

THIS WEEK - April 29 - May 5

Sunday	9:00 am	Worship
	10:30 am	Sunday School
	4:00 pm	Spranger Goodbye Party
Monday	6:00 pm	Adult Co-ed Volleyball
Tuesday	9:00 am	Staff Meeting
Thursday	1:00 pm	Prayer at Cambridge Courthouse
	7:00 pm	National Day of Prayer Service at Cambridge UMC
Saturday	9:30 am	Franck Bridal Shower

NEXT WEEK - May 6 - 12

Sunday	9:00 am	Worship/Communion
	10:30 am	Sunday School
	11:45 am	Church Potluck
	6:00 pm	Jr. & Sr. High Bible Study
Monday	6:00 pm	Adult Co-ed Volleyball
	6:00 pm	Women's Ministry Meeting
Tuesday	9:00 am	Staff Meeting
	6:30 pm	Elder Meeting
Wednesday	8:30 am	Wednesday Warriors

Sermon Coming Next Week -

Missionary Sunday

Save the Dates:



**2018 VBS
July 9th - 13th
Time Lab
Registration begins
May 9th!**



Today - D & L Uhlyr

May 6th - No Children's Church

Nursery Workers

9:00 am L Britt / J Mettlin
10:30 am A Hagerman / **OPEN**

2 & 3 Year Old Class Workers

9:00 am L Vincent / E Kayser
10:30 am B Vedvik / A Keeney



An Evangelical Free Church of America

Box 25, Osco, IL 61274 309- 522-5561

Paul Henschel • Senior Pastor
Cell (920-857-7989) PHenschel@oscochurch.org

Tony Spranger • Youth Pastor
Cell (309-236-6812) TSpranger@oscochurch.org

Office – office@oscochurch.org
Homepage- www.oscochurch.org

Office Hours Monday - Friday 9am-2pm

Please note that public testimonies & interviews may appear on our weekly podcast.



To Know Him



To Make Him Known



To Share His Love

April 29, 2018

Hearing Assistance Devices available at the Sound Booth for your convenience.

“Great Faith in an Unlikely Place”

Mark 7:24-30

April 29, 2018

Entrance into the kingdom of God isn't based on any external credentials, but on having a heart of humility that presses forward in faith to Jesus in our desperate need.

Three lessons about faith in Jesus...

1. It requires us to hold onto nothing but our need while _____ seeking Him.
(24-26)

2. It pushes us beyond our agenda to see God's kingdom _____. (27)

3. It prompts us to respond with _____, _____,
_____, and _____. (28-30)

Fellowship Time -

Join us for a time of coffee & conversation in the fellowship hall immediately following the morning worship service. Sunday School then starts at 10:30 am. There is a class for everyone!

Adult Topics:

N Juenger - "1st & 2nd Peter" - *Room C.1.9.*
(To Know Him)
L Roach - "Apologetics=Apologize?" - *Room A.2.2.*
(To Make Him Known)
W & C Snook - (To Share His Love) - *Fellowship Hall*
"Love, Sex, & Meaningful Relationships" by Chip Ingram
P Warren - *Room B.1.2.*

Welcome Center/ Website Updates - New issues of the **TORCH** are available at the Welcome Center. Check out the website at www.oscochurch.org for recent sermons and current/past copies of the bulletin to download.

Youth Group - For grades 6th through 12th

Upcoming dates:

May 6th - Parent Meeting - 5:30 pm
Bible Study - at the church - 6 pm

If there are any parents who are willing to be on the leadership team with T and K Akers, please let them know.

Graduating Students - If you know of any students who will be graduating this May, please let the church office know **who** is graduating, **when** they are graduating, **what** school or college they are graduating from, and (college) **degree** they are graduating with so we can recognize their accomplishments on **Sun., May 13th**.

Graduation Party for A Keeney will be Saturday, May 19th from 1 to 4 pm at the Keeney home, Cambridge.

Graduation Party for L Vincent will be Sunday, May 20th from 2 to 5 pm at the Cambridge Community & Youth Center, Cambridge.

Graduation Party for H Akers will be Sunday, May 20th from 2:30 to 5:30 pm at the Cambridge Community Hall, Cambridge.

