

Oak Grove Church of the Brethren
August 13, 2023

*Calling In Hymn *There is a place of quiet rest* # 5

Welcome, Announcements

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

Prelude *Take my hand and lead me, Father* Berry

*Call to Worship

The congregation responds in bold.

You are invited to come to worship in this place.

**We come apart from a world where we are
bombarded by noise as we tend to maintain hectic
schedules.**

Why have you come to this sanctuary?

**We come in an effort to find some quietness in this
time of worship.**

When the prophet Elijah became discouraged because of
a threat on his life, he hid in a cave. There was a strong
wind, an earthquake, and a fire, but the scripture notes
that the Lord was not present in any of these spectacular
circumstances.

**After the windstorm, earthquake, and fire, Elijah heard
a “still, small voice.” May we hear the voice of God in
the quietness of our time of worship.**

*Prayer of Invocation

Book of Common Prayer

**Grant to us, Lord, we pray, the spirit to think and do
always those things that are right, that we, who cannot
exist without you, may by you be enabled to live
according to your will; through Jesus Christ our Lord,
who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one
God, for ever and ever. Amen.**

*Hymn *Lord, you sometimes speak* # 594

Children’s Time Carol Elmore

Offering

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

Offertory *Lord of the Dance* Shaker tune

*Response *Great is the Lord* (vs. 1) # 87

Song *In the Secret* Andy Park
(Alli and Scott Yingling, duet)

Hearing from God’s Word

Scripture 1 Kings 19:1-15a (OT, p. 302)

Message *That still, small voice*

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 *Open my eyes that I may see* # 517

*Benediction *Holy Manna* The Columbian
Harmony

*Postlude

**Please stand as you are able.*

THIS WEEK AT OAK GROVE

Today	12:30 p.m.	Executive Committee Meeting
Monday	9:00 a.m.	Crafts
Thursday	9:30 p.m.	Women’s Bible Study
	2:00 p.m.	Games
Friday	6:30 p.m.	Peace & Justice Book Study

August 19-20 Bible School 9:30-12:00 p.m.

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
Carol Hambleton, back surgery recovery
Sylvia Shepherd, recovering from surgery
Jodi Zabo, recovering from surgery

ATTENDANCE AND OFFERING (8/6)

Sunday School- 37
Worship- 90 (in person);15 (online) =105
Women’s Bible Study- 14
Offering- \$ 4,136.00; \$ 395.00 (online) = \$ 4,531.00

CHURCH STAFF AND VOLUNTEERS

Pastor Tim Harvey
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Minister of Nurture and Music Carol Elmore
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Worship leader Todd Marcum
Worship leader (8/20) Jane Grisso

Nursery workers Trenton & Kristin Marcum
Nursery workers (8/20) Kirsten Lubbs-Robinson
& Kris Tilley-Lubbs

Head Usher Bill Hall

Sound Booth Don Pizzullo, Evan Jacobs & Eli Raymond

Instrumentalists

Stephen Wills organ
Joe Blaha piano



REPARATIONS: A CHRISTIAN CALL FOR REPENTANCE AND REPAIR

by Duke Kwon and Gregory Thompson.

August 18, 2023

6:30-8:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall at Oak Grove.

In-person with zoom option if desired. RSVP's are
necessary for anyone wanting to join via Zoom.

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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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