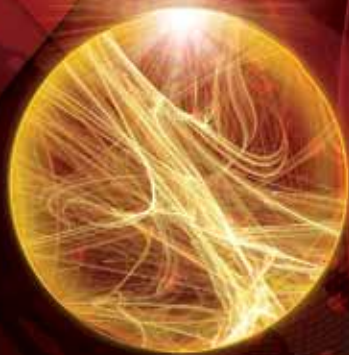


VICTORY

A Church Where Miracles Happen

Saturday, November 29 - Friday, December 5, 2008

"PREPARE THE WAY OF THE LORD;
MAKE HIS PATHS STRAIGHT."
MARK 1:3



Christmas

FAITH

A Christmas Illustrated Message



Saturday, December 13th - 5 pm
Sunday, December 14th - 9, 11 am & 6 pm
7700 S. Lewis Ave., Tulsa OK // Free Admission

For more info: 918.491.7700 or VICTORY.COM

LAND PURCHASE FOR VBI STUDENT HOUSING

6.16 ACRES, \$1,187,580
NEEDED BY JANUARY 29, 2009

- Zoned for building
- Concrete roads with curbs
- Utilities already in place
- Storm Water drainage system in place
- Fenced and landscaped
- Adjoins Victory property on two sides

Saturday Service - 5 p.m., 7700 S. Lewis Ave.
Sunday Services - 9, 11 a.m. & 6 p.m., 7700 S. Lewis Ave.
Wednesday Family Service - 7 p.m., 7700 S. Lewis Ave.
Children's/Nursery are provided at all services
7700 S. Lewis Ave., Tulsa, OK 74136

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*** YOU CAN WATCH ALL VICTORY SERVICES STREAMING LIVE ON
VICTORY.COM**

upcoming events

MIRACLE HEALING SERVICE

with Pastors Billy Joe & Sharon Daugherty

Sunday, November 30 @ 6pm

Worship Center



2nd annual **Victorious Living!** HEALTH & WELLNESS FAIR

Vendor Registration
until Monday, December 1st, 2008

To register: victory.com



**VCS 5TH - 6TH GRADES
WON THE CENTRAL
FOOTBALL LEAGUE
CHAMPIONSHIP
FINISHING THE SEASON
WITH A RECORD OF 11-1.**

CHRISTMAS AROUND THE WORLD Victory International Cell Ministry (a Multi-cultural Ministry) and Victory Hispanic Ministry

Saturday, December 6, 2008
2-4pm and 7-9pm
7700 S. Lewis Ave.
Free Admission!

Grab your passport at the door. As you walk into a marketplace you will experience the cultures of over 40 different countries represented in one place. Music and dance and native foods from around the world.

For more info contact Pastor Henry at 918.491.7830 or hbartlett@victory.com // vicmtulsa.org



CHILDREN'S CHURCH PRESENTS, **A KING IS COMING TO TOWN**

Sunday, December 7, 6pm, Worship Center

The Christmas event of the season. Invite your family, friends, and neighbors to come and hear the heart-touching message of the gospel.

- Due to the Christmas Musical there will be no Children's Church, Dec. 7, 6 p.m.
- There will be no VK Elementary Children's Church services the weekend of Dec. 13 -14. This includes Sat. 5pm, Sun. 9 & 11am, and 6pm

Victory's Annual Nursing Home & Retirement Center Christmas Celebration

Friday, December 5, 2008, 6 pm

You can participate with our Staff as we reach out to these precious people. For more information contact one of the Staff on the list or Pat Richardson, 298-8147.

