

## Welcome!

Guests, we welcome you and thank you for coming! We invite you to use our **child care services** for infants through children in kindergarten, located in the church building basement. Please see nursery details below. Sunday School meets at 9 a.m. and is on a summer schedule. Please see note below about it.

If you would like to find out more about Old Orchard and what we are about, please fill out one of our visitor forms in the lavender or blue pads on the chairs or in the hymnal rack.

### Our Children's Ministry

**Nursery** is offered for infants & children through kindergarten age. Our nurseries are in the church building basement.

♦ **Infant nursery** for babies, crawlers, & very early walkers.

♦ **Toddler nursery** for children who are walking up to three years of age. Children who turn three from January-August are invited to attend preschool worship starting September 1. Children who turn three from September-December are invited to attend preschool worship starting January 1.

♦ **Preschool worship** for age 3 through Kindergarten. Three-year-olds (see above) and four-year-olds are welcome during the whole service. Five-year-olds remain upstairs in the worship service until dismissed at 10:50.

♦ **"Movies for Minors"** Grades 1-5 will be dismissed at 10:50 to go to Milligan House then to enjoy a short film based on the liturgy theme of the morning's worship service. Children's Worship will begin to meet again on September 18. See Mark Robertson.

### Our Library

Please browse our selection of books in the vestibule by the kitchenette. More books are in our library rooms, located in the Milligan House on the first floor by the kitchen and bathroom. Enjoy!!

### Sunday School News

\* **Adult Class. Disciplines for Disciples—A Simple Introduction.** Met today, and will meet next Sunday, September 4. No children's classes during these dates. **Children's Teacher Training:** Sunday, September 11 8:30 a.m. No classes.

**Fall Classes** for adults and children will begin Sunday, September 18.



### Lunch @ Milligan House

Please join us today for lunch at Milligan House. The Nelson community group is assisting Betsy Tevebaugh who is hosting.

**Men's Retreat — Oct. 21-22, 2011** (Fri. night thru lunch Sat)  
*Friendship with God and Men-- reflections from our own men and time to enjoy one another*  
Location at Camp Trinity in New Haven, MO. Cost: \$35.  
To register.... More details forthcoming.

### Leaders' Meeting

Tuesday night, August 30 at 7:00 p.m. at Milligan House. We will have a lot to talk about that night! Ministry coordinators, officers, community group leaders, plan to be there! Let Ron Lutjens know if you have an unavoidable conflict that prevents you from joining us.

### Lawn Mowing— Please sign-up!

Continue to look for people to mow the lawns at the church building/Milligan House and at the home of Willie Lee, disabled who lives in Rock Hill. **Bill Grady** coordinates lawn mowing at the church/Milligan House, and **Mark Robertson** coordinates lawn mowing at Willie Lee's. See sign up sheets! For questions, please contact Bill Grady or Mark Robertson.



### ByFaith OOC Group Subscription — Last Chance!

You are invited to join with other OOC folks to get a byFaith subscription at the group rate of \$12 each. In order to participate, Old Orchard has to write one check to byFaith so we must collect checks/cash from those participating. **Your copy will be mailed directly to your home each quarter.** If you want to participate, please fill out one of the forms on the table in the parlor, put it and your check/cash for \$12 in an envelope and give it to Durinda Hood. Checks need to be written to **Old Orchard Church**, but are not tax deductible because you are receiving a magazine subscription. We have received **five subscriptions**, thus far. We've met our minimum for a group!

**Please get your subscription in today!**

### OOO Anniversary Dates—Mark Your Calendar!!

**And see separate handout with more details!**

**Day of Prayer:** September 7, 2011  
**30<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Weekend Celebration:**  
September 23-25, 2011

### Next Overture!

You are invited to write for any issue of our newsletter, the *Overture*! We welcome submissions of articles, art, short essays, poetry, etc. All submissions should be signed by the person submitting them. You can place your signed articles in the *Overture* box (in the coat room), or email them to the church office. The next issue will be out Sunday, September 4; Liz Romines is editor. Deadline for articles today, Sunday, August 28.

