

SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP

September 24, 2023

Prelude Danielle Scott

Welcome & Announcements Alan Miller

Choral Call to Worship  
"Majesty" arr. Bock

\*Invocation

\*Gloria Patri

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.

\*Hymn of Praise 227  
"Praise Him! Praise Him" JOYFUL SONG

Consecration Sunday Craig Jacobs

Pastoral Prayer

\*Hymn of Faith 606  
"I Gave My Life for Thee" KENOSIS

Dedication of Our Gifts Jonathan Wiles

Anthem Chancel Choir  
"Blessed Assurance" Raney

Judean Hines, soloist

One thing I'm sure of, one thing I know,  
God walks beside me wherever I go.  
He'll never leave me, he's there to stay,  
God holds my hand, He lights my way.

God's love is perfect, His arms are strong,  
He's right here with me, I'm not alone.  
When my heart's broken, He's there to mend,  
He is my savior, He is my friend.

Blessed assurance, Jesus is mine,  
O what a foretaste of glory divine!  
Watching and waiting, looking above,  
Filled with His goodness, lost in His love.

2023 Singing Christmas Tree

There's still time to join the Singing Christmas Tree choir! We meet Wednesdays at 7 p.m. in the Choir Room. We're singing some familiar favorites as well as a few new carols. The choir is open to youth (6<sup>th</sup> grade and up) and adults. Please join us!

Wednesday Night Activities

Dinner is at 5:30, followed by music for children K-12, and Bible Study for adults. This Fall we are studying the book of James. Adult choir will be at 7:00. Dinners will cost \$5 per person. Please come and join us for this wonderful mid-week opportunity for fellowship and growth!

New Mid-week Opportunity

A Biweekly Tuesday Night Care Group is starting up at the Reed Family's home. Come join us for fellowship and a focused time to grow as a community towards Christ. The group will be practicing Lec. All ages welcomed, food will be served. Contact Jeremy (540-847-7333) or Kat (540-847-4567) at TheReedFamily2008@gmail.com for more information. Their address is 20495 Clarks Mountain Rd. Rapidan, VA.

Care Group dates are tentatively Sept 19th, Oct 3rd & 17th, Nov 14th & 28th, Dec 12th.

CEC HELP NEEDED

The Christian Emergency Council is in need of a volunteer from Orange Baptist Church to be available for two-week periods of duty to assist with calls requesting assistance from community members. Please contact the office (540-672-2996) if you can help.

PROPERTIES COMMITTEE REQUEST

The Properties Committee is seeking 4-6 volunteers to monitor the building water system for leaks using a simple cell phone app. No plumbing expertise is required. Volunteers will be "on duty" on a rotating basis with considerable schedule flexibility. To learn more, contact Patrick Colby, 732-266-4219.

PRAYER LIST

Concerns within church family:

Danielle Scott  
Gene Wagner  
Paul Harris  
Kathryn Higginbotham  
Althea Pace  
Sharon Faerber  
Bill Kling  
Karen Wheeler  
Lovedy Papproth  
Karen Weaver  
Vi Brown  
Betty Coleman  
Luther Dofflemoyer  
Sibyl Johnson  
Genevieve Starkey  
Bertha Krise  
Erline Arthur  
Connie Sardina  
Bob & Madeline Reeves  
Carolyn Tusing  
Charlene Schweikert  
Bart Daniel  
Emma Pugh  
Ramona Smith  
Rose Reel

CBF Field Personnel:

Cindy & Eddy Ruble  
Greg & Sue Smith

DEACONS

Charles Carpenter  
Todd Feagans  
Lynette Higginbotham  
Julia & Larry Lloyd

Concerns of friends & family:

