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BEARING  
BRANCHING OUT  
ROOTS



**Oakwood**  
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

JULY 25, 2021

# 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](mailto:churchoffice@oakwoodpca.org).**

*For those with small children, we are currently offering nursery for ages 7 months to 3 years during the sermon today in the 11:15 am service. We will not be offering Stepping Stones until the fall.*

**July 25, 2021**

**Prelude**

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

**Welcome and Announcements**

Rev. Owen Hughes

## THE CALL TO WORSHIP

**God's Word of Invitation**

*Revelation 19:6-9*

Then I heard what seemed to be the voice of a great multitude, like the roar of many waters and like the sound of mighty peals of thunder, crying out,

"Hallelujah! For the Lord our God the Almighty reigns.

Let us rejoice and exult and give him the glory,

for the marriage of the Lamb has come, and his Bride has made herself ready;

it was granted her to clothe herself with fine linen, bright and pure"—

for the fine linen is the righteous deeds of the saints.

And the angel said to me, "Write this: Blessed are those who are invited to the marriage supper of the Lamb." And he said to me, "These are the true words of God."

## 8:30 SERVICE MUSIC

**Ye Servants of God, Your Master Proclaim**

Hymn #165

## 11:15 SERVICE MUSIC

### **All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name!**

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#### 1. All hail the pow'r of Jesus' name!

Let angels prostrate fall;  
Bring forth the royal diadem,  
And crown Him Lord of all.  
Bring forth the royal diadem,  
And crown Him Lord of all.

2. Ye chosen seed of Israel's race,  
Ye ransomed from the fall,  
Hail Him Who saves you by His grace,  
And crown Him Lord of all.  
Hail Him Who saves you by His grace,  
And crown Him Lord of all.

3. Let every kindred, every tribe  
On this terrestrial ball  
To Him all majesty ascribe,  
And crown Him Lord of all.  
To Him all majesty ascribe,  
And crown Him Lord of all.

4. O that with yonder sacred throng  
We at His feet may fall  
We'll join the everlasting song,  
And crown Him Lord of all.  
We'll join the everlasting song,  
And crown Him Lord of all.

### **Our Prayer of Adoration**

Rev. Owen Hughes

# THE CONFESSION OF SIN & ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

**God's Law**

**Our Prayer of Confession**

**God's Promise to Pardon**

*Ephesians 4:25,29*

Silent Prayer

*Ephesians 5:25-27*

**8:30 SERVICE MUSIC**

**To You, O Lord, I Fly**

Hymn #692

**11:15 SERVICE MUSIC**

**Nothing but the Blood**

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1. What can wash away my sin?  
Nothing but the blood of Jesus;  
What can make me whole again?  
Nothing but the blood of Jesus.

## **CHORUS**

O precious is the flow  
That makes me white as snow;  
No other fount I know,  
Nothing but the blood of Jesus.

2. For my pardon this I see—  
Nothing but the blood of Jesus;  
For my cleansing this my plea—  
Nothing but the blood of Jesus.

## **CHORUS**

3. Nothing can for sin atone—  
Nothing but the blood of Jesus;  
Naught of good that I have done—  
Nothing but the blood of Jesus.

## **CHORUS**

4. This is all my hope and peace—  
Nothing but the blood of Jesus;  
This is all my righteousness—  
Nothing but the blood of Jesus;  
Nothing but the blood of Jesus;  
Nothing but the blood of Jesus

# THE BLESSINGS OF REDEMPTION

## **Responsive Reading - Isaiah 62:1-5, 11-12**

Leader: For Zion's sake I will not keep silent, and for Jerusalem's sake I will not be quiet until her righteousness goes forth as brightness and her salvation as a burning branch.

**God's People: The nations shall see your righteousness and all the kings your glory, and you shall be called by a new name that the mouth of the Lord will give.**

Leader: You shall be a crown of beauty in the hand of the Lord, and a royal diadem in the hand of God. You shall no more be termed Forsaken, and your land shall no more be Desolate, but you shall be called My Delight Is In Her and your land Married.

**God's People: For as a young man marries a young woman so shall your sons marry you, and as the bridegroom rejoices over the bride so shall God rejoice over you.**

Leader: Behold the Lord has proclaimed to the end of the earth; say to the daughter of Zion, "Behold, your salvation comes; behold, his reward is with him, and his recompense before him.

