

Oak Grove Church of the Brethren
October 29, 2023

*Calling In Hymn 'Tis so sweet to trust in Jesus # 340

Welcome and Announcements

Prelude The Lord's My Shepherd McDonald

*Call to Worship from Psalm 119:1-8
The congregation responds in bold.

Happy are those whose way is blameless, who walk in the law of the LORD.

Happy are those who keep God's decrees, who make their joyful devotion seeking God with their whole heart, who do no wrong, who walk in God's ways.

May our ways be steadfast in keeping God's statutes!

Then we will not be put to shame, having our eyes fixed on all God's commandments.

With our hearts fixed firmly on God's word, we can praise God with an upright heart!

*Prayer of Invocation

Let us hear of your loving-kindness this very morning, magnificent God, for we have put our trust in you. Show us the road that we must walk, for we lift our souls up to you. Amen.

Children Sing The New Testament Song

Children's Time Lynette Harvey

Offering

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

Offertory Precious Lord, Take My Hand Page

*Response Praise God from whom # 119

Anthem Christ Be in My Mind St.Teresa, Helfrich

Hearing from God's Word

Scripture Matthew 5:33-37 (NT, p. 5)

Message Telling the Truth

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 Be thou my vision # 545

*Benediction

*Postlude Trusting Jesus McDonald

*Please stand as you are able.

THIS WEEK AT OAK GROVE

Monday	9:00 a.m.	ESL
	9:00 a.m.	Crafts
Wednesday	9:00 a.m.	ESL
	6:00 p.m.	Men's Bible Study
	7:00 p.m.	Choir
Thursday	9:30 a.m.	Women's Bible Study
	2:00 p.m.	Games
	5:30 p.m.	Missions & Service Meeting
Saturday	7:30 a.m.	Workday at Camp Bethel
	8:30 a.m.	Bed Build
Sunday	9:45 a.m.	Sunday School
	11:00 a.m.	Worship

PRAYER

Rachel Mabe, battling cancer
Ralph Petcher, long term chemo for Leukemia
Misty King, cardiac rehab, in need of a kidney transplant
Lois Sowder, rehab at Pheasant Ridge Room 602
Betty Phillips, rehab at Brandon Oaks
Dennis Ferguson, rehab at Our Lady of the Valley
Stephen Wills, recovering from surgery
Norm Pullen, recovering from surgery

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 (11/5) Julie Hall

Nursery workers Lisa Newell & Alli Yingling
Nursery workers (11/5) Kris Tilley-Lubbs &
Kirsten Lubbs-Robinson

Head Usher Bill Hall

Sound Booth Don Pizzullo, Evan Jacobs & Eli Raymond

Acolyte Lucy Pullen

Instrumentalists

Burl Breedlove organ

ATTENDANCE AND OFFERING (10/22)

Sunday School- 39

Worship- 81 (in person); 12 (online) = 93

Men's Bible Study- 7

Offering- \$ 2,992.00; \$ 1,871.55 (online) = \$ 4,863.55

Forty beds were built through Sleep in Heavenly Peace this week. \$4,500 has been collected so far from our Bazaar for the Good Samaritan Fund.

CONNECTING WITH OAK GROVE



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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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