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Oakwood

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

JANUARY 23, 2022

WELCOME | TO OAKWOOD PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

We are so glad you've joined us today! We pray that you see Jesus Christ glorified in our midst, and that you are led to glorify Him as well. As a church our vision, by God's grace, is to become 'oaks of righteousness,' growing roots deep in God's Word, bearing fruit of God-centered holiness and worship, and branching out with Gospel-centered witness and service to State College, Penn State, Central Pennsylvania, and the world.

If you are new here and would like to receive Oakwood news and announcements, or just want to share a prayer request, please see the tear-off section on the last page of this bulletin or send an email with your information to churchoffice@oakwoodpca.org.



For those with small children, we offer nursery for ages 7 months to 3 years during the sermon in the 11:15 am service. We also offer "Stepping Stones" in both the 8:30 am and the 11:15 am services during the sermon for 3 years - 1st grade. For both Nursery and Stepping Stones, children will need to check-in through our new Church Center system. PLEASE NOTE: children need to be picked up by a parent during the last song. Unsure what to do? Reach out to one of our ushers or talk to someone at the Welcome Center.

January 23, 2022

Prelude

8:30 – Rick Betts | 11:15 - Oakwood Musicians

Welcome and Announcements

Rev. Ben Lee - OYM

THE CALL TO WORSHIP

God's Word of Invitation

Psalm 57:7-10

My heart is steadfast, O God,

my heart is steadfast!

I will sing and make melody!

Awake, my glory!

Awake, O harp and lyre!

I will awake the dawn!

I will give thanks to you, O Lord, among the peoples;

I will sing praises to you among the nations.

For your steadfast love is great to the heavens,

your faithfulness to the clouds.

8:30 SERVICE MUSIC

Holy God, We Praise Your Name

Hymn #103

11:15 SERVICE MUSIC

Hosanna (Praise Is Rising)

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1. Praise is rising
Eyes are turning to You
We turn to You
Hope is stirring
Hearts are yearning for You
We long for You

2. Hear the sound of
Hearts returning to You
We turn to You
In Your Kingdom
Broken lives are made new
You make us new

PRE-CHORUS

'Cause when we see You
We find strength to face the day
In Your presence
All our fears are washed away
Washed away

PRE-CHORUS

CHORUS 2

Hosanna, Hosanna
You are the God who saves us
Worthy of all our praises
Hosanna, Hosanna
Come have Your way among us
We welcome You here Lord Jesus

CHORUS

Hosanna, Hosanna
You are the God who saves us
Worthy of all our praises

Our Prayer of Adoration

Rev. Owen Hughes

**THE CONFESSION OF SIN &
ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS**

God's Law

Jeremiah 17:9-10

Our Prayer of Confession

Silent Prayer

God's Promise to Pardon

Ezekiel 36:24-28

8:30 SERVICE MUSIC

Thou Art the Way

Hymn #154

11:15 SERVICE MUSIC

Jesus Messiah

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1. He became sin, who knew no sin;
That we might become
His righteousness;
He humbled Himself,
and carried the cross.
Love so amazing, love so amazing.

CHORUS

Jesus Messiah; Name above all names;
Blessed Redeemer; Emmanuel.
The Rescue for sinners,
The Ransom from heaven;
Jesus Messiah, Lord of all.

2. His body the bread,
His blood the wine
Broken and poured out all for love.
The whole earth trembled,
and the veil was torn.
Love so amazing, love so amazing.

CHORUS

BRIDGE

All our hope is in You,
All our hope is in You;
All the glory to You, God,
The Light of the world.

CHORUS

THE BLESSINGS OF REDEMPTION

Responsive Reading - Proverbs 2:1-11

Leader: My son, if you receive my words and treasure up my commandments with you,

God's People: making your ear attentive to wisdom and inclining your heart to understanding;

Leader: yes, if you call out for insight and raise your voice for understanding, if you seek it like silver and search for it as for hidden treasures,

God's People: then you will understand the fear of the Lord and find the knowledge of God.

Leader: For the Lord gives wisdom; from His mouth come knowledge and understanding;

God's People: He stores up sound wisdom for the upright; He is a shield to those who walk in integrity, guarding the paths of justice and watching over the way of His saints.

Leader: Then you will understand righteousness and justice and equity, every good path;

God's People: for wisdom will come into your heart, and knowledge will be pleasant to your soul; discretion will watch over you, understanding will guard you...

