

Oakley Campus | Week at a Glance | July 19- July 25

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

For other opportunities and Community Group info, visit laurelridgechurch.org

Oakley Campus Planner

7/21: SALT 60+, Taco Bar, 11:30am, Gym
7/22: High School Night, 6:15-8pm, Gym
8/1: GriefShare Loss of a Spouse Seminar, 10am-12pm, Rm 301
***8/2:** Growth Pathway, 9-10:45 am, Rm 301
1st Base, Connect with Jesus and the Church
8/9: Promotion Sunday
***8/9:** Growth Pathway, 9-10:45 am. Rm 301
2nd Base, Developing Daily Habits with Jesus
8/10: Mommy Meet-Up, 9-11:30am, Gym
8/13-11/5: GriefShare, 7-8:30pm, Rm 301
8/14-15: NTC Counseling Conference, North Creek, Walnut Creek, Sign up at nctconference.org

***8/16:** Growth Pathway, 9-10:45 am. Rm 301
3rd Base, Living Faithfully for Jesus
***8/19:** Ridge Kids Adventure, 6:15-8pm, K-4th Gr
***8/19:** Pre-Teen Adventure, 6:15-8pm, 5th & 6th Gr
8/19: Welcome Wednesday. 6:15-8pm, 7-12th Gr
***8/23:** Child/Teen Baptism Class, 12:10pm, Rm 301
8/23-11/15: Divorce Care Fall Session, 4:30-6pm, Gym
9/6: Baptism Sunday, 11am
***10/2-5:** Youth Retreat, 7-12th Gr, Jenness Park, \$179, \$50 deposit due August 30th

*Register at laurelridgechurch.org/register



IGNITING YOUR SPIRITUAL GROWTH
Understanding How God Speaks
July 19, 2026

Job 33:14 - For God does speak – now one way, now another –though man may not perceive it.

HOW DOES GOD TALK TO US?

1. GOD SPEAKS THROUGH THE _____.

2 Timothy 3:16 - Scripture is **God-breathed** and is useful for teaching, rebuking, correcting and training in righteousness, 17 **so that** the man of God may be thoroughly equipped for every good work.

**** A GOOD PLACE TO START READING THE BIBLE: JOHN OR JAMES.***

2. GOD SPEAKS THROUGH _____.

1 Thessalonians 2:13 - And we also thank God continually because, when you received the word of God, which you **heard** from us, you **accepted** it not as the word of men, but as it actually is, the word of God, which is at work in you who believe.

1 Corinthians 2:13 - This is what we speak, not in words taught us by human wisdom but in words taught by the Spirit, expressing spiritual truths in spiritual words.

3. GOD SPEAKS THROUGH _____.

John 14:26 - But the Counselor, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, will teach you **all things and will remind you** of everything I have said to you.

Job 33:14, 18 - "God speaks again and again, in **dreams** and **visions** at night when deep sleep falls.¹⁸ as people lie on their beds. He opens their ears in times like that, and gives them wisdom and instruction." (GN)

Warning: Always _____ Impressions!

4. GOD SPEAKS THROUGH _____.

John 5:17-20 - Jesus said to them, "My Father is always at his work to this very day, and I, too, am working." ¹⁸ For this reason the Jews tried all the harder to kill him; not only was he breaking the Sabbath, but he was even calling God his own Father, making himself equal with God. ¹⁹ Jesus gave them this answer: "I tell you the truth, the Son can do nothing by himself; **he can do only what he sees his Father doing**, because whatever the Father does the Son also does."²⁰ For the Father loves the Son and shows him all he does. Yes, to your amazement he will show him even greater things than these.

KEY: THE _____ OF GOD IS THE *CIRCUMSTANCES*.

Proverbs 20:30 - Punishment that hurts chases evil from the heart. **TLB**

Why Is It Important to Hear God's Voice?

A. IT PROTECTS ME FROM _____.

Job 33:17 - God speaks...to turn man from wrongdoing and keep him from pride, ¹⁸ to preserve his soul from the pit, his life from perishing by the sword.

B. IT IS THE SECRET OF A _____ LIFE.

John 15:5 - "I am the vine; you are the branches. If a man remains in me and I in him, he will bear much fruit; apart from me you can do nothing.

Hebrews 3:15 - As has just been said: "Today, if you hear his voice, do not harden your hearts as you did in the rebellion."

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2. Our App: Search for "Laurel Ridge Community Church" on iOS and Android.
3. Online: 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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