

SERVICE TIMES

CROWN RIDGE

Saturdays
5:00 pm (*Instrumental*)

Sundays
8:15 am (*A Cappella*)
9:45 am & 11:30 am (*Instrumental*)
Spanish Translation 9:45 & 11:30 am
Deaf Interpretation 9:45 am
11:30 am *Servicio En Espanol*
(*Student Center*)
1:30 pm *Servicio Caribeno*
(*Student Center*)

FREDERICKSBURG

Sundays
10:30 am

JOURNEY FELLOWSHIP

Sundays
9:00 am, 10:30 am & 12:00 pm

NORTH CENTRAL

Sundays
9:15 am & 11:00 am

OUTER WEST

Sundays
9:00 am & 11:00 am

WESTSIDE

Sundays
10:00 am & 12:00 pm

JOB OPPORTUNITIES

CROWN RIDGE

Student Ministry Director
(*Full-Time*)

Ministry Assistant (*Part-Time*)

Child Care Worker (*Part-Time*)
Tuesday mornings and special events. Contact Valerie Taylor at valeriet@oakhillschurch.com

NORTH CENTRAL

Child Care Worker (*Part-Time*)
Friday mornings, Sunday evenings, and special events. Contact Marci Solis at marcis@oakhillschurch.com

JOURNEY FELLOWSHIP

Child Care Worker (*Part-Time*)
Wednesday evenings and special events. Contact Melissa Gregory at melissag@oakhillschurch.com

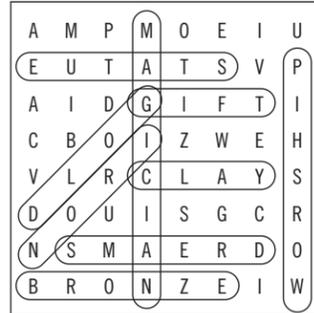
Children's Ministry Director
(*Full-Time*)

FREDERICKSBURG

Children's Ministry Director
(*Part-Time*)

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SCRIPTURE

DANIEL INTERPRETS NEBUCHADNEZZAR'S DREAM

DANIEL 2:24-49 (NIV)

²⁴Then Daniel went to Arioch, whom the king had appointed to execute the wise men of Babylon, and said to him, "Do not execute the wise men of Babylon. Take me to the king, and I will interpret his dream for him."

²⁵Arioch took Daniel to the king at once and said, "I have found a man among the exiles from Judah who can tell the king what his dream means."

²⁶The king asked Daniel (also called Beltshazzar), "Are you able to tell me what I saw in my dream and interpret it?"

²⁷Daniel replied, "No wise man, enchanter, magician or diviner can explain to the king the mystery he has asked about, ²⁸but there is a God in heaven who reveals mysteries. He has shown King Nebuchadnezzar what will happen in days to come. Your dream and the visions that passed through your mind as you were lying in bed are these:

²⁹"As Your Majesty was lying there, your mind turned to things to come, and the revealer of mysteries showed you what is going to happen. ³⁰As for me, this mystery has been revealed to me, not because I have greater wisdom than anyone else alive, but so that Your Majesty may know the interpretation and that you may understand what went through your mind. (*See Page 2*)

DANIEL PROMOTED ROYAL ADVISORS PARDONED

In a startling reversal, King Nebuchadnezzar issued a last minute stay of execution for all royal advisors. Included in this unprecedented move are the king's magicians, enchanters, sorcerers, and astrologers.

The contingent of advisors had been condemned to death for their failure to interpret the king's dreams. Reports of Nebuchadnezzar's recurring dreams had circulated for some time, including news that the king had been growing more troubled and unable to sleep. He had called for his advisors, ordering them to explain his "troubling" dream.

When the advisors asked for details about the dream, the king refused, suggesting that a qualified sorcerer should be able to divine the meaning without knowing the dream. This requirement left the advisors in the dark. The astrologers attempted to reason with the ruler, saying "There is not a man on earth who can do what the king asks! What you ask is impossible."

Their subsequent inability triggered the king's further frustration, resulting in the ultimate penalty, according to confidential palace sources.

But a last minute intervention reversed the king's order. Daniel pleaded for the advisors, and explained that,

while no man could do what the king asked, "There is a God in heaven who reveals mysteries...and God revealed the mystery to me." Daniel went on to explain the vision to the king.

Witnesses to the event describe the king bowing to Daniel in awe of his ability to describe the dream in detail and explain its meaning.

As a result of Daniel's intervention, the king promoted him to a high position and lavished gifts on him (details about the exact nature of the promotion will be forthcoming from the Palace Public Information Officer).

