

Oak Grove Church of the Brethren
November 13, 2022

*Calling In Hymn *Here in this place* (vs. 1, 2, 3, 4) # 6

Welcome and Announcements

Prelude *Prelude* arr. Warren

*Call to Worship based on Psalm 9, *The Message*
The congregation responds in bold

We're thanking you, God, from a full heart, we're writing the book on your wonders. We're whistling, laughing, and jumping for joy; we're singing your song, High God!

The day my enemies turned tail and ran, they stumbled on you and fell on their faces. You took over and set everything right; when I needed you, you were there, taking charge.

God holds the high center; God sees and sets the world's mess right. God decides what is right for us earthlings, gives people their just deserts.

God is a safe-house for the battered, a sanctuary during bad times. The moment you arrive, you relax; you're never sorry you knocked on God's door!

*Hymn *Come and see* # 20

Children's Story Martha Gregory

Offering

Moment for Mission Brethren Volunteer Service Update

Offertory *Paean* arr. Seth

Doxology *Praise God from whom* # 119

Hearing God's Word

Scripture Psalm 10 (OT, p. # 493)

Anthem *The Prayer of St. Patrick* St. Patrick/Schoenfield
Message *St. Patrick's Breastplate*

Sharing Joys and Concerns

Morning Prayer: St. Patrick's Breastplate insert

*Hymn *God of grace and God of glory* # 366

*Benediction

*Postlude

*Please stand as you are able.

THIS WEEK AT OAK GROVE

Today	1:00 p.m.	Church Board Reorganization
Monday	9:00 a.m.	Crafters
	9:00 a.m.	ESL
	12:30 p.m.	Backpack
Tuesday	5:30 p.m.	Handbells
Wednesday	9:00 a.m.	ESL
	5:45 p.m.	Dinner
	6:30 p.m.	Bible Study
	7:30 p.m.	Choir
Thursday	2:00 p.m.	Games
Sunday	9:45 a.m.	Sunday School
	11:00 a.m.	Worship
	1:00 p.m.	Advent Decorating

PRAYER

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

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 (11/20) Alli Yingling

Nursery workers Tanya & Maggie Pizzullo
Nursery workers (11/20) Julie Chumbley & Pam Conner

Instrumentalists

Stephen Wills organ
Joe Blaha piano

ATTENDANCE AND OFFERING (11/06)

Sunday School- 33

Worship- 81 (in person); 16 (online) = 97

Received 11/06- \$ 4,423.00; \$ 566.00 (online) = \$ 4,989.00

Financials through October 2022

Offerings	\$ 218,204
Expenses	\$ 240,931
Short Oct	(\$ 22,827)
Short Aug	(\$ 27,597)

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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 2nd grade.



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*Great Prayers of the Church:
St. Patrick's Breastplate*

I arise today

through a mighty strength, the invocation of the Trinity,
through belief in the Threeness,
through confession of the Oneness of the Creator of creation.

I arise today

through the strength of Christ's birth with His baptism,
through the strength of His crucifixion with His burial,
through the strength of His resurrection with His ascension,
through the strength of His descent for the judgment of doom.

I arise today

through the strength of the love of cherubim,
in the obedience of angels,
in the service of archangels,
in the hope of resurrection to meet with reward,
in the prayers of patriarchs,
in the predictions of prophets,
in the preaching of apostles,
in the faith of confessors,
in the innocence of holy virgins,
in the deeds of righteous persons.

I arise today, through

the strength of heaven,
the light of the sun,
the radiance of the moon,
the splendor of fire,
the speed of lightning,
the swiftness of wind,
the depth of the sea,
the stability of the earth,
the firmness of rock.

I arise today, through

God's strength to pilot me,
God's might to uphold me,
God's wisdom to guide me,
God's eye to look before me,
God's ear to hear me,
God's word to speak for me,
God's hand to guard me,
God's shield to protect me,
God's host to save me
from snares of devils,
from temptation of vices,
from everyone who shall wish me ill, afar and near.

I summon today all these powers between me and those evils,

against every cruel and merciless power that may oppose my body and soul,
against incantations of false prophets,
against black laws of pagandom,
against false laws of heretics,
against craft of idolatry,

**against spells of witches and smiths and wizards,
against every knowledge that corrupts man's body and soul;**

Christ to shield me today
**against poison, against burning,
against drowning, against wounding,
so that there may come to me an abundance of reward.**

Christ with me,
Christ before me,
Christ behind me,
Christ in me,
Christ beneath me,
Christ above me,
Christ on my right,
Christ on my left,
Christ when I lie down,
Christ when I sit down,
Christ when I arise,
Christ in the heart of everyone who thinks of me,
Christ in the mouth of everyone who speaks of me,
Christ in every eye that sees me,
Christ in every ear that hears me.

I arise today
**through a mighty strength, the invocation of the Trinity,
through belief in the Threeness,
through confession of the Oneness of the Creator of creation.**