Care Center/Facility Address

Staff Responsible/ Phone Number

Aberdeen Heights Assisted Living 7220 S. Yale Ave., Tulsa	Miriam Springer, Music Department 491-7620
Ambassador Manor NH 1340 E. 61st St., Tulsa	Harry & Nicki Latham, Care Pastors 491-7815
Brighton Gardens 5211 S. Lewis Ave., Tulsa	Marlene Burdick & Jerry Hauser, Care Pastors 491-7815
Broken Arrow Nursing Home 424 N. Date Ave., Broken Arrow	Steve Worley, Facilities 491-7790
Burgundy Place Retirement 8887 S. Lewis Ave., Tulsa	Paul Daugherty, 3D 491-7808
Cedar Crest Care Center 1306 E. College St., Broken Arrow	Dr. Edwin Miranda, Jr., VBI 491-7600
Colonial Manor Nursing Center 1815 E. Skelly Drive, Tulsa	Karen Sanders, VCS 491-7730
Forest Hills Health Care 4300 W. Houston St., Broken Arrow	Jose Miranda, Care Pastor 491-7815
Franciscan Villa 17110 E. 51st St., Broken Arrow	Al & Maria Leerdam, Senior Adults 491-7935
Glenpool Health Care Center 1700 E. 141st St., Glenpool	Jake Woodruff, Care Pastor 491-7815
Grace Living Center 711 N. 5th St., Jenks	Edwin Miranda, Sr., Care Pastor 491-7815
Heather Ridge Assisted Living 2130 S. 85th East Ave., Tulsa	Ryan Stafford, IMT's 491-7639
Lakewood Care Center 6201 E. 36th St., Tulsa	John Banner & Kim Ford, Children's Ministry 491-7974
Leisure Village Health Care 2154 S. 85th East Ave., Tulsa	John Bornert, Transportation 491-7890
Manor Care Health Services 2425 S. Memorial Drive, Tulsa	Philip Klehm, VCS 491-7720
Maplewood Care Center 6202 E. 61st St., Tulsa	Cynthia McGuire, Care Pastor 491-7815
Mayfair Nursing Center 7707 S. Memorial Dr., Tulsa	Debra Hinajosa, Nursery 491-7750
Murdock Villa Apartments 828 S. Wheeling Ave., Tulsa	Rod Baker, Kidz Outreach 491-7845
Parks Edge Nursing & Rehab Ctr 5115 E. 51st St, Tulsa	Adam & Ruth Sanders, Senior High Youth 491-7835
Prarie Rose Retirement Living 7401 Riverside Drive, Tulsa	Miriam Springer, Music Department 491-7620
Southern Hills Nursing Home 5170 S. Vandalia Ave., Tulsa	Ty & Debra Barker, Single Adults (29+) 491-7840
Southern Hills Retirement Center 5170 S. Vandalia Ave., Tulsa	John & Irene Gomez, Care Pastors 491-7815
Southtown Nursing Home 15600 S. Memorial Drive, Bixby	Ryan Stafford, IMT's 491-7639
The Arbors 10201 S. Yale Ave., Tulsa	Don Hanson, Care Pastor 491-7815
The Broadmoor Retirement 8205 E. 22nd St., Tulsa	Rick & Reba Altizer, VWMT 491-7695
The Gardens (Sapulpa) 1165 Brenner Rd., Sapulpa	Joshua & Maria Clinkscales, Care Pastor 491-7810
University Village Health Center 8555 S. Lewis Ave., Tulsa	Pat Richardson, Nursing Home Ministry 810-2629

weekly events

HELP IN TIME OF NEED

If you have a local business or trade that you would be willing to donate your time & services to help people in a crisis or emergency situation, submit your name & phone number to the care pastor offices at 491-7815.

ADDITIONAL USHERS NEEDED FOR THE CHRISTMAS ILLUSTRATED MESSAGE SERVICES

Saturday, Dec. 13 & Sunday, Dec. 14. You can sign up in the usher room (across from the cafe area in the lobby) or e-mail ushers@victory.com.

cells

Cell Directories are available at information kiosks in the lobby

GriefShare is hosting "SURVIVING THE HOLIDAYS" - A helpful, encouraging seminar for people facing the holidays after the loss of a loved one. Sessions are being held November 25 and December 15, 7-9pm, 7700 S. Lewis, Rm. 312. For information/enrollment, please contact Ethel Himes at 794-7658 (D); 437-8005 (E). etlucille@sbcglobal.net

new members – welcome to victory!

*Samir & Pamela Idriss
Tonya Redricks
Terry
Alexus
Kennedy
Holly Alcott
Rick & Sue Connor
James & Karen Green
Tiffani Combs*

*Greg & Lupe Brown
Ashley Moses
Leahndre
Joseph & Sarah Castorena
Rashawnda Broom
Issac
Alayshia
Alison Lynch
Hays Bourgeois*

*Justin & Brittni Allen
Jaxson
Darrell Williams
Darion
Darius
Darionna
Immanuel*

hospital ministry

THOSE IN THE HOSPITAL - Charles Raber, Helen Smith, Thomas Hollingshead, Wendell Evans, Jack Reilly (baby), Corine Renfrow, George Rosenberry, Metrogene Myles, Shirley Rutherford, Esther Wilkins. We speak life and health to you!

Birth Announcements - Alex Jeffrey born to Jeffrey & Rebecca Horvath, 11/15/08.

volunteer of the week



JONATHAN CONNEELY

Jonathan has been a member of Victory for 6 years. He has volunteered at the Dream Center, in Men's Ministry, with Straight Talk for Men, at 3D, and in the Bus Ministry. Currently he ushers each week at the 9am service. Thank you, Jonathan, for your faithfulness to serve. We appreciate you!

mark your calendars

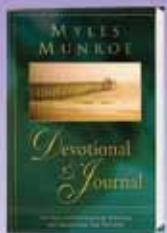
WORD EXPLOSION 2009

August 15-23, 2009

Sign up for e-mail updates @ victory.com

Gifts That Impact Lives

Visit Victory's Bookstore, 7700 S Lewis Ave, Tulsa or victory.com



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Days to Understanding, Releasing,
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The Ultimate Gift

When his wealthy grandfather dies, Jason Stevens inherits his grandfather's crash course on life. The "course" sends Jason on a journey that forces him to reevaluate his priorities and determine what he thinks the most important things in life really are.

