

# THE REDIRECTED LIFE

A Sermon In Four Parts June 23 through July 14

The Encourager June 2013

Have you ever heard a sermon and thought, "Yes, I know what God wants me to do, but I'm not sure how to do it?" If so, you are not alone. I recently read a story about a man who borrowed a book from his friend; As he read through it, he was intrigued to find parts of the book underlined and the letters YBH written in the margin. When he returned the book to his friend, he asked what the YBH meant. His friend replied that the underlined paragraphs were sections of the book that he basically agreed with. They gave him hints on how to improve himself and pointed out truths that he wished to incorporate into his life.

However, the letters YBH stood for, "Yes, but how?" Those three letters could be written large on the margins of ours souls: "I ought to know how to take better care of myself, but how?" "I know I ought to spend more time in scripture reading and prayer, but how?" "I know I ought to be more sensitive to others, more loving of my spouse, more understanding of the weaknesses of others, but how?" These are all good qualities and we know that, but how can we acquire them? As Christian people, we know the kind of life we ought to live, and most of us have the best of intentions to do so, but how? "The Redirected Life" not

only examines what God wants us to do, it offers practical advice on how to live a God pleasing life. In this action oriented series, OCC minister, Marty Wright closely examines the writings and life of the apostle Peter — a man who, at times, struggled to live the life Christ called him to live, a life redirected by Jesus Christ. If you can relate to such a struggle, you won't want to miss this powerful and encouraging sermon series. This unique series also includes weekly study guides, complete with daily devotions and Biblical commentary which will be available at the Life Center beginning Sunday, June 16.

## Technology Grant Makes It Possible For All To Hear Service



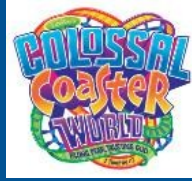
The Technology and Ministry Matching Funds Grant which OCC received from the Center for Congregations last Fall enabled us to purchase industry leading personal listening devices for our guests. We now have five receivers and two styles of ear bud options

(outer ear piece and classic style in ear buds.) Those wishing to utilize these devices should stop by the Life Center to sign one out for the worship service. Initially, these devices will only be available during our Sunday morning service.

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# VBS Meeting

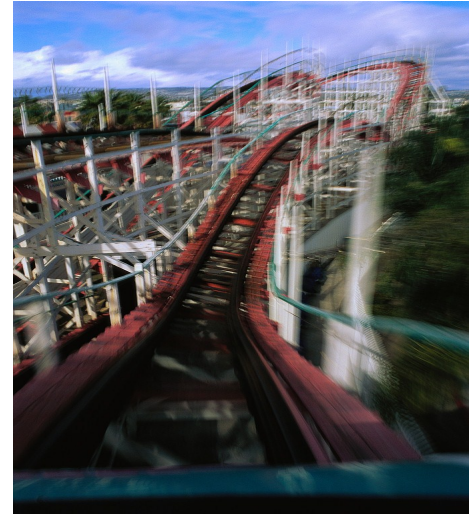
Learning to Face Your Fears and Trust God

Where: OCC Café  
Date: Monday, June 3rd  
Time: 6:30 pm  
Who: Everyone interested:  
parents, volunteers, etc

Mark your calendars for VBS weeks:

Grades 1-6 July 15-19 Preschool July 22-26

Through every twist, turn, and dive, Colossal Coaster World will challenge kids to face their fears and trust God. With excitement around every curve, kids learn that God has given them a spirit of power, love, and sound judgment. This VBS is the ultimate ride.



## women of faith

*Believe God Can Do Anything*  
— 2013 Tour —

Sign-up is now in progress for the Women of Faith Conference at Bankers Life Fieldhouse in Indianapolis. This year we are considering the option of renting Club Level Suites at the conference center. These side-by-side suites will accommodate 40 people. Please sign-up by June 9<sup>th</sup> so we can determine how many tickets to order and if the suites will be an option for our group.

- ◆ August 23 - 24
- ◆ Friday: 7pm – 10pm
- ◆ Saturday: 9am – 5pm
- ◆ Cost \$91 (does not include cost of room or meal)

Check the upcoming bulletins for more information. **You may register at the Life Center.** If you have questions, please contact Brenda Stoner at 812-521-2380.

*Indianapolis*  
**aug 23 AND 24**

*Speakers Speakers*

CeCe Winans	Mark Lowry
Third Day	Angie Smith
Liz Curtis Higgs	Angela Thomas
Lisa Harper	Sheila Walsh

*And more...*

*Lodging Information*

Each lady is responsible for booking their own lodging. Change from last year: Saturday lunch is NOT included in the cost of the ticket.

# Mission Team FISH FRY and Yard Sale June 8th 8-3pm



- ◆ Southwest Fire Station 8 am — 3 pm
- ◆ Breakfast 8—10 am Lunch 10:30—3 pm
- ◆ Yard Sale and Vender Booth Space available
- ◆ Yard sale items may be dropped-off at OCC Sunday, June 2 after church OR at Southwest Fire Department Friday, June 7 between 3-7 pm.
- ◆ Volunteers are needed to help the Mission team this year for Friday and Saturday. Sign-up in the Life Center.
- ◆ Questions: Lisa Pardue at [lisa.rayburn@hotmail.com](mailto:lisa.rayburn@hotmail.com) /344-8676
- ◆ For alternative drop off arrangements: Brenda Stoner at 812-521-2380.

