

Oak Grove Church of the Brethren
June 9, 2024

*Calling in Hymn *Joyful, joyful, we adore Thee* # 71

Welcome and Announcements

Prelude *Rejoice, the Lord Is King* Smith

*Prayer of Invocation

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The congregation responds in bold

Covenanting God, you declared your wonders in the heavens but made known your character in calling a people.

You shaped your people's life through Elijah, Jeremiah, and the prophets.

Then in Jesus you made yourself fully known to us, and in his death and resurrection you healed the past through forgiveness and released the future through the gift of eternal life.

In the power of the Spirit you called into being your church, and gifted us with strength to continue loving you, our God, along with our neighbors and our enemies.

We await being gathered fully to your presence on the last day. Hasten that time when every tear is dried from every eye, all secrets are transformed to your glory, all oppression is healed by your grace,

and you are all in all. Amen.

*Hymn *When the storms of life* (vs. 1, 3-5) # 558

Children's Time Alli Yingling
Childcare is provided for children 2nd grade and younger.

Offering

*To make an online contribution,
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Offertory *A Contemplative Prayer* Lasky
*Response *Praise God from whom* # 119

Hearing from God's Word

Scripture 1 Samuel 8:4-11, 16-20 (OT, p. 251)
Message ***Jumping the shark***

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 *Christian, let your light shine* # 402

*Benediction

*Postlude *HYMN TO JOY* Beethoven

*Please stand as you are able.

**Thanks to Joe Blaha for directing the music while Carol is away at FaithX at Camp Mardela, MD with the youth.

THIS WEEK AT OAK GROVE

Today 12:30 a.m. Executive Committee Meeting
Monday 9:00 a.m. Crafts
Tuesday 5:30 p.m. Handbells
Thursday 2:00 p.m. Games
Friday 6:00 p.m. Men's Father's Day Cookout
Sunday 9:45 a.m. Sunday School
11:00 a.m. Worship in Outdoor Chapel

PRAYER

Rachel Mabe, battling cancer
Ralph Petcher, long term chemo for Leukemia
Lois Sowder, Terra Bella Pheasant Ridge
Phyllis Meadows, Pheasant Ridge Rehab
Elsie Wertz, South Roanoke Nursing Home
Marge Montgomery, rehab at home
Dick Gottshall, recovering from illness
Beth Shearer, recovering from surgery

CHURCH STAFF AND VOLUNTEERS

Pastor Tim Harvey
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Worship leader Kris Tilley-Lubbs
Worship leader (6/16) Dan Lubbs

Nursery workers Trenton & Kristin Marcum
Nursery workers (6/16) Tanya & Vincent Pizzullo

Children's Story Alli Yingling
Children's Story (6/16) Kirsten Lubbs-Robinson

Head Usher Bill Hall

Sound Booth Don Pizzullo, Evan Jacobs & Eli Raymond

Acolyte Lincoln Yingling

Instrumentalists

Stephen Wills organ
Joe Blaha piano
Ronald Robinson string bass


ATTENDANCE (6/2/24)


Sunday School- 52


Worship- 107 (in person); 14 (online) = 121


Offering- \$7,096.00


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 Interested in supporting our mission and ministry financially? Scan this QR code to contribute to via Tithely.


 We have a limited number of spaces reserved for those with mobility challenges. If you are able, please park in spaces farther away from the church.

 Pews and chairs marked with this logo are reserved for persons with mobility challenges and their companions.

 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.

 Hospitality is an important part of our life together—we want to know your name! If you're new here, we'd be glad to make a nametag for you. If you've been here a while, we'd love to provide a permanent nametag.


*Continuing
the work
of Jesus*
Peacefully. Simply. Together.

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CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN**

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