

Announcements

Sunday, May 13, 2018



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Week At A Glance

Sunday, May 13th

Missions Ministry - Cancelled

Monday, May 14th

5:30 p.m. Pathfinders Fellowship (Fellowship Hall)

Tuesday, May 15th

10:00 a.m. Senior Adult Ministry – Hosted by Mt. Zion
Activity: Brain Stimulation Games
5:00 p.m. ACT Prep (Scarboro Community Center)
7:00 p.m. Mime Ministry (Fellowship Hall)

Wednesday, May 16th

No Choir Rehearsals for children and youth
6:00 p.m. Meals for children and youth
7:00 p.m. Coaching For Christ
7:00 p.m. Family-focused Bible Study (all classes)

Thursday, May 17th

11:00 a.m. Senior Adult Bible Study
5:30 p.m. ACT Prep (Scarboro Community Center)
7:00 p.m. Male Chorus
7:00 p.m. Mime Ministry (Fellowship Hall)

Friday, May 18th

11:30 a.m. Kareday Terrace Bible Study, 99 Wilberforce Ave.

Saturday, May 19th

7:30 a.m. Prayer Meeting
9:00 a.m. Male Chorus
11:00 a.m. New Members Luncheon (Fellowship Hall)

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Pathfinders Fellowship

Our Middle School Pathfinder students will meet on **Monday, May 14th at 5:30 p.m.** until **7:00 p.m.** Regular meetings will be held on each Monday, unless notified of changes.

Senior Adult Ministry

Senior adults are welcome to attend the weekly activity hosted at Mt. Zion Baptist Church on **Tuesday, May 15th at 10:00 a.m.** Brain stimulation games will be the activity for the week. Please contact Charmaine Henderson for details.

Mime Ministry

The Mime Ministry will practice on **Tuesday, May 15th at 7:00 p.m. and Thursday, May 17th at 7:00 p.m.** in the Fellowship Hall. All interested youth, please plan to attend. Parent must provide transportation. Please contact Sis. Robin for details.

Coaching For Christ

Youth Leadership Development Program invites all male and female students in middle and high school, to attend the weekly training sessions. The topic of discussion for **Wednesday, May 16th** will be "**Digital Disrespect**". There will be a training session for all facilitators interested in Coaching for Christ each Sunday immediately following worship service in the Hal Williams Building. Flyers are available on the table in the vestibule.

New Member Luncheon

On **Saturday, May 19th at 11:00 a.m.**, the New Member Ministry will host a special luncheon for all members who have united with us within the past year or have never attended one of our fellowships. If you are able to attend, please sign up on the sheet located in the vestibule. Please contact Sis. Harriet Stewart for details.

Deaconess Ministry Community Service Project

In support of the Deaconess Ministry's community service project, each household is asked to donate one of each of the following three items: **a large box of Kleenex, a large package of baby wipes, and a large bottle of hand-sanitizer.** Containers will remain in the hallway through **Sunday, May 20th.** Please contact Sis. Sherron Harris for details.

Knoxville District Baptist Association Women's Ministry News

The Knoxville District Baptist Association Women's Ministry will meet at Oak Valley on **Saturday, May 26th at 10:00 a.m.** The theme will be "*Celebration of Visitors, International Mission, and Hats with Purpose*". A lunch will be provided following the meeting. All ladies are welcome to attend. Rev. Margret Mack is the contact person for this event

My Sister's Keeper

The Deaconess ministry will host a "Soup, Sandwich, and Smack" luncheon for all women 18 to 25 years of age, on **Saturday, June 9th, from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.** The purpose is to promote generational fellowship as sisters in Christ. A sign-up sheet is in the vestibule. Please see Sis. Sherron Harris for details.

Sunday School High School Graduation Recognition

We praise God for our high school seniors who will graduate this year: Bro. Shirod Graham, Sis. Ruth Hammond, Bro. Ramar Hawkins, Sis. Kenya Sloan, and Bro. Levert Smith. We celebrate their academic and athletic accomplishments and look forward to seeing how God will bless their future endeavors.

The Sunday School Department will hold its annual High School Graduation Recognition on **Sunday, June 10, 2018 at 9:30 a.m.** to celebrate these graduates. All are welcome to join us in celebrating the accomplishments of these young women and men. Also, please add your contributions to their foot lockers by **Sunday, June 10th**. Questions? Please contact Sis. Hammond.

