

Oak Grove Church of the Brethren
February 27, 2022 • Transfiguration Sunday

*Calling in Hymn *Sweet hour of prayer* # 11

Welcome and Announcements

Prelude *Holy, Holy, Holy* John Dykes
(Oak Grove Ringers)

*Call to Worship

From a cloud and in a crowd, God speaks to us,
calling us to be lovers of justice; calling us to prayer.
On mountaintops and in neighborhoods, Jesus beckons us
to follow,
into his presence; into the struggle of discipleship.
On the playground and at the workstation, the Spirit
whispers in our hearts:
**“the way might be long; but Jesus is the One to
follow.”**

*Hymn *Open my eyes, that I may see* # 517

Moment for Mission

*Response *Praise God from whom* # 119

Oak Grove Ringers *Oh, How I Love Jesus* Whitfield

Hearing from God’s Word

Scripture Luke 9:28-36 (NT, p. # 69-70)
Message *The glory without the struggle?*

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 *Gracious Spirit, dwell with me* # 507

*Benediction

*Postlude

*Please stand as you are able.

Thanks to Diane Grant for directing our hymns today while Carol
is with the youth at Roundtable.

THIS WEEK AT OAK GROVE

Today	1:30 p.m.	Book Study “Trouble I’ve Seen”
Monday	9:00 a.m.	Crafters
	12:30 p.m.	Backpack Ministry
	6:30 p.m.	Youth Yard Sale Set-up
Tuesday	9:00 a.m.	ESL Classes
	5:30 p.m.	Handbells
	7:00 p.m.	Peace & Justice
Wednesday	12:00 p.m.	Ash Wednesday Service
	6:30 p.m.	Ash Wednesday Service
	7:00 p.m.	Choir Rehearsal
Thursday	9:00 a.m.	ESL Classes
	2:00 p.m.	Games
	5:30 p.m.	Evangelism & Membership
	6:00 p.m.	Christian Education
	6:00 p.m.	Missions & Service
Saturday	8:00 a.m.	Project WARM
Sunday	9:45 a.m.	Sunday School
	11:00 a.m.	Worship
	1:30 p.m.	Book Study “Trouble I’ve Seen”

ATTENDANCE AND OFFERING (2/20)

Sunday School- 41
Worship- 71
Received on 2/20 - \$ 785.00

*Reminder that financial statements are available on
the table in the narthex.*

CHURCH STAFF AND VOLUNTEERS

Pastor Tim Harvey
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Minister of Nurture and Music Carol Elmore
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Worship leader Gloria Harmon
Worship leader (3/6) Kathie Robinson

Nursery workers Trenton & Kristin Marcum
Nursery workers (3/6) Tanya & Maggie Pizzullo

Instrumentalists

Stephen Wills organ
Joe Blaha piano

PRAYER

Doris Light, in hospice care
John King, home rehab for broken leg
Morton Witt, melanoma
Ralph & Phyllis Petcher, health concerns
Misty King, heart attack
Bill Whitlow, recovering from hernia surgery
Phyllis Petcher, recovering from eye surgery
Dennis Shearer, recovering from colon surgery

Pray for Karen Duhaj, Director of Student Development, at Bethany Theological Seminary. Let us remember that every person who serves the Body of Christ is important and that those parts which seem to be weaker are indispensable.

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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.



Peacefully. Simply. Together.

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Oh, How I Love Jesus, by Frederick Whitfield

1 There is a name I love to hear,
I love to sing its worth;
it sounds like music in my ear,
the sweetest name on earth.

Refrain:

O how I love Jesus,
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because he first loved me!

2 It tells me of a Savior's love,
who died to set me free;
it tells me of his precious blood,
the sinner's perfect plea. [Refrain]

3 It tells of one whose loving heart
can feel my deepest woe;
who in each sorrow bears a part
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