

Christ is Sufficient



Oakwood
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
August 10 2025

WELCOME TO OAKWOOD

The Oakwood church family is multi-generational and multi-cultural. We are singles, young couples just starting out, families of all ages, and retirees. Every year we welcome Penn State undergrads and grad students from all over the world. We are all different but united by an earnest quest to know and serve our Lord.

*By God's grace, we long to become
"Oaks of Righteousness,"
Growing roots deep in God's Word,
Bearing fruit of God-centered holiness and worship,
and Branching out with Gospel-centered witness and service
to State College, Penn State, Central Pennsylvania, and the world.*

August 10, 2025

Prelude 8:30 – Rick Betts | 11:15 – Oakwood Musicians

Welcome and Announcements

Silent Time of Reflection

Preparing our hearts for worship

THE CALL TO WORSHIP

God's Word of Invitation

2 Corinthians 3:17-18

Now the Lord is the Spirit,
and where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is freedom.
And we all, with unveiled face, beholding the glory of the Lord,
are being transformed into the same image from one degree of glory to another.
For this comes from the Lord who is the Spirit.

8:30 SERVICE MUSIC

The Ends of All the Earth Shall Hear

Hymn #368

11:15 SERVICE MUSIC

Salvation Belongs To Our God

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1. Salvation belongs to our God
Who sits upon the throne
And unto the Lamb
Praise and glory, wisdom and thanks
Honour and power and strength

CHORUS

Be to our God for ever and ever
Be to our God for ever and ever
Be to our God for ever and ever
Amen

2. And we, the redeemed shall be strong
In purpose and unity
Declaring aloud:
Praise and glory, wisdom and thanks
Honor and power and strength

CHORUS

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Praise and glory, wisdom and thanks
Honor and power and strength

CHORUS

Our Prayer of Adoration

Rev. Dan Kiehl

THE CONFESSION OF SIN & ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

God's Law

1 John 4:7-8

Corporate Prayer of Confession

God's Promise to Pardon

1 John 4:9-11

8:30 SERVICE MUSIC

Man of Sorrows! What a Name

Hymn #246

11:15 SERVICE MUSIC

My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less

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1. My hope is built on nothing less
Than Jesus' blood and righteousness.
I dare not trust the sweetest frame,
But wholly lean on Jesus' Name.

4. When He shall come
With trumpet sound,
Oh may I then in Him be found.
Dressed in His righteousness alone,
Faultless to stand before the throne.

CHORUS

On Christ the solid Rock I stand,
All other ground is sinking sand;
All other ground is sinking sand.

CHORUS

2. When darkness hides His lovely face,
I rest on His unchanging grace.
In every high and stormy gale,
My anchor holds within the veil.

3. His oath, His covenant, His blood,
Support me in the whelming flood.
When all around my soul gives way,
He then is all my hope and stay.

CHORUS

THE BLESSINGS OF REDEMPTION

Confession of Faith - The Nicene Creed

In Unison

We believe in one God, the Father almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,
of all things visible and invisible.

And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God,
begotten from the Father before all worlds,
God from God, Light from Light,
very God of very God,
begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father;
by whom all things were made;
who for us and for our salvation
came down from heaven;
and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary,
and was made man;
and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate;
he suffered and was buried;
and the third day he rose again according to the Scriptures,
and ascended to heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father;
and he shall come again, with glory, to judge both the living and the dead;
whose kingdom shall have no end.

And we believe in the Holy Spirit,
the Lord, the giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son;
who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified;
who spoke by the prophets;
and we believe in one holy catholic and apostolic church;
we acknowledge one baptism for the remission of sins;
and we look for the resurrection of the dead,
and the life of the world to come. Amen.

God's Promise to Hear

Psalm 86:4-7

Prayer of Petition

Elder Tim Eshelman

The Lord's Prayer (ESV)

*Our Father in heaven, hallowed be Your name.
Your kingdom come, Your will be done,
On earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread,
And forgive us our debts, as we also have forgiven our debtors.
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
For Yours is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever.
Amen.*

God's Promise to Provide

Psalm 86:12-13

Our Tithes and Offerings

Congregational Song

8:30 CONGREGATIONAL SONG*

I Need Thee Every Hour

Hymn #674

11:15 CONGREGATIONAL SONG*

How Deep the Father's Love

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1. How deep the Father's love for us,
How vast beyond all measure
That He should give His only Son
To make a wretch His treasure
How great the pain of searing loss,
The Father turns His face away
As wounds which mar the chosen One,
Bring many sons to glory

2. Behold the Man upon a cross,
My sin upon His shoulders
Ashamed I hear my mocking voice,
Call out among the scoffers
It was my sin that held Him there
Until it was accomplished
His dying breath has brought me life
I know that it is finished

