

**Regular Sunday Service Times:** 8:30, 9:45, and 11 AM

- **Watch Online:** [laurelridgechurch.org/watch-online](http://laurelridgechurch.org/watch-online)
- **Nursery/Preschool:** At all service times
- **Kids Church (K-6th) Services:** At all service times
- **THE RIDGE (MS and HS) (7-8th Grade, 9-12th Grade) Community Group:** At all service times.
- **Sundays: Divorce Care:** 4-5:30pm, Gym
- **Tuesdays: Celebrate Recovery:** 6:00 PM, Oakley Campus
- **NO Wednesdays: Kids and Preteen Adventure** (K-4<sup>th</sup> Grade, 5-6<sup>th</sup> Grade) 6:15-8:00 PM
- **NO Wednesdays: THE RIDGE (MS and HS)** (7-8<sup>th</sup> Grade, 9-12<sup>th</sup> Grade) 6:15-8:00 PM
- **Thursdays: Prayer Team:** 5:30 PM, Room 104
- **Thursdays: Grief Share:** 7:00 PM, Room 301

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

| Oakley Campus Planner                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
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| <p><b>10/4:</b> Operation Christmas Boxes Available</p> <p><b>10/12:</b> Mommy Meetup, 9-11:30am, Gym</p> <p><b>10/14 &amp; 21, 11/11, 11/25:</b> No Wednesday Evening Child/Youth Program</p> <p><b>10/14:</b> Parent Child Game Night, 6:15-8pm</p> <p><b>10/23:</b> Oakley Campus, Harvest Carnival, 6-8:30pm</p> <p><b>*10/25:</b> Growth Pathway, 9-10:45 am, Rm 301<br/>1<sup>st</sup> Base, Connect with Jesus and the Church</p> <p><b>10/30:</b> <u>Concord Campus</u>, Harvest Carnival, 6-8:30pm</p> <p><b>*11/1:</b> Baptism Classes for Children and Students, 12:10pm, Rm 201</p> <p><b>11/1-12/1:</b> Angel Tree</p> <p><b>*11/1:</b> Growth Pathway, 9-10:45 am, Rm 301<br/>2<sup>nd</sup> Base, Developing Daily Habits with Jesus</p> <p><b>11/1:</b> Daylight Savings Ends</p> <p><b>11/3:</b> Election Day, Voting Here</p> | <p><b>11/8:</b> Growth Pathway, 9-10:45 am, Rm 301<br/>3<sup>rd</sup> Base, Living Faithfully for Jesus</p> <p><b>11/11:</b> Office Closed (Veteran's Day)</p> <p><b>11/12:</b> Griefshare Surviving the Holidays Seminar, 7pm</p> <p><b>*11/13:</b> Youth Lock-In, 7pm-7am, 7-12<sup>th</sup> Gr</p> <p><b>11/15:</b> Operation Christmas Boxes Due</p> <p><b>*11/15:</b> Fall season of Community Groups End</p> <p><b>11/15:</b> Growth Pathway- 9-10:45 am, Rm 301<br/>Home Base, Sharing Jesus with confidence</p> <p><b>*11/15:</b> Baptism Sunday, 11am</p> <p><b>11/17:</b> SALT 60+ Annual Thanksgiving Dinner, 11:30am</p> <p><b>11/24-26:</b> Office Closed for Thanksgiving</p> <p><b>11/26:</b> Thanksgiving</p> <p><b>11:30:</b> Advent Calendar Starts</p> <p>*Register at <a href="http://laurelridgechurch.org/register">laurelridgechurch.org/register</a></p> |
| Laurel Ridge Church: Seek God. Build Community. Unleash Compassion.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |



QUESTIONS-WISDOM-THEOLOGY  
Why Would God Love Me?  
October 11, 2026

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## WHY WOULD GOD LOVE SOMEONE?

- AS \_\_\_\_\_ AS ME?

**Job:**

*Job 42:5* - My ears had heard of you but now my eyes have seen you. 6  
Therefore I **despise** myself. . .

**Paul:**

*1 Corinthians 15:9* - For I am the **least** of the apostles and do not even **deserve** to be called an apostle, because **I persecuted the church of God.**

- SO \_\_\_\_\_ ?

**Moses:**

*Exodus 3:11* - But Moses said to God, "**Who am I**, that I should go to Pharaoh and bring the Israelites out of Egypt?"

**David:**

*1 Chronicles 29:14* - But **who am I**, and who are my people, that we could give anything to you NLT?

**1. HE \_\_\_\_\_ LOVE!**

1 John 4:8-10 - Whoever does not love does not know God, because **God is love**.<sup>9</sup> This is how God showed his love among us: He sent his one and only Son into the world that we might live through him.<sup>10</sup> This is love: not that we loved God, but that **he loved us** and **sent his Son as an atoning sacrifice for our sins**.

**2. GOD'S LOVE \_\_\_\_\_ YOUR SINS.**

*1 Peter 4:8* - ...love **covers** over a multitude of **sins**.

*Genesis 3:10* - He answered, "I heard you in the garden, and I was afraid because I was naked; so I hid."

*Genesis 3:21* - The LORD God made garments of skin for Adam and his wife and clothed them.

*John 1:29* - The next day John saw Jesus coming toward him and said, "Look, the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world!"

*Luke 15:22* - "But the father said to his servants, 'Quick! Bring the best robe and put it on him. Put a ring on his finger and sandals on his feet.

*John 3:16* - For God so **loved** **(YOUR NAME GOES HERE)** that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life.

### 3. GOD'S LOVE MAKES YOU \_\_\_\_\_.

*Jeremiah 31:3* - I have loved you with an **everlasting love**; I have drawn you with **loving-kindness**.

1 John 4:19 - We **love** because **he first loved us**.

*Romans 8:38-39* - For I am convinced that neither death nor life, neither angels nor demons, neither the present nor the future, nor any powers, neither height nor depth, nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God that is in Christ Jesus our Lord.

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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

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