### Another Editor Is Sought!

Prisca Rice is unable to continue as one of our rotating editors. **New Editor Wanted!** If you can take a turn once every couple months editing the *Overture*, please let Durinda Hood know. If you want to take a trial turn and not commit yourself, the dates open until the end of the year are the issues that come out on September 18 and November 20.

### Sing for Japan

AmyRuth Bartlett, and our own Emily Roig, Caileigh O'Neal, Emma Glasgow, and Alyssa Catlin will be joined by some other local artists and musicians in a benefit concert September 9th, at 7 p.m. in the sanctuary. Money that is raised will either send the Bartletts to join the relief effort in devastated areas of Japan or be sent to other missionaries already helping. Please come enjoy the artwork, music, food and conversation and join us in sending our support to Japan. If you are unable to attend the concert, but want to contribute funds, checks are to be made to Kibou Counseling Services International LLC and not to Old Orchard Church. See Amy-Ruth Bartlett for questions.

### Women's Bible Study

Friday Morning Bible Study is starting again!\* Planning on coming? Be sure to sign up on the sheets circulating today and over the next few weeks. Not sure, but interested? We want to know that, too. We will be ordering materials after Sept 5<sup>th</sup>.



What: The Gospel of Luke (with a parallel study of Luke for the children in the nursery)

When: Friday mornings, 9:15 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.,  
Sept 16, 2011 – April 27, 2012

Where: Milligan House living room

Led by: Betty McCracken

Childcare: available and free

Cost: \$20 one-time materials fee (confidential scholarships available if needed) due at first class

\*Plans for an evening Bible study have not yet been finalized...more info coming soon.

--Melissa Nelson

### Mini-Work Day

We will be working on 3 homes of families served by Webster Rock Hill Ministries. The work involves skilled and unskilled work, including cleaning out a garage at one home. Date: morning of September 17. See Brent Helton if you'd like to help. --OOC Mercy Ministry

### Youth Group

Youth Group on Sunday Nights meets from 6 to 8 pm

Sept. 4 - Labor Day (no youth group)

Sept. 11 - first Youth Group (pizza and games)

Sept. 18 - special guest speaker (parents invited)

Sept. 23-24 OOC Anniversary Weekend (no youth group)

October 2 - Youth Group

October 7-9 Youth Retreat at Eaglehurst Ranch (\$35 per person; Emily Roig will lead us in worship for the weekend!)

### *More blessings on the way for OOC*

#### Baby Shower

for Lina Gentry, Tami Smull and Brittany Smith  
Milligan House

Saturday, September 17 at 1 p.m.

The women of OOC are invited to a baby shower for Lina Gentry, Tami Smull and Brittany Smith. First babies one and all. Everyone is registered at Target; in addition, Brittany is registered at Amazon.com, Lina and Tami at Babies R Us. If your budget is tight you can contribute to a group gift. Please give your contribution to Karen Reinheimer or Jessica Burdette by Sunday, Sept. 11.

If you are able to bring a plate of refreshments to the shower it would be appreciated. An OOC shower is a special way to fellowship with one another.

--Hospitality Ministry

### OOC Directory Changes

Sean and Sarah Maney

Have eliminated their cell phone numbers.

New landline: See print copy.

E-Mail: See print copy.

Take out Sarah's former gmail address. They are only using the netzero address.

### Part Time Teacher Assistant Position Available

Promise Christian Academy, a school for children with special needs, is accepting resumes for the 2011–2012 school year for a part-time Teacher Assistant, M–F mornings, for our lower school class. All resumes should be sent to [mheintz@promisestl.org](mailto:mheintz@promisestl.org).

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Old Orchard Church has turned 30!

Help us celebrate September 23–25!