NURSERY CARE FROM BIRTH TO 4 YEARS OLD

During the worship service we provide nursery care. If you need assistance, please ask an usher.

CHILDREN'S CHURCH FOR AGES 5 TO 12 YEARS OLD

Following the children's message, children are invited to exit the sanctuary with a children's church team member and proceed upstairs (above nursery) for Children's Church. Parents, please pick up your child at this room following worship.

STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

To share God's love with all people.

To serve the Lord with humility and kindness.

To grow with the Lord in wisdom and strength.

FOR PASTORAL ASSISTANCE

Pastor Jason Stump 757-630-6577 or Church 757-255-4353 pastorstump@gmail.com or office@oaklanducc.com
"Please no calls/texts after 8pm, or before 8am, unless it is a true emergency.
Rev. Stump is typically off and unavailable on Friday and Saturday.
Please consider if your contact can wait until a better time."

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Oakland Christian United Church of Christ Est. 1872 Sunday, June 1, 2025



Whoever you are or wherever you are on life's journey, you are welcome here!

Contributing to Worship Today

Minister	Rev. Jason Sump
Minster of Music	Paul Putnam
Liturgist	Rick Vroman



Let us know you are here by signing the red pad on the back of the pew in front of you.

ADULT SPIRITUAL FORMATION (Nursery Available)

Sunday 10am to 10:45am

Friendship Class - Sunday School Room - Godwin Building

Coffee & Company - Community Life Center

Sunday 11am - Worship Gathering in Sanctuary

CHURCH HAPPENINGS



- 1 BGMS awards and graduates honored at Sunday Worship Service
- June 11 Splash Bible Study Lone Star Lakes (10am)
- June 15 Confirmation Sunday Jack Brennecke
- June 17 Jewels CLC (6pm) hostesses Danna V, Julie J, Sharon W.
- June 17 Men's Fellowship El Rodeo, (6pm) 15 E. Windsor Ave in Windsor
- June 18 Splash Bible Study Location TBA (10am)
- June 19 Loaves & Fishes Meeting and Food Distribution CLC (10am)
- June 20 Friday Night Fellowship CLC (6:30pm)
- June 25 Council Meeting Little Kitchen (6pm)
- June 25 Splash Bible Study Location TBA (10am)
- June 25 Deadline for Newsletter articles

Summer Choir—Beginning June 22nd – July 27th, all rehearsals will be Sunday mornings beginning at 10:00AM in the choir room.

Attendance (Last Sunday): 103

Weekly General Fund Giving (May 19 – May 25) \$TBA

Want to set-up your giving? Call the office 757-255-4353 and Connie will be happy to help you get set up for online giving OR to provide offering envelopes



Don't miss Pentecost Sunday on June 8th! Experience the Ministry Holy Spirit through the powerful anthem "Changed," sung by the Chancel Choir.

Ladies, come sing for Father's Day! Join in with the Oakland Women's Choir to sing "The Gift of Love." Meet in the choir room at 10:00AM to rehearse and get music.

Summer Choir Starts June 22 – Thinking about joining the choir? Summer is a great time to try it out! Rehearsals are Sundays at 10:00AM in the choir room through July 27. All are welcome!

Questions? Contact: peputnam@yahoo.com



Please note: The Men's Fellowship and the Ladies' "Jewels" group will be on summer break and will not meet during July and August. Regular gatherings will resume in September."

SPLASH! BIBLE STUDY

WEDNESDAYS @ 10AM! **BEGINNING JUNE 11TH** AT LONESTAR LAKES PARK

Come together this summer to explore the inspiring biblical themes of water through fun activities, discussions, and bonding moments for everyone in our community!

Contact Oakland UCC office to signup 757-255-4353 or email office@oaklanducc.com



HOME

Ann Johnson Michael McNerny Mildred King Colen Hodgson Charles Johnson Randy Rowell Jackie Pierce Anne Hodgson John Mellon Jean Jordan

IN THE HOSPITAL AND NURSING HOMES

Rev. Mary Anne Biggs—Richmond Hospital ICU

Peggy Shackelford - Lake Prince Skilled Care

Marguerite Butler - Accordius Health

Chris Hathaway - Dockside Health - Locust Hill, VA

PRAYERS FOR FRIENDS AND FAMILY

Eddie Mitchell (Sandra Johnston's brother)

Lori Staudy (Sandra Johnston's neighbor)