Pastor's Prayer Partners -

Today: S Tuttle & D Rehn
May 6th: J Padgett & S Tuttle

Card Shower – We are having a card shower for Pastor Tony and his family. Cards can be turned in to the Welcome Center today will be presented to Tony at his party **tonight**.

Spranger Goodbye Party – Today is Pastor Tony's last Sunday with us and we are planning on having a goodbye party at the Snook's starting at 4 pm. Pulled pork, drinks, and table service will be provided. Each family is asked to bring a side dish/salad/dessert. **Serving Committee #5** will be serving. R & B Vedvik are chairmen.

If there is anyone still interested in helping to run the computer during church, please contact the church office. We have started to set up a rotation for our **Audio/Visual group**.

2's & 3's Leader(s) Needed - We are looking for adults who would be willing to help out during the worship service monthly starting in June. L Vincent will be stepping down at the beginning of June. If God speaks to your heart about serving in this ministry, please contact the church office at 309-522-5561.

LOOKING AHEAD:

National Day of Prayer - The Cambridge United Methodist Church will host a National Day of Prayer on Thursday, May 3rd. They will pray at the courthouse at 1 pm & will have a prayer gathering/service at 7 pm at the church. Everyone is invited to this event.

Missionary Sunday - Join us on **May 6th** as missionaries Jay Pinney and Steve & Jill Horsman will both share about their missions work. We will also have a church potluck immediately following Sunday School. Each family is asked to bring a meat/main dish and a side dish/salad/dessert. Table service and drinks will be furnished. **Serving Committee #6** will be serving.

Everyone is invited to the wedding of K Franck and A Fetterhoff here at OCC on May 26th at 4 pm. Please **RSVP** to B & J Franck by Friday, May 4th if you are planning on attending the reception that follows.

The **Women's Ministry** will be offering a summer Bible study on 1 John. The Bible Study will run for 6 weeks, every other week starting June 9th. There will be a Fellowship/breakfast at 8 am, with the Bible Study starting promptly at 8:30 am and running for an hour.

OCC Pastors & Elders

Tom Akers	Keith Hoste
Nick Juenger	Larry Roach (Scripture Reader)
Paul Henschel	Tony Spranger

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

T (J Kohr's daughter) She has been in the hospital since 4/14 with pancreatitis issues. The doctors are hoping to clear that up and then do surgery.

J Glazier (friend of B Wells) Pray that he will not have any more complications. He is starting to get discouraged with all of the setbacks after 4 months in the hospital.

C (VanDerSnick's great-grandson) is doing well after his accident. He broke his nose and is aching all over, but he was able to walk out of the hospital the same day.

J (friend of S Rehn) Has Cancer - Next chemo April 19th. She feels good except a few days after chemo. Will take chemo through September.

B (Vincent family) - Both he and his dad handled the surgery well after his transplant. The family of **R Weckel** (L White's grandfather) as they grieve his loss.

D Langel (friend of Mettlin's) Recently diagnosed with High Grade Gliomas.

T Swanson (friend of Mettlin's) Battling Pancreatic cancer.

PEOPLE IN THE MILITARY -

A Wallace-Marines, San Diego, CA

E Wallace-Navy, Washington DC

ONGOING NEEDS

L (Bowen family)

D (J Kohrs brother)

D Morris (friend of Vincent's)

T (L Roach's sister-in-law)

J Blocklinger-Hale (J Franck's mother)

D Moody

H Reddick

J & N Salter (J Kohrs)

PEOPLE BATTLING CANCER

L (W & J Allen's granddaughter)

A (Mettlin's granddaughter)

D Grady (prostate-OCC missionary)

A Garcia (medulloblastoma – classmate of the Vedvik girls)

C Long (Padgett's niece)

J Watters (breast-OCC missionary)

Missionaries of the Month



Scott Johnson

YFC International

Keith & Louise

EFCA Reach Global in Asia

Current letters for our missionaries can be found on our website, www.oscochurch.org.



May Birthdays

I Hagerman	2
"T" Ashby	3
L Stropes	3
K Hoste	5
J Hagerman	7
M Johnston	8
D Rehn	8
E Kayser	9
V Snook	10
R Tuttle	13
T Scott	21
T Snook	22
H Woodward	25
N Hatfield	25
M Hagerman	28
V Sloan	28
S Rehn	30

May Anniversaries

L & A White	23
J & K Shannon	24
T & A Spranger	30
S & R Tuttle	30