

Christ is Sufficient



Oakwood
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
June 8, 2025

WELCOME TO OAKWOOD

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.

*By God's grace, we long to become
"Oaks of Righteousness,"
Growing roots deep in God's Word,
Bearing fruit of God-centered holiness and worship,
and Branching out with Gospel-centered witness and service
to State College, Penn State, Central Pennsylvania, and the world.*

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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 CALL TO WORSHIP

God's Word of Invitation

1 Corinthians 1:20-25

Where is the one who is wise? Where is the scribe? Where is the debater of this age? Has not God made foolish the wisdom of the world? For since, in the wisdom of God, the world did not know God through wisdom, it pleased God through the folly of what we preach to save those who believe. For Jews demand signs and Greeks seek wisdom, but we preach Christ crucified, a stumbling block to Jews and folly to Gentiles, but to those who are called, both Jews and Greeks, Christ the power of God and the wisdom of God. For the foolishness of God is wiser than men, and the weakness of God is stronger than men.

8:30 SERVICE MUSIC

The God of Abraham Praise

Hymn #34

11:15 SERVICE MUSIC

Hail To The Lord's Anointed

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CHORUS

Hail to the Lord's anointed
Great David's greater Son
Hail in the time appointed
His reign on earth begun
His reign on earth begun

1. He comes to break oppression
To set the captive free
To take away transgression
And rule in equity

2. He comes with comfort speedy to
Those who suffer wrong
To help the poor and needy
And bid the weak be strong

CHORUS

3. To give them songs for sighing
Their darkness turn to light
Whose souls, condemned and dying
Are precious in His sight

4. He shall come down like showers
Upon the fruitful earth
Love, joy, and hope, like flowers
Spring in His path to birth

CHORUS

5. The tide of time shall never
His Covenant remove
His Name shall stand forever
That Name to us is Love

CHORUS

Our Prayer of Adoration

Rev. Ben Lee

THE CONFESSION OF SIN & ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

God's Law

2 Corinthians 1:3-5

Our Prayer of Confession

Silent Prayer

God's Promise to Pardon

Psalms 69:29-33

8:30 SERVICE MUSIC

I Am Thine, O Lord, I Have Heard Thy Voice

Hymn #533

11:15 SERVICE MUSIC

All Sufficient Merit

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1. All sufficient merit
shining like the sun
A fortune I inherit
By no work I have done
My righteousness I forfeit
At my Savior's cross
Where all sufficient merit did
What I could not

3. I lay down my garments
Any empty boast
Good works now all corrupted
By the sinful host
Dressed in my Lord Jesus
A crimson Robe made white
No more fear of judgment
His righteousness is mine

2. In love He condescended
Eternal now in time
A life without a blemish
The Maker made to die
The law could never save us
Our lawlessness had won
Until the pure and spotless Lamb
Had finally come

4. All sufficient merit firm
In life and death
The joy of my salvation shall
Be my final breath
When I stand accepted
Before the throne of God
I'll gaze upon my Jesus
And thank Him for the cross
Yes I'll thank You for the cross

CHORUS

It is done it is finished
No more debt I owe
Paid in full all sufficient
Merit now my own

CHORUS

THE BLESSINGS OF REDEMPTION

Confession of Faith - The Nicene Creed

In Unison

We believe in one God, the Father almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,
of all things visible and invisible.

And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God,
begotten from the Father before all worlds,
God from God, Light from Light,
very God of very God,
begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father;
by whom all things were made;
who for us and for our salvation
came down from heaven;
and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary,
and was made man;
and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate;
he suffered and was buried;
and the third day he rose again according to the Scriptures,
and ascended to heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father;
and he shall come again, with glory, to judge both the living and the dead;
whose kingdom shall have no end.

And we believe in the Holy Spirit,
the Lord, the giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son;
who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified;
who spoke by the prophets;
and we believe in one holy catholic and apostolic church;
we acknowledge one baptism for the remission of sins;
and we look for the resurrection of the dead,
and the life of the world to come. Amen.

