



WELCOME



JULY 5, 2020

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We'd like to welcome all friends and guests today to OBC! Whether this is your first time here, or you attend regularly, we consider it an honor to have you with us!



**WED. SMALL GROUPS
FINANCIAL PEACE & RECOVERY**

Wed. July 8, 15, 22, 29 7:00pm

MEN'S FELLOWSHIP

Sun. July 19 6:00pm

Birthdays & Anniversaries

JULY BIRTHDAYS

- 1st Amanda Grimes
- 2nd Tom Hanley
- 4th Todd Haley
- 6th Rick Carr
- 7th Betty Asher
- 14th Angie Grimes
- 16th DeWayne Morrow
- 16th Katie Stanley
- 22nd Dennis Goecke Sr.
- 22nd Amber Harvey
- 28th Tracy Wilson
- 29th Joe Smith
- 30th Doris Shrader

JULY ANNIVERSARIES

- 7th Peter & Kenzie Presson
- 8th Scott & Angel Asher
- 17th Carl & Sue Harlacher
- 26th Jim & Deloris Brooks
- 28th Sean & Abby Stanley



The Financial Peace and Life Recovery small groups will start again this Wed. July 8 at 7:00pm. Make plans to come back out to these groups and pick back up where you left off.



The next Men's Fellowship will be Sun. Jul 19 at 6:00pm in the Young Life Center. All men ages 18 and up are welcome to attend. See Pastor Dan Agne for more info.



This month we are highlighting the **Hospitality Ministry**. The Hospitality Ministry's purpose is to provide meals to families within OBC who have had a serious illness, surgery, a new baby, or a death in the family, as well as to arrange opportunities to build relationships through fellowship events. This ministry includes people who are faithful to cook meals, deliver meals, provide dishes for funerals, and set up and tear down for fellowship events. The Hospitality Ministry is led by Teresa Richardson and we appreciate her so much and also all of the wonderful vounteers that make this ministry so successful! If you would like to get involved in this ministry, contact Teresa Richardson at teresa.richardson@ketteringoh.org



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SERVICE SCHEDULE

Celebration Services 9:00am & 10:30am

Graceland Kids Ministry
provided during 10:30am service



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Wednesday (Family Night)

Adult Bible Study 7:00pm

D4C Youth Service 7:00pm

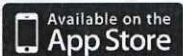
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HOW GOD TURNS OUR MOURNING INTO JOY

Pastor Randy Grimes

Blessed are those who mourn, for they shall be comforted. Mt. 5:4

The Messiah came -to comfort all who mourn, to preserve those who mourn in Zion, to give to them beauty for ashes, the oil of joy for mourning, the garment of praise for the spirit of heaviness, Isa 61:2-3

I. THE _____ OR ENCOURAGEMENT WHEN ONE MOURNS!

You are blessed when you are at the end of your rope. With less of you, there is more of God and His rule. Mt. 5:3 The Message Bible

Happy the mourning--because they shall be comforted. Mt. 5:4 YL

*Blessed (mar'kar'ios) An inward contentedness unaffected by surrounding conditions whereby we'll be **approved by God** and receive the **applause of heaven**.*

When I kept things to myself, I felt weak deep inside me. I moaned all day long. Psalm 32:3 NCV

I was mute and silent; I held my peace to no avail, and my distress grew worse. Psalm 39:2

II. THE _____ FOR EXCHANGING MOURNING FOR JOY!

*Draw near to God and he will draw near to you. James 4:8
The LORD is close to the brokenhearted, and he saves those whose spirits have been crushed. Psalm 34:18 NCV*

"He (Jesus) was despised and rejected — a man of sorrows, acquainted with deepest grief . . . Yet it was our weaknesses he carried; it was our sorrows that weighed him down." Isaiah 53:3-4 NLT

How blessed is he whose transgressions are forgiven, whose sins are covered! How blessed is the man to whom the Lord does not impute iniquity, and in whose spirit, there is no deceit! Ps. 32

III. THE _____ NEEDED WHEN IN MOURNING!

*"Sometimes it takes a painful experience to make us change our ways."
Proverbs 20:30 TEV
And I will pray to the Father, and He shall give you another Comforter, so that He may be with you forever. Jn. 14:16*

For we spend a moment under his anger, but we enjoy a lifetime in his favor. In the evening, weeping comes to stay through the night, but in the morning, there is rejoicing! Psalms 30:5 EHV

Thou wilt bring me out of this snare, which they have hidden for me: for thou art my protector. Psalms 30:5 DRA