# Oak Grove Church of the Brethren March 2, 2025

\*Calling in Hymn'Tis so sweet to trust in Jesus

# 340

#### Welcome and Announcements, Joys and Concerns

Prelude Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee Beethoven/
(Oak Grove Ringers) arr. Sanders

#### \*Prayer of Invocation

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Creating and liberating God, you called your people into covenant with you and sealed your trust with Moses on the mountain;

You called your people back to that covenant through your prophets and spoke in a still small voice to Elijah on the mountain.

Then, in your Son Jesus, on a mountain you stood between the Law and the Prophets and revealed the radiance of your gospel.

## Transfiguring God, it is good for us to be here.

Make us your beloved, and visit all who have no one to call them beloved.

## Give us grace to listen to your voice, and bring to your heart those who have no one to listen to them.

Surround us with your presence until that great Day when all things are gathered up into your perfect presence.

Amen.

\***Hymn** Immortal, Invisible, God only wise # 70

Children's Story Alli Yingling

#### Offering

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OffertoryIn RetrospectMoore\*ResponsePraise God from whom# 119

Music Offering You Are My All in All Jerigan/
(Oak Grove Ringers) arr. Bettcher

#### **Hearing from God's Word**

Scripture Luke 9:28-36 (NT, p. 69)
Message Jesus is what God has to say

## 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 When we walk with the Lord # 544

#### \*Benediction

\*Postlude No. 70 & No. 340
Contemplations on this morning's hymns

\*Please stand as you are able.

Thanks to Kris Tilley-Lubbs for directing the hymns while Carol is away with our youth.

#### Congratulations to the Taylors!

Noa Emily Taylor was born February 26, 2025 at 9:30 p.m. She weighed 7 lb. 8 oz. and is 20.5 inches long. Chris, Morgan, Barnes and Noa are all doing well.

## THIS WEEK AT OAK GROVE

Today	"Guess Who	's Coming to Lunch"
Monday	9:00 a.m. 9:00 a.m.	Crafters ESL
Tuesday	5:30 p.m. 6:00 p.m.	Handbells Peace & Justice (Zoom only)
Wednesday	9:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m. 6:00 p.m. 6:45 p.m.	ESL Ash Wednesday Service Ash Wednesday Service Choir
Thursday	9:30 a.m. 2:00 p.m. Evening	Women's Faith Study Games Commission Meetings
Saturday	8:00 a.m.	Project WARM
Sunday	9:45 a.m. 11:00 a.m. 12:30 p.m.	Sunday School Worship Executive Committee

### **PRAYER**

Jonna Detweiler, cancer treatment Rachel Mabe, battling cancer Marge Montgomery, Pheasant Ridge Rehab Tanya Pizzullo, cancer surgery recovery Marianne Pittman, hospice care Dave Jones, rehab for broken leg

## **CHURCH STAFF AND VOLUNTEERS**

Pastor Tim Harvey pastortim@oakgrovecob.org

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Worship leader Scott Yingling Worship leader (3/9)

Jane Grisso

Nursery (Infant) Amanda & Jaxson Leddy
Nursery (Children) Trenton and Kristin Marcum &

**Cooper Purcell** 

Nursery (Infant- 3/9) Pam Conner & Julie Carroll
Nursery (Children- 3/9) Lisa Newell & Cooper Purcell

Head Usher Bill Hall

Sound Booth Don Pizzullo, Evan Jacobs & Eli Raymond

Acolyte Lincoln Yingling

<u>Instrumentalists</u>

Stephen Wills organ Joe Blaha piano

## ATTENDANCE AND OFFERING (2/23)

Sunday School-31

Worship- 85 (in person); 24 (online) = 109

Men's Bible Study- 11 Women's Faith Study- 15

Offering- \$ 4,077.00; \$ 180.00 (online) = \$ 4,257.00

## **CONNECTING WITH OAK GROVE**





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 the 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  $2^{nd}$  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.



Peacefully. Simply. Together.

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