

Welcome to OakStone Community Church

January 18, 2026

Message: "...through God's mercy...we do not lose heart." (continued)

Passage: 2 Corinthians 4:3-6 | **Speaker:** Pastor Bill Wolter

Upcoming Events & News

Women's Monday Morning Bible Study – 9-10 AM

We will be meeting at the church in the Fellowship Room. You are invited to join us this week as we continue our study in The Book of Ruth. For more information contact Janet at janetwolter51@gmail.com.

Tuesday Evening Bible Study – 6:30-7:30 PM

You are invited to join us as we continue our study in Galatians. If you have any questions, please contact Pastor Bill at (951) 970-2262.

Birth Choice

January is Sanctity of Human Life Month, a month set apart to remember the value of human life. This year Sanctity of Human Life Sunday (SOHLS) is being observed today. Pray for awareness as to the harm abortion brings to women, families, and entire communities. Birth Choice provides hope to those who might struggle with an abortion decision in the future or have already experienced an abortion.

Ministry to Pray for This Month – Calvary Chapel Bacolod

Greetings from the Philippines from Joe and Billie Rosmarino! They serve with Calvary Chapel Bacolod, a simple, Christ-centered mission devoted to the Lord, His people, and His children. By God's grace, the ministry is growing and includes American and Filipino missionaries serving alongside many children who love Jesus.

Led by the Holy Spirit for God's glory, Calvary Chapel Bacolod is a threefold ministry: a church fellowship (CCB), a children's home (CCCH), and a Christian school (CCCS). Learn more at <https://www.ccbacolod.com/>.

Important Information

PLEASE there is no food or drink, except water with a lid, allowed in the sanctuary. We thank you for your cooperation.

Our **FOOD PANTRY** is available for those who need it.

An **AUDIO LISTENING DEVICE** is available for those who need assistance in hearing the message. Inquire at the sound booth.

INTERNET ACCESS is available: go to "**occ**", the password is "**oakstone**".

The Heart of an Evangelist

Isaiah 43: 16-19

*"This is what the Lord says---
He who made a way through the sea,
a path through the mighty waters,*

*Who drew out the chariots and horses,
the army and reinforcements together,
and they lay there never to rise again,
extinguished, snuffed out like a wick:*

*Forget the former things;
do not dwell on the past
See, I am doing a new thing!
Now it springs up; do you not perceive it?*

*I am making a way in the desert
and streams in the wasteland."*

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v. 18 Forget the former things; do not dwell on the past.

v. 19(a) See, I am doing a new thing!

One of the greatest things when walking with our Lord... is...

Each day is a new thing!

As He makes a way in our wildernesses...

And gives us Living Water in those times

When we need refreshing...

Indeed, We are His New things...

Praying you all have a
Happy and Blessed
New Year!

Joe Petty

Tithes & Offerings

As you are led, place these in the designated box in the back.