Caitlin Bomar (wife of new Priest at St. Thomas Episcopal)  
Julia Thomas  
W. T. Lee  
Sarah Rogers  
Carol Watson  
Brooke Wheeler-Downing  
Roy Pritchett  
Doris Haney  
Aileen Green  
Betty Olithint  
Carl Phillips  
Shenna Stoner  
Keith Woodson  
Meredith Cook  
Barbara Muller  
Jane Pratt  
Zach McClung  
Paul Williams III  
Jack Samuels  
Gene Dunnivan  
Ivan Letner  
John Henry Ryder  
Jimmy Kestner  
Darryl & Brenda Hutchinson  
Daniel Lewis  
Debbie Soudek

Missionaries:

The Camp Family

Sharon Chewning  
Mark O'Connell  
L J Taylor  
Jonathan Wiles

This is my story, this is my song,  
Praising my savior all the day long.  
This is my story, this is my song,  
Praising my savior all the day long.

\*Doxology 253

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.

Children's Sermon Mary Beth Miller

Scripture Matthew 22:15-22  
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Sermon Alan Miller  
Render to Caesar Your Bitcoin

\*Hymn of Commitment 604  
"Come, All Christians, Be Committed" BEACH SPRING

\*Receiving of New Members

\*Benediction 462  
"The Lord's Prayer" MALOTTE

Postlude Danielle Scott

#### MINISTERING WITH YOU

*Rev. Alan F. Miller, Pastor*

<i>Director of Music</i> <i>Mrs. Martha Mikula</i>	<i>Youth Ministry Director</i> <i>Rev. Lindsay Wiles</i>
<i>Accompanist</i> <i>Ms. Danielle Scott</i>	<i>Administrative Assistant</i> <i>Mrs. Melinda Cunningham</i>
<i>Chair of Deacons</i> <i>Mr. Todd Feagans</i>	<i>Vice Chair of Deacons</i> <i>Mr. Jonathan Wiles</i>

Contributions may be given online at [www.obcva.org](http://www.obcva.org)

Nursery: Mark & Carolyn Herndon  
10/1 – Katie Feagans and Quinn Feagans  
Nursery is available for infants through 3-year olds.

**Wed., Sept. 27:** Dinner at 5:30 in Pine Room. Costs is \$5 per person.

Wednesday Night Activities 6PM.

Tree Choir and Chancel Choir at 7 PM.

**Sun., Oct. 1:** Consecration Sunday with meal to follow in the Pine Room.

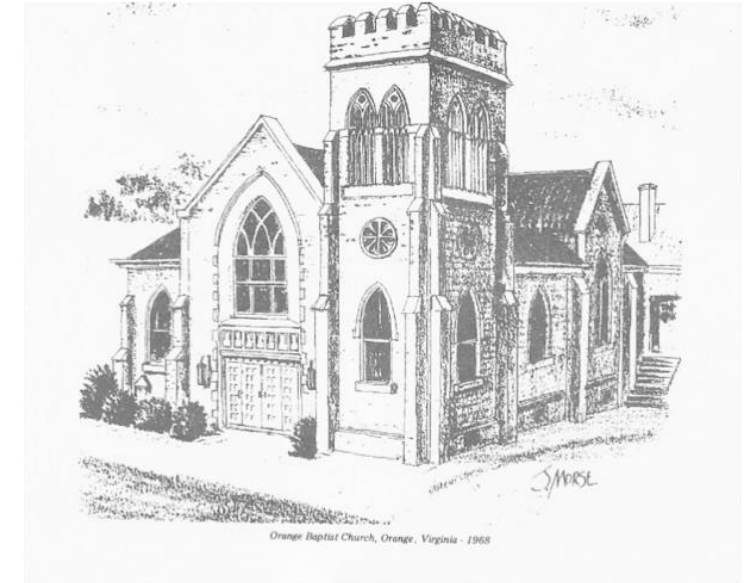
We hope you were blessed during worship today. If you would like to learn more about our church and ministries visit our website at [www.obcva.org](http://www.obcva.org).

Are you interested in learning more about becoming a member, or getting more involved at OBC? Please get in touch with me via the contact information below. I would love to talk about your part in our shared life and mission together!  
– Alan Miller, Pastor

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\*Please stand if able.