



RIVEROAKS
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sunday, March 17th, 2024

Services 9am & 10:45am

*Inviting People into Healing
Communion with Jesus.*

ORDER OF SERVICE

EMPTY ME OUT

Music & Lyrics: Liz Vice (2014)

CALL TO WORSHIP

Rev. Ricky Jones

Isaiah 44:22-23 (ESV)

²² I have blotted out your transgressions like a cloud and your sins like mist; return to me, for I have redeemed you. ²³ Sing, O heavens, for the LORD has done it; shout, O depths of the earth; break forth into singing, O mountains, O forest, and every tree in it! For the LORD has redeemed Jacob, and will be glorified in Israel.

PRAYER OF PRAISE / APOSTLE'S CREED

I believe in God the Father almighty, Creator of heaven and earth. And in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord, Who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. The third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sits at the right hand of God the Father almighty, from thence He shall come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body and life everlasting. Amen.

GREAT ARE YOU LORD

Music & Lyrics: All Sons & Daughters (2013)

CONFESSION OF SIN

Rev. Jonathan Dorst

ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

JESUS I MY CROSS HAVE TAKEN

Music & Lyrics: Indelible Grace (2001)

HELP MY UNBELIEF

Music & Lyrics: Red Mountain Music (2006)

WELCOME/ANNOUNCEMENTS

Cheryl Owens

SCRIPTURE READING

Acts 20:17-35 (ESV)

¹⁷ Now from Miletus he sent to Ephesus and called the elders of the church to come to him. ¹⁸ And when they came to him, he said to them: “You yourselves know how I lived among you the whole time from the first day that I set foot in Asia, ¹⁹ serving the Lord with all humility and with tears and with trials that happened to me through the plots of the Jews; ²⁰ how I did not shrink from declaring to you anything that was profitable, and teaching you in public and from house to house, ²¹ testifying both to Jews and to Greeks of repentance toward God and of faith in our Lord Jesus Christ. ²² And now, behold, I am going to Jerusalem, constrained by the Spirit, not knowing what will happen to me there, ²³ except that the Holy Spirit testifies to me in every city that imprisonment and afflictions await me. ²⁴ But I do not account my life of any value nor as precious to myself, if only I may finish my course and the ministry that I received from the Lord Jesus, to testify to the gospel of the grace of God. ²⁵ And now, behold, I know that none of you among whom I have gone about proclaiming the kingdom will see my face again. ²⁶ Therefore I testify to you this day that I am innocent of the blood of all, ²⁷ for I did not shrink from declaring to you the whole counsel of God. ²⁸ Pay careful attention to yourselves and to all the flock, in which the Holy Spirit has made you overseers, to care for the church of God, which he obtained with his own blood. ²⁹ I know that after my departure fierce wolves will come in among you, not sparing the flock; ³⁰ and from among your own selves will arise men speaking twisted things, to draw away the disciples after them. ³¹ Therefore be alert, remembering that for three years I did not cease night or day to admonish every one with tears. ³² And now I commend you to God and to the word of his grace, which is able to build you up and to give you the inheritance among all those who are sanctified. ³³ I coveted no one’s silver or gold or apparel. ³⁴ You yourselves know that these hands ministered to my necessities and to those who were with me. ³⁵ In all things I have shown you that by working hard in this way we must help the weak and remember the words of the Lord Jesus, how he himself said, ‘It is more blessed to give than to receive.’”

“THE CHURCH COMMUNITY”

Rev. Ricky Jones

Sermon Series: New World New People

1. A Community of Truth.

2. A Community of Grace.

3. A Community of Friends.

PRAYER OF COMMITMENT

KING OF KINGS

Music & Lyrics: Hillsong, Brooke Ligertwood (2019)

OFFERING

Scan the QR Code to give online or through the App.

You can also mail checks to:

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THE LORD'S SUPPER

Rev. Jonathan Dorst

STEADFAST

Music & Lyrics: Sandra McCracken (2016)

BENEDICTION

Rev. Ricky Jones

ANNOUNCEMENTS



1st SERVICE

Infants-3: Children can be dropped off in their classrooms before service.

4 Years Olds-Kindergarten: Children worship with their family and then go to their classroom when dismissed.

Kids Club (1st-4th Graders): Students worship with their family and gather in the lobby when dismissed to travel to the YAB with leaders. Guardians pick up children in the YAB after the service.

2nd SERVICE

Infants-2: Children can be dropped off before service in the 1 Year Old Classroom.

3 Year Olds: Children can be dropped off before service in the 3 Year Old Classroom. For lesson time, 3 year olds will join with the older kids. Please pick up your 3 year old from the 4 Year Old-Kindergarten Classroom.

4 Years Olds-Kindergarten: Children worship with their family and then go to their classroom when dismissed.

Kids Club 2 (1st-4th Graders): Students worship with their family and meet in the classroom off the lobby when dismissed.

For all RiverOaks Kids questions, email stacie@riveroakstulsa.com

Kids Club Choir Mandatory Rehearsal

For students 1st-4th Grade

Saturday, March 23rd
1:00pm to 2:30pm
in the RiverOaks Sanctuary.

Info: stacie@riveroakstulsa.com



5th Grade Class meeting during 1st service. Meet Jackson and Lindsey in the classroom off the lobby!

Follow CORE RiverOaks Youth on Instagram @riveroaksyouth

For questions, email josh@riveroakstulsa.com

Large Group

(Mar 17th, 6:00pm-8:00pm)

NO What's Up Wednesday

(Not meeting Mar 20th)

HS & MS Camp

Contact Josh for additional spots available for HS Camp (June 10th-15th) and MS Camp (July 25th-29th) signups!

IDENTITY | DISCIPLESHIP | ENGAGING

See our full list of [Easter Week Events](#) on the RiverOaks App!

New Members Classes

Ready to become a member or just learn more about us?

The *New Member Class* is a series of 2 classes taught by Pastor Ricky on what our church is about, what it believes, and what being a member of the church entails.

April 7th & 14th, 12:10pm to 1:30pm

Meeting in the Youth & Activities Building (YAB)
Lunch included and Childcare available. *Please register on the app or with the QR Code.*



Info: jonathan@riveroakstulsa.com **Childcare:** stacie@riveroakstulsa.com

New to RiverOaks?

We're glad you joined us!

Fill out a *Connect Card* on our App or fill out the *Connect Pad* at the end of the row to let us know how to connect with you!

Spring Church Work Day

Gloves, rakes, tools, & smiles!

Join us **Saturday Mar 23rd 9am -1pm** as we keep our campus looking great! (*Lunch provided*)

Info: kurt@riveroakstulsa.com

Get the App!

Scan the QR Code to download the RiverOaks App.



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Women's Ministry Events

Women's Conference in Bartlesville on April 6th.
Registration closes March 24th!

Women's Discipleship Monday March 18th, 6:30 in the YAB.

Coffee and Conversation Thursday March 21st, 10:30 to 12.

Details for all the above are on the RiverOaks app.

Info: charmaine@riveroakstulsa.com