

Oakfield United Methodist Church

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Pastor: Rev. Young Tae Lee

Sunday, September 15, 2019. Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost
8:45 AM

† = please stand as able

Bold = everyone reading together

Gathering for Worship – *Please take an opportunity to look at the altar and prepare your heart and mind for worship.*

Prelude

The Reminder of Christ's Presence in Worship – *The altar candles are lit.*

Welcome

†Call to Worship

Leader: Hear the good news: People who are lost are being found.

People: Glory, glory; hallelujah!

Leader: Hear the good news: God goes out into the wilderness of our lives, seeking us when we are lost.

People: Glory, glory; hallelujah!

Leader: To Christ Jesus, full of faith and love; to the Ruler of the Ages, immortal, invisible; to the Spirit of peace and mercy,

People: all honor and glory are yours forever and ever. Amen!

†Opening Hymn: *“Come, Sinners, to the Gospel Feast”* UMH #339

Opening Prayer: Christ Jesus, we stand in your presence, remembering your amazing welcome of all who are lost and fallen. Sometimes we feel as if we too belong in this group, for we've fallen short of who we might be. Still, we come into your presence with confidence in your love; and we praise you for the

acceptance that you show us all. To you be honor and glory, forever and ever. Amen.

The Message for Young Christians-*The young and “young at heart” are welcome.*

Reading from the Old Testament Psalm 14:1-7(p.647)
The Word of God for the people of God.
Thanks be to God.

Reading from the New Testament Luke 15:1-10(p.1244)
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Thanks be to God.

†Gloria Patri: *“We Were Baptized...”* – TFWS #2251 (verse 3)
Glory be to God the Father, glory be to Christ the Son, glory to the Holy Spirit, ever three and ever one; as it was in the beginning, glory now resounds again in a song that has no ending. Amen.

The Message ***“Rejoice With Me”*** Rev. Young Tae Lee

Hymn: *“Amazing Grace”* UMH #378

The Prayers of This Church Community – *To make sure prayer concerns get into the bulletin, please fill out a “Prayer Request form” and place it in the offering plate or give it to Rev. Young Tae Lee*

Time for Silent Prayer and Reflection

The Lord's Prayer (UMH #895)
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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

Prayer of Confession: Gracious and loving God, we find it difficult at times to place our trust in you. Too often we look at the world, and see only violence, pain, destruction, and signs of hopelessness and despair. Too often we rely on our own strength,

our own plans, our own devices, rather than trusting in your hand to hold us, your love to sustain us, and your wisdom to see us through. Forgive us, Holy One. Help us turn to you when we are lost, that we might find our way home. Help us navigate the treacherous waters of this world, that we might experience your abundant grace, mercy, and love. Help us put our trust in you, that the faith and love that are in Christ Jesus may shine in our lives for all to see. Amen.

Words of Assurance: Jesus said, “there will be more joy in heaven over one sinner who repents than over ninety-nine righteous persons who need no repentance.” My friends, experience God’s forgiveness and joy— gifts that leads to new life! In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven!

Sharing the Peace of Christ with One Another

Time of Offering

†Doxology: "Rejoice, Ye Pure in Heart" UMH #160 (verse 5)
Praise God who reigns in high, the Lord whom we adore, the Father, Son, and Holy Ghost, one God forever more. Rejoice, rejoice, rejoice, give thanks and sing.

†Prayer of Dedication

Time of Sharing – *We will share our announcements and God moments. Please make sure to sign the red attendance pads!*

†Closing Hymn: “Marching to Zion” UMH #733

†Benediction

†Postlude

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Challenge 36 – “I, I am the LORD, and besides me there is no savior.” (Isaiah 43:11)

Challenge 37 – “You are the light of the world. A city set on a hill cannot be hidden.” (Matthew 5:14)

Welcome to Oakfield UMC!

It is wonderful to have you here in worship with us! If you are visitor, we would ask that you sign in on our red attendance pads. Please also check out our visitor information in the Fellowship Hall.

- Large print hymnals are available at the back table of the sanctuary.
- We have sound amplification equipment that is connected to our microphone system. Please let the pastor or an usher know if you would like a device.
- Please check the literature rack in the narthex where you can find the church directory, our ***September Good News Newsletter***, and other information.
- We have wireless internet access available in the church. Please contact Rev. Lee for an instruction.



Prayer Concerns

People in the path of hurricane Dorian; Gene Adams; Cade Jefferson (Julie's Great Nephew); Larry Ott; Sharon Martin; Paul Kolman; Jodi & Nancy; Dick Martin; Jean O'Laire; Ken O'Laire; Joann Goodlaxson; Stephen Ministers and their care receivers, Sunday School teachers and students.

Missions: Momoh Kebbie (The Child that we sponsor through World Vision)

Our Servicemen and Servicewomen: Quinn Fechter (Al & Joann's Grandson), Riker Wilder (Alice & Monty's Grandson), Brandon Zirbe (*Vicki Seitz's nephew*)

Upcoming Events

- **Monday, September 16th at 6:30PM** – Stephen Ministry Continuing Education and Supervision Meeting in the Upper Room at Tabor.
- **Thursday, September 19th at 6:30PM** – Church Council Meeting
- **Friday, September 27th at 7 PM**- The Family Movie Night,

Breakthrough at Tabor UMC

- **Sunday, September 29th** – Disability Awareness Sunday
- **Saturday, October 12th 4:00PM-7:00PM** – Pork Loin Dinner
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Our Church Finances

- **Offering from Sunday, September 8th: \$ 417.00**
- Needed Weekly to Cover Entire 2019 Budget: \$1016.98

Announcement

- Hurricane Dorian's hit to the Bahamas has been severe. Here are a few ways to support the relief effort. UMCOR has provided a solidarity grant to Bahamas Methodist Habitat, the Disaster Ministry of the Bahamas Conference of the United Methodist Church. You can help by making a donation to **Advance 982450 UMCOR International Disaster Response**. To support the United States disaster response, make a donation to **Advance 901670 UMCOR US Disaster Response**.
- If you have a son or daughter who will be in the 8th grade this coming fall, please contact Rev. Lee via email, oakfieldtaborpastor@yahoo.com or call 392-9888. They are welcome to take part in 2019-2020 Confirmation Class.
- If you are considering membership in Oakfield UMC, please contact Rev. Lee at 920-392-9888 or oakfieldtaborpastor@yahoo.com

Giving Back to the Community

- Please donate to the Community Food Pantry

Oakfield Worship Team

Pastor: Young Tae Lee Ministers: All the People
Liturgist: Stephanie Wonzer
Ushers: Ron & Karen O'Laire
Greeter: Marv & Bernadine Pea
Organist: Jeanne Miller, Sandy Dvorak
Altar Preparations: Denise Shaffer
Communion Preparations: Karen O'Laire