Oak Grove Church of the Brethren June 25, 2023

*Gathering We are people of God's peace # 407

Welcome, Announcements

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

Prelude Peaceful Medley arr. Keveren

*Call to Worship based on Micah 4 and Matthew 5
The invitations have been printed and mailed: come join the band of cheek-turning, sword-into-plowshare-crafting, enemy-loving disciples who proclaim Jesus is Lord!

We live, work, and pray for the day where everyone will sit under their own vine and fig tree, and no one will make them afraid.

May the name of Jesus be lifted up in our midst!

*Prayer of Invocation

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Give peace, O Lord, in all the world; for only in you can we live in safety.

Keep this nation under your care and guide us in the way of justice and truth.

Let not the needy, O Lord, be forgotten; nor the hope of the poor taken away.

In the name of Jesus, we pray. Amen.

*Hymn Don't be afraid # 1103

Children's Time Alli Yingling

Offering

To make an online contribution, scan the QR code on the back of the bulletin.

Offertory Peace by Phillip *Response # 119

Song Vine and Fig Tree trad Hebrew (Mary Wilson, Shelly Haas, Carol Elmore)

Hearing from God's Word

Scripture Micah 4:3-4 (OT, p. 864)

Matthew 5:38-42 (NT, p. 5)

Message Finding God in the Music, Track 01

Swords, Plowshares, and Jesus

Continuing the message with the congregation

Sharing Joys and Concerns

Pastoral Prayer, with the Lord's Prayer

Our Father in heaven, holy is your name. Your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins, as we forgive those who sin against us. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For yours is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

*Hymn When our song says peace # 1095

*Benediction Let There Be Peace on Earth Miller/Jackson

*Postlude

*Please stand as you are able.

THIS WEEK AT OAK GROVE

Monday 9:00 a.m. Crafts

Wednesday 9:30 a.m. Summer Connect

Thursday 9:30 a.m. Women's Bible Study

2:00 p.m. Games

Sunday 9:45 a.m. Sunday School

11:00 a.m. Worship

PRAYER

Rachel Mabe, battling cancer
Ralph Petcher, long term chemo for Leukemia
Betty Phillips, Myelofibrosis
Misty King, cardiac rehab, in need of a kidney transplant
Dea Underwood, fracture in vertebrae
Dan Brogan, recovering from stroke
Greg Broyles, Achilles tendon surgery
Phyllis Petcher, carotid artery surgery
Carol Leddy, recovering from shoulder surgery

Please keep our adopted Camp Bethel Staff, Maggie Pizzulo, Grayson Preece, Ben Riddle in your prayers.

ATTENDANCE AND OFFERING (6/18)

Sunday School- 37

Worship- 73 (in person); 9 (online) = 82

Women's Bible Study- 17

Offering- \$ 2,740.00; \$ 946.00 (online) = \$ 3,686.00

FEDUP Offering- \$ 1,025.00

CHURCH STAFF AND VOLUNTEERS

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Worship leader Scott Yingling Worship leader (7/2) Jane Grisso

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Kris Tilley-Lubbs

Head Usher Bill Hall

Sound Booth Don Pizzullo, Evan Jacobs & Eli Raymond

<u>Instrumentalists</u>

Stephen Wills organ Joe Blaha piano

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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.



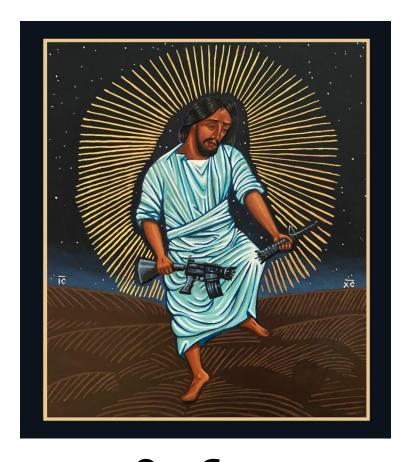
Childcare is available during the worship service for children birth to 2nd grade.



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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OAK GROVE CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN JUNE 25, 2023

FINDING GOD IN THE MUSIC
TRACK 01: SWORDS, PLOWSHARES,
AND JESUS