

Revelation

MAKING ALL THINGS NEW



Oakwood
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
November 16, 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.*

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

Isaiah 40:9-11

Go on up to a high mountain, O Zion, herald of good news;

Lift up your voice with strength,

O Jerusalem, herald of good news; lift it up, fear not;

Say to the cities of Judah, "Behold your God!"

Behold, the Lord God comes with might, and his arm rules for him;

Behold, his reward is with him, and his recompense before him.

He will tend his flock like a shepherd; he will gather the lambs in his arms;

He will carry them in his bosom, and gently lead those that are with young.

8:30 SERVICE MUSIC

Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise

Hymn #38

11:15 SERVICE MUSIC

10,000 Reasons (Bless The Lord)

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CHORUS

Bless the Lord O my soul
O my soul
Worship His holy name
Sing like never before
O my soul
I'll worship Your holy name

1. The sun comes up
it's a new day dawning
It's time to sing Your song again
Whatever may pass
and whatever lies before me
Let me be singing
when the evening comes

CHORUS

2. You're rich in love
and You're slow to anger
Your name is great
and Your heart is kind
For all Your goodness
I will keep on singing
Ten thousand reasons
for my heart to find

CHORUS

3. And on that day
when my strength is failing
The end draws near
and my time has come
Still my soul will sing
Your praise unending
Ten thousand years
and then forevermore

CHORUS

Our Prayer of Adoration

Rev. Ben Lee

THE CONFESSION OF SIN & ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

God's Law

Matthew 5:3-12

Corporate Prayer of Confession

God's Promise to Pardon

Romans 3:21-25

8:30 SERVICE MUSIC

Jesus Lives, and So Shall I

Hymn #706

11:15 SERVICE MUSIC

I Stand Amazed (How Marvelous)

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1. I stand amazed in the presence
Of Jesus the Nazarene
And wonder how He could love me
A sinner condemned unclean

3. And with the ransomed in glory
His face I at last shall see
It will be my joy through the ages
To sing of His love for me

CHORUS

How marvelous how wonderful
And my song shall ever be
How marvelous how wonderful
Is my Savior's love for me

CHORUS

2. He took my sins and my sorrows
He made them His very own
(And) He bore the burden to Calvary
And suffered and died alone

CHORUS

THE BLESSINGS OF REDEMPTION

Westminster Shorter Catechism, Questions 26-30

Responsive Reading

Q26. How is Christ a king?

A. As a king, Christ brings us under His power, rules and defends us, and restrains and conquers all His and all our enemies.

Q27. How was Christ humiliated?

A. Christ was humiliated: by being born as a man and born into a poor family; by being made subject to the law and suffering the miseries of this life, the anger of God, and the curse of death on the cross; and by being buried and remaining under the power of death for a time.

Q28. How is Christ exalted?

A. Christ is exalted by His rising from the dead on the third day, His going up into heaven, His sitting at the right hand of God the Father, and His coming to judge the world at the last day.

Q29. How are we made to take part in the redemption Christ bought?

A. We take part in the redemption Christ bought when the Holy Spirit effectively applies it to us.

Q30. How does the Holy Spirit apply to us the redemption Christ bought?

A. The Spirit applies to us the redemption Christ bought by producing faith in us and so uniting us to Christ in our effective calling.

God's Promise to Hear

Ephesians 6:16-18

Prayer of Petition

Elder Ling Rothrock

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

1 Thessalonians 5:14-15

Our Tithes and Offerings*

Congregational Song

8:30 CONGREGATIONAL SONG*

Savior, like a Shepherd Lead Us

Hymn #599

11:15 CONGREGATIONAL SONG*

Come Let Us Worship and Bow Down

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Come let us worship and bow down
Let us kneel before the Lord our God our Maker
Come let us worship and bow down
Let us kneel before the Lord our God our Maker

For He is our God
And we are the people of His pasture
And the sheep of His hand
Yes the sheep of His hand

REPEAT 1X

THE WORD OF LIFE

Revelation 22:6-21

Senior Pastor Rev. Dan Kiehl

WORDS TO KEEP

⁶ And he said to me, “These words are trustworthy and true. And the Lord, the God of the spirits of the prophets, has sent his angel to show his servants what must soon take place.”

⁷ “And behold, I am coming soon. Blessed is the one who keeps the words of the prophecy of this book.”

⁸ I, John, am the one who heard and saw these things. And when I heard and saw them, I fell down to worship at the feet of the angel who showed them to me, ⁹ but he said to me, “You must not do that! I am a fellow servant with you and your brothers the prophets, and with those who keep the words of this book. Worship God.”

¹⁰ And he said to me, “Do not seal up the words of the prophecy of this book, for the time is near. ¹¹ Let the evildoer still do evil, and the filthy still be filthy, and the righteous still do right, and the holy still be holy.”

¹² “Behold, I am coming soon, bringing my recompense with me, to repay each one for what he has done. ¹³ I am the Alpha and the Omega, the first and the last, the beginning and the end.”

¹⁴ Blessed are those who wash their robes, so that they may have the right to the tree of life and that they may enter the city by the gates. ¹⁵ Outside are the dogs and sorcerers and the sexually immoral and murderers and idolaters, and everyone who loves and practices falsehood.

¹⁶ “I, Jesus, have sent my angel to testify to you about these things for the churches. I am the root and the descendant of David, the bright morning star.”

¹⁷ The Spirit and the Bride say, “Come.” And let the one who hears say, “Come.” And let the one who is thirsty come; let the one who desires take the water of life without price.

SERMON NOTES

¹⁸ I warn everyone who hears the words of the prophecy of this book: if anyone adds to them, God will add to him the plagues described in this book, ¹⁹ and if anyone takes away from the words of the book of this prophecy, God will take away his share in the tree of life and in the holy city, which are described in this book.

²⁰ He who testifies to these things says, “Surely I am coming soon.” Amen. Come, Lord Jesus!

²¹ The grace of the Lord Jesus be with all. Amen.

8:30 SERVICE MUSIC*

Shout, for the Blessed Jesus Reigns

Hymn #369

11:15 SERVICE MUSIC*

Revelation Song

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1. Worthy is the Lamb who was slain
Holy, holy is He
Sing a new song to Him who sits on
Heaven's mercy seat

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CHORUS

Holy, holy, holy
Is the Lord God Almighty
Who was and is and is to come
With all creation I sing praise
To the King of kings
You are my everything and
I will adore You

3. Clothed in rainbows of living color
Flashes of lightning rolls of thunder
Blessing and honor strength and glory
And power be
To You the only wise King

CHORUS

4. Filled with wonder
Awestruck wonder
At the mention of Your name
Jesus Your name is power,
Breath and living water
Such a marvelous mystery

CHORUS

THE BLESSING & SENDING OF GOD'S PEOPLE

God's Promise of Blessing

1 Thessalonians 3:12-13

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

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**GET > > > >
CONNECTED**



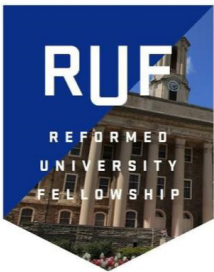
**Share a prayer need or request our weekly emails, keeping
you connected to the life of your church!**



The Session (Elders and Pastors) set a goal earlier this year to help Oakwood grow in Christ-exalting, member-strengthening connectedness and strive toward a goal of “Everybody Has Somebody.” If you are not already connected to a small group we encourage you to join one this fall.



Use the QR Code for more information on how to connect.



Looking to get involved with a community of believers on campus?

Contact Matt Dabiero: matt.dabiero@ruf.org

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