

Oak Grove Church of the Brethren
April 6, 2025
Worship celebrating our Children and the
Ministries of Camp Bethel

Prelude Near the Cross Doane/Lamb
(Oak Grove Ringers)

Welcome and Announcements, Joys and Concerns

*Lenten Call to Worship
The congregation responds in bold.
Harper Frantz: In the beginning was the Word, and the
Word was with God, and the Word was God.

1 What won-drous love is this, O my soul, O my
soul?, What won-drous love is this, O my soul?

God created a wonderful world for our enjoyment: oak
trees, daffodils, cardinals, and whales. Then God created
people and promised to love us, ultimately through the
life, death, and resurrection of Jesus. What wondrous
love!
Sing
God invites you and me into “Another Way of Living”
where we can dream together of a better world, and then
offer this wondrous love to God’s creation and to our
neighbors near and far.
Sing

Acolyte Aria Duncan
*Hymn This Little Light of Mine Harry D. Loes
1. This little light of mine, I’m gonna let it shine. (3X)
Let it shine. Let it shine. Let it shine.
2. Don’t let anyone blow it out. I’m gonna let it shine. (3x)
Let it shine. Let it shine. Let it shine.
3. Everywhere I go, I’m gonna let it shine. (3x)
Let it shine. Let it shine. Let it shine.

Children Singing I’ve Got a River of Life
God Loves Kids
Jesus Loves Me

Children’s Prayer

Offering Elan Lane
Dear God, take my silver and my gold; not a mite would I
withhold. Amen.
Ushers: Jack Frantz, Connor Hosey,
Halle Turpin, Gemma Yingling
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Offertory Were You There Douglas Wagner
(Oak Grove Ringers)

*Response Praise, I will praise You, Lord (vs. 1) # 76

Scripture Psalm 46: 1-3, 10 Lincoln Yingling

Music Meditation Shine, Jesus, Shine Kendrick/Bettcher
(Oak Grove Ringers)

Message Another Way Ben Riddle

*Hymn Come, thou fount # 521

*Benediction Lincoln Yingling
May your heart be tuned to sing God’s grace! Go and
share that grace with all you meet. Live like Jesus
taught us, remembering that He calls us to “Another
Way of Living”!

*Postlude
*Please stand as you are able.

Other Children Participating Today:
River Harmon
Zaya Lane
Nora Smith

THIS WEEK AT OAK GROVE		
Monday	9:00 a.m.	ESL
	9:00 a.m.	Crafters
	12:30 p.m.	Backpack
	5:30 p.m.	Finance Meeting
Wednesday	9:00 a.m.	ESL
Thursday	9:30 a.m.	Women’s Faith Study
	2:00 p.m.	Games
Sunday	9:45 a.m.	Sunday School
	11:00 a.m.	Worship
	12:30 p.m.	Executive Committee

Awakening is April 6-9, 2025. Full schedule in insert.

CHURCH STAFF AND VOLUNTEERS

Pastor	Tim Harvey pastortim@oakgrovecob.org
Minister of Nurture and Music	Carol Elmore elmores24153@gmail.com
Handbell Director	Sarah Ann Bowman
Worship leader	The Children of Oak Grove
Worship leader (4/13)	Jill Mooney
Nursery (Infant)	Pam Conner and Julie Carroll
Nursery (Children)	Amanda & Rachel Leddy
Head Usher	Bill Hall
Sound Booth	Don Pizzullo, Evan Jacobs & Eli Raymond
<u>Instrumentalists</u>	
Stephen Wills	organ
Joe Blaha	piano

PRAYER

Jonna Detweiler, cancer treatment
Rachel Mabe, battling cancer
Marge Montgomery, Pheasant Ridge Rehab
Tanya Pizzullo, cancer treatment
Dave Jones, rehab for broken leg

ATTENDANCE AND OFFERING (3/31)

Sunday School- 38
Worship- 94 (in person); 26 (online) = 120
Men's Bible Study- 11; Women's Faith Study- 13
Offering- \$ 5,678.00

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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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Fifth Sunday of Lent