



GALATIANS

The Gospel Driven Life



Oakwood

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

May 26, 2024

CHILD CARE



Oakwood Nursery

Offered During Sermon Time
and Sunday School Hour
Ages 7 months to 3 years old

Stepping Stones

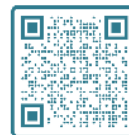
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Room 126



CHILD CARE



church center





WELCOME

The Oakwood church family is multi-generational and multi-cultural. We are singles, young couples just starting out, families of all ages, and retirees. Every year we welcome Penn State undergrads and grad students from all over the world. We are all different but united by an earnest quest to know and serve our Lord.

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Prelude

8:30 – Rick Betts | 11:15 – Oakwood Musicians

Welcome and Announcements

Silent Time of Reflection

Preparing our hearts for worship

The doctrine of justification “is the main hinge on which true religion turns.”

John Calvin

THE CALL TO WORSHIP

God’s Word of Invitation

Psalm 34:1-3,22

I will bless the Lord at all times;

His praise shall continually be in my mouth.

My soul makes its boast in the Lord;

Let the humble hear and be glad.

Oh, magnify the Lord with me,

And let us exalt his name together!

The Lord redeems the life of his servants;

None of those who take refuge in him will be condemned.

8:30 SERVICE MUSIC

Our God, Our Help in Ages Past

Hymn #30

11:15 SERVICE MUSIC

All Creatures of Our God and King

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1. All creatures of our God and King
Lift up your voice and with us sing;
Oh praise Him, alleluia
Thou burning sun with golden beam
Thou silver moon with softer gleam
Oh praise Him, oh praise Him;
Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia

2. Let all things their Creator bless
And worship Him in humbleness;
Oh praise Him, alleluia
Praise, praise the Father,
praise the Son
And praise the Spirit three in one
Oh praise Him, oh praise Him;
Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia

3. All the redeemed
washed in His blood
Come and rejoice in His great love;
Oh praise Him, alleluia
Christ has defeated every sin
Cast all your burdens now on Him
Oh praise Him, oh praise Him;
Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia

4. He shall return in power to reign
Heaven and earth will e'er proclaim;
Oh praise Him, alleluia
Then who shall fall on bended knee?
All creatures of our God and King
Oh praise Him, oh praise Him;
Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia

Our Prayer of Adoration

Rev. Ben Lee

THE CONFESSION OF SIN & ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

God's Law

Our Prayer of Confession

God's Promise to Pardon

Galatians 5:1

Silent Prayer

Ephesians 3:14-19

8:30 SERVICE MUSIC

I Know Whom I Have Believed

Hymn #705

11:15 SERVICE MUSIC

He Will Hold Me Fast

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1. When I fear my faith will fail
Christ will hold me fast
When the tempter would prevail
He will hold me fast
I could never keep my hold
Through life's fearful path
For my love is often cold
He must hold me fast

3. For my life He bled and died
Christ will hold me fast
Justice has been satisfied
He will hold me fast
Raised with Him to endless life
He will hold me fast
Till our faith is turned to sight
When he comes at last

CHORUS

He will hold me fast
He will hold me fast
For my Savior loves me so
He will hold me fast

CHORUS

2. Those He saves are His delight
Christ will hold me fast
Precious in His holy sight
He will hold me fast
He'll not let my soul be lost
His Promises shall last
Bought by Him at such a cost
He will hold me fast

CHORUS

THE BLESSINGS OF REDEMPTION

Responsive Reading

Psalm 119:9-18

Leader: How can a young man keep his way pure?

God's People: By guarding it according to Your word.

Leader: With my whole heart I seek You; let me not wander from Your commandments!

God's People: I have stored up Your word in my heart, that I might not sin against You.

Leader: Blessed are You, O Lord; teach me Your statutes!

God's People: With my lips I declare all the rules of Your mouth.

Leader: In the way of Your testimonies I delight as much as in all riches.

God's People: I will meditate on Your precepts and fix my eyes on Your ways.

Leader: I will delight in Your statutes; I will not forget Your word.

God's People: Deal bountifully with Your servant, that I may live and keep Your word.

Leader: Open my eyes, that I may behold wondrous things out of Your law.

