# leadership

Elders Kendall Fike Kelly Osborne Steve Buck **Executive Minister** Children's Ministry & Paul Crawford Community Outreach Asst. Ben Langford Brett Vanderzee Phil Loafman Elijah McCoy Preaching & Music Minister Wes McKinzie Tanner German John Osborne Youth Interns Ben Langford

Preaching Minister

Lisa Pickens

AJ Jeffries

Leah Redling

Financial Admin

Worship Intern

Sandi Schwab

Admin Assistant Abby Bouchelle
College Ministry Intern

WORSHIP 10/3/2021	GIVING	GENERAL	2021 MISSIONS
177	GIVING 10/3/2021	YEAR TO DATE 2021	(2021 GOAL: \$115,000) Total Pledges Rcvd
	\$10,657.90	+\$43,691.76	\$111,848.56

# springs delegates

Adult Education-Ryan Stephenson
Benevolence-Monema Stephens &

Andy Harbert

College Ministry-Jared & Cassie Scism

**Communications**-Cody Boyd **Communion**-Arianne Gillham **Connections**-Jason Henley

Director of Youth & Families

Missions-Greg Gillham

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Safety-Keith Varner

**Transportation**-Victor Neal & Roger Dreyer



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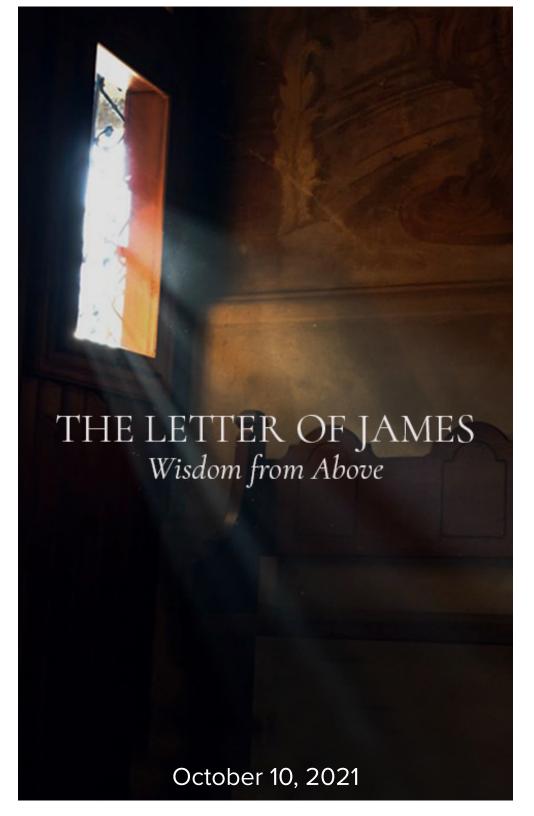






Our staff meets at 1 p.m. each Tuesday. Email us at <a href="info@thesprings.cc">info@thesprings.cc</a> and let us know how we can pray for you!

Contact Us: staff@thesprings.cc elders@thesprings.cc delegates@thesprings.cc 405-285-7524



## things to know

**VISITORS:** Welcome! We are glad you are here today. We would like to get to know you. Please scan this QR code to fill out a visitor form, or go to <a href="thesprings.cc/contact">thesprings.cc/contact</a>



**COMMUNION** is available to all during the invitation to the tables. Gluten Free bread is available on some of the tables. Look for the signs.

**GIVING** at The Springs can be accomplished by placing a check or cash in the baskets at the tables today, or by giving online. Check out all the ways to give by going to **thesprings.cc/give** 

**CONNECTION GROUPS** are where we share life with each other. The right biblical community makes life better and stronger. Currently, our world sees a lot of isolation, separation, and division. We were not meant to walk this journey alone. Find your tribe. Contact our Connections Delegate to find out how to get plugged in. Or maybe you are being prompted to lead a group, to create space for others to share meals, tears, and comfort. We want to help you get started. Contact Jason Henley at 405-204-0312 <a href="mailto:isannealhenley@hotmail.com">isannealhenley@hotmail.com</a>

**PRAYER NEEDS TODAY?** Elders are ready to pray with you during communion time in the lobby. If you have needs or concerns during the week, email **info@thesprings.cc** or submit your requests via The Springs website. Simply click on the **GET PRAYER** button and fill out a prayer request.

# current happenings

#### THE SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICE IS LIVE-STREAMED at

**thesprings.cc/messages** and also on **facebook.com/TheSprings.cc** at 10:30 a.m. Adult bible class is available in person and online at 9:30 a.m.

**SOME OF THE HARDEST WORDS** in the Bible are in the book of James. Despite reformer Martin Luther infamously calling it "an epistle of straw," James packs a tight punch of wise, practical, and challenging instruction. Drawing from Proverbs, the Old Testament prophets, and the Sermon on the Mount, the letter of James shifts our focus from the person and work of Jesus to the teachings of Jesus—the demanding call of being his disciple in community. Starting today, we begin a seven-week series called *The Letter of James: Wisdom from Above*.

WHEN RESEARCH CATCHES UP WITH GOD Our God, the Author of Life, sent his son to show us how to live life more abundantly. Yet choices that are meant to bring peace to our soul can often have the opposite impact. How we rationalize our actions combined with the convenience of technology can sabotage our desire to live closer to Christ. Paul and Alissa Crawford are leading us during the month of October on Sunday mornings at 9:30 a.m. exploring current social science research with surprising findings that line up with God's Word...just a few centuries later.

**YOUNG PARENTS**, please join us for "Growing Together," a class for parents of young children, offering opportunities to connect, support, and learn from each other. We discuss relationships, parenting, and seek to help each other thrive in this season of life. This class meets Sundays in room 207. For more information, contact Brent Stafford at **brentstaffordcreative@gmail.com** 

### prayer needs

**Lee Mullican** is out of the hospital and receiving care at home.

**Samuel Knight**, 19 month old son of Jonathan and Megan, was hospitalized for several days last week with a high fever and viral infection (non-Covid.) He is now home recovering and doing much better.

**Rose Wolf's grandson, Brandon Moyer**, has been hospitalized several times with pain and discomfort that doctors are having difficulty diagnosing.

**Patricia Perdue** was baptized last Sunday afternoon! We rejoice with Patricia and Bill.

Are you receiving emails and newsletters from The Springs? If not, we may not have your correct email address! We want to be sure you are "in the know!" Email Sandi with your current contact info: sschwab@thesprings.cc

## looking ahead

**TRUNK OR TREAT** is coming Sunday evening, October 24. We need trunk/truck decorators, people to set up and run games, bakers for a cake walk, and candy! We are inviting our Springs neighbors to join us. Please scan the QR code to sign up.



A DRIVE-BY SHOWER is scheduled for October 24 at 3 p.m. to honor Elise & Logan Neff and the upcoming birth of baby boy Lachlan Andrew. Please make plans to "drive-by" 4308 N. Miller Ave., OKC, OK 73112, and shower Elise and Logan with love! They are registered at Target and on Amazon.

**JOIN US FOR A BABY BOY SHOWER** for Terra Stafford on Sunday, November 7 at 2:30 p.m. in the foyer area of the worship center. They are registered at Target and on babylist.com.