

# Oakley Campus | Week at a Glance | June 23-June 29

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**Sunday Service Times:** 8:40, 9:50, and 11:00 AM

- **Watch Online:** at [laurelridge.online.church](http://laurelridge.online.church)
- **Nursery/Preschool:** At all service times
- **Kids Church (K-6th) Services:** At all service times  
Watch online at 9:50 AM: “Ridge Kids” on YouTube
- **THE RIDGE (MS & HS) Community Group:**  
Now at all service times.

**Tuesdays, Celebrate Recovery:** 6:00 PM, Oakley Campus

**Thursdays, Prayer Team:** 5:30 PM, Conference Room

*For all Nursery-12th Grade programs, contact [brandon@laurelridgechurch.org](mailto:brandon@laurelridgechurch.org)*

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## Bethel Island Campus | Week at a Glance

**Sunday Service Times:** 11:00 AM

**Wednesday Bible Study:** 7:00 PM, Fellowship Hall

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For other opportunities and Community Group info, visit [laurelridgechurch.org](http://laurelridgechurch.org)

## Oakley Campus Planner

\*6/23-28: Summer Camp, Gr 2-6

6/27: High School Nights, 6:15-8pm, Rm 101-102

7/4: Office Closed for Independence Day

\*7/8-13: Summer Camp, Gr 7-12

7/15: Mommy Meet-up, 9-11:30am, Gym

7/16: Boomers (60+) Nacho Bar, 11:30am, N Gym

7/17: Parent/Child Game Night, Gr K-3, 6:15-8pm, Gym

7/20: Stephanie Pitman Memorial, 11am, LRCC

7/24: Summer Game Night, Gr 4-7, 6:15-8pm, Gym

7/25: High School Night, 6:15-8pm, Gym

\*8/4: Next Steps Begin, 9:30am, Rm301

8/10: Grief Share Loss of a Spouse Seminar, 10am-12N, Rm 301

8/14: Ridge Kids & Preteen Adventure Starts

8/15-11/7: Grief Share, 7-8:30pm, Rm 301

8/25: Child-Teen Baptism Class, 12:20pm, Rm 301

9/8: Baptism, 11am

\*Register at [laurelridgechurch.org/register](http://laurelridgechurch.org/register)

Laurel Ridge Church: Seek God. Build Community. Unleash Compassion.



Dating, Marriage, and Life  
Warning – You Might Have Blinders on if  
You Have a Blended Family  
June 23, 2024

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**ABOUT 75% OF DIVORCED PERSONS EVENTUALLY REMARRY.**

**ABOUT 43% OF ALL MARRIAGES ARE REMARRIAGES FOR AT LEAST ONE OF THE ADULTS.**

**ABOUT 65% OF REMARRIAGES INVOLVE CHILDREN FROM THE PRIOR MARRIAGE AND FROM BLENDED FAMILIES.**

**ONE OF THREE AMERICANS IS NOW A STEPPARENT, A STEPCHILD, A STEPSIBLING, OR SOME OTHER MEMBER OF A BLENDED FAMILY.**

1. FACING \_\_\_\_\_.

- WARNING SIGN: I \_\_\_\_\_ TO BE REMARRIED.

2. FACING THE \_\_\_\_\_ ISSUES.

*Proverbs 24:3* - Homes are built on the foundation of wisdom and understanding.  
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A. \_\_\_\_\_

B. \_\_\_\_\_

C. \_\_\_\_\_

- ***ACHIEVING MARITAL INTIMACY AFTER BEING HURT.***
- ***SPIRITUAL INTEGRITY AND CHURCH INVOLVEMENT.***
- ***INTEGRATING FAMILY MEMBERS OVER TIME.***
- ***DEALING WITH EX- SPOUSES.***
- ***MONEY MANAGEMENT AND FINANCIAL AUTONOMY.***

**3. FACING THE BIGGEST ISSUE THAT CAUSES MOST DIVORCES:**

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- ***IT IS MORE \_\_\_\_\_  
ON CHILDREN WHEN REMARRIAGE OCCURS THAN WHEN THE  
DIVORCE OCCURRED.***

**A. PARENTING BY \_\_\_\_\_.**

*1 John 1:9*- If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just and will forgive us our sins and purify us from all unrighteousness.

*Proverbs 3:11-12*- My son, do not despise the LORD's discipline and do not resent his rebuke, <sup>12</sup> because the **LORD disciplines those he loves...**

**B. STEP PARENTS' \_\_\_\_\_.**

- \_\_\_\_\_ ***DOWN THE GROUND RULES.***

**C. PARENTS/ CO-PARENTS NEED TO GET ON THE**

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**D. WHAT ABOUT DIFFICULT \_\_\_\_\_?**

*Romans 12:18-19*- **If it is possible, as far as it depends on you**, live at peace with everyone. <sup>19</sup> Do not take revenge, my friends, but leave room for God's wrath, for it is written: "It is mine to avenge; I will repay," says the Lord

#### 4. FACING GOD'S \_\_\_\_\_.

*Romans 5:6-8*- You see, at just the right time, when we were still powerless, Christ died for the ungodly. <sup>7</sup> Very rarely will anyone die for a righteous man, though for a good man someone might possibly dare to die. <sup>8</sup> But God demonstrates his own love for us in this: While **we were still sinners**, Christ died for us.

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#### **Five Easy Ways to Give:**

1. In Person: Place your offering in an offering box at either exit.
2. Our App: Search for "Laurel Ridge Community Church" on iOS and Android.
3. Online: [laurelridgechurch.org/give](http://laurelridgechurch.org/give)
4. Bill Pay: Setup LRCC on your bank's Bill Pay. Your name is your account number
5. Mail a check to the church: 2459 Laurel Road, Oakley, CA 94561

**Questions? Call 925-625-9500**