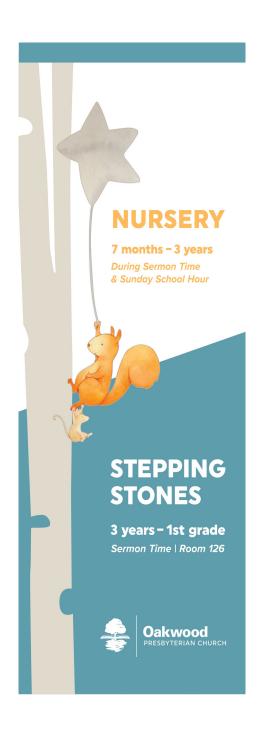
Revelation

MAKING ALL THINGS NEW







Welcome Students!









WELCOME

The Oakwood church family is multigenerational 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.

September 8, 2024

Prelude

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

Welcome and Announcements

HomeConnect Luncheon Women's Fall Dessert Reception

Silent Time of Reflection

Preparing our hearts for worship

THE CALL TO WORSHIP

God's Word of Invitation

Revelation 1:5-8

To him who loves us and has freed us from our sins by his blood and made us a kingdom, priests to his God and Father, to him be glory and dominion forever and ever. Amen.

Behold, he is coming with the clouds, and every eye will see him, even those who pierced him, and all tribes of the earth will wail on account of him. Even so. Amen.

"I am the Alpha and the Omega," says the Lord God, "who is and who was and who is to come, the Almighty."

8:30 SERVICE MUSIC

All Praise to God, Who Reigns Above

Hymn #4

11:15 SERVICE MUSIC

My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less

Words by Edward Mote, circa 1834; first appeared in Mote's Hymns of Praise, 1836. Music: Solid Rock, William B. Bradbury, 1863 | CCLI License No. 478868

1. My hope is built on nothing less Than Jesus' blood and righteousness. I dare not trust the sweetest frame, But wholly lean on Jesus' Name.

CHORUS

On Christ the solid Rock I stand, All other ground is sinking sand; All other ground is sinking sand.

- 2. When darkness hides His lovely face, I rest on His unchanging grace. In every high and stormy gale, My anchor holds within the veil.
- 3. His oath, His covenant, His blood, Support me in the whelming flood. When all around my soul gives way, He then is all my hope and stay.

CHORUS

4. When He shall comeWith trumpet sound,Oh may I then in Him be found.Dressed in His righteousness alone,Faultless to stand before the throne.

CHORUS

Our Prayer of Adoration

Rev. Ben Lee

THE CONFESSION OF SIN & ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

God's Law Matthew 22:37-40

Our Prayer of Confession

"Almighty God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed; we have not loved you with all of our heart, soul, mind, and strength; we have not loved our neighbor as ourselves. Deepen within us our sorrow for the wrong we have done, and the good we have left undone. Father, you are full of compassion and gracious, slow to anger, and plenteous in mercy; there is always forgiveness with you! Restore to us the joy of your salvation, and give strength to our wills, and rest to our souls. Amen."

Silent Prayer

God's Promise to Pardon

Romans 3:21-26

11:15 SERVICE MUSIC

There Is A Fountain

Words: William Cowper, in Conyer's "Collection of Psalms and Hymns," 1772. Music: Cleansing Fountain, 19th Century American camp meeting tune. | CCLI License No. 478868

- 1. There is a fountain filled with blood drawn from Emmanuel's veins; And sinners plunged beneath that flood lose all their guilty stains. Lose all their guilty stains, lose all their guilty stains; And sinners plunged beneath that flood lose all their guilty stains.
- 2. The dying thief rejoiced to see that fountain in his day; And there have I, though vile as he, washed all my sins away. Washed all my sins away, washed all my sins away; And there have I, though vile as he, washed all my sins away.
- 3. Dear dying Lamb, Thy precious blood shall never lose its power Till all the ransomed church of God be saved, to sin no more. Be saved, to sin no more, be saved, to sin no more; Till all the ransomed church of God be saved, to sin no more.
- 4. When this poor lisping stamm'ring tongue lies silent in the grave, Then in a nobler sweeter song I'll sing, I'll sing Thy pow'r to save. I'll sing Thy pow'r to save; Then in a nobler sweeter song, I'll sing Thy pow'r to save.

THE BLESSINGS OF REDEMPTION

Confession of Faith - The Apostles' Creed

In Unison

I believe in God the Father Almighty,

Maker of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,

who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,

and born of the virgin Mary.

He suffered under Pontius Pilate,

was crucified, died, and was buried;

He descended into hell.

The third day He rose again from the dead.

He ascended into heaven

and is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty.

From there He will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,

the holy catholic church,

the communion of saints,

the forgiveness of sins,

the resurrection of the body,

and the life everlasting. Amen

God's Promise to Hear Prayer of Petition

Psalm 23:1-4

Rev. Ben Lee

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven; Hallowed be Thy name.

Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done;

On earth as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread.

And forgive us our debts; As we forgive our debtors.

And lead us not into temptation; But deliver us from evil;

For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever.

Amen.

God's Promise to Provide
Our Tithes and Offerings

Psalm 23:5-6

Offertory

What a Friend We Have in Jesus

11:15 SERVICE MUSIC

In Christ Alone

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- 1. In Christ alone, my hope is found
 He is my light, my strength, my song
 This Cornerstone, this solid ground
 Firm through the fiercest
 Drought and storm
 What heights of love,
 what depths of peace
 When fears are stilled,
 When strivings cease
 My Comforter, my All in All
 Here in the love of Christ I stand
- 2. In Christ alone, who took on flesh Fullness of God in helpless babe This gift of love and righteousness Scorned by the ones He came to save 'Til on that cross as Jesus died The wrath of God was satisfied For every sin on Him was laid Here in the death of Christ I live
- 3. There in the ground His body lay Light of the world by darkness slain Then bursting forth in glorious Day Up from the grave He rose again And as He stands in victory Sin's curse has lost its grip on me For I am His and He is mine Bought with the precious Blood of Christ

4. No guilt in life, no fear in death
This is the power of Christ in me
From life's first cry to final breath
Jesus commands my destiny
No power of hell, no scheme of man
Can ever pluck me from His hand
Till He returns or calls me home
Here in the power of Christ I'll stand

THE WORD OF LIFE*

Revelation 1:1-3

Senior Pastor Rev. Dan Kiehl

BLESSED ARE THOSE WHO READ AND HEAR

¹ The revelation of Jesus Christ, which God gave him to show to his servants the things that must soon take place. He made it known by sending his angel to his servant John, ² who bore witness to the word of God and to the testimony of Jesus Christ, even to all that he saw. ³ Blessed is the one who reads aloud the words of this prophecy, and blessed are those who hear, and who keep what is written in it, for the time is near.

The Seven Visions of Revelation



8:30 SERVICE MUSIC*

My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less

Hymn #521

11:15 SERVICE MUSIC*

All Creatures of Our God and King

Words by Francis of Assisi, 1225. Music by Peter von Brachel, 1623. | CCLI License No. 478868

- 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
- 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
- 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
- 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

THE BLESSING & SENDING OF GOD'S PEOPLE

God's Promise of Blessing

2 Corinthians 13:14

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

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Contact Richard Smith: richard.smith@ruf.org for RUF International

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



IAVE A PRAYER REQUEST?

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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.

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