3. I will not boast in anything
No gifts, no power, no wisdom
But I will boast in Jesus Christ
His death and resurrection
Why should I gain from His reward?
I cannot give an answer
But this I know with all my heart
His wounds have paid my ransom

THE WORD OF LIFE

Colossians 4:7-18

Senior Pastor Rev. Dan Kiehl

CHANGED BY GRACE

⁷ Tychicus will tell you all about my activities. He is a beloved brother and faithful minister and fellow servant in the Lord. ⁸ I have sent him to you for this very purpose, that you may know how we are and that he may encourage your hearts, ⁹ and with him Onesimus, our faithful and beloved brother, who is one of you. They will tell you of everything that has taken place here.

¹⁰ Aristarchus my fellow prisoner greets you, and Mark the cousin of Barnabas (concerning whom you have received instructions—if he comes to you, welcome him), ¹¹ and Jesus who is called Justus. These are the only men of the circumcision among my fellow workers for the kingdom of God, and they have been a comfort to me. ¹² Epaphras, who is one of you, a servant of Christ Jesus, greets you, always struggling on your behalf in his prayers, that you may stand mature and fully assured in all the will of God. ¹³ For I bear him witness that he has worked hard for you and for those in Laodicea and in Hierapolis.

¹⁴ Luke the beloved physician greets you, as does Demas. ¹⁵ Give my greetings to the brothers at Laodicea, and to Nympha and the church in her house. ¹⁶ And when this letter has been read among you, have it also read in the church of the Laodiceans; and see that you also read the letter from Laodicea. ¹⁷ And say to Archippus, “See that you fulfill the ministry that you have received in the Lord.”

¹⁸ I, Paul, write this greeting with my own hand. Remember my chains. Grace be with you.

8:30 SERVICE MUSIC*

Stand Up, My Soul; Shake Off Your Fears

Hymn #577

11:15 SERVICE MUSIC*

Yet Not I But Through Christ In Me

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1. What gift of grace
is Jesus my redeemer
There is no more
for heaven now to give
He is my joy
my righteousness and freedom
My steadfast love
my deep and boundless peace
To this I hold my hope is only Jesus
For my life is wholly bound to his
Oh how strange and divine
I can sing all is mine
Yet not I but through Christ in me

2. The night is dark
but I am not forsaken
For by my side the Saviour he will stay
I labour on in weakness and rejoicing
For in my need his power is displayed
To this I hold my
Shepherd will defend me
Through the deepest valley he will lead
Oh the night has been won
and I shall overcome
Yet not I but through Christ in me

3. No fate I dread I know I am forgiven
The future sure the price
it has been paid
For Jesus bled and suffered
for my pardon
And he was raised
to overthrow the grave
To this I hold my sin has been defeated
Jesus now and ever is my plea
Oh the chains are released
I can sing I am free
Yet not I but through Christ in me

4. With every breath
I long to follow Jesus
For he has said
that he will bring me home
And day by day
I know he will renew me
Until I stand with joy before the throne
To this I hold my hope is only Jesus
All the glory evermore to him
When the race is complete
still my lips shall repeat
Yet not I but through Christ in me

THE BLESSING & SENDING OF GOD'S PEOPLE

God's Promise of Blessing

Hebrews 3:20-21

DOXOLOGY

Praise God, from Whom all blessings flow;

Praise Him, all creatures here below;

Praise Him above, ye heavenly host;

Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

Amen, Amen.

Postlude

8:30 – Rick Betts | 11:15 – Oakwood Musicians

Upcoming Events at Oakwood

- Tues. Aug 12 Ministry Development Team, Oakwood, 5-6pm
Ladies Pickleball, Bernel Rd State College, 5-7pm
Elders: Session Mtg, Oakwood, 6-7pm
- Wed. Aug 13 Women's Summer Book Club, Oakwood, 9:30 - 11:30 am
Mens Fellowship, Oakwood, 7pm
- Th. Aug 14 Red Cross Blood Drive, Oakwood, 12 - 6:30 pm
- Sun. Aug 17 Small Group Sign-up Sunday, Oakwood Gathering Space
Combined Worship Service, Resurrection OPC Church, 6pm
- Mon. Aug 18 Finance Team Mtg, Oakwood, 6:30 pm
Foreign Mission Mtg, ZOOM, 7pm
- Tues. Aug 19 HomeConnect Planning Mtg, Oakwood, 1pm
Ladies Pickleball, Bernel Rd State College, 5-7pm
- Wed. Aug 20 Mens Fellowship, Oakwood, 7pm
- Fri. Aug 22 Deacons CPR & First Aid (training), Oakwood, 5:30-9:30 pm
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