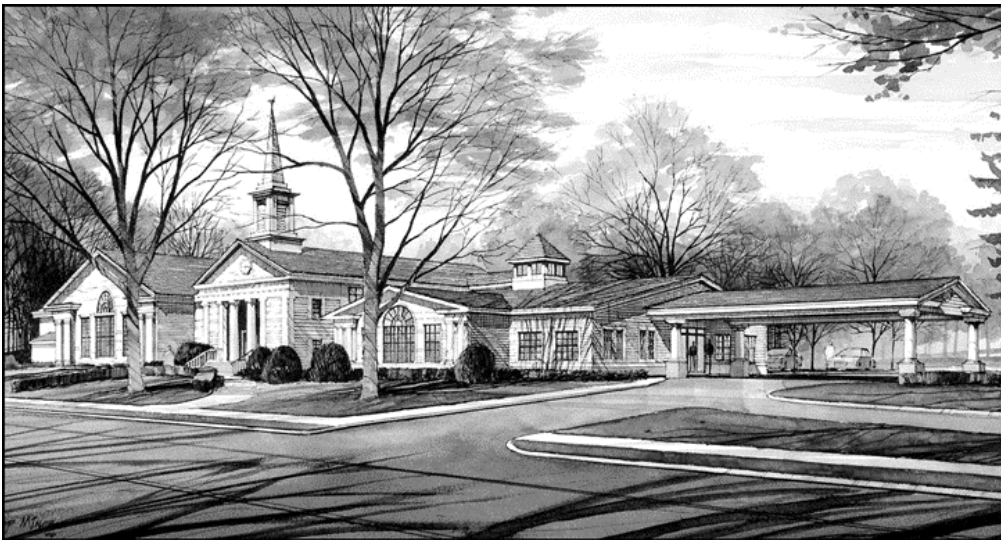




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***June 14, 2026***

**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

**Prelude**

*Brethren, We Have Met to Worship*

arr. Curnow

**Greetings**

**Minute for Mission**

**\*Call to Worship**

The harvest is plentiful, but the laborers are few.

**Lord, send us out into your harvest**

**\*Opening Hymn #49**

*The God of Abraham Praise*

**\*Invitation to Confession**

We have been buried with Christ in baptism, in order that we might be raised to new life with him through faith in the power of God. Trusting in God's grace, let us confess our sin.

**\*Prayer of Confession (Unison)**

**Merciful God, you pardon all who truly repent and turn to you. We humbly confess our sins and ask your mercy. We have not loved you with a pure heart, nor have we loved our neighbors as ourselves. We have not done justice, loved kindness, or walked humbly with you, our God. Have mercy on us, O God, in your loving-kindness. In your great compassion, cleanse us from our sin. Do not cast us away from your presence, or take your Holy Spirit from us. Restore to us the joy of your salvation and sustain us with your bountiful Spirit.**

*(A moment for silent confession)*

**\*Assurance of Pardon**

Do not fear, says the Lord, for I have redeemed you. I have called you by name; you are mine. God is doing a new thing; now it springs forth! By the grace of Jesus Christ, we are forgiven!

**Thanks be to God.**

**Passing the Peace of Christ**

Be kind to one another, and tenderhearted, forgiving one another, as God in Christ has forgiven you. The Peace of Christ be with you.

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

**Announcements**

**Prayer for Illumination**

Guide us, O God, by your Word and Spirit, that in your light we may see light, in your truth find freedom, and in your will discover your peace; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

**Amen.**

**Readings**

Exodus 19:2-6, O.T. pg. 65  
Romans 5:1-5, N.T. pg. 155  
Matthew 9:35-38, N.T. pgs. 9-10

**Choir Anthem**

*Gratitude*

Lake, Bowe & Hastings/Wise

**Meditation**

*Dear Loved Ones*

Rev. Dr. Tom Yorty

**Hymn #223**

*When I Survey the Wondrous Cross*

**Prayers of Intercession**

**Choral Response**

*Amen*

Astorga

**The Lord's Prayer**

We offer these prayers in the name of Jesus who taught us to pray:

**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.**

**The Offering**

**Offertory**

*Sanctus*

J. S. Bach

**\*Doxology #606**

(Melody)

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise Christ,  
all people here below; praise Holy Spirit evermore; praise Triune  
God, whom we adore. Amen.*

**\*Prayer of Dedication**

**\*Hymn #239**

*Good Christians All, Rejoice and Sing!*

**Congregational Meeting**

**\*Benediction**

**\*Choral Benediction**

*From the Rising of the Sun*

B. Dietsch

**Postlude**

Love Divine, All Loves Excelling

Zundel/Curry

**WELCOME!** We are glad you have joined us to worship God. If you are a visitor, we invite you to introduce yourself to our Deacon of the day, Carolyn DeLucia, who will be available after worship.

The **LITURGIST** today is Mike Cid with Liz and John Anglebeck and Claudia and Mike Rodems, as **GREETERS and USHERS**, with Paul Woodard as **HEAD USHER**.

The **FLOWERS** on the communion table are given by Terrie and Jim Murray in memory of loved ones.

Please sign the **WELCOME 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.

**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 beginning Sunday afternoons on the OPPC You Tube channel which can be accessed directly from YouTube or our webpage: [www.oppchurch.org](http://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.**

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.

**WE WELCOME KIDS IN WORSHIP** as together we are the whole people of God and today all the children are staying in worship as our regular CE programming is done until September. Worship Bags are always available in the Reception Room at the CE table. The Nursery will be open, and the service will be live streamed, so if a Little One gets restless, a parent may take them there to play and still see the service.

Our **PRAYERS AND SYMPATHY** go to the Long family on the death of Louise (Lou) Long on June 4<sup>th</sup>.

The church office will be **CLOSED** this **FRIDAY, JUNE 19** in observance of Juneteenth.

**Grapevine DEADLINE IS TUESDAY, June 23.** Please send your article in to Xanda Weiss **by 9 a.m. that morning** at [Xanda@oppchurch.org](mailto:Xanda@oppchurch.org).

Next **SUNDAY, JUNE 21 is SANDWICH SUNDAY.** Please bring your individually wrapped sandwiches to worship with you and drop them at the table by The Welcome Center and they will be delivered to St. Luke's after worship. Thanks to the Mission Ministry Team for taking up this feeding ministry which was started in April of 2021.

**STARTING July 5** and going through **September 6**, there will be **ONLY ONE SERVICE AT 9:30 a.m.**

**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 available.** Scan the QR Code with your cell phone and you will be directed to our Online Giving Site.

