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Grace and peace to you in the Name of our Lord Jesus Christ!

We know this week has brought much change in response to the COVID-19 outbreak globally, within our borders, in our state, and even in our city. We are praying for you to remain healthy and to operate in peace and trust in the strong arm of our Lord. Please bear with this extended message as we have several things to share with you.

We rejoice in the fact that we do not have any known cases of the virus in our city, but we do however support and choose to abide by the recommendation of our President and health officials to avoid large gatherings of more than 10 people for the 15 day period. Therefore, we will not have services at OCC on March 22 & March 29. Instead, we will have online services on these Sundays.

Dave will be preaching via Facebook Live, and you will have the opportunity to give feedback during his message. You can share praises, prayer requests, needs--anything you wish to share! Our goal is to stay connected as a fellowship, and we believe this platform provides a great way to accomplish this.

You can watch Dave's LIVE message by going to our website at www.occnwa.com and click on the Facebook link on the home page. Once you are on our Facebook page, we encourage you to "LIKE" it in the upper left corner by the picture. Please note, you do NOT have to have a Facebook account to watch the live stream.

We will be LIVE at 10:00 AM on March 22 & March 29 starting with some worship videos for you to enjoy, then Dave's message will begin after that. If you are unable to join us live on those days, you can access the recording at a later time on both the Facebook page and our website. In addition, the audio recording of his message will be available as usual on the OCC App.

With our goal of staying connected, if at any time you have a need or hear of a need in our fellowship, please share that need with us. We want to help meet needs and be praying for you during these challenging days.

Here are a few ways you can share a need:

1. In the OCC App, click on the CONNECT button and fill out a Connect Card with your name and need.
2. Email the church office: info@occnwa.com
3. Call the church office: 479-524-4276 (If Annie isn't available at the time, please leave a message.)

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Finally, we share these reminders with you that are designed not only for your health and safety, but also for those around you:

- WASH your hands often with soap and water for 20 seconds--especially after going to the bathroom, before eating, and after sneezing, blowing your nose, or coughing.
- COVER your sneeze or cough with a tissue or your arm.
- KEEP your hands away from your face and eyes.
- AVOID gatherings of more than 10 people.

Going forward, we will continue to monitor the situation, follow any additional guidelines given to us, and pass along any updates as needed.

Blessings,
OCC Elders

In Christ,

Pastor Dave and The Elders: Mark Davis, Rick Faust, Dan Gowin and Steve Ritz