**God's People: And they shall be called The Holy People, the Redeemed of the Lord, and you shall be called Sought Out, A City Not Forsaken.**

**God's Promise to Hear**

**Prayer of Petition**

**God's Promise to Provide**

**Our Tithes and Offerings**

**11:15 SERVICE OFFERTORY**

**Just as I Am**

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**8:30 SERVICE MUSIC**

**O God of Love, O King of Peace**

*Psalm 18:6*

Elder Ling Rothrock

*Philippians 4:19-20*

Offertory

Hymn #712

## 11:15 SERVICE MUSIC

### Sing To Jesus

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1. Come and see  
Look on this mystery  
The Lord of the universe  
Nailed to a tree  
Christ our God  
Spilling His holy blood  
Bowing in anguish  
His sacred head

#### CHORUS 1

Sing to Jesus  
Lord of our shame  
Lord of our sinful hearts  
He is our great Redeemer  
Sing to Jesus  
Honor His name  
Sing of His faithfulness  
Pouring His life out unto death

2. Come you weary  
And He will give you rest  
Come you who mourn  
Lay on His breast  
Christ who died  
Risen in paradise  
Giver of mercy  
Giver of life

#### CHORUS 2

Sing to Jesus  
His is the throne  
Now and forever  
He is the King of heaven  
Sing to Jesus we are His own  
Now and forever  
Sing for the love our God has shown

#### CHORUS 3

Sing to Jesus  
Lord of our shame  
Lord of our sinful hearts  
He is our great Redeemer  
Sing to Jesus  
Honor His name

# THE WORD OF LIFE

**Proverbs 31:10-31**

Assistant Pastor, Rev. Ben Lee

## CHRIST'S EXCELLENT BRIDE

- <sup>10</sup> An excellent wife who can find? She is far more precious than jewels.
- <sup>11</sup> The heart of her husband trusts in her, and he will have no lack of gain.
- <sup>12</sup> She does him good, and not harm, all the days of her life.
- <sup>13</sup> She seeks wool and flax, and works with willing hands.
- <sup>14</sup> She is like the ships of the merchant; she brings her food from afar.
- <sup>15</sup> She rises while it is yet night and provides food for her household and portions for her maidens.
- <sup>16</sup> She considers a field and buys it; with the fruit of her hands she plants a vineyard.
- <sup>17</sup> She dresses herself with strength and makes her arms strong.
- <sup>18</sup> She perceives that her merchandise is profitable. Her lamp does not go out at night.
- <sup>19</sup> She puts her hands to the distaff, and her hands hold the spindle.
- <sup>20</sup> She opens her hand to the poor and reaches out her hands to the needy.
- <sup>21</sup> She is not afraid of snow for her household, for all her household are clothed in scarlet.
- <sup>22</sup> She makes bed coverings for herself; her clothing is fine linen and purple.
- <sup>23</sup> Her husband is known in the gates when he sits among the elders of the land.
- <sup>24</sup> She makes linen garments and sells them; she delivers sashes to the merchant.
- <sup>25</sup> Strength and dignity are her clothing, and she laughs at the time to come.
- <sup>26</sup> She opens her mouth with wisdom, and the teaching of kindness is on her tongue.
- <sup>27</sup> She looks well to the ways of her household and does not eat the bread of idleness.
- <sup>28</sup> Her children rise up and call her blessed; her husband also, and he praises her:



<sup>29</sup> “Many women have done excellently, but you surpass them all.”

<sup>30</sup> Charm is deceitful, and beauty is vain, but a woman who fears the Lord  
is to be praised.

<sup>31</sup> Give her of the fruit of her hands, and let her works praise her in the gates.

## SERMON NOTES

## 8:30 SERVICE MUSIC

### We Are God's People

Hymn #355

## 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.

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.

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.

## THE BLESSING & SENDING OF GOD'S PEOPLE

### God's Promise of Blessing

*Jude 24*

### 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

## OAKWOOD LIVESTREAM AVAILABLE

**Livestream available for the  
11:15 am worship service at  
[www.oakwoodpca.org/live](http://www.oakwoodpca.org/live)**

## WANT TO KNOW WHAT'S HAPPENING AT OAKWOOD?

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**Looking to get involved  
with a community of  
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## HAVE A PRAYER REQUEST?

Please tear off this section, write your name on the other side,  
and place it in the offering plate, or hand it to an usher.

# ARE YOU NEW HERE?

Please tear off this section, fill it out, and place it in the offering plate, or hand it to an usher.

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 write it on 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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