

WELCOME TO
OZARK PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

We warmly welcome you to Ozark Presbyterian Church, where we strive to live as faithful followers of Jesus our Savior and King. At the end of each pew is the friendship register – please take a moment to write down your name (and other information if it has changed or if you are a visitor) and pass it along the row and then pass it back for all to see who is sitting near to them. Please greet your neighbors at the close of the service!

Foundations Group

We will meet this afternoon at 3:30 in the fellowship hall.

Remember to Pray for:

Tom and Teresa Wilson, Deanna Smith, and George Stulac, our missionaries

The summer edition of *ByFaith* magazine is available at various places around the church. Please pick up your free copy of our denomination's magazine

Your elders and deacons have been elected and ordained to serve you in the name of Christ. Please pray for them often and feel free to contact any one of them if you have a need or if you have any questions that they might be able to answer for you.

Diaconate: Bill Blackmon, Jr.; John Davis;
Brian McCready

Session: Frank C. Ellis, Jr., Moderator;
Durwood Judah, Clerk;
Billy Blackmon; Wes Brunson;
Jeff May, Pete Mosley

Robert McLaughlin, *deacon emeritus*,
Earl Griffin, *elder emeritus*

*We proclaim Christ, who is
the Way, the Truth, and the Life.*

*Through him we are
Taught by the Truth, and
Liberated by the Life, to
Walk in the Way.*

*The goal of our instruction is love for God and neighbor
that flows from a pure heart and
a clear conscience and
a sincere faith.*

The Prayer for Illumination

The Sermon

Pastor Frank C. Ellis, Jr.

The Hymn, 311, *standing as able*

Hail to the Lord's Anointed

The Confession of Our Faith

The Apostles' Creed, A.D. 390

I believe in God the Father

Almighty,

Maker of heaven and earth;

And in Jesus Christ his only Son, our Lord:

Who was conceived by the Holy Ghost;

Born of the Virgin Mary;

Suffered under Pontius Pilate;

Was crucified, dead, and buried;

He descended into hell;

The third day he rose again from the dead;

He ascended into heaven;

And sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty;

From thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Ghost;

The holy catholic Church;

The communion of saints;

The forgiveness of sins;

The resurrection of the body;

And the life everlasting.

AMEN.

The Prayer of Dedication

The Passing of the Peace

Romans 5 1

Minister: *Since we have been justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ. The peace of Christ be with you all.*

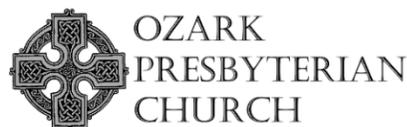
People: **And also with you.**

The Benediction and the People's Amen

2 Corinthians 13:14

The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Ghost be with you all. AMEN.

