



OAKLEY GROVE
BAPTIST CHURCH

August 14, 2022



Vision 2022
Regenesis
"New Beginning"

Lamentation 3:21:22

Service Times

Sunday School @ 9:00a.m.

Sunday Morning Worship @ 10:15a.m.

Wednesday Bible Study @ 6:45pm.

Thursday Youth Bible Study @ 6:30pm

"Building People; Mind, Body, and Spirit." (Matthew 28:16-20)



Rev. Rex Wright, Senior Pastor and Lady Yolanda Wright

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Ministries/Elder in Charge

- ∞ **CHRISTIAN EDUCATION**
ELDER TILLMAN WILSON, JR
- ∞ **ADMINISTRATION**
ELDER CHARLES FULLER
- ∞ **EVANGELISM**
ELDER JEFF HILL
- ∞ **CONGREGATIONAL CARE**
ELDER JAMES RICHEY
- ∞ **SERVICE/RESOURCES**
ELDER MCADOO
- ∞ **WORSHIP & ARTS**
ELDER ERNEST COARD
- ∞ **DEACON CHAIR**
DEACON DARREN HICKS
- ∞ **TRUSTEE CHAIR**
TRUSTEE COREY MCCORD
- ∞ **YOUTH PASTOR**
MINISTER ISAAC PRINGLE

PLEASE STAY IN TOUCH



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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Come
WORSHIP
With Us



The Marriage Ministry would like for you to join them in a small group. If you are a married couple and are not in the Marriage Ministry, please contact London and Cheryl Dubois at 601-291-8503.

Ricardo and Pamela Sullivan
Keyon and Yulanda Williams
Darryl and Tara McAdoo

Happy Anniversary

Elder Jeff and Deborah Hill
Roosevelt and Barbara Odom
Deacon Randolph and Dr. Gertrude Dunn

DEACON OF THE WEEK

TRUSTEE OF THE WEEK

Emanuel Sullivan
706-726-8215

08/14

Charles Whitfield
706-533-3408

Robert Daniel
706-910-3951

08/21

Johnny Williams
404-988-9252

Please contact the designated Deacon or the Trustee
if you need assistance during the week.



Please keep the following
individuals and families in
your prayers:

McAdoo Family

Jacque Aubas

Rogers Family

Randall Collins

Noble Family

Fred Griffin

Charles Sullivan
Latonia Brown
Meadows Family
Lucille Hankerson
DeJoris Smythe
Bishop Harvey Hall Johnson Sr.

HOMEBOUND SAINTS

James Johnson
Ruth Phillips
Ruth Graham
Emma Stokes

Roy Sullivan
Ludian Perrins
Mamie Freeman

CALLING ALL YOUTH

Please join us on 1st, 2nd, and 3rd Thursday in person for
Youth Bible Study

6:45 pm



Announcements and Upcoming Events



Each Tuesday at 10:00am for
Senior Bible Study



ATTENTION ALL SENIORS

**If you would like to
purchase a Senior
Ministry T-Shirt please
see Sis. Ceciel Coard**

Wishing Happy Birthday this Month to:



Ricardo Sullivan
Cheryl Daniel
Dominique Whitfield
Tia Dukes
Rudolph Lewis
Lateefah Washington

Yolanda Wright
Natasha McKie
Johnny F. Williams Sr.
Jeff Hill
Carie Hananan
Fredrick Griffin

Roy A. Sullivan
Johnathan Culp
Octavia Garnett
Ruth Graham
Ashton Moore
Christian Griffin



DEACONS MEETING

Saturday, September 10th at 11:00am



August 20th from 8:30am to 11:30am



Weekend to Remember

September 9-11, 2022

\$350.00/couple^(§)

^(§)Use Group Name “wtr_charleston” and **SAVE \$100** on conference registration, attend for **\$250.00/couple**

GOTO familylife.com/weekend-to-remember and look for **Augusta**

Augusta Marriott at the Convention Center

Lodging Rate—\$144.00/night^(#)

^(#)Hotel registration made separately by calling the hotel directly at (706) 722-8900

Pastor Registration FREE

GOTO familylife.com/weekend-to-remember/pastors

Special Military Rate

\$120.00/couple^(*)

Reduced rate available for Active Duty, Guard, & Reserves

GOTO familylife.com/weekend-to-remember/military

MORE INFORMATION TO COME



Humility Is the Truth

Humble yourselves before the Lord, and he will lift you up.

James 4:10

Reflecting one day on why God values humility so highly, sixteenth-century believer Teresa of Avila suddenly realized the answer: “It is because God is the supreme Truth, and humility is the truth. . . . Nothing good in us springs from ourselves. Rather, it comes from the waters of grace, near which the soul remains, like a tree planted by a river, and from that Sun which gives life to our works.” Teresa concluded that it’s by prayer that we anchor ourselves in that reality, for “the whole foundation of prayer is humility. The more we humble ourselves in prayer, the more will God lift us up.”

Teresa’s words about humility echo the language of Scripture in James 4, where James warned of the self-destructive nature of pride and selfish ambition, the opposite of a life lived in dependence on God’s grace (vv. 1–6). The only solution to a life of greed, despair, and constant conflict, he emphasized, is to repent of our pride in exchange for God’s grace. Or, in other words, to “humble yourselves before the Lord,” with the assurance that “he will lift you up” (v. 10).

Only when we’re rooted in the waters of grace can we find ourselves nourished by the “wisdom that comes from heaven” (3:17). Only in Him can we find ourselves lifted up by the truth.

By Monica La Rose

REFLECT & PRAY

How does pride hinder true prayer and experience of God’s grace? How have you experienced the freedom of humility through prayer?

Loving God, thank You for the gift of life with You. Thank You that I don’t need to be more than I am. Thank You that in You I find all that I need and more.

SCRIPTURE INSIGHT

James identified two sinful heart attitudes detrimental to peace and harmony in the church: covetousness (4:1–3) and pride (vv. 5–10). Covetousness or greed is condemned in the eighth and tenth commandments (Exodus 20:15, 17). Jesus warned us to “guard against all kinds of greed” (Luke 12:15). Greed is idolatry (Ephesians 5:5; Colossians 3:5) because, in essence, it’s the worship of self. What fuels this self-worship is pride. Solomon says, “Where there is strife, there is pride” (Proverbs 13:10). God’s humbling of the proud is His emphatic judgment (Proverbs 6:16–17; Daniel 4:37; James 4:6; 1 Peter 5:5).

K. T. Sim