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MAIN STORE HOURS: Mon-Fri: 8am – 10pm // Sat.: 9am – 10pm, Sun.: 8am – after evening service

EXPRESS HOURS: Before & after services

available positions

For info. call Human Resources 491-7828

VCS Substitute teachers – ELC through High School (no college degree required) – 491-7723
Mother's Day Out – PT.

Facilities – FT, PT. HVAC Mech. Engineer; Custodians; Grounds Maintenance; and Tel. Tech.
Building Engineer – FT, ~ contact Steve @ 519-4717

Dream Center, After-school Program Bus Driver - Monday-Thursday 2pm-4pm

Senior Accounting Clerk ~ FT. Requirements: Associate Degree in Accounting or 3-5 years
experience with full charge bookkeeping; payroll experience helpful but not required.

Jobs Ministry

Resume – assistance in writing and composing, Jobs listing book,
Career counseling – guidance and direction.

Contact Victory's Human Resources Department, New VBI Bldg. (81st & Delaware),
Rm. 262. For information 491-7828, 8am-5pm.

volunteer positions

victory.com/volunteer

Childcare workers

Tuesday Night Cell Groups – 665-2377

East Building Setup – 491-7864

Communion servers, Wed. pm – 694-9913

Welcome Center, Wed. & Sun. pm – 491-7936

Football Concession Stand – 491-7743

Data Entry for "the 99" – 491-7936

Prayer Line, PT – 491-7854

November 29 – December 5, 2008

“Choose to Give Thanks”

In this lesson you will learn the biblical guidelines for developing an attitude of gratitude as well as the benefits of being a grateful, “thanks living” person.

- I. Psalm 100:1-5 – Instructions for giving praise to the Lord for His faithfulness.**
- A. Verse 1 – “Make a joyful shout to the Lord, all you lands!”
 - B. Verse 2 – “Serve the Lord with gladness. . . .”
 - C. Verse 3 – “Know that the Lord, He is God; it is He who has made us, and not we ourselves. . . .”
 - D. Verse 4 – “Enter into His gates with thanksgiving, and into His courts with praise. Be thankful to Him, and bless His name.”
- II. Psalm 100:5 - Why we bless the Lord.**
- A. The Lord is good.
 - B. His mercy is everlasting.
 - C. His truth endures to all generations.
- III. Seven-year secular research study commissioned by John Templeton Foundation on “Dimension and Perspectives of Gratitude” reveals findings in agreement with biblical truths, such as:**
- A. “Regular practice of grateful thinking can increase happiness levels by over 25 percent.”
 - B. “Feeling grateful toward God lessens the harmful effects on health in later life.”
 - C. “Grateful people report higher levels of positive emotions; i.e., satisfaction, vitality, and optimism.”
 - D. “Grateful people believe that all of life is a gift.”
- IV. Luke 17:15-19 – Only one of ten lepers who were healed returned to Jesus to thank Him. This leper was made “complete” in spirit, soul, and body.**
- V. Psalm 103:1-5 – God’s benefits.**
- A. Forgives all your sins.
 - B. Heals all your diseases.
 - C. Redeems your life from destruction.
 - D. Crowns you with lovingkindness and tender mercies.
 - E. Satisfies your mouth with good things.
 - F. Renews your youth like the eagle.

- VI. 1 Thessalonians 5:16-18 – “Rejoice always, pray without ceasing, in every thing give thanks, for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you.”**
- A. Give thanks in all situations, but not for the situations which are not of God.

Discussion Questions

- Have you made a choice to be a grateful person rather than a complaining, critical, negative person?
- Share some of the benefits you have received from having an attitude of gratitude.
- Do you need prayer to make an attitude adjustment?

Be a Doer of the Word

Begin to journal the daily goodness and faithfulness of God in your life for which you are grateful.

Scripture Memory Verse: Psalm 100:5 – *“For the Lord is good; His mercy is everlasting, and His truth endures to all generations.”*



TWENTY [4] SEVEN
GIFTS
 DECEMBER
2008
 WWW.247TULSA.COM

Water Baptism
 the first Wednesday of the month
 at twenty[4]seven
 Wednesdays after service.
 For more information call Ashley at the
 twenty[4]seven office – 491-7836.

VBI Bldg. (81st & Delaware)



3D Christmas Play
LAST FLIGHT OUT
 December 2 8pm



VBI BLDG.,
 81ST & DELAWARE

ages 18-28

3Dtulsa.com

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 **victorysingles**

Ages 29+

Friday - December 12, 2008
 VBI Bldg. (81st & Delaware)
 Tickets: \$15 At the Door \$20

Tickets available at Singles &
 the Victory Bookstore
 Nursery & Childcare Available

**CHRISTMAS
 EXTRAVAGANZA**

We meet every Friday Night,
 VBI Bldg. (81st & Delaware), 7pm
www.victorysingles.org

Nursery & Childcare with Kidz Club provided on site.

