

Oak Grove Church of the Brethren
August 29, 2021

*Calling In Hymn *As I went down to the river* # 1125

Welcome and Announcements

Prelude *This Little Light of Mine* traditional

Opening Prayer

Generous God,
You who are rich in mercy and generous with grace;
You who made all things and blessed creation with a
super-abundance of life.

We know our lives tell our story of faith, and that often
our wallets, checkbooks, and credit card statements
reveal our true priorities.

Transform our thinking so that our offerings tell your
story:

how you have dealt generously with us,
how you have met our needs,
how you have heard our prayers,
how your goodness is from everlasting to everlasting.

Take our lives, our hands, our voices, and our silver and
gold that we may be ever, only, all for thee.

Amen.

*Hymn *Take my life (vs. 1, 3, 4, 6)* # 389

Moment for Mission

Hearing from God's Word

Scripture 1 Timothy 6:3-10, 17-19 (p. # 210-211)

*Hymn *If My People's Hearts Are Humbled*

Message *Say What?
Money is the root of all evil?*

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 *Christ be in my mind* #1133

*Benediction

*Postlude *Swing Low* Spiritual

*Please stand as you are able.

THIS WEEK AT OAK GROVE

Today Picnic after worship

Monday 9:00 a.m. Crafters

Thursday 2:00 p.m. Games

Sunday 9:45 a.m. Sunday School
11:00 a.m. Worship

Carol will be working from home next week with Annual
Conference Program and Arrangements Committee
meetings.

PRAYER

Wayne Cook, congestive heart failure
Dawn Thomas, kidney issues
Doris Light, in hospice care
Vivian Prillaman, Friendship South rehab
Barbara Cook, recovering at home
Bill Fowler, recovering at home
Lois Sowder, recovering from back surgery
Dan Brogan, Richfield Rehab for fractured femur
Jessye Westmoreland, hip replacement Sept. 3rd
Diane Grant, incisional ventral obstructive bowel hernia
Renee Tatum, seizure management

ATTENDANCE AND OFFERING (8/22)

Sunday School - 50
Worship- 75
Received on 8/22- \$4,110

CHURCH STAFF AND VOLUNTEERS

Pastor Tim Harvey
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Minister of Nurture and Music Carol Elmore
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Worship Leader Eli Raymond
Worship Leader (9/5) Maggie Pizzullo

Instrumentalists

Stephen Wills	organ
Joe Blaha	piano, hymn arranger
Sam Phillips	viola
Tim Harvey	guitar

We are grateful to Joe Blaha for providing our service music today while Stephen is on vacation.

Oak Grove is participating in the Crop Hunger Walk October 10th. If you would like to support them, the link directly to the team donation page is:

<https://events.crophungerwalk.org/2021/team/oak-grove-cob>

You can also donate cash or checks to “oak grove” with a memo stating “2021 Crop Hunger Walk.”

For more info, contact Julie at j.chumbley23@outlook.com.

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



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.



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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1125 As I went down to the river to pray

Optional piano intro/interlude

♩ = 60 *ruggedly*

Musical notation for piano intro/interlude, featuring a treble and bass staff with a 3/4 time signature and a tempo of 60 beats per minute. The style is marked as 'ruggedly'.

mf
As I went
mf

Musical notation for the vocal line 'As I went', with a mezzo-forte (*mf*) dynamic marking.

down _____

Musical notation for the vocal line 'down to the river to pray', including a long note for the word 'down'.

Text: traditional
 Music: traditional, arr. William Whitley (1963-), 2004
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who shall wear the star-ry crown, _ good Lord show me the way. _

Musical notation for the vocal line 'who shall wear the star-ry crown, good Lord show me the way.'.

Refrain

Oh *sis- ters, let's go down, _ let's go down, don't you want to come down. _

Musical notation for the Refrain, including the vocal line and piano accompaniment.

*2nd time: "brothers"
 3rd time: "mothers"
 4th time: "fathers"
 5th time: "sinners"

Oh, *sis- ters, let's go down, let's go down to the riv-er to pray.

Musical notation for the vocal line 'Oh, sis- ters, let's go down, let's go down to the river to pray.'.

voicing option for some verses

Sop. *p*
 Alto (Ooh)
 Tenor *mf*
 Bass

As I went down to the ri- ver to pray, stu- dy- in' a- bout that good old way and

Musical notation for voicing options for Soprano, Alto, Tenor, and Bass.

to refrain

(ooh) _____

who shall wear the star-ry crown. Good Lord, show me the way. _

Musical notation for the final vocal line, including a long note for '(ooh)' and the final line of the song.

If My People's Hearts Are Humbled 805

If My people will humble themselves, then will I heal their land. 2 Chronicles 7:14

1. If My peo-ple's hearts are hum-bled, If they pray and seek My face;
2. Then My eyes will see their sor-row, Then My ears will hear their plea.

If they turn a-way from e-vil I will not with-hold My grace.
If My peo-ple's hearts are hum-bled I will set their na-tion free.

I will hear their prayers from heav-en; I will par-don ev-ery sin.
If My peo-ple's hearts are hum-bled, If they pray and seek My face;

If My peo-ple's hearts are hum-bled, I will sure-ly heal their land.
If they turn a-way from e-vil I will not with-hold My grace.

TEXT: Claire Cloninger; based on 2 Chronicles 7:14
MUSIC: John Zundel
A higher setting may be found at No. 93

BEECHER
8.7.8.7.D.

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Christ be in my mind

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TERESA'S PRAYER 10.11.10.11.10.11

(Capo 3) F (D) C (A) F (D) B^b(G) Gm (Em) C (A)

Christ be in my mind and in my think-ing, Christ be in my eyes, in
ev-'ry-thing I see, Christ be in my ears and in my hear-ing,
Christ be in my mouth, in ev-'ry word I speak, Christ be in my heart and
in my lov-ing, Christ be in my life, each mo-ment that I live.

Text: St. Teresa of Avila (1515-1582)
Music: Joseph Hellrich (1955-), 1999
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