God's Promise to Hear

Psalm 4:1-3

Prayer of Petition

Rev. Ben Lee

The Lord's Prayer (ESV)

*Our Father in heaven, hallowed be Your name.
Your kingdom come, Your will be done,
On earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread,
And forgive us our debts, as we also have forgiven our debtors.
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
For Yours is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever.
Amen.*

God's Promise to Provide

Psalm 4:6-8

Our Tithes and Offerings*

Congregational Song

8:30 CONGREGATIONAL SONG**

Breathe on Me, Breath of God

Hymn #334

11:15 SERVICE MUSIC**

I Will Wait For You (Psalm 130)

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1. Out of the depths I cry to You
In darkest places I will call
Incline Your ear to me anew
And hear my cry for mercy Lord

2. Were You to count my sinful ways
How could I come before Your throne
Yet full forgiveness meets my gaze
I stand redeemed by grace alone

CHORUS 1

I will wait for You I will wait for You
On Your word I will rely
I will wait for You surely wait for You
Till my soul is satisfied

3. So put Your hope in God alone
Take courage in His power to save
Completely and forever won
By Christ emerging from the grave

4. His steadfast love has made a way
And God Himself has paid the price
That all who trust in Him today
Find healing in His sacrifice

CHORUS 2

I will wait for You I will wait for You
Through the storm and through the night
I will wait for You surely wait for You
For Your love is my delight

THE WORD OF LIFE

Colossians 1:24-29

Senior Pastor Rev. Dan Kiehl

THE GREAT MYSTERY

²⁴ Now I rejoice in my sufferings for your sake, and in my flesh I am filling up what is lacking in Christ's afflictions for the sake of his body, that is, the church, ²⁵ of which I became a minister according to the stewardship from God that was given to me for you, to make the word of God fully known, ²⁶ the mystery hidden for ages and generations but now revealed to his saints. ²⁷ To them God chose to make known how great among the Gentiles are the riches of the glory of this mystery, which is Christ in you, the hope of glory. ²⁸ Him we proclaim, warning everyone and teaching everyone with all wisdom, that we may present everyone mature in Christ. ²⁹ For this I toil, struggling with all his energy that he powerfully works within me.

8:30 SERVICE MUSIC*

Lift High the Cross

Hymn #263

11:15 SERVICE MUSIC*

Almost Home

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1. Don't drop a single anchor
We're almost home
Through every toil and danger
We're almost home
How many pilgrim saints
Have before us gone
No stopping now
We're almost home

2. The promised land is calling
We're almost home
And not a tear shall fall then
We're almost home
Make ready now your souls
For that kingdom come
No turning back
We're almost home

CHORUS

Almost home
We're almost home
So press on t'ward that blessed shore
Oh praise the Lord
We're almost home

3. This journey ours together
We're almost home
Unto that great forever
We're almost home
What song anew we'll sing
'round that happy throne
Come faint of heart
We're almost home

CHORUS

4. This life is just a vapor
We're almost home
That sun is setting yonder
We're almost home
Take courage for this darkness
Shall break to dawn
Oh lift your eyes
We're almost home

CHORUS

THE BLESSING & SENDING OF GOD'S PEOPLE

God's Promise of Blessing

1 Thessalonians 5:23-24

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

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

Upcoming Events at Oakwood

- Mon. June 9 Oakwood Softball vs First Bap Belfte, 539 Jacksonville Rd, 6pm
- Tues. June 10 Ladies Pickleball, Bernel Rd State College, 5-7 pm
- Wed. Jun 11 Mens Fellowship, Oakwood, 7pm
- Mon. June 16 Oakwood Softball Bye - Possible practice at Orchard Park
- Tues. June 17 Ladies Pickleball, Bernel Rd State College, 5-7 pm
- Wed. Jun 19 Women's Summer Book Club, Oakwood, 9:30 - 11:30am
- Wed. Jun 19 Mens Fellowship, Oakwood, 7pm

Save the Date!

- Sun. Jul 20 Ice Cream Fellowship Sunday at the Falb's, 2:30 - 5pm



Ladies' Summer Book Club is Back

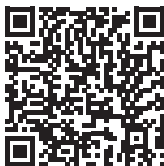
We'll meet every other week for six weeks
from 9:30 to 11:30 am.

Childcare is provided for children age 5 and under.

School-age children are welcome to spend time together
unsupervised (mom's checking in) in the adjoining room from
the book club meeting room. We'll be reading, *From Fear to
Freedom* by Rose Marie Miller.

All Church Softball

We meet every Monday at 6 pm



Ladies Pickelball

We meet every Tuesday from 5-7 pm



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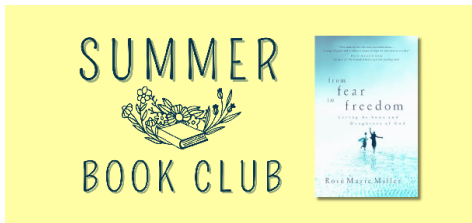
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TUESDAYS @ 5:00PM

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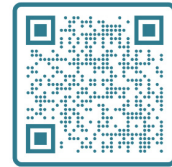


EVERY OTHER TUESDAY

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WHAT ELSE IS HAPPENING AT OAKWOOD?

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