

10:30am Traditional Service

WE APPROACH GOD

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

*Call to Worship

*Opening Hymn #191 "Jesus Loves Me"

*Affirmation of Faith #881 The Apostles' Creed

*Gloria Patri #70

Pastoral Prayer

Tithes and Offering

*Doxology #95

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.

WE HEAR FROM GOD

Anthem "Communion Song"

Scripture Mark 10:13-16

Sermon "Let The Little Children Come To Me"

WE RESPOND TO GOD

Invitation to Holy Communion

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Confession & Pardon

Great Thanksgiving

Lord's Prayer

Prayer After Communion

*Closing Hymn #277 "Tell Me The Stories of Jesus"

*Benediction

Postlude

**All who are able, please stand*

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Announcements

Fall Bazaar. The Fall Bazaar was a great success raising over \$10,000! Thank you to those who gave of their time to help. We couldn't have done it without you!

Grain Offering. The grain offering will be collected today and on the first Sunday of each month. If you would like to donate, you can bring 2 lbs bags of flour and sugar to the church office at your convenience. Thank you for your donations!

Wednesday Weekly Prayer Service. Service is from 6:15pm until 6:45pm in the church sanctuary. This service will be lead by members of our congregation. Nancy Hiatt will be our speaker on **October 6th**. This will be a time of praises and prayer requests.

Oak Forest Middle School & High School Youth Outing. The Youth outing to have dinner at Mi Casa has been rescheduled for Wednesday, **October 6th**. Meet at the church at 6:15pm for travel on the church van. No money needed! Estimated return time to the church is 7:30pm to 7:45pm. If you have not let Ben know that your student is attending, please do so.

O.W.L.S. Fellowship and game night will be held on Thursday night, **October 14th** at 6:00pm in the FLC large classroom.

Singing Under The Oaks. Bring your lawn chairs and blankets for this music celebration on Saturday, **October 16th** from 11:00am until 4:00pm. Gospel music from Blue Grass to quartets plus an Elvis impersonator! Food and drinks will be available for purchase. No ice chests or backpacks (except for baby needs).

Oak Forest UMC Fish Fry. It's back! Join us Saturday, **October 23rd** from 4:00pm until 7:00pm. Eat-in and take out. Limited seating and health protocols will be in place.

Oak Forest UMC Trunk or Treat. Join us Saturday, **October 30th** outside in the parking lot. We need people with TRUNKS (decorated to pass out candy). We are also taking donations of individually wrapped candy to refill the trunks if you can't do a trunk yourself. Please drop off candy at the church office.

GREETERS

October 3 9:00am	The Ogle Family
October 3 10:30am	Stewart & Billie McGuire
October 10 9:00am	LaDonya & Bradley Pope
October 10 10:30am	Ken & Judy Clodfelter

USHERS THIS SUNDAY

Team #5— Johnny Morgan, Raymond Smith, Rodie Marovich, Butch Barber

ATTENDANCE LAST SUNDAY (9/26)

Sunday, 9:00 Service:	37	
Sunday, 10:30 Service:	56	Total Weekly Attendance: 138
Wednesday Night (9/29):	35	
Facebook Live	10	

OFFERING LAST SUNDAY (9/26)

Weekly Offering Received	\$2,559.50
Weekly Offering Needed	\$5,448.00

Prayer List (September 26, 2021—October 3, 2021)

Please keep these individuals and families in your prayers this week!

JOYS: Oak Forest UMC Fall Bazaar was a success; Gary Brinkley has recovered from kidney stones; Tina Spicer Gregory rang the cancer bell last Thursday; Bob & Lori Young's son, Jeremy Killebrew returned home from the US Navy; John Britt is home from the hospital

Church: After school, Full day, and preschool programs at Oak Forest; all the efforts and hard work to keep everyone safe at our church

