## Oak Grove Church of the Brethren July 4, 2021

#### Prelude

Chiming in the Hour

## Welcome and Announcements

## \*Call to Worship

Come you who love the Lord, a new heaven and a new earth are before us. Open your eyes. Look with eyes intent on seeing.

Come and join our march, you who love the Lord. We are marching to a new day; Marching to the City of God - and God is with us - wiping our tears and remaining with us. But we must look around in order to see!

Open your eyes. Open your hearts. Open your spirits.

## \*Invocation

God of all things, we want to feel you with us; we want you to fill our spirits and our souls and our minds and our hearts so that we see and live your good and just desires. Settle our minds in your presence so that we may be ready to serve, ready to look, ready to see, ready to march, ready to sing. Trusting your promise that where two or more gather in your name, you *will* dwell among us, we pray together. Amen

ʿHymn	Come, we that love the Lord	# 14

Moment for Mission

Hearing from God's Word

Scripture Message Revelation 21:6 # 259

See! God's Future Filled with Promise

Patrick Starkey

2021 Annual Conference Sunday morning preacher

#### **Sharing Joys and Concerns**

## Morning Prayer

#### Most merciful God,

we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone.

We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves.

We are truly sorry and we humbly repent.

For the sake of your son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways to the glory of your name. Amen.

#### 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** New earth, heavens new # 299

#### \*Benediction

#### \*Postlude

\*Please stand as you are able.

THIS	WEEK	AT OAI	K <b>G</b> ROVE	

2:00 p.m.	Games in the fellowship hall
11:00 a.m.	Sunday School Worship Church Board Meeting
	9:45 a.m. 11:00 a.m.

# PRAYER

Rachel Mabe, treatment for breast cancer Betty Phillips, complications from a blood disorder Wayne Cook, congestive heart failure Dawn Thomas, kidney issues

# ATTENDANCE AND OFFERING (6/27)

Sunday School - 26 Worship- 90 Received on 6/27 - \$5,750.44

# **CHURCH STAFF AND VOLUNTEERS**

Pastor

Tim Harvey pastortim@oakgrovecob.org

Minister of Nurture and Music

Carol Elmore carol@oakgrovecob.org

organ

flute

viola

#### Instrumentalists

Stephen Wills Joe Blaha piano, hymn arranger Kathie Robinson Sam Phillips



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Interested in supporting our mission and ministry financially? Our offering box is on the table next to the sound booth or you may contribute via the Tithely app on your smartphone.

We have a limited number of spaces reserved for Ρ those with mobility challenges. If you are able, please park in the spaces farther away from the church.



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.



Peacefully. Simply. Together.

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