



Oakwood
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

AUGUST 1, 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 churchoffic@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.

August 1, 2021

Prelude

8:30 - Deborah Lee | 11:15 - Oakwood Musicians

Welcome and Announcements

Rev. Owen Hughes

THE CALL TO WORSHIP

God's Word of Invitation

Colossians 1:15-18

He is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn of all creation. For by him all things were created, in heaven and on earth, visible and invisible, whether thrones or dominions or rulers or authorities—all things were created through him and for him. And he is before all things, and in him all things hold together. And he is the head of the body, the church. He is the beginning, the firstborn from the dead, that in everything he might be preeminent.

8:30 SERVICE MUSIC

Come, Thou Almighty King

Hymn #101

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

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

CHORUS

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

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

Our Prayer of Adoration

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

Rev. Owen Hughes

THE CONFESSION OF SIN & ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

God's LawColossians 3:1-3Our Prayer of ConfessionSilent PrayerGod's Promise to PardonColossians 1:21-23

8:30 SERVICE MUSIC

O God, to Us Show Mercy Hymn #437

11:15 SERVICE MUSIC

His Mercy Is More

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CHORUS

Praise the Lord His mercy is more Stronger than darkness new every morn Our sins they are many His mercy is more

1. What love could remember no wrongs we have done Omniscient all knowing He counts not their sum Thrown into a sea without bottom or shore Our sins they are many His mercy is more

CHORUS

2. What patience would wait as we constantly roam What Father so tender is calling us home He welcomes the weakest the vilest the poor Our sins they are many His mercy is more

CHORUS

3. What riches of kindness
He lavished on us
His blood was the payment
His life was the cost
We stood 'neath a debt
we could never afford
Our sins they are many
His mercy is more

CHORUS

God's Promise to Hear
Prayer of Petition
God's Promise to Provide
Our Tithes and Offerings

Psalm 66:20 Elder Richard Smith Psalm 36:7-9 Offertory

11:15 SERVICE OFFERTORY

Your Will Be Done

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- 1. Your will be done, my God and father As in Heaven, so on earth
 My heart is drawn to self exalting
 Help me seek Your kingdom first
 As Jesus walked, so I shall walk
 Held by Your same unchanging love
 Be still my soul
 Oh, lift your voice and pray
 Father not my will but Yours be done
- 2. How in that garden he persisted I may never fully know
 The fearful weight of true obedience
 It was held by him alone
 What wondrous faith, to bear that cross
 To bear my sin, what wondrous love
 My hope was sure
 When there my Saviour prayed
 Father not my will but Yours be done
- 3. When I am lost, when I am broken In the night of fear and doubt Still I will trust in my good Father Yes, to one great King I bow!
 As Jesus rose, so I shall rise In ransomed glory at the throne My heart restored
 With all your saints I sing Father, not my will but Yours be done
- 4. As we go forth, our God and Father
 Lead us daily in the fight
 That all the world might see Your glory
 And Your Name be lifted high
 And in this Name we overcome
 For You shall see us safely home
 Now as your church
 We lift our voice and pray
 Father, not my will but Yours be done

THE WORD OF LIFE

Luke 13:22-30

Senior Pastor, Rev. Dan Kiehl

THE NARROW, CLOSING DOOR

²² He went on his way through towns and villages, teaching and journeying toward Jerusalem. ²³ And someone said to him, "Lord, will those who are saved be few?" And he said to them, ²⁴ "Strive to enter through the narrow door. For many, I tell you, will seek to enter and will not be able. ²⁵ When once the master of the house has risen and shut the door, and you begin to stand outside and to knock at the door, saying, 'Lord, open to us,' then he will answer you, 'I do not know where you come from.' ²⁶ Then you will begin to say, 'We ate and drank in your presence, and you taught in our streets.' ²⁷ But he will say, 'I tell you, I do not know where you come from. Depart from me, all you workers of evil!' ²⁸ In that place there will be weeping and gnashing of teeth, when you see Abraham and Isaac and Jacob and all the prophets in the kingdom of God but you yourselves cast out. ²⁹ And people will come from east and west, and from north and south, and recline at table in the kingdom of God. ³⁰ And behold, some are last who will be first, and some are first who will be last."