God's People: I am a sojourner on the earth; hide not Your commandments from me! My soul is consumed with longing for Your rules at all times.

God's Promise to Hear
Prayer of Petition
God's Promise to Provide
Our Tithes and Offerings

Psalm 118:5-6

Elder Dave Borch

Isaiah 58:6-7

Evidences of Grace

Carin Roberg - Oakwood Counseling Ministry



If you are interested in hearing more about the Oakwood Counseling Ministry, please email Carin Rober at carin.roberg@dm.org or Pastor Ben Lee at lee.ben.73@gmail.com.

8:30 SERVICE MUSIC

Spirit of God, Descend upon My Heart

Hymn #338

11:15 SERVICE MUSIC

Oh Love That Will Not Let Me Go

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1. O Love that will not let me go,
I rest my weary soul in thee;
I give thee back the life I owe,
That in thine ocean depths its flow
May richer, fuller be.
2. O light that followest all my way,
I yield my flickering torch to thee;
My heart restores its borrowed ray,
That in thy sunshine's blaze its day
May brighter, fairer be.
3. O Joy that seekest me through pain,
I cannot close my heart to thee;
I trace the rainbow through the rain,
And feel the promise is not vain,
That morn shall tearless be.
4. O Cross that liftest up my head,
I dare not ask to fly from thee;
I lay in dust life's glory dead,
And from the ground there blossoms red
Life that shall endless be.

THE WORD OF LIFE*

Galatians 5:1-6

Senior Pastor, Rev. Dan Kiehl

FREE TO OBEY

⁵ For freedom Christ has set us free; stand firm therefore, and do not submit again to a yoke of slavery.

² Look: I, Paul, say to you that if you accept circumcision, Christ will be of no advantage to you. ³ I testify again to every man who accepts circumcision that he is obligated to keep the whole law. ⁴ You are severed from Christ, you who would be justified by the law; you have fallen away from grace.

⁵ For through the Spirit, by faith, we ourselves eagerly wait for the hope of righteousness. ⁶ For in Christ Jesus neither circumcision nor uncircumcision counts for anything, but only faith working through love.

8:30 SERVICE MUSIC*

And Can It Be That I Should Gain

Hymn #455

11:15 SERVICE MUSIC*

Hallelujah What A Savior (Man of Sorrows)

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1. Man of Sorrows what a name
For the Son of God who came
Ruined sinners to reclaim
Hallelujah what a Savior

4. Lifted up was He to die
It is finished was His cry
Now in heav'n exalted high
Hallelujah what a Savior

2. Bearing shame and scoffing rude
In my place condemned He stood
Sealed my pardon with His blood
Hallelujah what a Savior

5. When He comes our glorious King
All His ransomed home to bring
Then anew this song we'll sing
Hallelujah what a Savior

3. Guilty vile and helpless we
Spotless Lamb of God was He
Full atonement can it be
Hallelujah what a Savior

THE BLESSING & SENDING OF GOD'S PEOPLE

God's Promise of Blessing

Numbers 6:24-26

DOXOLOGY

Praise God, from Whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.
Amen, Amen.

Postlude

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OAKWOOD ONLINE GIVING AVAILABLE

Online giving is available by going to www.oakwoodpca.org/give

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Want to receive the weekly email announcements? You can fill out the tear off portion of the bulletin and check "Receive the e-announcements," send an email to churchoffice@oakwoodpca.org or sign up on the website at www.oakwoodpca.org



Looking to get involved with a community of believers on campus?

Contact Cam Smith:
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HAVE A PRAYER REQUEST?

Complete online by using the QR code or complete the section below and place it in the offering plate.

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GET >>>> CONNECTED



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FIRST NAME

LAST NAME

EMAIL

PHONE

ADDRESS

CITY

STATE ZIP

SPOUSE / CHILDREN'S NAMES

I WOULD LIKE TO:

- Become a member
- Be contacted by an Elder
- Join a small group
- Volunteer for:

- Receive the e-announcements
- Add my info to the directory
- Get more info about Oakwood

Have a prayer request?

Please complete the other side.

WHAT ELSE IS HAPPENING AT OAKWOOD?

Learn about ministry events going on throughout the week, & learn more about our church online!

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