

**Oak Grove Church of the Brethren**  
**February 13, 2022**

\*Calling in Hymn *How Great Thou Art* # 1021

**Welcome and Announcements**

Prelude *It's a Me, O Lord* Peter Wolf

\*Call to Worship based on Psalm 1, *The Message*

You have a great relationship with God—  
you don't hang out at Sin Saloon,  
you don't slink down along Dead-End Road,  
you don't go to Smart-Mouth College.

**Instead you thrill on God's Word,  
you chew on Scripture day and night.**

**You're a tree replanted in Eden,  
bearing fresh fruit every month,  
never dropping a leaf,  
always in blossom.**

You're not at all like the wicked, who are mere windblown  
dust—without defense in court, unfit company for  
innocent people.

**God charts the road you take. The road *they* take is  
Skid Row.**

Song *I Saw a Tree by the Riverside* K Medema  
(Carol Elmore, solo)

**Moment for Mission**

\*Response *Praise, I will praise You, Lord* (vs. 1) # 76

**Hearing from God's Word**

Scripture Jeremiah 17:5-10 (OT, p. #719)  
Luke 6:17-26 (NT, p. #64)

Song (230) *Blessed are the Persecuted* Tonga melody  
(Kris Tilley-Lubbs, Dan Lubbs, Carol Elmore)

Message *Deep roots*

**Prayer of Aspiration**

**Lord make me an instrument of your peace.**

**Where there is hatred, let me sow love.**

**Where there is injury, pardon.**

**Where there is doubt, faith.**

**Where there is despair, hope.**

**Where there is darkness, light.**

**Where there is sadness, joy.**

**O Divine master, grant that I may not so much seek to  
be consoled as to console,  
to be understood, as to understand,  
to be loved, as to love.**

**For it is in giving that we receive,  
it is pardoning that we are pardoned,  
and it is in dying that we are born to eternal life.**

**Amen.**

**Sharing Joys and Concerns**

**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 *God, who touches earth* # 511

**\*Benediction**

**\*Postlude**

\*Please stand as you are able.

**THIS WEEK AT OAK GROVE**

Today	1:00 p.m.	Executive Committee
	2:00 p.m.	Brethren Bowl at Wasena Park
Monday	9:00 a.m.	Crafters
	12:30 p.m.	Backpack Ministry
Tuesday	9:00 a.m.	ESL Classes
	5:30 p.m.	Handbells
	6:30 p.m.	Children's Zoom
	7:30 p.m.	Youth Zoom
Wednesday	11:30 a.m.	Munch Bunch at Red Lobster
	7:00 p.m.	Choir
Thursday	9:00 a.m.	ESL Classes
	2:00 p.m.	Games
Sunday	9:45 a.m.	Sunday School
	11:00 a.m.	Worship
	12:15 p.m.	Youth Bowling
	1:30 p.m.	Book Study "Trouble I've Seen"

**PRAYER**

Wayne Cook, congestive heart failure  
Doris Light, in hospice care  
Dan Brogan, home rehab for broken leg  
John King, home rehab for broken leg  
Morton Witt, melanoma  
Hollie Craighead Johnson, breast cancer  
Ralph & Phyllis Petcher, health concerns  
Misty King, heart attack  
Martha Gregory, chest pains  
Mason Catron, intestinal issues  
Bill Whitlow, recovering from surgery

## CHURCH STAFF AND VOLUNTEERS

Pastor Tim Harvey  
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Minister of Nurture and Music Carol Elmore  
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Worship leader Kirsten Lubbs-Robinson  
Worship leader (2/20) Sara Blaha

Nursery workers Randall Eakin & Lisa Newell  
Nursery workers (2/20) Kirsten Lubbs-Robinson &  
Kris Tilley-Lubbs

### Instrumentalists

*Stephen Wills organ*  
*Joe Blaha piano*  
*Kathie Robinson flute*  
*Sam Phillips viola*



**Virlina Race Education Team**  
**Necessary Conversations: Sankofa Journey**  
**February 20, 2022 at 7:00 p.m.**

For more info, contact Ellen at (540) 761-7754.

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Interested in supporting our mission and ministry financially? You may contribute via the Tithely app on your smartphone or in the offering box.



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.

## ATTENDANCE AND OFFERING (2/06)

Sunday School- 29  
Worship- 58  
Received on 2/06 - \$ 4,190



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