



## UPCOMING EVENTS

**OCT 20**  
Pastor Victor Visit and Update

**OCT 20**  
Honduras Mission Trip Interest Meeting

**OCT 26**  
Membership Class

**OCT 27**  
Sunday Fellowship Meal

**NOV 9**  
Men's Breakfast and Workday

**NOV 16**  
Considering Eldership

**MAR 1**  
Ironmen Summit 2025



## 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** [ fruit, love ] • **BONUS WORDS** [ soul, rat, chief ]



### God preserves Noah - Genesis 8:1 - 9:17

**PRINCIPLE:** God is loving and keeps His promises.  
**ASK YOUR CHILD:** What covenant did God make with mankind?  
**APPLY:** By trusting that God will always do what He says.  
**THIS WEEK:** As a family, read Genesis 8:1 - 9:17.



**For the wages of sin is death,** but the free gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord.

~ Romans 6:23 (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

**October 20, 2024**

**Welcome | Invocation**.....Ted Johnson

**Church in Action**  
Pastor Victor - Russian Bible Church

**Worship in Song**.....Jon Murphy  
How Great Thou Art  
What Love My God

**Worship in Reading**.....Daniel Zubarev  
1 John 4:7-12, 19-21

**Worship in Prayer**.....Daniel Zubarev

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

**Worship in Preaching**.....Ted Johnson  
John 15:12-17 — One Fruit to Rule them All

**Worship in Communion**

**Worship in Praise**  
Crown Him with Many Crowns

**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 John 15:12-17 — One Fruit to Rule them All

- 1) Command
- 2) Character
- 3) Friends of King
- 4) Grand Purpose

### DIGGING DEEPER : Reflecting on Today's Sermon

1. How might you "go" (i.e. look for opportunities) to love?
2. When two opportunities to love present themselves at the same time, how do you choose?
3. How does the context of 'mission' impact how we understand the prayer promises of Jn 14:13-14, 15:7,16?
4. How will this impact how you pray?

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### HONDURAS MISSION TRIP INTEREST MEETING - TODAY, OCTOBER 20

If you are interested in going on the mission trip to Honduras in June of 2025, this meeting is for you! We will meet in the youth room right after church at 12:15PM and will give an overview of this year's trip. Attendance does not commit you to the trip but will provide great information to help you make that decision.

### STREET CLOSURE NEAR BCO - OCTOBER 22 - 28

Main Street will be closed at 3rd St (just north of BCO) starting next Tuesday (22nd) through the following Monday (28th). BCO traffic coming from the 86th St will need to use Birch Street; if coming from 76th St, you can still use Main Street. Access to the parking lot at the Tea Room Annex will only be from Birch St. Please see attached traffic control plan.

### MEN'S BREAKFAST AND WORK DAY - NOVEMBER 9

All men's breakfast - we will meet in the gym at 8am for breakfast and focused teaching on this year's theme of Holy Ambition, and then around 9:45 engage in some work projects together. All men, Jr High and up invited! Please register on Church Center so we know how much food to prepare.

### CONSIDERING ELDERSHIP - NOVEMBER 16

An open invitation for any man in our church to understand the practical & spiritual facets of serving as a local church elder and identify some appropriate next-step preparations & qualifications. Attendance is not committing yourself to anything but will help you assess any aspirations to eldership. We will meet from 8:30-11:30 in the BCO Annex Building. There is no cost, but please register on the church app or online.

### IRONMEN SUMMIT 2025 - MARCH 1

Men, registration for Ironmen Summit Owasso 2025 is open! Our annual one-day men's conference will explore cultivating and pursuing both our common ambition and individual ambitions for Christ. Breakouts will aim at three primary targets for men in Christ's Kingdom - missions, discipleship, leadership. Cost of this one-day event is \$50 per person. Breakfast and lunch are provided on site. Please register on Church Center.

### BOOK OF THE QUARTER - RECOVERING BIBLICAL MANHOOD AND WOMANHOOD

If you have any questions or would like to discuss the book's material in more detail, Ted Johnson is the elder contact.

### CHURCH IN ACTION - A/V TEAM

Rick Stiles and Greg Geiger are the deacons who oversee the Technology, Audio, and Visual ministry at BCO. Their team works hard every week to serve us as we worship with projected song lyrics, controlling the sound quality, and recording the sermon so that we can focus on glorifying God and enjoying Him together. Praise the Lord for their ministry to our body! If you would like to find out about serving on this team, contact Rick or Greg.



### STAFF PASTORS

Ted Johnson • Chuck Finster  
Andrew Copley • Max Megee

### LAY ELDERS

Jeff Ferguson • Jay Foreman  
Rob Holler • Daniel Zubarev

### WORSHIP LEADER

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## FINANCIAL PRAISES

as of October 13, 2024

Monthly giving.....\$29,893  
Monthly budget.....\$58,750

YTD giving.....\$767,796  
YTD budget.....\$785,000

Building Fund giving.....\$3,631,810  
Building Fund expenses.....\$1,169,451  
Building Fund balance.....**\$2,462,358**

*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.*