Concerns: Individuals: Al Alexander; Sue Alexander; Pattie Blake; Tim Bryan; Sandy Duval (cousin of Janice Cagle); Ken and Judy Clodfelter; JoAnn Cromer (mother of Larry Cromer); Forice DeLapp (friend of Gil Hill); Jake Duncan (son of Todd & Angie Weavil); Jennie Ellington; Kathryn Fowler; Ruth Gentry; Curtis Gleason (cousin of Donna White & nephew of Marilyn White); Morgan Hanks (nephew of Linda Anthony); Angel Hughes (daughter-in-law of Betty & Glenn Hughes); Steve Laymon (friend of Pastor Rick); Jan Mack (friend of Michele Grissler); Campbell McGinnis (father of Mary Catherine Middleton); Johnny & Carol Morgan; Mark Sanders; Bob Smith (uncle of Donna White); Jeff Thompson (son of John Thompson); Violet Trexler; Vicki Vogler (friend of Dwight Smith); Bob & Rita Waite; Johnna Walker; Sue & Denny Ward (Linda Anthony's cousin and her husband); Lee Williams (nephew-in-law of Dianne Williams)

Those who are grieving: Anthony family; Bradshaw family; Brewer (and Caldwell) families; Ellington (and Brewer) families; Holt family; Johnson (and Martin) families; Sizemore family; Smith (and Redmond) families

Homefriends: Betty Capps (daughter of Theresa Capps); Jennie Ellington; Phyllis Everhart (Buck); Judy Graham; Mabel Jones; Joanne Lomax; Carol Matthews; John and Betty McGee

Special Care Facilities: Sue Alexander; Dean Doar; Roseanne Marion; Campbell McInnis; Cornelia Motsinger; Nancy Ratledge; Sherwood & Ann Rettmann; Violet Trexler; Bob Waite

Receiving treatment or recovering from cancer treatment: Al Alexander, Carol Barber; Gerri Dee Crummett; James Griffin (nephew of Cathy Smith); Sandra Mendenhall (sister of Billie McGuire); Mark Sanders

Military: Nicholas "Nick" Bryan (son of Tim & Micki Bryan); Alex Cook (grandson of Glenn & Betty Hughes); Jake Duncan (son of Todd & Angie Weavil); Mason Hicks (son of Scott & Leigh Hicks); Toby Hughes (son of Glenn & Betty Hughes); Kaylen Mylee (daughter of Terry & Tina Inman)

COVID-19 concerns: Church members who are suffering with COVID who want to remain anonymous

Nation and World: Nations suffering from famine, violence, natural disasters and the Corona virus; Our military, policemen and women, firemen and women and our first responders; Our nation and our leaders; People who are persecuted for their faith around the world, especially in Afghanistan

Children's and Youth Ministry Info

K-LIFE (Kids Living In Faith Everyday) 3 years old through 5th Grade

Video Lesson posted **Every Wednesday** on our Facebook page for K-LIFE.

Go to: www.facebook.com/oakforestkids

Youth Ministry

Middle School and High School students (6th grade-12th grade)

Every Sunday a video lesson is posted on our social media pages for our **Youth Group**

Zoom Call Every Sunday at 4pm for our **Youth Group** where we will discuss our weekly devotion and lesson. To be added to the Zoom Meeting, please email Ben Roop, ben.roop@oakforestumcnc.org

Mid-Week Devotion (with lesson, worksheet, scripture, and worship music posted on our social media pages)

Check out our **Youth Ministry Facebook** page for weekly lessons, resources, video meetings & more!

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October 3, 2021
World Communion Sunday

9:00 am & 10:30 am
Worship Service

Welcome to Worship at Oak Forest United Methodist Church!

When Christians worship, we step into an alternative world. Liturgy and ritual, hymns and prayers invite us into another landscape. Jesus' words and the experience of his presence peel back the rhetoric that pummels our eardrums so that we are able to hear him say to us, "Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. I do not give to you as the world gives. Do not let your hearts be troubled, and do not let them be afraid."

(John 14:27, NRSV)

9:00am Contemporary Service

Welcome & Announcements

*Call to Worship

*Opening Songs

"God Give Us Clean Hands"

"Grace Like Rain"

Praises and Prayer Concerns

Time of Offering

Song

"From the Inside Out"

Scripture

Mark 10:13-16

Sermon

"Let The Little Children Come To Me"

Holy Communion

*Closing Song

"Sea of Faces"

Benediction

**All who are able, please stand*