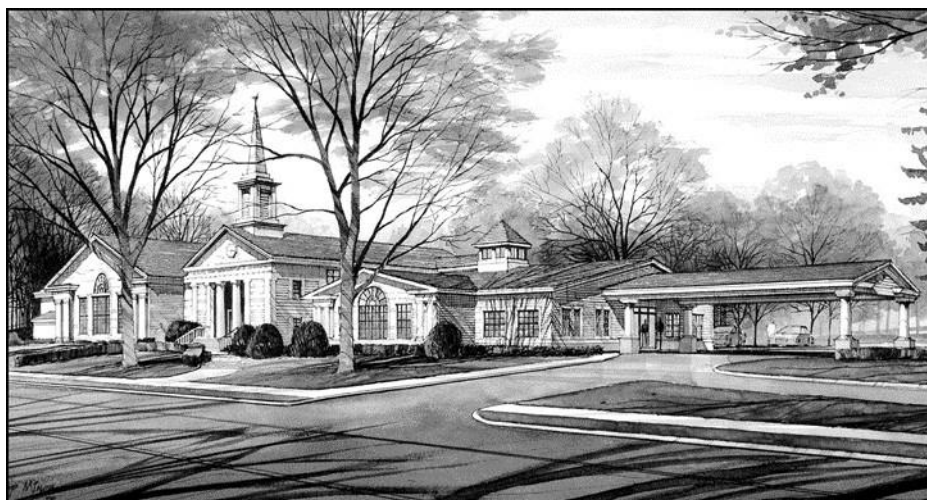




***A thriving faith community
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October 5, 2025

World Communion Sunday

10:30 a.m. Worship Service

Live Streaming on Facebook plus On Demand on YouTube

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Order of Service

*Please rise in body or spirit

Gathering Music

Panis Angelicus

Franck, arr. Setchell

Prelude

Thou Art Worthy

Mills, arr. Curry

Chime Intonation Greetings and Announcements

Introit

Come, Share the Lord

Bryan Leech

Sanctuary Choir

***Call to Worship**

Leader: From north and south, from east and west, we gather at Christ's table.

People: One table, one Christ, one world.

Leader: At this table, we are fed with the bread of heaven and the cup of salvation.

People: One table, one Christ, one world.

Leader: Let us come, rejoicing, to the feast of God's people. **ALL:**

One table, one Christ, one world.

***Opening Hymn #511**

Come, Behold! the Feast of Heaven

***Invitation to Confession**

Leader: God calls us to this table not because we are worthy, but because Christ is gracious. Trusting in God's mercy, let us confess our sins before God and one another.

***Prayer of Confession (Unison)**

Merciful God, we confess that we have turned from you in thought, word, and deed. We have allowed divisions to harden, we have ignored the cries of the hungry, and we have failed to live as one body in Christ. Forgive us. Gather us in from every place of separation, and make us one with you and with one another, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

***Assurance of Pardon**

Leader: Hear the good news: In Christ, we are reconciled to God and to one another. The table is set, grace is abundant, and mercy overflows. In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven! **People: Thanks be to God, Amen!**

***Passing the Peace of Christ**

Leader: Having been reconciled to God in Jesus Christ, let us now share the signs of that reconciliation with one another. The Peace of Christ be with you.

All: And also with you. (Please share the Peace of Christ with those around you saying "Peace be with you".)

Children's Time

Anthem

One Song
Sanctuary Choir

Pepper Choplin

Scripture Reading

Luke 22:14-20; N. T. pg. 86

Sermon

One Table, One Christ, One World

Rev. Dr. Wylie Hughes

The Offering

Offertory

For the Beauty of the Earth

Kocher, arr. Curry

*Doxology #606

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise Christ,

(Melody)

all people here below; praise Holy Spirit evermore; praise Triune

God, whom we adore. Amen.

*Invitation to the Lord's Table Leader:

The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Leader: Lift up your hearts.

People: We lift them up to the Lord.

Leader: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: It is right to give our thanks and praise.

*Great Thanksgiving

Leader: Therefore, we give thanks to you, joining in the chorus of praise that transcends time – connecting us to generations past, present, and future:

People: Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest. (Hymn #552)

Words of Institution

Partaking of the Bread and Cup

Communion Hymn

One Communion

Parker & Lantz

Prayers of the People

The Lord's Prayer

Leader: Listen now as we pray in the way Jesus taught us:

People: Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

Prayer Response

Amen

Dietsch

***Closing Hymn #498**

Loaves Were Broken, Words Were Spoken

***Affirmation of Faith (Unison)**

We believe in one God, who gathers the whole world to the table of grace. We believe in Jesus Christ, the bread of life, broken and shared for all nations. We believe in the Holy Spirit, who makes us one body, many members from every place. We belong to one table, one Christ, one world, today and forever. Amen.

Choral Benediction

Sevenfold Amen

Lutkin

Postlude

Festive Piece

Dennis Eliot

WELCOME! We are glad you have joined us to worship God. If you are a visitor, we invite you to introduce yourself to our Elder of the Day, Al Sager, who will be available after worship.

The **LITURGIST** today is Nancy Meister. The **USHERS/GREETERS/COMMUNION SERVERS** today are David Brummer, Mario Eugene,.....with Mary Brummer as **HEAD USHER**.

Please sign the **FRIENDSHIP PAD** as it makes its way down your row. If you are a visitor or have recently changed your address, please include this and any other information you wish to share.

