon Jensen, and Brenda Gibson.

Prayer List

Tina Thomas, Susan Tigner, Pj McCray, Tonya Scaggs, Sandra Rowel, Wayne Stilwell and Ed Jones.

Shut - In

Debbie McGuire, Millie Robertson, and Lee Brunner

Upcoming Events

Questions and Answers June 29th

Fellowship Meal June 29th

Ladies Class July 12th

Men's Meeting July 13th

VBS

Thank you to all the people who made our VBS a huge success! Be sure to mark your calendar for next year's VBS the week of June 21st, 2026.

Truth Seekers

Tonight at 6 the truth seekers will meet on the front pew.

Passage to Ponder: Matthew 1:21

And she shall bring forth a son, and thou shalt call his name Jesus: for he shall save his people from their sins.

Sunday Sermons

Am – Type and Antitype: Joshua and Christ

Pm – Questions and Answers

Bible Studies

Sunday Morning – Peter Quick to Welcome

Wednesday Night – Guest Speaker: George Thomas



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WORSHIP SCHEDULE

Sunday

Bible Study 9:30 AM
Morning Worship..... 10:30 AM
Evening Worship..... 6:00 PM

Wednesday

Bible Study 7:00 PM

Preacher: Zac Hall

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Are You a Christian?

Do you know what you must do to be saved?

Hear – Romans 10:17
Believe – John 8:24
Repent – Acts 17:30
Confess – Romans 10:9-10
Be Baptized – 1 Peter 3:21
Live Faithfully – Revelation 2:10

Got a Bible question?

Be sure to submit it in the blue box on the table in the foyer! You can also text your question to 913-764-2325 or email it to olathecoc@gmail.com
Questions will be answered the last Sunday evening of each month.

Unity is Pleasant

Toney L Smith

By inspiration, the Psalmist penned the Psalm that spoke of the beauty of unity. Psalm 133 “Behold, how good and how pleasant it is for brethren to dwell together in unity! It is like the precious ointment upon the head, that ran down upon the beard, even Aaron’s beard: that went down to the skirts of his garments; As the dew of Hermon, and as the dew that descended upon the mountains of Zion: for there the LORD commanded the blessing, even life for evermore.” This Psalm is a beautiful illustration of brotherly love. God is never pleased when individuals break the unity that pleases Him.

Unity is both pleasant and good (Vs. 1). The idea of unity in the Hebrew language describes “relatives, one like another.” In the Greek language, it is defined as “oneness and agreement.” The apostle Paul described the basis for Biblical unity, “Fulfil ye my joy, that ye be likeminded, having the same love, being of one accord of one mind. Let nothing be done through strife or vainglory; but in lowliness of mind let each esteem other better than themselves. Look not every man on his own things, but every man also on the things of others” (Philippians 2:2-4). Jesus prayed for this kind of fellowship, “That they all may be one; as thou, Father, art in me, and I in thee, that they also may be one in us: that the world may believe that thou hast sent me” (John 17:21).

Unity is described as the “ointment upon thy head” (Vss. 2). Oil was often used to sanctify, “And he poured of the anointing oil upon Aaron’s head, and anointed him, to sanctify him” (Leviticus 8:12). The twenty-third Psalm says “... thou anointest my head with oil...” (Psalm 23:5). The oil mentioned in Psalm 133:2 was abundant and overflowing “ran down upon the beard, even Aaron’s beard: that went down to the skirts of his garments.” Unity in Christianity is to be so abundant that it will spread throughout the congregation. Together is a powerful word and a powerful force that can hold us together when some “creep in unawares” and cause division (Jude 4).

The passage also points to the “dew of Hermon.” Mt. Hermon stood above the Sea of Galilee and was a very fertile and productive region. On this mountain, the dew is very heavy, even during dry weather. The Psalmist gives an illustration of the bountiful blessings that are the result of biblical unity. Just as the dews of Mt. Hermon are bountiful and refreshing, so are the blessings derived from togetherness.

The Bible contains illustrations that demonstrate the importance of unity. In 1 Corinthians 12, Paul addresses the issue of a congregation lacking unity. They were jealous and argumentative about spiritual gifts. The message from chapter twelve is that everyone is important and unity is essential if a congregation is to be productive and pleasing to God. In 1 Corinthians chapter 13, the congregation is challenged to love one another. Their fussing and wrangling did not demonstrate unity!

It is disheartening when congregations cannot stand united and defend the gospel together. However, some seek to introduce error, and some go along with those who “have crept in unawares” (Jude 4). It is neither pleasant nor good when unity is absent in the Lord’s church.

The body of Christ is to be a place of peace and happiness (Psalm 122).