

**Oak Grove Church of the Brethren**  
**October 30, 2022**

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

**Welcome and Announcements**

**Prelude** *Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee* Beethoven  
 Guest organist Geoffrey Weaver

**\*Call to Worship**

*The congregation responds in bold*

We proclaim our faith in God:

**who so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life** (John 3:16).

We proclaim our faith in Jesus:

**who did not come to serve, but to serve, and to give his life as a ransom for many** (Mark 10:45).

We proclaim our faith in Holy Spirit:

**for we do not know how to pray as we ought, but that very Spirit intercedes with sighs too deep for words** (Romans 8:26).

This, dear church, is love: not that we loved God, but that he loved us and sent his Son as an atoning sacrifice for our sins (1 John 4:10). Let us proclaim our faith in worship!

**\*Prayer of Invocation**

**Almighty and merciful God, it is only by your grace that your faithful people offer our lives to you. Grant that we may run without stumbling to obtain your heavenly promises; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen**

\*Hymn *My Lighthouse* Wilkeson/Llewelle

**Children's Story**

Alli Yingling

**Offering**

**Moment for Mission**

**Offertory** *Give My All* Boole  
**Doxology** tune # 119

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*Grounded in the Gospel: Building Believers the Old-Fashioned Way.*

Tune: Old Hundredth. Text: James 1:17

*Each perfect gift from heaven's heights comes from our Father, God of Lights, who knows full well our ev'ry need and ev'ry prayer of faith will heed.*

**Anthem** *Love the Lord Your God* Brewster

**Hearing God's Word**

**Scripture** Matthew 22:34-40 (NT, p. # 25)  
**Message** *The Jesus Creed*

**Sharing Joys and Concerns**

**Pastoral Prayer, with the *Jesus Creed***

**The Lord our God, the Lord is one. Love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your soul, with all your mind, and with all your strength. And love your neighbor as yourself. There is no commandment greater than these.**

\*Hymn *My Jesus, I love thee* (vs. 1, 3) # 522

**\*Benediction**

\*Postlude *Lord What Can I Give Him* arr. Weaver  
 Guest organist Geoffrey Weaver

\*Please stand as you are able.

**THIS WEEK AT OAK GROVE**

|           |            |   |
|-----------|------------|---|
| Monday    | 9:00 a.m.  | Crafters                                |
|           | 9:00 a.m.  | ESL                                     |
| Tuesday   | 5:30 p.m.  | Handbells                               |
|           | 7:00 p.m.  | Peace & Justice (Zoom)                  |
| Wednesday | 9:00 a.m.  | ESL                                     |
|           | 5:45 p.m.  | Dinner                                  |
|           | 6:30 p.m.  | Bible Study-The Jesus Creed             |
|           | 7:00 p.m.  | Choir                                   |
| Thursday  | 9:00 a.m.  | Women's Bible Study                     |
|           | 2:00 p.m.  | Games                                   |
|           | 5:30 p.m.  | Evangelism & Membership                 |
|           | 6:00 p.m.  | Christian Ed Meeting (Zoom)             |
|           | 6:00 p.m.  | Missions & Service Meeting              |
| Saturday  | 8:30 a.m.  | SHP Bed Build                           |
|           | 7:30 a.m.  | Project WARM                            |
|           | 7:30 a.m.  | Camp Bethel Work Day                    |
|           | 2:00 p.m.  | Celebration of Life for Dolores Huffman |
| Sunday    | 9:45 a.m.  | Sunday School                           |
|           | 11:00 a.m. | Worship                                 |
|           | 1:00 p.m.  | Deacons Meeting                         |

**PRAYER**

Dennis Shearer, chemotherapy infusions  
 Ralph Petcher, long term chemo for Leukemia  
 John King, at home  
 Misty King, heart surgery recovery  
 Gladis Lehman, congestive heart failure

## CHURCH STAFF AND VOLUNTEERS

Pastor Tim Harvey  
pastortim@oakgrovecob.org

Minister of Nurture and Music Carol Elmore  
carol@oakgrovecob.org

Worship leader Ashley Tatum  
Worship leader (11/6) Charlie Purcell

Nursery workers Kirsten Lubbs-Robinson & Kris Tilley-Lubbs  
Nursery workers (11/6) Alli Yingling & Lynette Harvey

### Instrumentalists

Stephen Wills organ  
Joe Blaha piano  
Mel Purcell guitar

## ATTENDANCE AND OFFERING (10/23)

Sunday School- 31  
Worship- 72 (in person); 13 (online) = 85  
Received 10/23- \$ 4,510.00; \$ 2,423 (online) = \$ 6,933.00

## CONNECTING WITH OAK GROVE



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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.