## Dessert donations needed:

- ◆ Sign-up in Life Center OR
- ◆ Drop-off Friday, June 7th from 3-7 pm at SWFD
- ◆ Desserts will be individually plated and sold
- ◆ Questions contact Jeanna Fredericksen: [371-0992/jsfred1971@gmail.com](mailto:371-0992/jsfred1971@gmail.com).



# OCC Cookbooks Now Available to Everyone

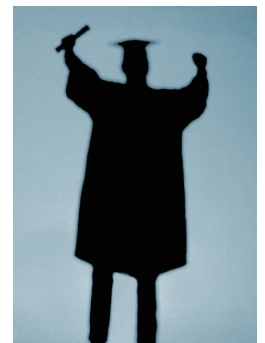
OCC Heritage Cookbooks are here! Pre-ordered books have been set aside so pick up your books without delay. Remaining books are now available for sale. Books will be available for pick up after

church in the Café Sunday, June 2nd. Cost per book is \$15.00. Future sales from June 9th on will be conducted at the Life Center. Sales will be handled by Benita Wagner, Becki Meek, Brenda Stoner,

Janis Surenkamp, Conetta Casey or Kim Barnett. You may also purchase books through the week in the office from Benita Tues thru Thurs between 9am and 2pm.

# Graduates Honored June 2nd at 10 am

<i>Brian Tyler Wichman</i>	<i>East</i>	<i>Jenna Whyte</i>	<i>North</i>
<i>Michael Wood</i>	<i>East</i>	<i>Elizabeth Frietzsche</i>	<i>North</i>
<i>Chase Maynard</i>	<i>North</i>	<i>Cindy Camp</i>	<i>IU</i>
<i>Jessica Meek</i>	<i>Butler</i>	<i>Samantha Smallwood</i>	<i>IVY Tech</i>
<i>Charlie Whyte</i>	<i>North</i>	<i>Michele Hornback</i>	<i>IVY Tech</i>
<i>Martin Wright</i>	<i>Indianapolis Christian Theological Seminary</i>		

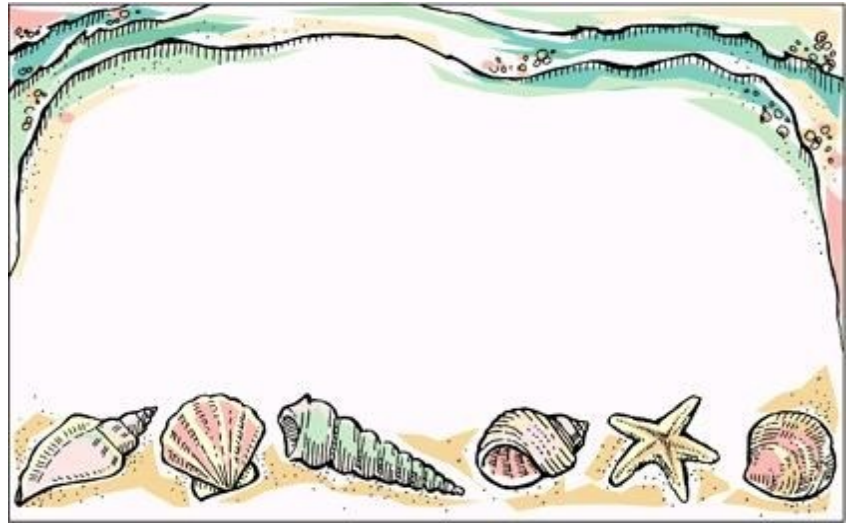






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*We Exist to*

- ...celebrate God's Presence through Worship. (Jn 4:23-24)
- ...communicate God's Word through Evangelism. (Rom 10:13)
- ...demonstrate God's Love through Ministry. (Jn 13:35)
- ...educate God's People through Discipleship. (Eph 4:11-13)
- ...unite God's People through Fellowship. (1 Jn 1:3)

# Birthdays & Anniversaries



## EVENTS

2 Cinthia Taulbee  
6 Carl & Kyla Jones  
7 Chuck & Brenda Fleetwood  
8 Bob & Conetta Casey  
11 Caleb Shewmake  
12 Elijah David Wright  
13 Larry Burkman  
14 Ava Pruitt  
15 Eric & Tammy Carlson  
Barty & Kathy Moffett  
17 Jeannie Long  
18 Sandy Hundley  
20 Shanyn Murphy  
Nash Murphy  
21 Paul & Faye Nay

22 Brenda Bruner  
Andy Robison  
Isaac Miller  
23 Karrick & Kimberly Hutchinson  
24 Martin & Mona Peterson  
Chris & Tonya Shewmake  
Nathan Long  
25 Nichole Sparks  
David & Melinda Foust  
28 Norman & Marijane Love  
29 Nancy Baldwin  
Jacob Wilcoxon  
Carmen Senesac

- ◆ 2nd Breakfast Sunday 9:30 am
- ◆ 2nd Graduates Honored, Promotion Sunday
- ◆ 3rd VBS meeting, 6:30pm, Café
- ◆ 8th Mission Team Fish Fry & Yard Sale SWFD 8-3
- ◆ 15th Men's Fellowship Breakfast 7-8:30 OCC
- ◆ 16th Father's Day
- ◆ 21st BLAST PJ Party 6-9pm