Daniel used his new position to secure appointments for his colleagues Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego as well. They will be serving as administrators over the province of Babylon.

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FROM THE COVER

DANIEL 2:24-49 (NIV) CONT.

³¹“Your Majesty looked, and there before you stood a large statue—an enormous, dazzling statue, awesome in appearance. ³²The head of the statue was made of pure gold, its chest and arms of silver, its belly and thighs of bronze, ³³its legs of iron, its feet partly of iron and partly of baked clay. ³⁴While you were watching, a rock was cut out, but not by human hands. It struck the statue on its feet of iron and clay and smashed them. ³⁵Then the iron, the clay, the bronze, the silver and the gold were all broken to pieces and became like chaff on a threshing floor in the summer. The wind swept them away without leaving a trace. But the rock that struck the statue became a huge mountain and filled the whole earth.

³⁶“This was the dream, and now we will interpret it to the king. ³⁷Your Majesty, you are the king of kings. The God of heaven has given you dominion and power and might and glory; ³⁸in your hands he has placed all mankind and the beasts of the field and the birds in the sky. Wherever they live, he has made you ruler over them all. You are that head of gold.

³⁹“After you, another kingdom will arise, inferior to yours. Next, a third kingdom, one of bronze, will rule over the whole earth. ⁴⁰Finally, there will be a fourth kingdom, strong as iron—for iron breaks and smashes everything—and as iron breaks things to pieces, so it will crush and break all the others. ⁴¹Just as you saw that the feet and toes were partly of baked clay and partly of iron, so this will be a divided kingdom; yet it will have some of the strength of iron in

it, even as you saw iron mixed with clay. ⁴²As the toes were partly iron and partly clay, so this kingdom will be partly strong and partly brittle. ⁴³And just as you saw the iron mixed with baked clay, so the people will be a mixture and will not remain united, any more than iron mixes with clay.

⁴⁴“In the time of those kings, the God of heaven will set up a kingdom that will never be destroyed, nor will it be left to another people. It will crush all those kingdoms and bring them to an end, but it will itself endure forever. ⁴⁵This is the meaning of the vision of the rock cut out of a mountain, but not by human hands—a rock that broke the iron, the bronze, the clay, the silver and the gold to pieces.

“The great God has shown the king what will take place in the future. The dream is true and its interpretation is trustworthy.”

⁴⁶Then King Nebuchadnezzar fell prostrate before Daniel and paid him honor and ordered that an offering and incense be presented to him. ⁴⁷The king said to Daniel, “Surely your God is the God of gods and the Lord of kings and a revealer of mysteries, for you were able to reveal this mystery.”

⁴⁸Then the king placed Daniel in a high position and lavished many gifts on him. He made him ruler over the entire province of Babylon and placed him in charge of all its wise men. Moreover, at Daniel’s request the king appointed Shadrach, Meshach and Abednego administrators over the province of Babylon, while Daniel himself remained at the royal court.

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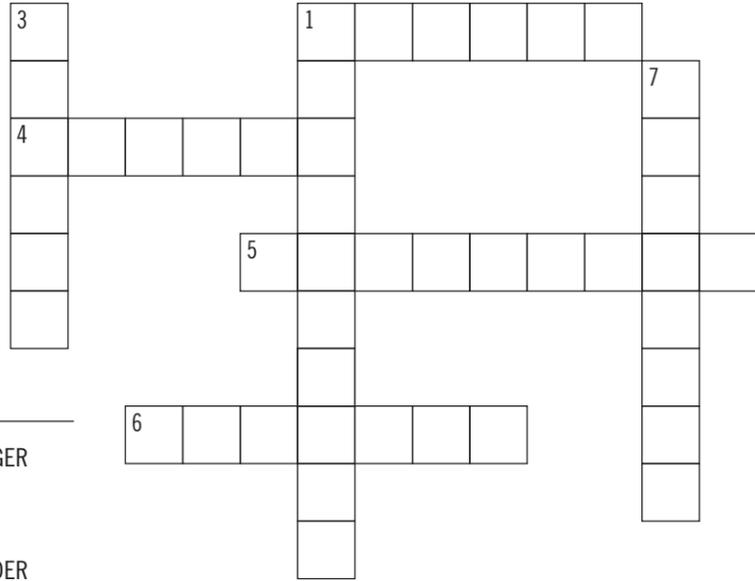


