



Faith of Our Fathers



Oakwood
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
February 15, 2026

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 – Jeff Bell | 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

Psalms 105:1-5

Give praise to the Lord, proclaim His name;
make known among the nations what He has done.

Sing to him, sing praise to Him;
tell of all His wonderful acts.

Glory in His holy name;
let the hearts of those who seek the Lord rejoice.

Look to the Lord and His strength;
seek His face always.

8:30 SERVICE MUSIC

The Church's One Foundation

Hymn #347

11:15 SERVICE MUSIC

All Creatures of Our God and King

Words by Francis of Assisi, 1225. Music by Peter von Brachel, 1623. | CCLI License No. 478868

1. All creatures of our God and King
Lift up your voice and with us sing;
Oh praise Him, alleluia
Thou burning sun with golden beam
Thou silver moon with softer gleam
Oh praise Him, oh praise Him;
Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia

2. Let all things their Creator bless
And worship Him in humbleness;
Oh praise Him, alleluia
Praise, praise the Father,
Praise the Son
And praise the Spirit three in one
Oh praise Him, oh praise Him;
Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia

3. All the redeemed
Washed in His blood
Come and rejoice in His great love;
Oh praise Him, alleluia
Christ has defeated every sin
Cast all your burdens now on Him
Oh praise Him, oh praise Him;
Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia

4. He shall return in power to reign
Heaven and earth will e'er proclaim;
Oh praise Him, alleluia
Then who shall fall on bended knee?
All creatures of our God and King
Oh praise Him, oh praise Him;
Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia

Our Prayer of Adoration

Elder Dave Borch

THE CONFESSION OF SIN & ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

God's Law

Matthew 5:21-22

Corporate Prayer of Confession

God's Promise to Pardon

Psalm 32:1-2

8:30 SERVICE MUSIC

Out of My Bondage, Sorrow, and Night

Hymn #503

11:15 SERVICE MUSIC

His Mercy Is More

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1. What love could remember
No wrongs we have done
Omniscient all knowing
He counts not their sum
Thrown into a sea
Without bottom or shore
Our sins they are many
His mercy is more

2. What patience would wait
As we constantly roam
What Father so tender
Is calling us home
He welcomes the weakest
The vilest the poor
Our sins they are many
His mercy is more

CHORUS

Praise the Lord
His mercy is more
Stronger than darkness
New every morn
Our sins they are many
His mercy is more

3. What riches of kindness
He lavished on us
His blood was the payment
His life was the cost
We stood 'neath a debt
We could never afford
Our sins they are many
His mercy is more

CHORUS

THE BLESSINGS OF REDEMPTION

Heidelberg Catechism, Lord’s Day 10, Questions 27 & 28 Responsive Reading

Q27. What do you mean by the providence of God?

A. Providence is the almighty, ever-present power of God by which He still upholds, as though with His own hand, heaven and earth and all creatures, and so governs them that leaf and blade, rain and drought, fruitful and lean years, food and drink, health and sickness, riches and poverty indeed, all things, come to us not by chance but from His fatherly hand.

Q28. How does it help us to know that God has created all things and still upholds them by His providence?

A. We can be patient when things go against us, thankful when things go well, and confident for the future in our faithful God and Father, fully trusting that nothing in creation can separate us from His love; for all things created are so entirely in His hand that without His will they cannot even move.

God’s Promise to Hear	<i>Psalm 145:17-19</i>
Prayer of Petition	Elder Dave Borch
God’s Promise to Provide	<i>Psalm 145:8-10</i>
Our Tithes and Offerings*	Evidences of Grace

8:30 & 11:15 *Evidences of Grace** Nathan Tack

**The Ushers will come forward during the offering.* ⁵
**Children are excused to go to nursery (7 mo.-2 yrs) and Childrens Bible Time (3 yrs-1st grade) during the sermon.*

THE WORD OF LIFE

Genesis 8:20-9:17

Senior Pastor Rev. Dan Kiehl

THE GREAT RESET

^{8:20} Then Noah built an altar to the Lord and took some of every clean animal and some of every clean bird and offered burnt offerings on the altar. ²¹ And when the Lord smelled the pleasing aroma, the Lord said in his heart, “I will never again curse the ground because of man, for the intention of man’s heart is evil from his youth. Neither will I ever again strike down every living creature as I have done. ²² While the earth remains, seedtime and harvest, cold and heat, summer and winter, day and night, shall not cease.”

^{9:1} And God blessed Noah and his sons and said to them, “Be fruitful and multiply and fill the earth. ² The fear of you and the dread of you shall be upon every beast of the earth and upon every bird of the heavens, upon everything that creeps on the ground and all the fish of the sea. Into your hand they are delivered. ³ Every moving thing that lives shall be food for you. And as I gave you the green plants, I give you everything. ⁴ But you shall not eat flesh with its life, that is, its blood. ⁵ And for your lifeblood I will require a reckoning: from every beast I will require it and from man. From his fellow man I will require a reckoning for the life of man.

⁶ “Whoever sheds the blood of man,
by man shall his blood be shed,
for God made man in his own image.

^{9:7} And you, be fruitful and multiply, increase greatly on the earth and multiply in it.”

⁸ Then God said to Noah and to his sons with him, ⁹ “Behold, I establish my covenant with you and your offspring after you, ¹⁰ and with every living creature that is with you, the birds, the livestock, and every beast of the earth with you, as many as came out of the ark; it is for every beast of the earth. ¹¹ I establish my covenant with you, that never again shall all flesh be cut off by the waters of the flood, and never again shall there be a flood to destroy the earth.” ¹² And God said, “This is the sign of the covenant that I make between me and you and every living creature that is with you, for all future generations: ¹³ I have set my bow in the cloud, and it shall be a sign of the covenant between me and the earth. ¹⁴ When I bring clouds over the earth and the bow is seen in the clouds, ¹⁵ I will remember my covenant that is between me and you and every living creature of all flesh. And the waters shall never again become a flood to destroy all flesh. ¹⁶ When the bow is in the clouds, I will see it and remember the everlasting covenant between God and every living creature of all flesh that is on the earth.” ¹⁷ God said to Noah, “This is the sign of the covenant that I have established between me and all flesh that is on the earth.”

8:30 SERVICE MUSIC*

The God of Abraham Praise

Hymn #34

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.

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

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

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

THE BLESSING & SENDING OF GOD'S PEOPLE

God's Promise of Blessing

2 Thessalonians 2:16-17

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 – Jeff Bell | 11:15 – Oakwood Musicians

For Those With Small Children

Nursery

Ages 7 months to 2 years

(located outside the Sanctuary)

&

Childrens Bible Time

Ages 3 years to 1st grade

(in room 126)

Is Available During the Sermon

**GET > > > >
CONNECTED**



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

IMAGINE

2026 Fundraiser & Awareness Event



KEYSTONE
FAMILY ALLIANCE



Keystone Family Alliance Event

February 24 from 6:30 - 8:30 pm

Scan the QR Code
for more information
and to register.

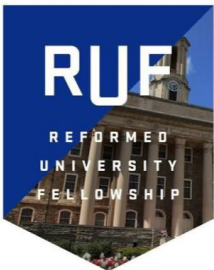




The Session (Elders and Pastors) set a goal to help Oakwood grow in Christ-exalting, member-strengthening connectedness and strive toward a goal of “Everybody Has Somebody.” If you are not already connected to a small group we encourage you to join one this fall.



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

Contact Richard Smith: richard.smith@ruf.org for RUF International

WHAT ELSE IS HAPPENING AT OAKWOOD?

Learn about ministry events going on throughout the week, and more about our church with the Church Center app & website!
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