The **PRAYER BOARD** is located in the Reception Room at the name tag table. You are invited to use a slip of paper to write or draw your prayer and clip it to the board. The Prayer Board will be brought into worship; however, the prayers will not be read aloud or shared. This is a unique and special opportunity for children and adults to be able to express their joys and/or concerns.

THREE WAYS TO WORSHIP! In Person, live streamed at 10:30 a.m. on Facebook and then the service (which is being recorded as we worship in person) will be available Sunday afternoons on the OPPC You Tube channel which can be accessed directly from YouTube or our webpage: www.oppchurch.org. **Please be aware that the worship service is being recorded as well as live streamed and will be broadcast via the internet.**

WE WELCOME KIDS IN WORSHIP as together we are the whole people of God! Worship Bags are available in the Reception Room at the CE Table. The **NURSERY** will be staffed **AFTER Children's Time** for infants through three years old. **PLAY & PRAY** for kids 4 years old through first grade also begins **AFTER Children's Time**. Volunteers will lead the children out to their respective classrooms and remain with the kids until after worship is over. Please pick up your child from the classroom so the teachers can also be a part of Coffee Hour.

The **FLOWERS** on the Communion Table are given by Claudia and Mike Rodems in memory of Jim Harper.

Today we **WARMLY WELCOME** to our church the Network of Religious Communities' **TOURS OF FAITH** participants! The NRC is motivated by the sacred texts and traditions of our many unique faith communities. Because our humanity is deeper than our divisions, the NRC promotes dialogue, facilitates the sharing of spiritual activities and resources and works for justice and peace. Please be sure to greet our friends at the "Breads & Spreads" Reception after the service.

Next **Sunday, October 12** is a "bye week" for **Church School, Pray & Play and the Nursery**. The following **Sunday, October 19** is the **Fall** edition of **FAMILY, FAITH & FOOD**. Please remember to RSVP via the Constant Contact to ensure we have enough food for everyone in attendance! Classes resume on Sunday, October 26.

We have 23 Littles, Bigs and Adults signed up for the **Mobile Pack on Saturday, October 18 from Noon til 2:00 pm through FEED MY STARVING CHILDREN!** This is exciting indeed! If you are not able to attend or wish to "sponsor" one of our volunteers you can do so via the OPPC website or write a check with "Feed My Starving Children" in the memo section. If you are interested in attending; please contact Linda Babcock at lindab@oppchurch.org for information.

SANDWICH SUNDAY is coming up fast on **OCTOBER 19!** Please bring your individually wrapped sandwiches with you on Sunday mornings and deposit them at the table at The Welcome Center. A member of the Mission Ministry Team will be taking them to St. Luke's Mission of Mercy for distribution.

The office will be closed on Monday, **October 13** in observance of **Indigenouse Peoples Day**.

The Presbyterian Women's Fall Program is Saturday, October 25th, at 1:00 P.M. in the Reception Room, and we will celebrate the Bicentennial of the Erie Canal as Marla Bujnicki, a certified Buffalo tour guide, will present **Bawdy Buffalo**. She will take us back 200 years to the notorious Canal District where the nights of drinking and brawling laid the groundwork for the Prohibition Era. Pie and coffee will be served and the cost of the program is \$3.00. Reservations can be made at the table by the church office or by calling Sue Sager at 716-662-9413. We hope to see you at this most interesting program!

Congratulations Meredith and Jim Wilson! They have been chosen to receive The Post Fame Award by the Orchard Park Chamber of Commerce for their contributions to make Orchard Park the wonderful place it is. The celebration will be November 6 at the New York Beer Project.

Do you give online to OPPC? If so, be sure to check out the "*I give online*" cards available at the Name Tag Table on Sunday mornings! Pick up one of the cards and when the offering plate goes around place your "*I give online*" card in as an act of worship. If you would like to learn more about online giving, [contact Jessica Merry our Business Manager](#).

THE OFFERING is one way of many ways for us to respond to God. Monetary gifts to support the ministry of OPPC are greatly appreciated. **Secure online giving is now available. Scan the QR Code with your cell phone and you will be directed to our Online Giving Site. You can also give by Text as well:**



844-980-1625, enter your dollar amount and hit enter.



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Attend 3 group meetings, including one public lecture, meals included, read a book with your community. NO COST TO YOU! (exact dates TBD)

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2025 Mission Workshop
Fall Bazaar

Orchard Park Presbyterian Church
4369 South Buffalo Street at Clark

Lots of Wonderful Gift Items to Choose from!

- 🍁 Bills and Baby Items
- 🍁 Blankets and Quilts
- 🍁 Hats and Scarves
- 🍁 Christmas Ornaments
- 🍁 Greeting Cards and More!

Saturday, November 1st
10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.
— and —
Sunday, November 2nd
9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

Sale Proceeds to Benefit  and  **Friends of Kenya Rising**

One Song

When God's people are wounded by holy war,
And brother fights brother in the name of the Lord.
I find myself praying that it won't be too long 'til we all join together in one song.

When God's family is broken, each goes his own way.
And I feel so lost, I don't know what to pray.
But still I'll go forward to follow the call to join people together in one song.

One song, like the one sung in heaven. One song, united in love.
There will be no division. Everyone will belong As we stand
before Christ singing one song.

So come and build bridges and tear down the wall.
Let our love for each other be a witness to all. They
will see us united, and we'll sing it out strong As
we praise our Great Savior in one song.

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