



IN OUR PRAYERS

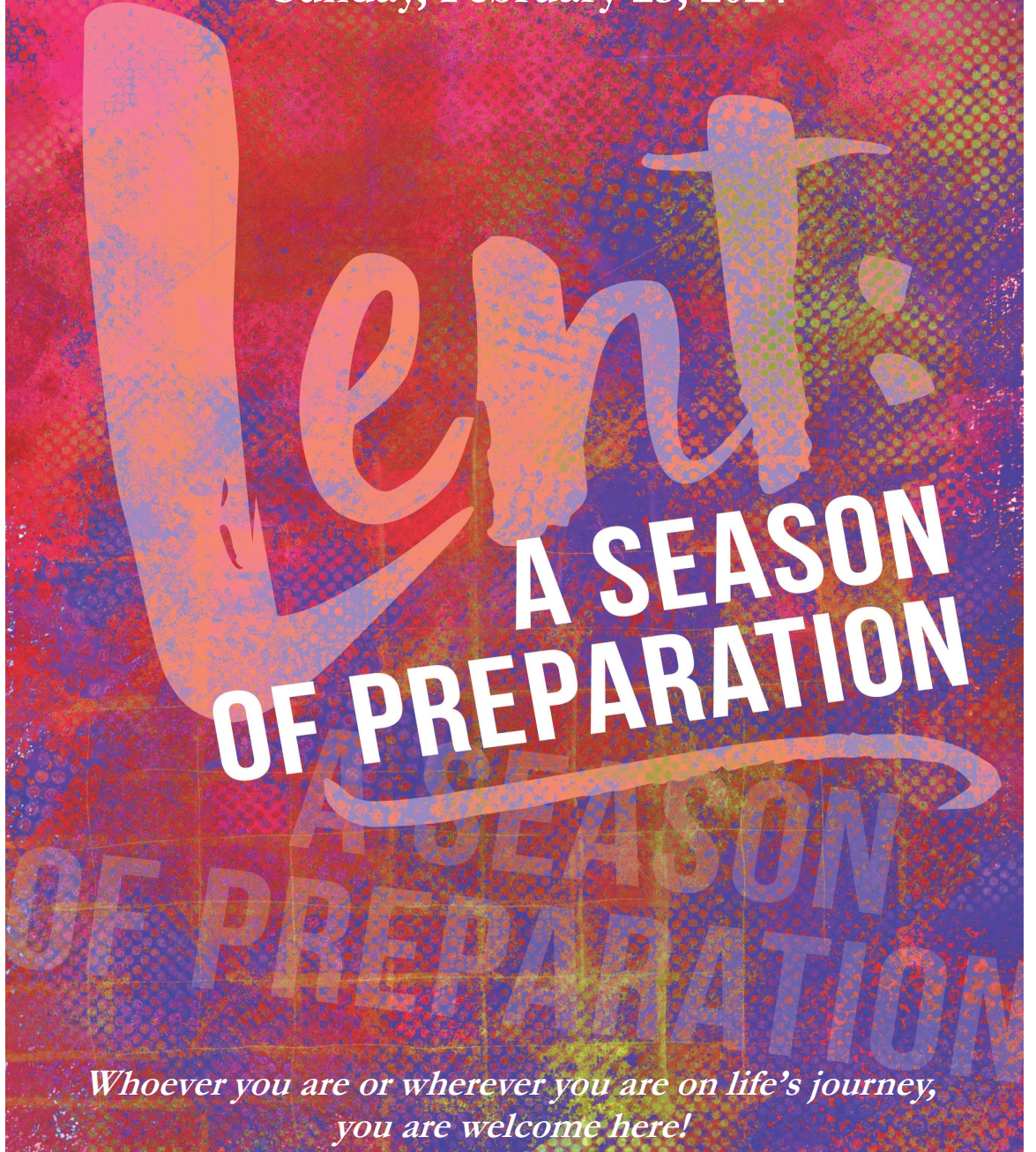
Charles Johnson - Home John Mellon -Home Barbara Nelms - Home
Jackie Pierce - Home Ann Hodgson - Home Nick Sarick - Home
Mildred King - Home Randy Rowell - Home

Marguerite Butler Accordius Health
Margaret Tolly - Our Lady of Perpetual Help, VB Rm 120
Chris Hathaway - Dockside Health & Rehab Locust Hill, VA

Josephine Voss (family member of Mary & Lou Haddad)
Jardin, Emma, and Grey Culpepper (Rhonda Culpepper's family)
Loretta Overholt (Wilma Roth's sister)
Laura T. Wegman Shultz - (Betsy and Otto Wegman's daughter)
Zoeann and John Schaeffer - (Pastor Stump's family)
Jane Waller (Kim Waller's mother) - Home
Alexa Frey (Danna & Rick Vroman's great niece)
Payton Vroman (Danna & Rick Vroman's granddaughter)
Michael Teague (Peggy and Eddie Walker's son-in-law)
Heather Brookover (friend of Kirsten Creely)
Judy Shiers (friend of Cheryl Rudd)
Charles Hammerbeck (friend of Cheryl Rudd)
Terry Wilburn (friend of Denise & Frank Spady)
Naomi Shockley (June & Bill Felton's great niece)
Danny Perryman (Susie Eaton's uncle)
Anne Ducate (Sadie Boyer's sister) - Home, Columbia, SC
Colin Kiley (friend of Cheryl Rudd)
Dolores Teem (Julie Hase's mother)
Josh Bennett - (Ray Bennett's son) - Home
Lisa Pettaway - (Chef @ Mason's) - Home

Our Christian sympathy is extended to Janet Harris and family on the passing of her mother, Elenor Muche.

