



Bishop Thomas Odom,
Lead Pastor

Welcome

We welcome each visitor with us in service today. We're glad you decided to worship with us. Please take a moment to fill out a connection card and return it to the Welcome Center. If we can be of any assistance, please contact the church office at (407) 656-8011.



Office hours:
Monday-Friday, 8am-4:30pm

Events at a Glance

December

- 3rd - Prayer Meeting - 5:30pm
- 3rd - Amplify Shadow Box Drama - During PM Service
- 3rd - Live Nativity Meeting - After PM Service
- 4th - Leadership & Staff Christmas Banquet - 7pm
- 6th - Wednesday Night Meals - 6pm - Soup & Sandwiches
- 6th - Mid-week Service - 7pm
- 9th - Youth Choir Practice - 6pm
- 10th - Christmas Banquet - 6pm - Jessie Brock Community Center
- 13th - Wednesday Night Meals - 6pm
- 13th - Mid-week Service - 7pm
- 17th - 19th - Live Nativity Event - 6pm to 8pm Nightly
- 20th - Wednesday Night Meals - 6pm
- 20th - Mid-week Service - 7pm

Departments and Leaders

Administration

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Ministries

- Amplify Children's Ministries - Nickie Jarvis
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- CD Orders - Cara Joyner
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- Choir Director - Roger Billette
- Light Christian Academy, Principal - Rev. Rebecca Smith
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- Lil' Lights Preschool, Director - Wendy Odom
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- Local Missions Representative - Donnette Walcott
- Men's Fellowship - Carlton Walcott
Men of all ages; mensfellowship@ocoecog.com
- Prime Timers - Bishop Ricky Faircloth
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- The Journey Young Adult Ministry - Rev. Rebecca Smith
Ages 20-50; thejourney@ocoecog.com
- TUFF Youth Ministries - Dustin & Holly Spratlin
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- Women's Discipleship - Wendy Odom
Women of all ages; wodom@ocoecog.com



December 3, 2017 Shadow Box Drama

Schedule of Services

- Sunday School - 10am
- Sunday Morning Worship - 10:45am
Nursery available beginning at 10:40am
- Sunday Prayer Meeting - 5:30pm
- Sunday Evening Worship - 6pm
- Wednesday Service/Classes - 7pm
- Amplify Children's Services -
Sundays at 10:45am
- TUFF Youth Ministries -
Wednesdays at 7pm

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“Lo, children are an heritage of the Lord; and the fruit of the womb is his reward.”
Psalms 127:3

Shadow Box Drama

Amplify students will be presenting the Christmas story tonight in the form of a shadow box drama. Please make your plans to be with us during our PM Service.

Prayer Meeting

Prayer meetings are Sunday nights at 5:30pm.
Join us as we pray together!

Christmas Card Exchange Box

The Christmas Card Exchange box is now in the foyer! If you are planning to distribute Christmas cards to your church family, please put the cards in the exchange box. Cards will be organized by the first letter of the last name. A list of family names is available at the welcome center. Also, please don't forget to check the box for cards sent to you and your family!



Christmas Offering

Each year Ocoee Church of God presents its lead pastor's family with an extra week's salary as a Christmas gift. On Sunday, December 10, any offerings beyond tithes or gifts marked for a specific fund that are received during morning worship will go toward the church's Christmas gift to the Odom family. Thank you for your giving!

Pecans

The church is doing the pecan fundraiser again this season! Pecan halves and pieces are available in one pound bags for \$9 each. For more information, please see Pastor Ricky Faircloth.



Leadership Christmas Banquet

Pastor Thomas and Sister Wendy Odom will be hosting a Leadership and Staff Christmas Banquet on Monday, December 4 at 7pm. This banquet is for all elders, staff pastors, and department leaders. RSVP is required for this event. For more information, please contact the church office.

Live Nativity Event

Our annual Live Nativity event will be held Sunday through Tuesday, December 17-19! We need your help to make this event a success. Please bring desserts to share and don't forget to sign up at the Welcome Center to be in the live nativity scene.



Nursery Update

Until the preschool building is ready, the church nursery is being utilized for additional classroom space. A changing station is available in the women's restroom located in the foyer. If you need assistance please stop by the Welcome Center. We apologize for any inconvenience this may cause.

Youth Pastor Pledges

Thank you to everyone that responded on Commitment Sunday by making a Youth Pastor Pledge! Our goal on Commitment Sunday was to raise \$15,000 in pledges to be given over the next twelve months. If you did not submit your commitment card, please do so as soon as possible. You can pick up extra commitment cards at the Welcome Center. If you have any questions, please contact the church office.

TUFF Youth Students - Chick-fil-a Calendar Fundraiser

Tuff Youth Ministries will be selling the 2018 Chick-fil-a Calendars as a group fundraiser. The cost is \$8 each and includes more than 12 free items. For more information, please see Pastor Dustin or Sister Holly Spratlin.



Christmas Banquet

Please join us on Sunday, December 10, at 6pm at the Jessie Brock Community Center in Winter Garden for our Christmas Banquet. If you are planning to attend, please fill out the form below and place it in the offering plate or turn it in at the Welcome Center. For more information about the Christmas Banquet, contact the church office.

Name: _____

Phone: _____

of People: _____

Wednesday Family Meals

This week's menu: Soup & Sandwiches

Meals are served 6:00-6:45pm. The suggested donation is \$5 for ages 12 and up and \$4 for ages 11 and under; the cost will not be more than \$15 per immediate family.

Youth Choir Practice

Youth Choir Practice will be Saturday, December 9, at 6pm in the main sanctuary. For more information, please see Sister Holly Spratlin

Texas Road House Fundraiser

Going to Texas Road House this week? Take your church bulletin so that 10% of your total bill can be donated to TUFF Youth Ministries. You will need to present your bulletin with your bill. For more information,

Keep in Touch

Stay up-to-date with news and events at Ocoee Church of God! We like to keep in touch by telephone, text, and email. If you are not receiving our weekly phone call or email, please contact the church office to update your contact information. You can sign up to receive text alerts by texting the word "JOIN" to 1-888-490-6373. If you have any questions, please contact the church office.

Seeds for Souls

God can multiply little offerings to do great things! Would you be willing to give Him a little? If 50 individuals would give an extra \$5 per week, we would put an additional \$1,000 per month toward our church operating fund! Will you help us sow seeds for souls?

Box Tops for Education

Light Christian Academy is participating in Box Tops for Education! You can help LCA earn money for supplies by saving Box Tops coupons from products you regularly use. To find out more information, including a list of products, visit www.mylcac.com.



A ministry of Ocoee Church of God

Offering K3-12th grades!

Contact the school at (407) 656-6314 for more information or visit www.mylcac.com

Attendance

SS – 76 · AM – 96
PM – 55 · Mid-week – 65