

* **Calling In Hymn** *Morning has broken* # 648

Welcome and Announcements

Prelude *My Shepherd Will Supply My Need*
(Achord: Judy Saunders, Gretchen Miller)

* **Call to Worship** based on Acts 2:42-47
The congregation responds in bold.

After the miracle of Pentecost, those who had been filled by the Holy Spirit began to change their lives in response:

They devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching and fellowship, to the breaking of bread and the prayers.

Awe came upon everyone, because many wonders and signs were being done by the apostles.

All who believed were together and had all things in common; they would sell their possessions and goods and distribute the proceeds to all, as any had need.

Day by day, as they spent much time together in the temple, they broke bread at home and ate their food with glad and generous hearts, praising God and having the goodwill of all the people.

And day by day the Lord added to their number those who were being saved.

* **Prayer of Invocation**

Grant, O merciful God, that your Church—being gathered together in unity by your Holy Spirit—may show forth your power among all peoples, to the glory of your Name; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

* **Hymn** *Praise I will praise, You, Lord* # 76

***Postlude**

*Please stand as you are able.

*Sympathy and prayers for the family of Barbara Mann
who died September 10, 2023.*

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Head Usher Bill Hall
Sound Booth Don Pizzullo, Evan Jacobs & Eli Raymond

Instrumentalists

Stephen Wills organ
Joe Blaha piano

ATTENDANCE AND OFFERING (9/10)

Sunday School- 41
Worship- 93 (in person); 13 (online) = 106
Men's Bible Study- 7
Offering- \$ 4,080.00; \$ 261.87 (online) = \$ 4,341.87

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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

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