8:30 SERVICE MUSIC

Nothing but the Blood

Hymn #307

11:15 SERVICE MUSIC

He Will Hold Me Fast

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1. When I fear my faith will fail
Christ will hold me fast
When the tempter would prevail
He will hold me fast
I could never keep my hold
Through life's fearful path
For my love is often cold
He must hold me fast

CHORUS

He will hold me fast He will hold me fast For my Savior loves me so He will hold me fast

2. Those He saves are His delight
Christ will hold me fast
Precious in His holy sight
He will hold me fast
He'll not let my soul be lost
His Promises shall last
Bought by Him at such a cost
He will hold me fast

CHORUS

3. For my life He bled and died Christ will hold me fast Justice has been satisfied He will hold me fast Raised with Him to endless life He will hold me fast Till our faith is turned to sight When he comes at last

CHORUS

THE SIGN & SEAL OF GOD'S COVENANT OF GRACE

God Nourishes Us with Christ

Rev. Ben Lee

Celebrate the Lord's Supper! Today we will celebrate the Lord's Supper during the morning worship service. Scripture calls us to examine ourselves before we come to the Lord's Table (1 Cor. 11:28). The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper is to be observed in remembrance of Christ, and to proclaim the Lord's death until He comes (1 Cor. 11:23-26). If you are a member in good standing of a Bible believing church, and profess faith in the Lord Jesus Christ, we invite you to join in the Lord's Supper. If these conditions do not describe you, but you desire to be admitted to the Table, please contact the Pastor or an Elder after the service to discuss participating in the Lord's Supper. Please note: Due to the dietary concerns of some of our members, our communion bread is gluten-free.

11:15 SERVICE

The Congregation is invited to sing along or prayerfully contemplate Christ's sacrificial gift of salvation.

How Deep The Father's Love

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- 1. How deep the Father's love for us, How vast beyond all measure That He should give His only Son To make a wretch His treasure How great the pain of searing loss, The Father turns His face away As wounds which mar the chosen One, Bring many sons to glory
- 2. Behold the Man upon a cross,
 My sin upon His shoulders
 Ashamed I hear my mocking voice,
 Call out among the scoffers
 It was my sin that left Him there
 Until it was accomplished
 His dying breath has brought me life
 I know that it is finished
- 3. I will not boast in anything
 No gifts, no power, no wisdom
 But I will boast in Jesus Christ
 His death and resurrection
 Why should I gain from His reward?
 I cannot give an answer
 But this I know with all my heart
 His wounds have paid my ransom

Mercy Fund

Hymn #55

11:15 SERVICE MUSIC

Yet Not I But Through Christ In Me

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- 1. What gift of grace is Jesus my redeemer
 There is no more for heaven now to give
 He is my joy my righteousness and freedom
 My steadfast love my deep and boundless peace
 To this I hold my hope is only Jesus
 For my life is wholly bound to his
 Oh how strange and divine I can sing all is mine
 Yet not I but through Christ in me
- 2. The night is dark but I am not forsaken
 For by my side the Saviour he will stay
 I labour on in weakness and rejoicing
 For in my need his power is displayed
 To this I hold my Shepherd will defend me
 Through the deepest valley he will lead
 Oh the night has been won and I shall overcome
 Yet not I but through Christ in me
- 3. No fate I dread I know I am forgiven
 The future sure the price it has been paid
 For Jesus bled and suffered for my pardon
 And he was raised to overthrow the grave
 To this I hold my sin has been defeated
 Jesus now and ever is my plea
 Oh the chains are released I can sing I am free
 Yet not I but through Christ in me
- 4. With every breath I long to follow Jesus
 For he has said that he will bring me home
 And day by day I know he will renew me
 Until I stand with joy before the throne
 To this I hold my hope is only Jesus
 All the glory evermore to him
 When the race is complete still my lips shall repeat
 Yet not I but through Christ in me

THE BLESSING & SENDING OF GOD'S PEOPLE

God's Promise of Blessing

Hebrews 13:20-21

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

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OAKWOOD LIVESTREAM AVAILABLE

Livestream available for the 11:15 am worship service at www.oakwoodpca.org/live

WANT TO KNOW WHAT'S HAPPENING AT OAKWOOD?

Want to receive the weekly email announcements? You can fill out the tear off portion of the bulletin and check "Receive the e-announcements," send an email to churchoffice@oakwoodpca.org or sign up on the website at www.oakwoodpca.org



Looking to get involved with a community of believers on campus?

Contact Cam Smith: cam.smith@ruf.org

Contact Richard Smith: richard.smith@ruf.org for RUF International

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.

IAVE A PRAYER REQUEST?

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	
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PHONE	
ADDRESS	
CITY	STATE ZIP
	ILDREN'S NAME

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?

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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