## **Oak Grove Church of the Brethren** March 5, 2023 • Second Sunday of Lent

*Calling in Hymn O, for a thousand tongues to sing #	ŧ 110
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#### Welcome, and Announcements

Please sign the quest book at the end of the pew, then pass it on to the person next to you.

Prelude The Sabbath Hour Sout	thbridge
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### \*Call to Worship

Friends, we know what God desires of us:

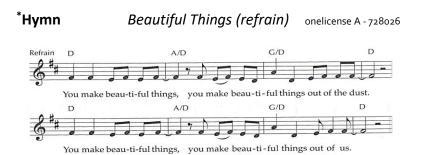
that we do justice, and love kindness, and walk humbly with God.

We gather this morning to remind each other about that, to remember that now is always the right time to do these things.

So with thanks in our hearts, let us worship God!

#### \*Praver of Invocation

Book of Common Prayer – Collect for the Second Sunday of Lent O God, whose glory it is always to have mercy: be gracious to all who have gone astray from your ways, and bring them again with penitent hearts and steadfast faith to embrace and hold fast the unchangeable truth of your Word, Jesus Christ you Son; who with you and the Holy Spirit lives and reigns, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.



Children's Sto	ory N	lartha Gregory			
Offering					
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Offertory	Pavane				
*Response	Praise God from whom	# 119			
Anthem	Lord of the Wind and the Sea	Lloyd Larson			
Hearing God's Word					
Scripture	Luke 10:1-12 (NT, p. 71)				
*Hymn	How buoyant and bold	# 394			
Message		Mission			
Sharing Joys and Concerns					
Prayer of Confession, with the Pastoral Prayer					

Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways to the glory of your name. Amen.

*Hymn	Here I am, Lord	# 395
*Benediction		

## \*Postlude

\*Please stand as you are able.

## THIS WEEK AT OAK GROVE

Today	12:15 p.m.	Children's Activity
Monday	9:00 a.m.	ESL
	9:00 a.m.	Crafts
	12:30 P.M.	Backpack
Tuesday	5:15 p.m.	Peace & Justice
	5:30 p.m.	Handbells
	7:30 p.m.	Youth Zoom
Wednesday	9:00 a.m.	ESL
	6:00 p.m.	Ministry & Worship
	7:00 p.m.	Choir
Thursday	9:30 a.m.	Women's Bible Study
	2:00 p.m.	Games
	6:00 p.m.	Christian Ed. Meeting
	6:30 p.m.	Men's Bible Study
Рс	astor & Spous	e Retreat March 10-11.
Sunday	9:45 a.m.	Sunday School
	11:00 a.m.	Worship
	12:45 p.m.	Church Board

## PRAYER

Rachel Mabe, battling cancer Ralph Petcher, long term chemo for Leukemia Alice Foutz, Brookdale Memory Care Waylon McDaniel, VCU Pediatric ICU Betty Phillips, having leg pain

# **CHURCH STAFF AND VOLUNTEERS**

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Don Pizzullo, Evan Jacobs & Eli Raymond

Head Usher

Pastor

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Sound Booth

Joe Blaha

Instrumentalists Stephen Wills

organ piano

# ATTENDANCE AND OFFERING (2/26)

Sunday School- 53 Worship- 105 (in person); 15 (online) = 120 Received 2/26- \$ 6,405.00 \$ 927.00 (online) = \$ 7,332.00

# **CONNECTING WITH OAK GROVE**

Find us on Facebook: Oak Grove Church of the Brethren

Interested in supporting our mission and ministry financially? Scan this QR code to contribute to via Tithely.



We have a limited number of spaces reserved for those with mobility challenges. If you are able, please park in the spaces farther away from the church.

Pews and chairs marked with this logo are reserved
for persons with mobility challenges and their companions.

Our Meditation Garden is available for prayer in the side yard of our church property.



Need a hearing device, wheelchair, cushion, or have a question? Our head usher will be glad to be of assistance.

Childcare is available during the worship service for children birth to 2<sup>nd</sup> grade.

Hospitality is an important part of our life together we want to know your name! If you're new here, we'd be glad to make a nametag for you. If you've been here a while, we'd love to provide a permanent nametag.



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