



UPCOMING EVENTS

SEP 5

Gathering on Main Evangelism

SEP 10

Devoted to the Word Ladies Bible Study Begins

SEP 12

Fall EquipU Classes Begin

SEP 14

Men's Breakfast and Work Day

SEP 15

New Member Induction

SEP 30

Pursuing Wisdom Fall Panel Night

OCT 13

BCO/IBC Picnic at Mohawk Park



I'M NEW HERE

INFORMATION STATION

Stop by the desk in the lower lobby to find out more about BCO, what goes on here and when it happens.

GET CONNECTED

Join us each Sunday at 8:45A in one of our Adult Flocks as we connect with each other on a personal level, care for one another, and deepen our walk with Christ.

SUNDAYS AT BCO

8:45A • ADULT FLOCKS | SUNDAY SCHOOL

- Newborn - 2 years.....Nursery
- Children's Sunday School.....Children's Wing
 - Preschool | 1st - 2nd | 3rd - 4th | 5th - 6th
- Adult Flocks
 - Cornerstone.....Annex
 - The Forge.....Lower Worship Center
 - Gospel Life.....Upper Worship Center
 - Youth.....Basement

10:30A • WORSHIP TOGETHER

- Livestream available
- Overflow seating in LWC
- Nursery (Newborn - 2 years)
- Children's Church (3 years - Kindergarten)
 - Three years - Kindergarten begin in the Worship Together and are then dismissed during the greeting time.

BCO KIDS

Kids sermon notes available in the Upper Lobby and Lower Worship Center.

KEY WORD [worker, pride] • **BONUS WORDS** [Demetrius, see, peace]



God creates a new heaven and new earth — Revelation 21:1 - 22:21

PRINCIPLE: Believers should be encouraged by and preparing for the coming of Christ.

ASK YOUR CHILD: Why are Jesus' return and the new creation encouraging to believers?

APPLY: By living a godly life as he eagerly waits for Christ's return.



Therefore a man shall leave his father and his mother and hold fast to his wife, and they shall become one flesh.

~ Genesis 2:24 (ESV)

Parents: Children are always welcome to sit quietly in our Worship Together. If their activity or sounds begin to hinder the worship of others, we ask you escort them out in the spirit of Romans 12:10.



BIBLE CHURCH OF OWASSO

BRINGING GOD'S WORD TO LIFE

September 1, 2024

Welcome | Invocation.....Chuck Finster

Worship in Song.....Jon Murphy
My Hope Is in the Lord
O For A Heart to Praise My God

Worship in Reading.....Chuck Finster
Ecclesiastes 7:1-9

Worship in Prayer.....Chuck Finster

Worship in Song.....Jon Murphy
My Worth Is Not in What I Own
I Will Glory in My Redeemer

Worship in Greeting
Children age 3 - Kindergarten dismissed to Children's Church

Worship in Preaching.....Andrew Copley
3 John 9-15 — Workers for the Truth, part 2

Worship in Communion

Worship in Praise
When I Survey the Wondrous Cross

Worship in Giving
Financial offerings can be placed in the black boxes just outside the double doors or via the BCO app/website.



We exist to exalt Jesus Christ and expand His kingdom as we boldly proclaim His Gospel, faithfully disciple His people, and gladly obey His Word.

SERMON NOTES 3 John 9-15 — Workers for the Truth, part 2

I. Diotrophes - the demise of a truth worker (vv. 9-10)

II. Demetrius - the reputation of a truth worker (vv. 11-12)

III. Gaius and John - the longings of a truth worker (vv. 13-15)

DIGGING DEEPER : Reflecting on Today's Sermon

1. What lessons about pride can we learn from Diotrophes and how can we help each other pursue humility?
2. Demetrius received a good testimony "from the truth itself." What might have been some characteristics of Demetrius' life that gave John reason to say this?
3. Pick one of three longings of a truth worker. What are some ways we can kindle this longing at BCO?

ANNOUNCEMENTS

CHILDREN IN THE LOWER WORSHIP CENTER

Children are always welcome to sit quietly in the lower worship center. If their activity or sounds begin to hinder the worship of others, we ask you escort them out to one of the children's rooms on the south side of the building in the spirit of Romans 12:10.

GATHERING ON MAIN OUTREACH - THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 5

Please join the local outreach team in engaging our community in gospel conversations during Gathering on Main on Thursday, September 5. We will meet at BCO at 6pm and walk down to the event. This is a great opportunity to engage our community with the gospel right in our own backyard!

MEN'S BREAKFAST AND WORK DAY - SEPTEMBER 14

All men's breakfast - Join us as we grow in our relationships with each other and the Lord as men in His church our families, and this world! All men, Jr High and up invited! Please register on the church app so we know how much food to prepare. We are also looking for men to organize cooking breakfast, so if you are interested, please contact Paul Calvert at (918) 856-0297.

BOOK OF THE QUARTER

The Pilgrim's Progress by John Bunyan, edited by Cheryl Ford. Max Megee is the pastor contact if you have questions as you read.

CHURCH IN ACTION: WELCOMING ONE ANOTHER

"Welcome one another as Christ has welcomed you, for the glory of God" (Romans 15:7). As a part of our Worship Together, get out of your seat every Sunday and greet those around you. Get to know them. If you see someone you don't recognize, ask their name and how long they've been attending. Invite a visitor to Flock or Praxis or Bible study, or to lunch after the service. Strengthen old bonds; be eager to forge new ones. We've fulfilled our mission to send a new church plant. Let's continue our mission at this church plant, by doing what we promised in our church covenant: "actively and joyfully encouraging, building up, and ministering to the practical need of one another." If you would like to find out more about being a part of our official welcoming ministry, contact Pastor Andrew.



STAFF PASTORS

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FINANCIAL PRAISES

as of August 25, 2024

Monthly giving.....\$93,613
Monthly budget.....\$58,750

YTD giving.....\$668,835
YTD budget.....\$667,500

Building Fund giving.....\$3,628,038
Building Fund expenses.....\$1,169,677
Building Fund balance.....**\$2,458,361**

12% of our General Fund giving is allocated to missions. All contributions should be made with the understanding BCO reserves the right to allocate the donated funds to carry out BCO's exempt purposes and functions.