Oakland Christian United Church of Christ *Est. 1872*
Sunday, February 25, 2024



Contributing to Our Worship Today

Minister Rev. Jason Stump
Minister of Music Paul Putnam
Liturgist Jean Keeling

Please sign our red friendship pads located on the back of the pew in front of you.

If you are interested in ordering a flower arrangement for the altar, please sign up on the flower chart located on the front bulletin board in the Fellowship Hall.
Please call or email the church secretary.

CHURCH HAPPENINGS

- Feb 25 Deadline for Newsletter articles
- Feb 27 Strategic Planning Meeting - Godwin Mtg. Room (6:30pm)
- Feb 28 Council Meeting - Little Kitchen (6pm)
- March 3 Adult Sunday School (10am) Worship (11am) Communion
- Mar 4-12 Pastor Stump on professional retreat in Louisiana
- March 5 Loaves & Fishes Meeting - Fellowship Hall (10am)
- March 10 Adult Sunday School (10am) Worship (11am) Guest Minister
- March 17 Adult Sunday School (10am) Worship (11am) New Members Joining
- March 24 Adult Sunday School (10am) Worship (11am) Palm Sunday
- March 28 Tenebrae Service - Maundy Thursday - (6 pm)
- March 31 Adult Sunday School (10am) Worship (11am) Easter Sunday (Egg Hunt)



Attendance Last Sunday 100
*Weekly Collection (Feb 12 thru Feb 18) \$ 19,976.00
Collection Year to Date (January 1 thru Feb 18) \$ 56,323.67
*Collection to the General Fund - Includes online & mailed in offerings.

Please be sure any monetary tithes sent to the church on your behalf from a financial institution have your name associated with them, if you would like them attributed to you.

PARKING



If you arrive early to worship, please consider parking in the unpaved parking areas on the sides of the building. While we don't have many designated handicapped parking spaces at this time, it truly does help our older folks to have closer spaces, and it is also helpful to visitors who may be unfamiliar, or unsure of where else they can park. Your help is greatly appreciated.



NEW MEMBERS IN 2023 AND 2024

Anyone who has joined the church in the last year please stay after the service to have your picture taken.



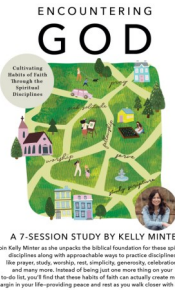
OUR 2024 GLOBAL OUTREACH PROJECT

Our 5th Sunday change collection will begin on June 30th so start saving for this years global project. The first 5th Sunday of 2024 falls on Easter and we are not collecting on Easter Sunday for this.

Our global project is for Friends of Barnabas. Their mission is to empower families of Honduras through healthcare and education.



EASTER EGG HUNT
On Palm Sunday
Immediately following Sunday Worship



Starting Wednesday April 3RD
Godwin Sunday School Room at 9:45am to 11:15am

The name of the study is “Encountering God” by Kelly Minter. Study books will need to be ordered by March 25th (\$16.99 each) Call Julie Hase (757-373-4255) or Mary Anne Riddick (757-377-8353)

During the worship service, we provide nursery and childcare for infants and toddlers. If you need assistance, please ask an usher.

Following the children's message, children are invited to exit the sanctuary with a children's church team member and proceed upstairs (above nursery) for Children's Church. Parents, please pick up your child at this room following worship.

Pastor Jason Stump 757-630-6577 or Church 757-255-4353
*"Please no calls/texts after 8pm, or before 8am, unless it is a true emergency.
 Rev. Stump is typically off and unavailable on Friday and Saturday.
 Please consider if your contact can wait until a better time."*
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 office@oaklanducc.com

Pastor	Rev. Jason Stump
Minister of Music	Mr. Paul E. Putnam
Church Secretary	Mrs. Connie Edwards
Financial Secretary/Newsletter Editor	Mrs. Kelly Schaubach
Nursery Attendant.	Mrs. Rhonda Culpepper
Sexton	Mr. Roosevelt Jones

Office Hours 10 AM to 3 PM Monday through Thursday



*As the deer pants for the water my soul longs after you.
You alone are my heart's desire and I long to worship you.
You alone are my strength, my shield, to you alone will my spirit yield.
You alone are my heart's desire and I long to worship you.*

INVOCATION

Holy God, like Peter, sometimes we think we know better than you do. We make our own attempts to save ourselves and others from the cross filled path you have called us to walk. Help us to get behind you, because it has become easier to rely upon ourselves, rather than on your strength and presence. Grant us grace and help us to let go of our need for control so that you and your way might be our guide and path forward. Amen.

JANE AND TOMMY ARTHUR, THERESA AND ROBERT BEALE, JUDY GARDNER,
KATIE HUMPHREY, DIANE JOHNSON, LAUREL JOHNSON,
SANDRA JOHNSTON, DAWN AND RUSTY SCHNEIDER

*Go in peace and the peace of God be with you this day,
Go in peace and the peace of God be with you always,
Celebrate and share the joy! Celebrate new life,
Go in peace and the peace of God be with you always.*

The Altar flowers are given to the glory of God!