

Oak Grove Church of the Brethren  
September 18, 2022

\*Calling in Hymn *Let our love reveal Your glory* # 1108  
(refrain)  
*When morning gilds the skies* #644

Welcome and Announcements

Prelude *Aurelia* arr. Wesley

\*Call to Worship adapted from Psalm 113, *The Message*  
*The congregation responds in bold*

Hallelujah! You who serve God, praise God!

**Just to remember God is a blessing—now and tomorrow and always.**

From east to west, from dawn to dusk, keep lifting all your praises to God! Who can compare with God, our God, so majestically enthroned?

**He picks up the poor from out of the dirt, rescues the wretched who've been thrown out with the trash, seats them among the honored guests—a place of honor among the brightest and best. Hallelujah!**

\*Prayer of Invocation

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Call and send us, O God, to seek and serve you today.

**Give us the wisdom and courage to choose (again and again) truth and love over fear and hate.**

Free us from all deception and every temptation away from you.

**Help us to perceive you in the faces of our neighbors.**  
Amen.

\*Hymn *We praise thee, O God* (vs 1,2,5) # 99

Children's Story Pastor Tim

Offertory *Choral on DIX* arr. Kocher

Moment for Mission

Offertory

Response *Praise Him, praise Him!* (vs. 1) # 100

Anthem *Here is love* Lowry

Hearing God's Word

Scripture 1 Corinthians 11:17-34 (NT, p. # 173)

Message ***A big gospel in a world of little things, part 2***  
***Possibility—Trusting God in the Particular***

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 *Let our love reveal your glory* # 1108  
(Mel Purcell, verses)

\*Benediction

\*Postlude

\*Please stand as you are able.

Please join us in the social hall for after church fellowship.

THIS WEEK AT OAK GROVE

Monday	9:00 a.m.	Crafters
	9:00 a.m.	ESL
Tuesday	9:00 a.m.	Awakening Bible Study here at Oak Grove
	5:30 p.m.	Handbells
Wednesday	9:00 a.m.	ESL
	11:00 a.m.	Munch Bunch at K&W
Thursday	2:00 p.m.	Games
Sunday	9:45 a.m.	Sunday School
	11:00 a.m.	Worship

PRAYER

Doris Light, in hospice care  
Dennis Shearer, chemotherapy infusions  
Ralph Petcher, long term chemo for Leukemia  
Dolores Huffman, Friendship South Rm. 122  
Leland Flora, recovering from foot injury  
Morton Witt, hernia issues  
Hannah Tyler, nodule in her pituitary gland  
Sherry Milliron, rehab for knee replacement  
Carol Elmore, hernia surgery recovery

## 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 (9/25) Scott Yingling

Nursery workers Tanya & Maggie Pizzullo  
Nursery workers (9/25) Alli Yingling & Lynette Harvey

### Instrumentalists

Stephen Wills organ  
Joe Blaha piano

### Ushers

Jane Grisso  
Vada Henshaw  
Milton Hartman  
Brent White

## ATTENDANCE AND OFFERING (9/11)

Sunday School- 44  
Worship- 68 (in person); 19 (online) = 87  
Received on 9/11- \$ 1,680.00

### August 2022

Offering	\$ 171,671
Expenses	\$ 193,990
Deficit	\$ 22,319

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Interested in supporting our mission and ministry financially? 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.



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A Big Gospel in a  
World of Little Things, Part 2:  
*Great Things Through Little People*