Fellowship with St. Paul Missionary Baptist Church

On **Sunday, June 10th at 3:30 p.m.**, we will celebrate the 5th Pastoral Anniversary of Pastor Dexter D. Mims, Sr. at St. Paul Missionary Baptist Church in Knoxville. We will depart Oak Valley immediately following morning worship. Dinner will be served, and everyone is invited to attend.

Relay For Life Anderson County - Festival of Hope

Please make plans to come out to Melton Lake Park from **6:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m.** on **Friday, June 15th** and enjoy an evening of food, entertainment, family fun, and fellowship all in the name of raising money to fight against cancer. The Oak Valley team will have a tent set up at the event. Luminaria bags are still available for a \$5.00 donation. Please contact Sis. Cindy Johnson for details.

**Let the words of my mouth,
and the meditation of
my heart,
be acceptable in thy sight,
O Lord,
my strength, and my redeemer.**
Psalm 19:14

Sunday School News

Next Week's Lesson: Remembering with Joy – Lev. 25:1-12



Trivia Question: During the Sabbatical Year, what was forbidden?

Prayer Meeting – Saturday Mornings at 7:30 a.m.

Everyone is invited to continue participating in our Saturday Morning Prayer Meetings at **7:30 a.m.** We gather in the Sanctuary and then dismiss to personal prayer areas as guided by the Spirit.

Prayer Line

Members who are unable to join us at the church are invited to join us by prayer line on **Saturdays at 8:15 a.m.** To participate, please call 712-432-8399. When prompted, the access code is 746416.

Intercessory Prayer

Intercessory Prayer meeting is held each **Sunday morning at 9:00 a.m.** in the Sanctuary.

Online Giving/Donations to OVBC

We can now give donations online as another way to support our ministry at Oak Valley. Please logon to the website at <https://oakvalleybc.com/> or use your OVBC app. Click the heart icon in the upper right side of screen and follow instructions. You may also text OVBC to 77977 and instructions will be forwarded to you.

ACT Prep

The ACT Prep sessions are in progress at the Scarboro Community Center **thru June 28th**. Sessions are held on Tuesdays and Thursdays from **5:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.**, and on Saturdays from **3:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.** Please contact Sis. Robin for details.

Save the Date

Mark your calendar for **July 14th** for an exciting trip to Atlanta, GA to tour black history sites. Be prepared for a day full of fellowship, bonding, and fun! You don't want to miss this history packed event! Lunch will be enjoyed at a local soul food restaurant. The cost for the trip will be \$35.00 per person (meals are not included). Please sign up on the sheet located in the vestibule. Please contact Sis. Earnestine Sloan for details.



Oak Valley Standing Commitments

Intercessory Prayer.....	9:00 a.m.
Sunday School.....	9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship.....	11:00 a.m.
Children's' Church (2 nd & 3 rd).....	11:00 a.m.
Mission (2 nd).....	3:00 p.m.
P.U.S.H. Ministry (1 st).....	4:00 p.m.

MONDAY

Pathfinders Ministry	5:30 p.m.
Music Committee Meeting (2 nd).....	6:00 p.m.

TUESDAY

Sunday School Seminar (3 rd)	6:00 p.m.
Mime Ministry.....	7:00 p.m.

WEDNESDAY

Children/Middle School Choir Rehearsal.....	5:30 p.m.
Meals for Children and Youth.....	6:00 p.m.
Nursery	7:00 p.m.
Family Focus Bible Study (all classes).....	7:00 p.m.

THURSDAY

Senior Bible Study (all are invited)	11:00 a.m.
Family Life and Educational Ministries (3 rd)	6:00 p.m.
OVBC Voices of Praise (1 st , 2 nd , 4 th).....	6:30 p.m.
Male Chorus (3 rd)	7:00 p.m.
Mime Ministry.....	7:00 p.m.

FRIDAY

Kareday Apts. Bible Study	11:30 a.m.
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SATURDAY

Prayer Meeting.....	7:30 a.m.
Trustee Meeting (4 th)	8:30 a.m.
Hospitality Meeting (2 nd).....	9:00 a.m.
Men's Ministry (2 nd)	9:00 a.m.
Deaconess Meeting (3 rd).....	10:00 a.m.