#### **GENEROSITY & GIVING**

We all are the recipients of God's gracious goodness and love. Today, let's say, "Thank you, Lord" with our tithes and our offerings to His Kingdom work through Orchard Hill Church. So many of you have been faithful in your generosity and we want to thank you. Please go to orchardhill.org and click the "Giving" button at the top to sign-up for electronic giving (<a href="https://orchardhill.org/give/">https://orchardhill.org/give/</a>). If you are joining us On-Site, please use the Giving Boxes at the door.

#### **TECH BOOTH UPDATE**

Our new sound mixer has been installed and new digital wiring in the sanctuary has been completed. We are currently in the process of purchasing 3 new cameras for our Live Stream Ministry. Thank you for your patience as we navigate through this time and learn a new system! wendyh@orchardhill.org

#### 3 EXPRESSIONS OF WORSHIP

#### SUNDAY LIVE STREAM SERVICES

Connect to the live stream service on the "Orchard Hill Church" Facebook page (ohcgr). Find the current Sunday's "Church at Home" guide at orchardhill.org.

#### **SMALL GROUP IN-HOME GATHERINGS**

If you are looking to gather for worship in community but are still uncomfortable with joining us on-site, we encourage you to gather with a small group (10 or less, practicing safety protocols) to watch online together and talk through the questions in the "Church At Home Guide".

#### **ON-SITE GATHERING**

We are adhering to the social distancing protocol so our capacity is limited to 200 people. No need to sign up.

Masks are required for Moving & Music! Masks are required anytime you are moving inside the building and when we are engaged in singing together. You may keep your mask off during the talking portions of the service.

We are designating the seating section closest to the East Entry as a MASK ZONE. This is a zone where masks are worn at all times for those who are high-risk or feel uncomfortable being around others who are unmasked.

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## **CONTACT US**





For more information visit us online at www.orchardhill.org



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## SUNDAY, OCTOBER 4, 2020

Orchard Hill Church exists to see hundreds of families and individuals in the surrounding neighborhoods become committed followers of Jesus Christ.

#### **REMINDER!**

Our protocols for offering on-site worship include: social distancing and wearing masks for *moving & music*. We are trying to keep all people safe and we need everyone to honor this directive so we are able keep Orchard Hill open for worship.

## **TODAY: THE GREAT COMMISSION CELEBRATION!**

Acts 8:26-40

Kicking off a month-long celebration of our call to live to tell the gospel! Check out the lobby for ways to get involved as we seek to live out the Great Commission! Tune in to the Orchard Hill Church Facebook page M-F this week at 7:00 PM for exciting mission and outreach updates!

## **NEW SERIES – NEAR TO GOD: A STUDY OF LEVITICUS**

God desires His people to draw near to Him. His aspiration is to know us and to be known by us. In an often, ignored part of the Bible, the book of Leviticus, God lays out a path for how we can enter His presence. This series will help us navigate through the difficult pages of Leviticus and discover how the work of Jesus on the cross enables us to *Draw Near* to God.

October 11: Defining the Problem

October 18: Two Ways to Enter God's Presence

October 25: The Mediator

Reading guides are available at orchardhill.org and in the Connection Corner.

# **CARE**

## **Prayers**

- For all in the OHC community that serve in our local schools in this challenging time.
- For our partners at Casa David and Mission India as they reach out with the gospel to those suffering from COVID.
- For all who are dealing with the effects of cancer.
- For those who remain in Hospice care.

### PRAYER REQUESTS AND PASTORAL CARE NEEDS

If you have a prayer request or praise, or are in need of pastoral care, contact Pastor Kathy.

kathyb@orchardhill.org

#### COMPASSIONATE CHRISTIAN COUNSELING

Do not struggle alone. We are here to help! To set up an appointment, call 616.296.2130.

cccoffice@cccounseling.net

### PRAYER ROOM

Take some time and visit the newly redone prayer room and find rest for your soul.

# **STAY CONNECTED**

## **YOUTH GROUP**

This week we are discussing a core virtue of all disciples: love. We will be challenged to love in the same way that Jesus loved us! Hope you will join us on our 30-week journey toward discipleship!

**High School** (9<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup>): Sunday, Oct 4, 6:00 PM-8:00 PM. **Middle School** (6<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup>): Wednesday, Oct 7, 6:30 PM-8:00 PM **gregs@orchardhill.org** 

## **PRAYER LINE**

If you would like to receive the prayer line, please email Terri in the church office.

territ@orchardhill.org

## **KIDS MINISTRY**

We have opened our children's ministry for preschool - 5<sup>th</sup> grade. Currently, we are asking children to wear masks. Children should go directly to the Kids Wing before church begins. Weekly children's ministry videos can be found online at the Orchard Hill Church Fellowship Group Facebook page. *mirandah@orchardhill.org* 

### **GROUP UP! GROUPS STARTING THIS WEEK:**

 ${\bf IMMERSE: KINGDOMS-Study\ the\ Bible\ in\ community!}$ 

Sundays at 11:15 AM in the East Overflow.

bobk@orchardhill.org

MEN'S BIBLE STUDY: EPHESIANS - Wing Wednesday this week! Wednesdays at 6:30 PM in the Man Cave (Room 210). bobk@orchardhill.org

GOSPEL FLUENCY - Learn to speak the gospel in everyday life! Sundays at 11:30 AM in the Man Cave (Room 210).

bobk@orchardhill.ora

LADIES PRAYER GROUP - Grow your prayer life in community! Tuesdays at 10:00 AM in the Prayer Room. hahn.rhonda@amail.com

# **SERVE**

### **ON-SITE GREETERS**

We are looking for people to serve as a welcoming presence as people enter church. Contact Pastor Kathy to sign up. **kathyb@orchardhill.org** 

## **CONNECTION CORNER**

We are looking for people to serve in the Connection Corner, as they help get people connected and growing deeper at Orchard Hill. For more information, contact Pastor Kathy. **kathyb@orchadhill.org** 

## **ONLINE GREETERS**

We are looking for online greeters to welcome people, tag announcements, and have short conversations with those who are watching our services online. Must be on Facebook and have access to a computer or smart phone. Contact Wendy Huizinga to become a greeter.

wendyh@orchardhill.org

# ETC.

## **PARENTING SEMINAR**

Join us Sunday, October 11th from 6:00 PM-8:00 PM at Remembrance Church as Rob Rienow opens God's Word and helps us think through God's plan for our families. We'll get practical tools to help us lead our families and encouragement as we point our children to Christ. Admission is free, but registration is required. Contact Greg Salmon to register. Don't mis the great opportunity! gregs@orchardhill.org

Session #1—Parenting Through Spiritual Struggle Session #2—The Spiritual Power of the Family Schedule

#### **NEW MEMBERSHIP CLASS – PARTY POPPER SUNDAY**

Our next Party Popper Sunday will be November 22<sup>nd</sup>. The membership class will be held on November 1<sup>st</sup> after the worship service. If you want to become a member of Orchard Hill by profession of faith or transfer or would like baptism for you or your child, contact Pastor Kathy. **kathyb@orchardhill.org.** 

## STAFF APPRECIATION MONTH

October is the month that we as a church family take time to show appreciation to our church staff. This has been an especially difficult season in the life of the church and through it our staff has worked hard to keep us connected to God and one another. We will be receiving a special offering this month for our staff, and we are asking each of you to find a way to uplift and encourage them. Gifts can be given online at orchardhill.org by following the "Giving" tab and selecting "Staff Appreciation" in the dropdown menu, mailed to the church office, or in person with a note on your check or giving envelope. Thanks for blessing our staff!