



PHILIPPIANS

summer series



Oakwood
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

June 28, 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.*

For Those With Small Children

Nursery

Ages 7 months to 2 years

(located outside the Sanctuary)

and

Childrens Bible Time

Ages 3 years to 1st grade

(in room 126)

Is Available During the Sermon

Prelude

8:30 – Anna Stegeman | 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

Psalm 100

Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the earth!

Serve the Lord with gladness!

Come into his presence with singing!

Know that the Lord, he is God!

It is he who made us, and we are his;

we are his people, and the sheep of his pasture.

Enter his gates with thanksgiving,

and his courts with praise!

Give thanks to him; bless his name!

For the Lord is good;

his steadfast love endures forever,

and his faithfulness to all generations.

8:30 SERVICE MUSIC

Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing

Hymn #457

11:15 SERVICE MUSIC

Great Is Thy Faithfulness

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1. Great is thy faithfulness
O God my Father
There is no shadow
Of turning with thee
Thou changest not
Thy compassions, they fail not
As thou hast been thou forever wilt be

CHORUS

Great is thy faithfulness!
Great is thy faithfulness!
Morning by morning new mercies I see
All I have needed
Thy hand hath provided
Great is thy faithfulness
Lord, unto me!

2. Summer and winter
And springtime and harvest
Sun, moon, and stars
In their courses above
Join with all nature in manifold witness
To thy great faithfulness
Mercy, and love.

CHORUS

3. Pardon for sin
And a peace that endureth
Thine own dear presence
To cheer and to guide
Strength for today
And bright hope for tomorrow
Blessings all mine
With ten thousand beside

CHORUS

Our Prayer of Adoration

Rev. Ben Lee

THE CONFESSION OF SIN & ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

God's Law

Exodus 20:8-11

Prayer of Confession

God's Promise to Pardon

Hebrews 4:7-10

8:30 SERVICE MUSIC

O Love That Wilt Not Let Me Go

Hymn #708

11:15 SERVICE MUSIC

It Was Finished Upon That Cross

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1. How I love the voice of Jesus
On the Cross of Calvary
He declares his work is finished
He has spoken this hope to me
Though the sun had ceased its shining
Though the war appeared as lost
Christ had triumphed over evil
It was finished upon that Cross

2. Now the curse it has been broken
Jesus paid the price for me
Full the pardon He has offered
Great the welcome that I receive
Boldly I approach my Father
Clothed in Jesus' righteousness
There is no more guilt to carry
It was finished upon that Cross

3. Death was once my great opponent
Fear once had a hold on me
But the Son who died to save us
Rose that we would be free indeed

4. Death was once my great opponent
Fear once had a hold on me
But the Son who died to save us
Rose that we would be free indeed
Yes he rose that we would be free indeed

5. Free from ev'ry plan of darkness
Free to live and free to love
Death is dead and Christ is risen
It was finished upon that Cross
Onward to eternal glory
To my Saviour and my God
I rejoice in Jesus' victory
It was finished upon that Cross
It was finished upon that Cross
It was finished upon that Cross

THE BLESSINGS OF REDEMPTION

1 Peter 2:4-10

Responsive Reading

Leader: As you come to Him, a living stone rejected by men but in the sight of God chosen and precious, you yourselves like living stones are being built up as a spiritual house

God's People: to be a holy priesthood, to offer spiritual sacrifices acceptable to God through Jesus Christ.

Leader: For it stands in Scripture: "Behold, I am laying in Zion a stone, a cornerstone chosen and precious, and whoever believes in Him will not be put to shame."

God's People: So the honor is for you who believe, but for those who do not believe, "The stone that the builders rejected has become the cornerstone," and "A stone of stumbling, and a rock of offense."

Leader: They stumble because they disobey the word, as they were destined to do. But you are a chosen race, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, a people for His own possession,

God's People: that you may proclaim the excellencies of Him who called you out of darkness into His marvelous light.

Leader: Once you were not a people, but now you are God's people

God's People: once you had not received mercy, but now you have received mercy.

God's Promise to Hear

Psalm 4:1-3

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

Psalm 4:6-8

Our Tithes and Offerings*

Congregational Song

8:30 CONGREGATIONAL SONG*

Lord, Our Lord, Thy Glorious Name

Hymn #114

11:15 CONGREGATIONAL SONG*

Oh Love That Will Not Let Me Go

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1. O Love that will not let me go,
I rest my weary soul in thee;
I give thee back the life I owe,
That in thine ocean depths its flow
May richer, fuller be.

2. O light that followest all my way,
I yield my flickering torch to thee;
My heart restores its borrowed ray,
That in thy sunshine's blaze its day
May brighter, fairer be.

3. O Joy that seekest me through pain,
I cannot close my heart to thee;
I trace the rainbow through the rain,
And feel the promise is not vain,
That morn shall tearless be.

4. O Cross that liftest up my head,
I dare not ask to fly from thee;
I lay in dust life's glory dead,
And from the ground there blossoms red
Life that shall endless be.

**The Ushers will come forward during the offering. 8*

**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

1 Corinthians 15:58

Rev. Daniel Stegeman

ABOUNDING IN GOD'S WORK

⁵⁸ Therefore, my beloved brothers, be steadfast, immovable, always abounding in the work of the Lord, knowing that in the Lord your labor is not in vain.

8:30 SERVICE MUSIC*

Onward, Christian Soldiers

Hymn #572

11:15 SERVICE MUSIC*

O Church Arise

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1. O church arise
And put your armor on
Hear the call of Christ our Captain
For now the weak
Can say that they are strong
In the strength that God has given
With shield of faith and belt of truth
We'll stand against the devil's lies
An army bold whose battle cry is Love
Reaching out to those in darkness

2. Our call to war
To love the captive soul
But to rage against the captor
And with the sword
That makes the wounded whole
We will fight with faith and valor
When faced with trials on every side
We know the outcome is secure
And Christ will have
The prize for which He died
An inheritance of nations

3. Come see the cross
Where love and mercy meet
As the Son of God is stricken
Then see His foes
Lie crushed beneath His feet
For the Conqueror has risen
And as the stone is rolled away
And Christ emerges from the grave
This victory march continues till the day
Every eye and heart shall see Him

4. So Spirit come
Put strength in every stride
Give grace for every hurdle
That we may run
With faith to win the prize
Of a servant good and faithful
As saints of old still line the way
Retelling triumphs of His grace
We hear their calls
And hunger for the day
When with Christ we stand in glory

THE BLESSING & SENDING OF GOD'S PEOPLE

God's Promise of Blessing

Numbers 6:24-26

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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Bible Passage | Sunday, July 5, 2026

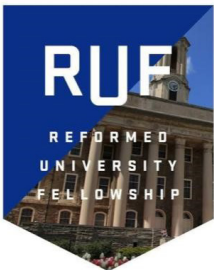
Philippians 3:12-16



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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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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