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Extreme Fears

Instructions: Match the name of the fear to the picture reflecting the fear

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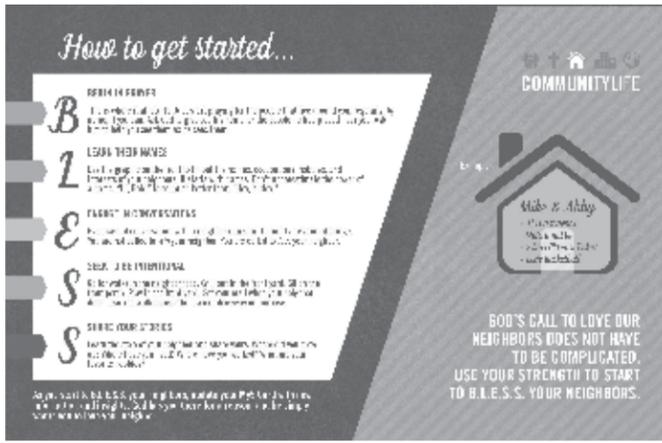
God can rescue His people from anything! Think about whether or not something scares you. Remember that God is always with His people just like He was with Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego.

COMMUNITY

ARE YOU BLESSING YOUR FIVE?



(Above) Use this side of the card to write down names and details about the five people living right around you. Keep this card in a visible location, like a refrigerator.



(Above) Use this side of the card to help take practical steps toward being a blessing to your neighbors. Remember, it starts with prayer.



Who are “My 5”? At Oak Hills Church, we realize God has blessed each one of us with his amazing love and grace. We also realize the blessing does not stop there. In other words, we are blessed by God to be a blessing to others. God placed us in our specific communities and neighborhoods to be a blessing to those around us. Each of us has five people who live next to us or near us who are in need of God’s blessing. Those people are our mission fields. They are “My 5.”

We have created a very practical tool to help us be a blessing to the “5” who live near us, and we call it the My5 Card. Everyone – both the introvert and the extrovert – can use this tool to BLESS those near us. The B in BLESS encourages us to Begin in prayer. The L encourages us to Learn their names. The E encourages us to Engage in conversations. The S encourages us to Seek to be intentional. The other “S” encourages us to Share our stories. When we do these things, we BLESS our 5.

Here is how it works. Pick up one of the My5 cards today. Look at the houses on one side of the card. Begin to fill in the names of the neighbors who live near you. As you build relationships with each neighbor, write down a few more details. You might include what they do, kid’s names, hobbies, and interests. The details on the card give you talking points with neighbors but also give you a clear picture of how you can pray. Remember, God did not call us to win our neighbors. He called us to love our neighbors.

To start today, you can either pick up one of these cards from Info Central or download one at oakhillschurch.com/my5

BUSINESS



At the Alamo Ranch Campus, the exterior walls are 60% complete, and the interior wall framing is scheduled to begin mid-April. The roof sheeting is underway and ceiling insulation is being installed.

If you feel called to give financially toward the We Are Called Vision Campaign, visit oakhillschurch.com/called



(Above) The new Alamo Ranch Campus building, as seen from Alamo Ranch Parkway.



(Above) Aerial view of the Crownridge Campus, including the existing classroom wings and new Worship Center construction. Photo Credit: Areo Photo

The vision for making room and reaching our neighbors for Christ is coming together! The Crownridge and Alamo Ranch Campus building projects continue to be on schedule and have made visual progress over the past month. At Crownridge, renovations to the existing Crownridge Bluebonnet Nursery space began on March 28. The space is being transformed into new administrative offices for the Crownridge Campus ministry team. Renovations to the Crownridge classroom wings will begin in May, with anticipated completion in August.

STORIES

PATHWAY TO KINDER

FAMILY MILESTONES

Pathway to Kinder is a milestone event for parents and their preschool-age children who are entering Kindergarten. Parents participate in a workshop to learn what they can expect once their children begin Kindergarten. An elder couple also addresses the parent group to encourage and inspire parents to pray with their children, value the Bible as their guide for living, build trusting relationships with their

children, and foster the value of family worship.

While parents attend the parenting workshop, children experience a Kinder classroom setting with selected learning centers. The children make new friends and enjoy a fun child-friendly banquet celebration. The event concludes with a charge to the parents from Deuteronomy 6 and a blessing from our elders.



Ask your Children's Ministry team about the Pathway to Kinder Milestone at your campus.

CULTURE

OHC VALUES

With the promise of our destination after life given to us through the Word of God we know where we are going. Our values tell us that "it matters how we get there." God wants us to reach His desired destination, but He is concerned and involved in how we come through the journey.

We believe our biblical values will guide us as we journey through life both as a church body and individually as we apply them to our families, neighborhoods, schools, and communities. As you live these values you will see that they are all interconnected like a finely woven fabric; each impacting the other in big ways.

