

## SERMON NOTES

Isaiah 61: 1, 2, 3; 66:13, 14;  
Matthew 25:14 – 30; Revelation 7:17  
*"The God Who Comforts Like a Mother"*  
Rev. Paul Housworth



Welcome to  
**Oreland Evangelical  
Presbyterian Church**

*Friend, you enter this church not as a stranger, but as a guest of God.  
Our congregation is happy to offer you a place in this sanctuary.*

**8:45 AM Christian Education | 10 AM Worship**

Assisted Listening System Available - Ask an Usher  
*Please Silence Your Mobile Devices*

**10:00 AM Worship**

**Sunday, May 10**

**PRELUDE**

**CHURCH NEWS**

**CALL TO WORSHIP** (reader)

*"Crown Him with Many Crowns" - #345*

**OPENING PRAYER** (reader)

*"Be Unto Your Name"*

*"10,000 Reasons" (Bless the Lord)*

**PRAYER OF CONFESSION** (reader)

**ASSURANCE OF GOD'S GRACE** (reader)

**PASSING OF THE PEACE**

*"10,000 Reasons" (Bless the Lord) - Verse 2 + Chorus*

**CHILDREN'S MESSAGE**

**PASTORAL PRAYER**

**THE LORD'S PRAYER** (together)

**SCRIPTURE READING:**

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**SERMON:** *"The God Who Comforts Like a Mother"*

**OFFERING PRAYER**

**OFFERTORY**

*"Moment by Moment" - #65*

**SUNG BENEDICTION**

**POSTLUDE**

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Welcome Visitors!** To connect, sign your name on a Friendship Pad (located in each pew toward the center aisle) or scan the QR Code below.

**Children's Church:** Available today for children in Pre-K through 3rd Grade in Room S3. Head downstairs after the Children's Message.

**Happy Mother's Day** to all of our OEPC moms. Thank you for all you do!

**Rainforest Falls Bible Adventures Camp!** July 20-24, 9am-noon.

**Volunteers Needed!** We are looking for volunteers to become Station Leaders of the Sticky Scripture and Games Station. If you are interested, please speak with Marissa Phelps or sign up on [orelandpres.org](http://orelandpres.org).

**Coming Up:** Volunteer training will be held next Sunday, May 17.

### Ministry Summer Breaks

**Kidz Connect Thursday:** Taking a break until the fall.

**Men's Bible Study:** Taking a break until the fall.

**Senior Fellowship:** Taking a break until the fall. See you again on Sept. 15.

**Sisters Bible Study:** Meeting Thursdays at 1pm through May 21.

**Youth Event at Peace Valley Park:** Sat. May 30, 12-8:30pm. Dinner provided. Brings games and money for a watercraft. See Graham for more details.

### Kidz & Youth Connect on Sundays at 8:45am:

+ Kidz Connect Sundays: In Room S3 for Pre-K - 3rd Grade

+ Catechism Class: In Room 201 for 4th - 8th Grade

+ Breakfast and Bible: In Room 202 for 9th - 12th Grade

**Adult Ed Class:** *"The Ten Commandments"* - Sundays, through May 24 at 8:45am in Fellowship Hall. Taught by Rev. Roger Spence.

### Youth Connect Wednesdays - Wednesday Night Lights

+ Grades 4th-8th - 5:15-7:15pm - Meet in Room 202

+ Grades 9th-12th - 6:00-8:30pm - Meet in Room 001

**Wednesday Youth Dinners:** Provide a meal on Wednesday for the Youth! Contact Barb at [barbmetz@gmail.com](mailto:barbmetz@gmail.com) or 610-908-7816.

### Prayer Meetings:

+ Sundays after worship in Fellowship Hall

+ Every 2nd & 4th Tuesday of the month at 6pm in the Library & via Zoom

### LI'L CONNECT NURSERY AVAILABLE TODAY

For ages 0-3 years old. Located downstairs. Available at 9:50am until the end of Worship. Parents, sign-in and leave needed items for your child in a bag.



**WELCOME VISITORS** We're glad you joined us today! To help us get to know you, scan the QR code on the left with your phone camera to fill out a connect form or sign your name on a Friendship Pad, located in the pew toward the center.

## PRAYERS & PRAISES

Email [office@orelandpres.org](mailto:office@orelandpres.org) to submit prayer requests to the email prayer chain.

### PRAYER REQUEST

*"Pray for Al & Edna White's daughter Jennifer as she is scheduled for a critical surgery."*

### CHURCH FAMILY

+ Len Shea went home to be with the Lord on April 20. Len was a member of OEPC for 60 years. Please pray for his family. Len's service will be May 16 at OEPC. The Visitation begins at 9:30am and the Service at 10am. Reception to follow.

+ Nancy Land went home to be with the Lord on April 11. Please be in prayer for her children and the greater WEC family.

+ Gilda Benner went home to be with the Lord on March 20. Gilda was a member of OEPC for 17 years. Please be in prayer for her family and friends.

+ Lena Miller went home to be with the Lord on Feb. 23. Lena was a member of OEPC since 1963. Please keep her husband Ken in your prayers.

+ Ruth Buck went home to be with the Lord on Feb. 23. Pray for her family.

### PRAY FOR THOSE WHO HAVE LOST A LOVED ONE

+ Pray for Linda Craymer and her family after the loss of her sister-in-law Diane, on April 10.

+ Pray for Nick and Marilyn Furcola as they grieve the sudden loss of their daughter Chloe, and for her 4 children who will be living with them.

### PRAY FOR THOSE ON OUR HOMEBOUND LIST

Virginia Braxton, Esther Grier, Jean Harned, Norma Hawk, Robert & Sandy Heath, Theodore Highley, Joanne Hunter, Edith Jenkins, Helen Lamb, Polly Mignard, Alice White, Stephan White, Isabella Young

### PRAY FOR THOSE WITH HEALTH CONCERNS

Paul Allen, Stan Braxton, Susan Casazza, Bruce Clydesdale, Mike DeLaurentis, Marilyn Furcola, Anne Godley, Nancy Hines, Kathy James, Donna Jones, Doug Kroll, Doug Lieberman, Rachel Montgomery, Al Myers, TJ Plieninger, Lou Raggi Sr., Joan Romano, Bert Saddler, Maureen Small, Jennifer White

### PRAY FOR EPC CHURCHES IN OUR AREA

Great Valley Presbyterian Church | Pastor Keith Fink | Malvern, PA

### PRAY FOR OUR COLLEGE STUDENTS

Ella Hummel - Penn State Univ., Max May - Penn State Univ., Christine Naessens - Penn State Univ., Robbie Raggi Jr. - Grove City College, Suzanne Seltzer - Indiana Univ. of Penn, Sam Yonan - Wheaton College

### PRAY FOR THOSE SERVING IN OUR ARMED FORCES

+ CDR Elyse Braxton - Navy + Paul Seltzer - Marine Corps

### PRAY FOR OUR SUPPORTED MISSIONS

This Week's Mission - Literacy & Evangelism

View a full list of OEPC Supported Missions at: [orelandpres.org/serve/around-the-world](http://orelandpres.org/serve/around-the-world)



### SIGN UP FOR OUR WEEKLY E-NEWS

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