

# Oakley Campus | Week at a Glance | Sep 14-Sep 20

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

- **Watch Online:** at [laurelridgechurch.org/watch](http://laurelridgechurch.org/watch)
- **Nursery/Preschool:** At all service times
- **Kids Church (K-6th) Services:** At all service times
- **THE RIDGE (MS and HS) (7-8th grades, 9-12th grades) Community Group:** Now at all service times.
- **Wednesdays, Kids and Preteen Adventure**  
(K-4<sup>th</sup> grades, 5-6<sup>th</sup> grades) 6:15-8:00 PM
- **Wednesdays, THE RIDGE (MS and HS)**  
(7-8<sup>th</sup> grades, 9-12<sup>th</sup> grades) 6:15-8:00 PM
- **Tuesdays: Celebrate Recovery:** 6:00 PM, Oakley Campus
- **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

9/7-11/9: Fall Community Groups	*11/2: Growth Pathway-9-10:45 am, Rm 301 1 <sup>st</sup> Base, Connect with Jesus and the Church
*9/14: Secret Sister's Luncheon, 1pm, Gym	*11/9: Growth Pathway- 9-10:45 am. Rm 301 2 <sup>nd</sup> Base, Developing Daily Habits with Jesus
9/16: SALT 60+, Picnic, 11:30am, Brentwood	11/13: GriefShare Surviving the Holidays Seminar, 7-8:30pm, Rm 301
9/30: Worship Night, 7pm	11/16: Baptism Sunday, 11am
10/4: Men's Breakfast, 8-9:45am, Gym	*11/16: Growth Pathway- 9-10:45 am. Rm 301 3 <sup>rd</sup> Base, Living Faithfully for Jesus
10/8: K-3 <sup>rd</sup> Parent/Child Game night, 6:15-8pm, Gym	*11/23: Growth Pathway- 9-10:45 am. Rm 301 Home Base, Sharing Jesus with confidence
10/13: Mommy Meet Up, 9am, Gym	
10/15: No K-12 <sup>th</sup> , Wednesday Evening Program	
10/23: No K-12 <sup>th</sup> , Wednesday Evening Program	
10/24: Harvest Carnival, 6-8:30pm	
11/2: Daylight Savings Time Ends	
11/2: Child/Teen Baptism Class, 12:10pm, Rm 301	*Register at <a href="http://laurelridgechurch.org/register">laurelridgechurch.org/register</a>



HABITS THAT LEAD TO HAPPINESS  
How to Be Generous  
September 14, 2025

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**An amazing promise from God:**

*Philippians 4:19* - And my God will meet all your needs according to his glorious riches in Christ Jesus.

**I. THE CONDITION: WE MUST BE \_\_\_\_\_ TO OTHERS.**

*Philippians 4:14-18* - Yet it was good of you to share in my troubles.<sup>15</sup> Moreover, as you Philippians know, in the early days of your acquaintance with the gospel, when I set out from Macedonia, not one church shared with me in the matter of giving and receiving, except you only;<sup>16</sup> for even when I was in Thessalonica, you sent me aid again and again when I was in need.<sup>17</sup> Not that I am looking for a gift, but I am looking for what may be credited to your account.<sup>18</sup> I have received full payment and even more; I am amply supplied, now that I have received from Epaphroditus the gifts you sent. They are a fragrant offering, an acceptable sacrifice, pleasing to God.

*Luke 6:38* - Give, and it will be given to you. A good measure, pressed down, shaken together and running over, will be poured into your lap. For with the measure you use, it will be measured to you."

**PAUL GIVES US THREE REASONS FOR BEING GENEROUS:**

**1. OUR GIVING IS AN \_\_\_\_\_ TO OTHERS.**

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## Two results of giving:

### A. IT GIVES US A \_\_\_\_\_ MINISTRY THAN WE WOULD NORMALLY HAVE.

*Philippians 1:3,5* - I thank my God every time I remember you...<sup>5</sup> because of your partnership in the gospel from the first day until now...

### B. GIVING \_\_\_\_\_ US LIKE CHRIST.

*John 3:16* - "For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son,...

### 2. OUR GIVING IS AN \_\_\_\_\_ IN THE FUTURE.

*Philippians 4:17* - Not that I am looking for a gift, but I am looking for what may be credited to your account.

*1 Timothy 6:18-19* - Command them to do good, to be rich in good deeds, and to be generous and willing to share.<sup>19</sup> In this way they will lay up treasure for themselves as a firm foundation for the coming age, so that they may take hold of the life that is truly life.

### 3. OUR GIVING IS A \_\_\_\_\_ TO GOD.

*Philippians 4:18* - I have received full payment and even more; I am amply supplied, now that I have received from Epaphroditus the gifts you sent. They are a fragrant offering, an acceptable sacrifice, pleasing to God.

*Matthew 25:40* - "The King will reply, 'I tell you the truth, whatever you did for one of the least of these brothers of mine, you did for me.'

### II. THE PROMISE: GOD WILL SUPPLY \_\_\_\_\_ OUR NEEDS.

*Philippians 4:19* - And my God will meet all your needs according to his glorious riches in Christ Jesus.

\* ***The Source:*** "And my God will ..."

\* ***The Scope:*** "... will meet all your needs ..."

**This doesn't include:**

**CONSEQUENCES OF** \_\_\_\_\_.

**ALL WE** \_\_\_\_\_.

James 4:3 - When you ask, you do not receive, because you ask with wrong motives, that you may spend what you get on your pleasures.

### **WHAT HAS GOD PROMISED?**

**TO MEET ALL OF OUR LEGITIMATE** \_\_\_\_\_.

\* ***The Supply:*** "... according to his glorious riches in Christ Jesus."

*2 Corinthians 9:6-8* - Remember this: Whoever sows sparingly will also reap sparingly, and whoever sows generously will also reap generously.<sup>7</sup> Each man should give what he has decided in his heart to give, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver.<sup>8</sup> And God is able to make all grace abound to you, so that in all things at all times, having all that you need, you will abound in every good work.

Galatians 2:20 - I have been crucified with Christ and I no longer live, but Christ lives in me. The life I live in the body, I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave himself for me.

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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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