Imagine seeing unity throughout the Body of Christ and watching it extend into your family and community. Imagine grace, truth, and faith

planting itself in your core and broadening its roots to your relationships and interactions with every person in your life. As these bleed into your life, your family as the core teaching and discipling center will grow and be an example to all the families in your neighborhood. While people in your neighborhood see this they will want to be a part of Christ's community and we will enthusiastically welcome them because we value inclusivity. And as this cycle continues and every believer ministers in their own way to those around them, people are constantly changing because of God, who we seek in all decisions through prayer.

Learn about the values of Oak Hills Church at oakhillschurch.com/ourvalues

UNITY

We seek to promote unity in the Body of Christ.

GRACE, TRUTH & FAITH

We offer grace, stand for the truth, and live by faith.

FAMILY

We embrace the family as the core teaching and discipling center.

INCLUSIVITY

We invite all people to belong to Christ's community regardless.

EVERY BELIEVER A MINISTER

We view every believer as a minister.

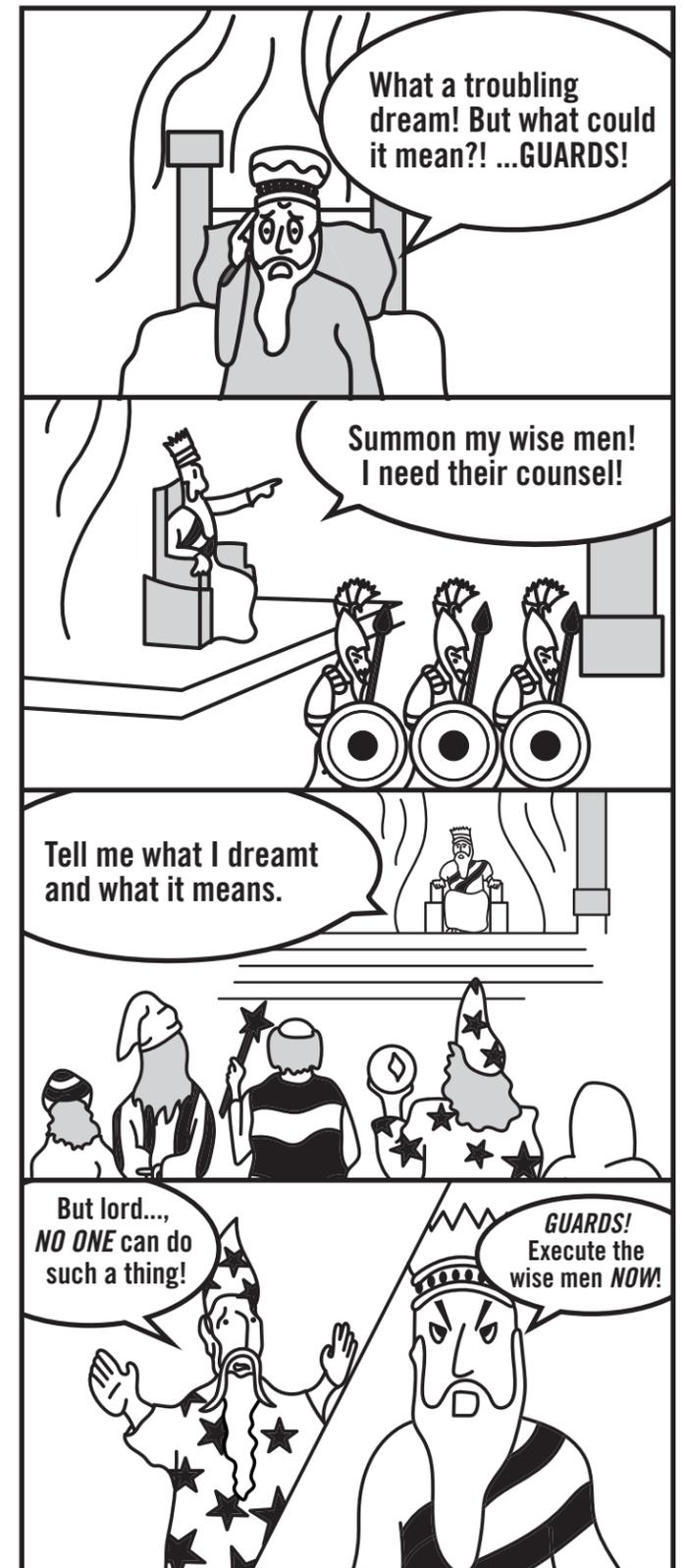
PRAYER

We seek God in all decisions through prayer.

NEIGHBORHOOD

We organize our efforts around neighborhoods.

COMICS



by Michael Craddock