

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

- **Watch Online:** 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.
- **Monday: Divorce Care:** 6:30 PM, North Gym
- **Tuesdays: Celebrate Recovery:** 6:00 PM, Oakley Campus
- **Thursdays: Prayer Team:** 5:30 PM, Room 104

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

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

## Oakley Campus Planner

**\*5/24:** Growth Pathway- 9-10:45 am, Rm 301  
Home Base, Sharing Jesus with confidence

**5/25:** Office Closed for Memorial Day

**5/29:** Men's Outdoor Movie Night, 8pm

**5/31:** Spring Quarter of Community Groups End

**6/2:** Election at LRCC Campus

**6/7:** 2026 HS and Above Graduates Announced

**\*6/8-12:** Rainforest Falls VBS, 9am-12:30pm,  
(3yr potty trained to 6<sup>th</sup> Gr),

FULL, Waitlist Available

**\*6/13:** Men's Breakfast, 8-9:45am, Gym

**6/16:** SALT 60+Games, BYO & Drink, 11:30am, Gym

**6/17:** 4-7<sup>th</sup> Gr, Game Night, 6:15-8pm, Gym

**6/21:** Father's Day

**6/21:** Summer Quarter Community Groups Begin

**\*6/22-26: Concord Campus**  
Rainforest Falls VBS, 9am-12:30pm,  
(3yr potty trained to 6<sup>th</sup> Gr)

**6/24:** High School Mystery Night, 6:15-8pm, Gym

**\*6/28-7/3:** Kids Camp, 2-6<sup>th</sup> Gr, Camp Sugar Pine, \$499

**7/4:** Independence Day

**7/6:** Office Closed for Independence Day

**\*7/6-7/11:** CentriFuge, 7-12<sup>th</sup> Gr, Jenness Park, \$499

**7/6:** Office Closed for Independence Day

**\*10/2-5:** Youth Retreat, 7-12<sup>th</sup> Gr, Jenness Park, \$179,  
\$50 deposit due August 30<sup>th</sup>



Family Life: God's Design For The Home  
What Healthy Families Do Differently  
May 24, 2026

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*Nehemiah 4:14* - After I looked things over, I stood up and said to the nobles, the officials and the rest of the people, "Don't be afraid of them. **Remember the Lord**, who is **great and awesome**, and **fight for** your brothers, your sons and your daughters, your wives and your homes."

### FOUR QUALITIES OF HEALTHY FAMILIES

#### 1. HEALTHY FAMILIES \_\_\_\_\_ LIFE TOGETHER.

*Ecclesiastes 8:15* - Solomon: "I commend the **enjoyment** of life . . ."

**People don't remember what you say, but they will remember how you made them feel.**

*Ecclesiastes 11:8* - However many years a man may live, let him enjoy them all.

#### 2. HEALTHY FAMILIES \_\_\_\_\_ EACH OTHER.

*Ecclesiastes 4:9-10* - Two are better than one, because they have a good return for their work:  
<sup>10</sup> If one falls down, his friend can help him up. But pity the man who falls and has no one to help him up!

**Types of storms we protect:**

- \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ *Ideas, and* \_\_\_\_\_.

*Romans 12:15* - Rejoice with those who rejoice; mourn with those who mourn.

#### 3. HEALTHY FAMILIES ENCOURAGE \_\_\_\_\_.

*Proverbs 24:3* - "Homes are built on the foundation of wisdom and **understanding**." (GN)

*Proverbs 22:6*- "Train a child in 'the way' he should go, and when he is old he will not turn from it."

*Proverbs 22:6*- (AMP) "Train... in keeping with his individual gift or bent."

**Evidence of Understanding:**

*Proverbs 14:29*- "A man of understanding has patience."

**What Do We Learn From Our Families?**

- A. Healthy families teach how to handle \_\_\_\_\_.
- B. Healthy families teach how to handle \_\_\_\_\_.
- C. Healthy families teach how to handle \_\_\_\_\_.
- D. Healthy families teach Biblical \_\_\_\_\_.
- E. Healthy families teach good \_\_\_\_\_.

- Choices and Habits determine our character.

**How Healthy Families Help People Grow?**

- THROUGH YOUR \_\_\_\_\_

John 13:14-15 - Now that I, your Lord and Teacher, have washed your feet, you also should wash one another's feet. <sup>15</sup> I have set you an example that you should do as I have done for you.

- THROUGH YOUR \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_

*Deuteronomy 6:7*- Impress them on your children. Talk about them when you sit at home and when you walk along the road, when you lie down and when you get up.

- \_\_\_\_\_ **CRITICIZING OR COMPARING**

*Hebrews 12:6*- "... The Lord disciplines whom He loves ... "

*Ephesians 6:4* - "Don't keep scolding and nagging your children, making them angry and resentful... use loving discipline..." (LB)

**"PUNISHMENT"**

**Purpose:** Inflict penalty

**Focus:** On the past

**Attitude:** Punishment

**Result:** Fear

**"DISCIPLINE"**

**Purpose:** Promote Growth

**Focus:** On the Future

**Attitude:** Love

**Result:** Security

**How to Discipline:**

A. \_\_\_\_\_

*Proverbs 29:11* - "A fool gives full vent to his anger"

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

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

*Colossians 3:21* - "Fathers, don't scold your children so much that they become discouraged and quit trying." (LB)

**4. HEALTHY FAMILIES \_\_\_\_\_ GOD AND OTHERS**

*Hebrews 10:24* - And let us consider how we may spur one another on toward love and good deeds.

- **We serve God by serving others.**

*Acts 10:2* - He and all his family were devout and God-fearing; he gave generously to those in need and prayed to God regularly.

*Joshua 24:15* - But as for me and my household, we will serve the 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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