The Postlude

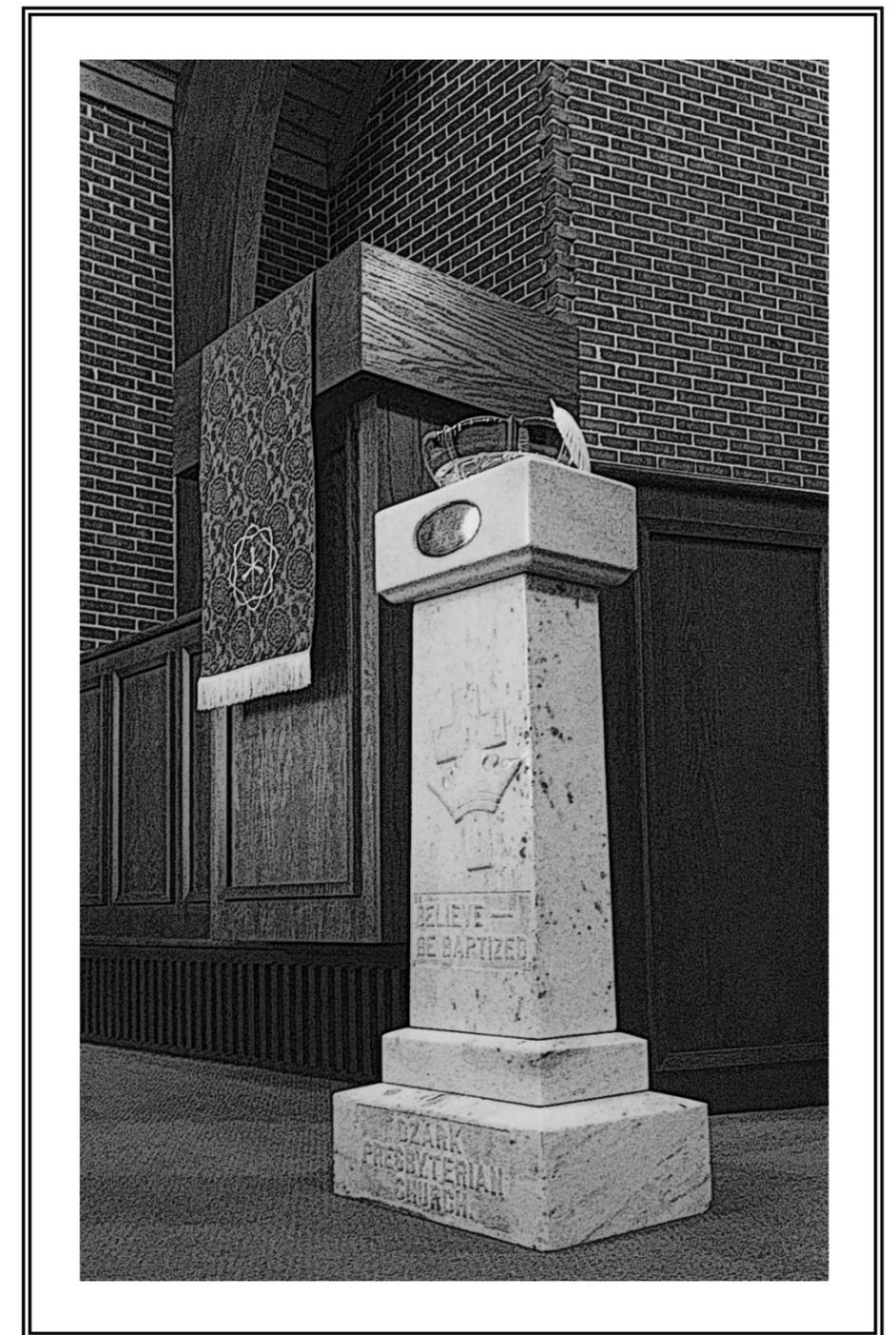


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I am the LORD; that is my name; my glory I give to no other, nor my praise to carved idols. Behold, the former things have come to pass, and new things I now declare; before they spring forth I tell you of them.

~Isaiah 42:8-9

THE ORDER FOR DIVINE WORSHIP

June 12, 2016 11:00 a.m.

Organized to the Glory of God in 1893

The Greeting

The Call to Worship

Deuteronomy 32:3-4

I will proclaim the name of the LORD; ascribe greatness to our God! The Rock, his work is perfect, for all his ways are justice. A God of faithfulness and without iniquity, just and upright is he.

The Prelude

Silent Prayer: Confirm, O Lord, we pray you, the hearts of your children, and strengthen them with the power of your grace, that they may both be devout in prayer and sincere in love for each other. Through Jesus Christ our Lord. AMEN. (*The Leonine Sacramentary*, ca. 7th century)

The Ascription of Praise, *standing as able*

from Psalm 33

Minister: *Shout for joy in the LORD, O you righteous! Praise befits the upright. Give thanks to the LORD with the lyre; make melody to him with the harp of ten strings! Sing to him a new song; play skillfully on the strings, with loud shouts.*

People: ***For the word of the LORD is upright, and all his work is done in faithfulness. He loves righteousness and justice; the earth is full of the steadfast love of the LORD.***

Minister: *The LORD looks down from heaven; he sees all the children of man; from where he sits enthroned he looks out on all the inhabitants of the earth.*

People: ***Behold, the eye of the LORD is on those who fear him, on those who hope in his steadfast love, that he may deliver their soul from death and keep them alive in famine.***

Minister: *Our soul waits for the LORD; he is our help and our shield. For our heart is glad in him, because we trust in his holy name.*

All: ***Let your steadfast love, O LORD, be upon us, even as we hope in you.***

The Psalm 36:5-12

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The Prayer of Adoration and Invocation

The *Gloria Patri*

Latin Hymn, A.D. 529

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost.

As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be: world without end.

Amen, Amen.

All may be seated

The Call to Confession

Isaiah 30:15, 18

Thus said the Sovereign LORD, the Holy One of Israel, "In returning and rest you shall be saved; in quietness and in trust shall be your strength."Therefore the LORD waits to be gracious to you, and therefore he exalts himself to show mercy to you. For the LORD is a God of justice; blessed are all those who wait for him.

The Prayer of Confession, *in unison*

The Gelasian Sacramentary, ca. 7th century

Lord, have mercy on our sins of ignorance and pardon our highhanded sins. We have given in to temptation and failed in our duty; we have lingered over shameful desires and have turned aside from your work, serving instead our own idle and selfish purposes.

Father of mercies, hear our prayers, we beseech you. Spare those who repent and grant that those whose consciences are accused by sin may be absolved by your merciful forgiveness through Jesus Christ our Lord...

To Glorify God and to Enjoy Him Forever

The Individual Confession of Sin, *in silence*

The Prayer for Peace and Grace

The Prayer for Grace and Holiness

Minister: From all evil thoughts and loves; from the frailties and corruptions of the flesh; from bondage to this present world system; and from pride and self-worship:

People: Save us, O Lord.

Minister: From setting a bad example; from leading others into temptation and causing them to stumble; and from all malice and ill-will:

People: Save us, O Lord.

Minister: From remembering our differences so that we forget brotherly love and communion in our one Lord; from thoughtlessness of one another's infirmity and need; from everything that alienates us from each other and from you; from all the evils we fear and have prayed against, and from those we have not thought of:

People: Save and deliver your servants, O Lord, whose hope is in your goodness and mercy forever.

The Assurance of Pardon

Isaiah 49:6; John 8:12

Thus says the LORD concerning his servant: *"It is too light a thing that you should be my servant to raise up the tribes of Jacob and to bring back the preserved of Israel; I will make you as a light for the nations, that my salvation may reach to the end of the earth."*

Jesus says: *"I am the light of the world. Whoever follows me will not walk in darkness, but will have the light of life."*

The Hymn, 646, vv. 1, 2, 5, *standing as able*

Jesus, Thou Joy of Loving Hearts

All may be seated

The Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

You are invited to write down your ministry and/or prayer requests (joys and concerns) on the cards in the cards in the pew racks. Please place them in the offering plate or hand them to one of the elders at the end of the service.

The Prayer of Dedication

The Offertory

The Doxology, *standing as able*

Thomas Ken, 1674

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise him all creatures here below;

Praise him above, ye heav'nly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. AMEN.

All may be seated

The Prayer of Thanksgiving and Intercession

The Lord's Prayer

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, and the power, and the glory, forever. AMEN.

The Scripture Lesson

Mark 4:21-34

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