



PHILIPPIANS

summer series



Oakwood

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

July 19, 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 – 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

Psalm 62:1-2, 5-8

For God alone my soul waits in silence;
from him comes my salvation.
He alone is my rock and my salvation,
my fortress; I shall not be greatly shaken.
For God alone, O my soul, wait in silence,
for my hope is from him.
He only is my rock and my salvation,
my fortress; I shall not be shaken.
On God rests my salvation and my glory;
my mighty rock, my refuge is God.
Trust in him at all times, O people;
pour out your heart before him;
God is a refuge for us.

8:30 SERVICE MUSIC

Crown Him with Many Crowns

Hymn #295

11:15 SERVICE MUSIC

Crown Him with Many Crowns

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1. Crown Him with many crowns
The Lamb upon His throne
Hark How the heavenly anthem drowns
All music but its own
Awake, my soul and sing
Of Him Who died for thee
And hail Him as thy matchless King
Through all eternity

2. Crown Him the Lord of life
Who triumphed o'er the grave
And rose victorious in the strife
For those He came to save
His glories now we sing
Who died and rose on high
Who died eternal life to bring
And lives that death may die

3. Crown Him the Lord of love
Behold His hands and side
Rich wounds yet visible above
In beauty glorified
No angel in the sky
Can fully bear that sight
But downward bends each burning eye
At mysteries so bright

4. Crown Him the Lord of peace
Whose pow'r a scepter sways
From pole to pole
That wars may cease
And all be prayer and praise
His reign shall know no end
And round His pierced feet
Fair flow'rs of a paradise extend
Their fragrance ever sweet

5. Crown Him the Lord of years
The Potentate of time
Creator of the rolling spheres
Ineffably sublime
All hail, Redeemer, hail
For Thou has died for me
Thy praise shall never never fail
Throughout eternity

Our Prayer of Adoration

Rev. Ben Lee

THE CONFESSION OF SIN & ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

God's Law

Exodus 20:17-18

Prayer of Confession

God's Promise to Pardon

Psalms 86:3-5

8:30 SERVICE MUSIC

Turn Your Eyes upon Jesus

Hymn #481

11:15 SERVICE MUSIC

Christus Victor (Amen)

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1. O Most High King of the ages
Great I AM God of wonders
By the blood You have redeemed us
Led us through mighty waters
Our strength our song
Our sure salvation

CHORUS 1

Now to the Lamb upon the throne
Be blessing honor glory power
For the battle You have won
Hallelujah Amen

2. O Most High dwelling among us
Son of man sent for sinners
By Your blood You have redeemed us
Spotless Lamb mighty Savior
Who lived who died
Who rose victorious

CHORUS 2

Now to the Lamb upon the throne
Be blessing honor glory power
For the battle You have won
Hallelujah

With every tribe and every tongue
We join the anthem of the angels
In the triumph of the Son
Hallelujah Amen

3. O Most High King of the nations
Robed in praise crowned with splendor
On that day who will not tremble
When You stand Christ the Victor
Who was and is and is forever

CHORUS 2

THE BLESSINGS OF REDEMPTION

Westminster Shorter Catechism, Questions 7-11

Responsive Reading

Q7. What are the decrees of God?

A. The decrees of God are His eternal plan, based on the purpose of His will, by which, for His own glory, He has foreordained everything that happens.

Q8. How does God carry out His decrees?

A. God carries out His decrees in creation and providence.

Q9. What is creation?

A. Creation is God's making everything out of nothing by His powerful word in six days - and all very good.

Q10. How did God create man?

A. God created man, male and female, in His own image and in knowledge, righteousness, and holiness, to rule over the other creatures.

Q11. What is God's providence?

A. God's providence is His completely holy, wise, and powerful preserving and governing every creature and every action.

God's Promise to Hear

1 Timothy 2:1-2

Prayer of Petition

Elder Jeremy Amaismeier

God's Promise to Provide

Malachi 3:10

Our Tithes and Offerings*

Evidence of Grace

Jack & Jane Debardeleben



Welcome Jack and Jane DeBardeleben, who will share about the PCA church plant in Selinsgrove, PA, ValleyPCA, during our Evidences of Grace time in both services.

Jack and Jane will be available in the Gathering Space after the service if anyone would like to stop by.

Click the QR code for more information.



THE WORD OF LIFE

Philippians 4:10-23

Senior Pastor Rev. Dan Kiehl

THE PATH TO CONTENTMENT

¹⁰ I rejoiced in the Lord greatly that now at length you have revived your concern for me. You were indeed concerned for me, but you had no opportunity. ¹¹ Not that I am speaking of being in need, for I have learned, in whatever situation I am, to be content. ¹² I know how to be brought low, and I know how to abound. In any and every circumstance, I have learned the secret of facing plenty and hunger, abundance and need. ¹³ I can do all things through him who strengthens me.

¹⁴ Yet it was kind of you to share my trouble. ¹⁵ And you Philippians yourselves know that in the beginning of the gospel, when I left Macedonia, no church entered into partnership with me in giving and receiving, except you only. ¹⁶ Even in Thessalonica you sent me help for my needs once and again. ¹⁷ Not that I seek the gift, but I seek the fruit that increases to your credit. ¹⁸ I have received full payment, and more. I am well supplied, having received from Epaphroditus the gifts you sent, a fragrant offering, a sacrifice acceptable and pleasing to God. ¹⁹ And my God will supply every need of yours according to his riches in glory in Christ Jesus. ²⁰ To our God and Father be glory forever and ever. Amen.

²¹ Greet every saint in Christ Jesus. The brothers who are with me greet you.

²² All the saints greet you, especially those of Caesar's household.

²³ The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with your spirit.

SERMON NOTES

8:30 SERVICE MUSIC*

Though Troubles Assail Us

Hymn #95

11:15 SERVICE MUSIC*

Christ is Risen

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1. Amazing grace, how sweet the sound
That saved a wretch like me
For I once was lost, but now I'm found
Was blind, but now I see

CHORUS

Hallelujah
Christ is risen from the grave
Hallelujah
Christ is risen from the grave

2. The prodigal is welcomed home
The sinner now a saint
For the God who died,
Came back to life
And everything is changed

CHORUS

BRIDGE

O death, where is your sting?
O fear, where is your power?
For the Mighty King of kings
Has disarmed you
Delivered and redeemed
Eternal life is ours
O praise His name forever

Hallelujah
Christ is risen from the grave
Hallelujah
Christ is risen from the grave
And all throughout eternity
Our song will be the same
Hallelujah
Christ is risen from the grave

3. And on the day You call me in
To heaven's sweet embrace
I'll see Your scars, Your open arms
And the beauty of Your face
Through tears of joy, I'll lift my voice
In everlasting praise
Hallelujah
Christ is risen from the grave

BRIDGE

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 – Rick Betts | 11:15 – Oakwood Musicians



New Song



An evening with New Song.

**We are proud to host a ministry
sponsored by Geneva College.
Come hear some beautiful music and
learn about the college.**

Tuesday, July 28, 7:00 pm

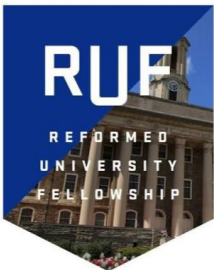
Oakwood Sanctuary



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!
www.oakwoodpca.churchcenter.com



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