God's Promise to Hear

Psalm 90:12-14

Prayer of Petition

Rev. Cam Smith

God's Promise to Provide

Psalm 90:16-17

Our Tithes and Offerings

Evidences of Grace

Abbey Nicol

8:30 SERVICE MUSIC

May the Mind of Christ My Savior

Hymn #644

11:15 SERVICE MUSIC

I Stand Amazed (How Marvelous)

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1. I stand amazed in the presence
Of Jesus the Nazarene
And wonder how He could love me
A sinner condemned unclean

3. And with the ransomed in glory
His face I at last shall see
It will be my joy through the ages
To sing of His love for me

CHORUS

How marvelous how wonderful
And my song shall ever be
How marvelous how wonderful
Is my Savior's love for me

CHORUS

2. He took my sins and my sorrows
He made them His very own
(And) He bore the burden to Calvary
And suffered and died alone

CHORUS

11:15 SERVICE

Membership Vows

Scott Hughes, Justin and Michelle Rist

We Praise His Work

Rev. Dan Kiehl

THE WORD OF LIFE*

Ecclesiastes 1:12-18; 2:12-17

Senior Pastor, Rev. Dan Kiehl

WISDOM UNDER THE SUN

^{1:12} I the Preacher have been king over Israel in Jerusalem. ¹³ And I applied my heart to seek and to search out by wisdom all that is done under heaven. It is an unhappy business that God has given to the children of man to be busy with.

¹⁴ I have seen everything that is done under the sun, and behold, all is vanity and a striving after wind.

¹⁵ What is crooked cannot be made straight, and what is lacking cannot be counted.

¹⁶ I said in my heart, "I have acquired great wisdom, surpassing all who were over Jerusalem before me, and my heart has had great experience of wisdom and knowledge." ¹⁷ And I applied my heart to know wisdom and to know madness and folly. I perceived that this also is but a striving after wind.

¹⁸ For in much wisdom is much vexation, and he who increases knowledge increases sorrow.

^{2:12} So I turned to consider wisdom and madness and folly. For what can the man do who comes after the king? Only what has already been done. ¹³ Then I saw that there is more gain in wisdom than in folly, as there is more gain in light than in darkness. ¹⁴ The wise person has his eyes in his head, but the fool walks in darkness. And yet I perceived that the same event happens to all of them. ¹⁵ Then I said in my heart, "What happens to the fool will happen to me also. Why then have I been so very wise?" And I said in my heart that this also is vanity. ¹⁶ For of the wise as of the fool there is no enduring remembrance, seeing that in the days to come all will have been long forgotten. How the wise dies just like the fool! ¹⁷ So I hated life, because what is done under the sun was grievous to me, for all is vanity and a striving after wind.

Sermon Notes continued on the following page

SERMON NOTES

8:30 SERVICE MUSIC*

Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise

Hymn #38

11:15 SERVICE MUSIC*

The Church's One Foundation

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1. The church's one foundation
Is Jesus Christ her Lord,
She is His new creation
By water and the Word.
From heaven He came and sought her
To be His holy bride;
With His own blood He bought her,
And for her life He died.

4. Yet she on earth hath union
With God the Three in One,
And mystic sweet communion
With those whose rest is won.
O happy ones and holy!
Lord, give us grace that we
Like them, the meek and lowly,
On high may dwell with Thee.

2. Elect from every nation,
Yet one ov'r all the earth;
Her charter of salvation,
One Lord, one faith, one birth;
One holy Name she blesses,
Partakes one holy food,
And to one hope she presses,
With every grace endued.

3. Mid toil and tribulation,
And tumult of her war,
She waits the consummation
Of peace forevermore;
'Til, with the vision glorious,
Her longing eyes are blessed,
And the great church victorious
Shall be the church at rest.

THE BLESSING & SENDING OF GOD'S PEOPLE

God's Promise of Blessing

Romans 15:13

DOXOLOGY

Praise God, from Whom all blessings flow;

Praise Him, all creatures here below;

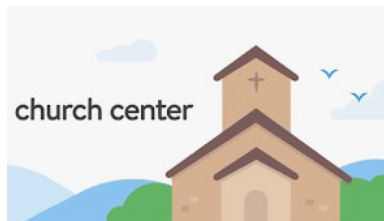
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host;

Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

Amen, Amen.

Postlude

8:30 – Rick Betts | 11:15 – Oakwood Musicians



Welcome to Oakwood Church Center!

Check-ins on Sunday Morning:

You will check in your child(ren) once on Sunday morning for both Stepping Stones and Sunday School. This means you will use the same pick-up sticker for both pickups, so make sure you don't misplace it (or give it to the teacher). Note: teachers will still need to verify your pickup code, but keep the pickup sticker and leave your child's sticker on!

Check-ins for Nursery during the Service:

Parents are required to check-in nursery-age children in the Nursery room when they are dropped off during the service if they have not been checked in previously.

ARE YOU NEW HERE?



Complete online by using the QR code or complete the section below and place it in the offering plate.

FIRST NAME

LAST NAME

EMAIL

PHONE

ADDRESS

CITY

STATE ZIP

SPOUSE / CHILDREN'S NAMES

I WOULD LIKE TO:

- Become a member
- Be contacted by an Elder
- Join a small group
- Volunteer for:

- Receive the e-announcements
- Add my info to the directory
- Update my contact information

Have a prayer request?

Please complete the other side.

WHAT ELSE IS HAPPENING AT OAKWOOD?

Learn about ministry events going on throughout the week, & learn more about our church online!

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