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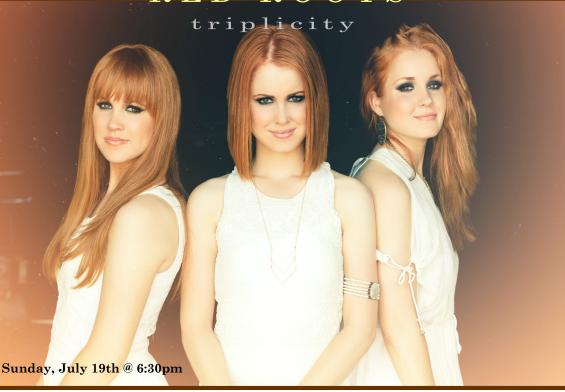


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# ENCOURAGER

# Concert at OCC RED ROOTS



With a stage persona as fiery as their blazing red locks, these triplets engage the crowd with their story through real life lyrics and rolling banjos intertwined with rocking guitars. Through their unwavering boldness there is a Southern Mississippi charm rooted in faith, family, and an unshakable call to show the world where true Hope is found.

Recently nominated for a DOVE award in the category of 'Country Album of the Year', this threesome remembers what is really important. Natalie writes,

"The two things that hold us closest together are our music and faith. We are from the south, so yeah that definitely shows up too! I'll admit it... My sisters and I don't have it all figured out. Each lyric comes from who we are, where we've come from, and who we want to be. Our common faith in Jesus Christ lets us know that it's okay to not "know it all." Just trust that He does. His blood on the cross is the true inspiration for our "Red Roots," and our red hair is just a bonus!"

Natalie, Nicole, and Nika make up this Southern Pop/Country/Christian band and they'll be our special guests on Sunday, July 19th at 6:30 pm.

Two of their biggest fans from OCC are Jason and Makenna McCord. They encourage you to check Red Roots out at redroots.com and to invite your friends and neighbors for this unforgettable concert of the year!

# All Church Summer Retreat

### Abe Martin Lodge @ Brown Co. State Park Friday/Saturday, August 14 & 15, 2015

With the help of a generous grant from the Indiana Center For Congregations, OCC has planned a very special weekend retreat for our entire church family. The Friday evening and Saturday morning event will include overnight lodging and 2 meals for all who attend AT NO CHARGE. The official program begins with Friday night supper at the Abe Martin Lodge at 6:00 PM. After supper, we will meet in table groups for brief presendiscussion, tations, conversations, and prayer time. your ideas and dreams for OCC. The Lodge has agreed to extend indoor pool hours for our enjoyment and we expect the common areas to be full of OCC people fellowshipping long into the night. After breakfast on Saturday morning, we will follow the same "table talk" format. Our retreat will conclude around Noon on Saturday, and after that everyone is free to enjoy the many park activities for the remainder of the day. We have also arranged a special price for rooms for those who also want to stay over Saturday night to enjoy even more of the park and Brown County. You must contact the Abe Martin Lodge (1-812-988-4418) directly to reserve and pay for your room for Saturday night. For those who do extend their stay, we will offer an outdoor worship time at the Amphitheater there on Sunday morning. We are close to filling up our allotted space, but there are still rooms available. To reserve your spot, contact the OCC office by phone, 342-6907, by email, occsecretary@comcast.net. Sign up soon and join us in praying for many wonderful blessings and great ideas to come from our time together in beautiful Brown County, Indiana. Good times await us all!

Rooms Still Available



### A Friendly Reminder To Pray For One Another

We want to remind you of the program we recently initiated about praying for each other. All active church families were alphabetically listed in daily groups to both PRAY FOR all others on those lists and BE PRAYED FOR by all others on the list. Space limitations did not allow us to include children's names, so please remember to pray for all members of your daily families. If you need a chart, contact the OCC office by phone, 342-6907, or by email, occsecretary@comcast.net. Remember, "the prayer of a righteous man is powerful and effective." (James 5:16b NIV)