Childcare is available during the worship service for children birth to 2<sup>nd</sup> grade.



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*Great Prayers of the Church:  
The Jesus Creed*

# My Lighthouse

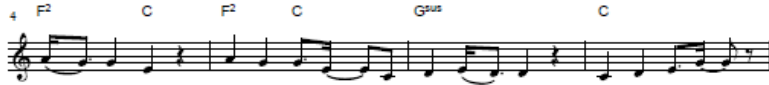
Words and Music by  
Gareth Gilkeson and Chris Llewellyn

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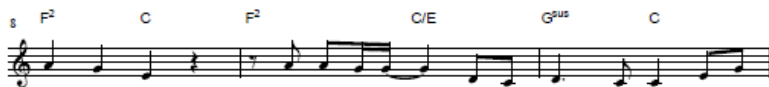
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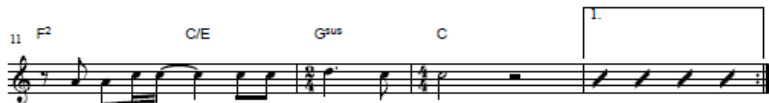
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2. In the si - lence, You  
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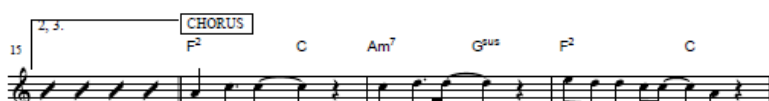
in my doubts, in my fail - ures, You won't walk out, Your great love will  
won't let go. In the ques - tions, Your truth will hold, Your great love will  
-mor - row brings. With each morn - ing, I'll rise and sing, My God's love will



lead me through, You are the peace in my trou - bled sea, whoa oh,  
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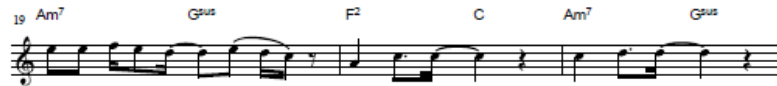


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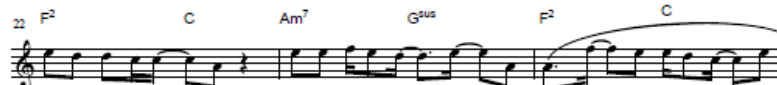


My Light - house, my Light - house shin - ing in the dark - ness,

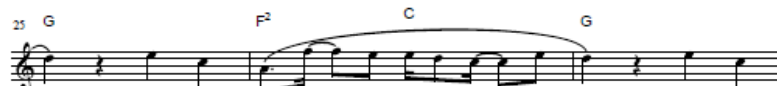
## My Lighthouse - 2



I will fol - low You! Oh, my Light - house, my Light - house,



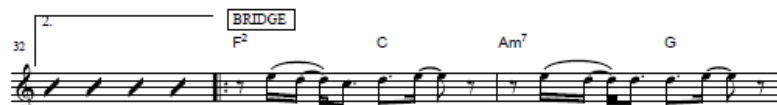
I will trust the prom - ise: You will car - ry me safe to shore,



safe to shore, safe to

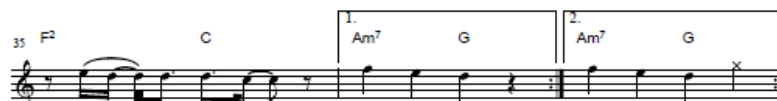


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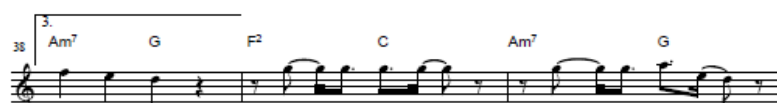


BRIDGE

Fire be - fore us, You're the bright - est



You will lead us through the storms, through the storms. Hey!



through the storms. Fire be - fore us, You're the bright - est

## My Lighthouse - 3



You will lead us through the storms, My Light - house,



my Light - house shin - ing in the dark - ness, I will fol - low You! Oh,



my Light - house, my Light - house, I will trust the prom - ise:



You will car - ry me safe to shore, safe to



shore, safe to



shore, safe to shore.