Courtney Roggmann (Theresa and Robert Beale's daughter)

Darrell Mayo (Denise & Frank Spady's friend)

Hilda Mitchell (John Mitchell's mother)

Marie Walsh (Mary Haddad's cousin)

Michael Schine (Karen Schine's husband)

Ronald Burton (Sharon and Rodger Burton's son)

Karen Beck (Laurel Johnson's sister-in-law)

Charla Mathes (Samantha Fly's friend)

Naomi Shockley (June Felton's great niece)

Stasia and Danny Perryman (Susie Eaton's uncle)

Sandy and Wally Fuchs (Laurel Johnson's sister and brother in-law)

Kathy Duval (Laurel Johnson's friend)

Loretta & David Overholt (Wilma Roth's sister and brother-in-law))

Tim Boyer (Babler family friend)

Eileen Murphy (Mary Haddad's cousin)

Alexa Frey (Danna & Rick Vroman's great niece)

Judy Shiers (Cheryl Rudd's friend)

Heather Brookover (Kirsten Creely's friend)

Anne Ducate (Sadie Boyer's sister)

A GATHERING FOR WORSHIP SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

GATHERING SONG

"Alleluia, Alleluia"

THE WORDS OF GREETING

THE PRELUDE

"Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring"

J.S. Bach

*HYMN OF GATHERING

"Crown Him with Many Crowns"

No. 234

*THE CALL TO WORSHIP

Liturgist: We gather today on holy ground—where memories anchor us,

and hope lifts us toward what's next.

People: We give thanks for those who planted seeds of faith, of learning,

of love—whose legacy helps us rise.

Liturgist: In the spirit of those who came before us, and the hope of those to

come, we celebrate lives rooted in grace, and rising into the future

God is still writing.

People: We come as people shaped by stories, strengthened by

community, and sent to grow, give, and go where God calls.

All: Come, Holy Spirit—root us deep in your love, and raise us up for

your work in the world.

*THE GLORIA PATRI

No. 35

You May Be Seated...

INVOCATION

*Stand if you are able

PRAYER FOR TRANSFORMATION AND NEW LIFE (UNISON) Christ, have mercy on me. Lord, have mercy on us—and on all. We confess our sins. We cling to comfort. We resist change. We think of others as less than us. Have mercy on us—and on all. Gracious God, Strengthen us to offer grace. Stir us to care for your creation. Shape us to live your love. You love us. We love you. Let our lives show it. Amen.

WORDS OF GRACE

THE ANTHEM

"Come Share the Lord"

Leech/Tabell

BECKY GODWIN MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP AWARD

CLARK BRENNECKE - WILLIAM BRENNECKE - JOSH HARRELL CLARE MITCHELL - DORI MITCHELL - ALEX SHEARIN KATHLEEN STUMP - PEYTON WISE - ZANE WISE

Children may head to Children's Church

THE MORNING PRAYER AND LORD'S PRAYER

THE CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER RESPONSE

Because he Lives, I can face tomorrow; Because he lives, all fear is gone; Because I know he holds the future, And life is worth the living just because he lives.

THE SCRIPTURE PASSAGES

ISAIAH 40: 31 (OT PG. 668) JEREMIAH 17: 7-8 (OT PG. 719)

COLOSSIANS 2: 6-7 (NT PG. 200) JOHN 15: 4-5 (NT PG. 109)

PASTOR

LITURGIST

SERMON

"ROOTED AND RISING: THE FAITH OF OUR FUTURE"

THE COMMUNION HYMN

"I Come with Joy"

No. 420

THE ORDER FOR HOLY COMMUNION

THE WORSHIP OF OFFERING

INVITATION TO GENEROSITY

THE OFFERTORY

*THE DOXOLOGY

*THE PRAYER OF DEDICATION OF THE OFFERING

*THE PARTING HYMN

"In Christ There Is No East or West"

No. 687

No. 46

*THE COMMISSIONING (UNISON)

Let us now go forth into the world in peace, to be of good courage, to hold fast to that which is good, to render to no one evil for evil, to strengthen the fainthearted, to support the weak, to help the afflicted, and to rejoice in the power of the Holy Spirit.

*THE BENEDICTION

*THE CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE

Go in peace and the peace of God be with you this day, Go in peace and the peace of God be with you always, Celebrate and share the joy! Celebrate new life, Go in peace and the peace of God be with you always.