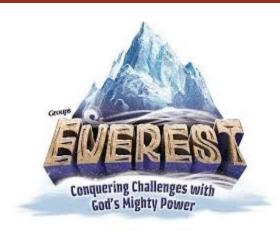
# OCC Vacation Bible School

# Send your kids on an icy expedition!



At Everest VBS, kids will embark on the coolest adventure of the summer! Everest

VBS is filled with incredible Bible-learning experiences kids see, hear, touch, and even taste! Sciency-Fun Gizmos™, team-building games, cool Bible songs, and tasty treats are just a few of the standout activities that help faith flow into real life. (Since everything is hands-on, kids might get a little messy. Be





sure to send them in play clothes and safe shoes.) Plus, we'll help kids discover how to see evidence of God in everyday life—something we call God Sightings. Get ready to hear *that* phrase a lot!

- Elementary week, July 13-17, 5:30pm—8:30
- Preschool week, July 20-24, 5:30pm—7:00



Sunday, August 2—Hilltop Camp always concludes its summer schedule with a very special FAMILY DAY event that includes a fish fry, a hog roast, and time to enjoy the camp facilities. Serving begins at 12:30pm at the camp on Sunday, August 2. A variety of activities will be available such as volleyball, board games, air hockey, swimming. Come out, join in the fun and help support the camp.



Volunteers are needed to teach and watch over our little ones while their parents attend Sunday School. We are in the process of expanding our SS worker base so that each person need serve once every 2 months. Times are from 8:50am until 9:50 in the fellowship hall. Children are read a Bible story and have playtime. Two workers are required, one being certified. Schedules will ble. Beginning in September, a new Sunday School coordinator/ scheduler will be needed. For information contact Marijane Love at 812-552-1302 or email honeybear4799@yahoo.com.



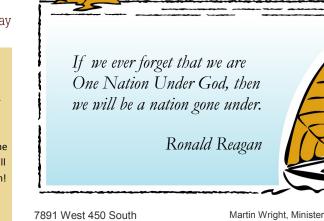
Friday, August 7—The annual Men's Retreat will gather at Hilltop Camp on Friday, August 7. The meal is served at 6:00pm and is followed by an inspirational program of music, preaching, snacks, and campfire. Cost is \$20. This year's retreat theme is "Training My Replacement" with speaker Delvin Sweeney. Sign up at the Life Center.



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### Baptisms

Delilah Perry Ashlyn Perry Cristin Henderson Corbin Whipker

### Welcome!!

New Members

Brion & Beth Carter Daniel & Gloria Tolson

### ...on the calendar

- 5 Donut Sunday
- 12 Jesus Jam Putt-Putt Time TBA
- 13-17 Elementary VBS
- 18 Men's Fellowship Breakfast
- 19 VBS Pizza Party/Closing Red Roots Concert
- 20-24 Preschool VBS
- 26 Preschool VBS Closing

### birthdays & anniversaries

- Willard Smith Eric Kerkhof
- 2 Mary Clipp
- 3 Sarah Shewmake Jessy Meek
- 4 Cody Caluya Cathy Wichman Margaret King
- 5 Gina Humbel Mickey Brown
- 8 David PetroChesney Kinnick
- 9 Dennis MurphyCourtney FaulknerJanis SurenkampHarold & Shirley Hutchinson

- 10 Kerry Compton
- 11 Marty & Drema Wright Paul Nay Juleigh Piercefield
- 12 Don Moody
- 13 Dot Yeaton
- 14 Kade Senesac Brielle Mouser Lincoln Mouser
- 15 Corbin Whipker
- 16 Hannah Perry
- 17 John Hundley Emmitt Jones
- 18 John & Sharon Kropack Isabella Carlson
- 19 Kaden Brooks Noah Peterson

- 20 Shelby Hutchinson
- 21 Brian T. Wichman Jaxton Meek
- 23 Gary Hamblen
- 24 Danielle Michael Alex Barnett
- 25 Drema WrightWayne Roller
- 27 Laina Kimmett Alicia Weaver
- 28 Ethan JohnsZachery JohnsZech RiggsShirley Hutchinson
- 29 Matthew & Carmen Senesac
- 30 Ron & Tami May
- 31 Benita Wagner